

FIRST MOVE INTERNATIONAL OPEN FIDE RATED CHESS TOURNAMENT

AICF Code: 420687/KA/2025 | KSCA Code: KSCA/R02/2526KSCA

UNDER THE AEGIS



DATE : 20TH TO 24TH SEPTEMBER, 2025

VENUE : BSS VIDYODAYA, MYSURU

RAMAIAH RD, KRISHNAMURTHY PURAM, MYSURU, KARNATAKA 570004

(OPP TO SHARADAVILAS COLLEGE, NEXT TO RAGHAVENDRA SWAMI MUTT)

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GRAND CASH PRIZE

₹5,00,000



61 CASH PRIZES | 107 TROPHIES | MEDALS FOR ALL U-7 PLAYERS

Organiser

BHARATH.M

MDCA Secretary, Founder of First Move Chess Academy

TO REGISTRATION



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First Move



International Open FIDE Rated

Chess Tournament



TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Opening Ceremony	09:30 AM	20-09-2025	Saturday
Players Meeting	10:30 AM		
Round 1	11:00 AM		
Round 2	04:00 PM		
Round 3	09:30 AM	21-09-2025	Sunday
Round 4	02:30 PM		
Round 5	09:30 AM	22-09-2025	Monday
Round 6	02:30 PM		
Round 7	09:30 AM	23-09-2025	Tuesday
Round 8	02:30 PM		
Round 9	09:00 AM	24-09-2025	Wednesday
Closing Ceremony	02:30 PM		

MAIN PRIZES (in Indian Rupees)

Prize	Money	Prize	Money
1st (Trophy)	₹ 60,001	13th	₹ 4,000
2nd (Trophy)	₹ 35,000	14th	₹ 4,000
3rd (Trophy)	₹ 30,000	15th	₹ 4,000
4th	₹ 25,000	16th	₹ 3,500
5th	₹ 20,000	17th	₹ 3,500
6th	₹ 12,000	18th	₹ 3,500
7th	₹ 10,000	19th	₹ 3,500
8th	₹ 9,000	20th	₹ 3,500
9th	₹ 8,000	21st	₹ 2,500
10th	₹ 7,000	22nd	₹ 2,500
11th	₹ 6,000	23rd	₹ 2,500
12th	₹ 5,000	24th	₹ 2,500
		25th	₹ 2,500

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Below 1601-1800	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹ 25,000
2nd	₹ 15,000
3rd	₹ 10,000
4th	₹ 8,000
5th	₹ 6,000
6th	₹ 5,000
7th	₹ 3,500
8th	₹ 3,500
9th	₹ 3,500
10th	₹ 3,000

Below 1400-1600	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹ 20,000
2nd	₹ 13,000
3rd	₹ 8,000
4th	₹ 7,000
5th	₹ 5,000
6th	₹ 4,000
7th	₹ 3,000
8th	₹ 2,500
9th	₹ 2,500
10th	₹ 2,500

Unrated	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹ 15,000
2nd	₹ 12,000
3rd	₹ 7,000
4th	₹ 6,000
5th	₹ 4,000
6th	₹ 3,500
7th	₹ 3,000
8th	₹ 2,500
9th	₹ 2,500
10th	₹ 2,500

Specially Challenged	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹3,500
2nd	₹3,000

Best Veteran (Above 60 Years)	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹5,000
2nd	₹4,000

Best Women (Above 18 Years)	
Place	Prize Money
1st	₹4,000
2nd	₹3,500



U-7 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR BOYS
U-9 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR BOYS
U-11 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR BOYS
U-13 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR BOYS
U-15 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR BOYS

2 TROPHY GOLDEN KID BOY



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U-15 - TOP 10 TROPHY FOR GIRLS

2 TROPHY GOLDEN KID GIRL

Note: 1. Cash prizes will not be shared on the same points.
2. One Player will be given one higher prize only.

ENTRY DETAILS : **EARLY BIRD ENTRY:** Rs. 2,250/- (Till 15th July 2025)
ENTRY FEE: Rs. 2500/- (Till 15th August 2025)
(GM/IM/WGM/WIM FREE)

LAST DATE OF ENTRY: 02-09-2025

1. Entries must be received on or before 15th Aug 2025, thereafter a late Fee of Rs. 500/- will be charged till 02nd Sept 2025.
2. Entry once paid is non-refundable.

LODGING : Outstation players should make their own lodging arrangements.

AICF & KSCA REGISTRATION

All India Chess Federation Registration for the year 2025-26 is compulsory for all the participants. Those who have not registered with AICF or KSCA, have to complete their registration well before the first-round pairings. AICF Registration can be done at <https://prs.aicf.in> and KSCA Registration can be done at <https://karnatakachess.com/player-registration/> proof to be produced when requested by the organisers.

RULES

1. 9 Rounds Swiss League
2. Tie-Break: (1) Buchholz Cut 1 (2) Buchholz (3) Sonneborn Berger (4) Direct encounter (5) Greater number of wins (forfeit included) (6) Greater number of wins with black
3. Appeal Committee of 5 members with 3 reserves amongst the senior participants/officials present at the players' meeting shall be formed before the commencement of the tournament. All the members and reserves will be from different state/District. No member of the committee can vote on the dispute in which a player from his state/District is involved and, in such case, reserve members shall take his place in the committee
4. In case of dispute the Tournament Director's decision will be final and binding on all.
5. Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.
6. The organisers of the tournament have the right to accept or reject any entry fee without giving any reason
7. The organisers of the tournament reserve the right to make necessary changes in the rules about the tournament
8. All electronics devices including all types of wrist watches are not allowed in switched on condition, it should be switched off and kept in the bags, no lockers will be provided.
9. The time control will be 90 min + 30 sec increment from move 1.
10. The default time (walkover) will be 30 minutes.
11. Smoking/drinking is strictly prohibited within the premises of the college.
12. Parents and accompanying persons are not allowed inside tournament hall at all times.
13. A Player may withdraw at any stage after informing the chief arbiter in writing
14. Kids can bring a pillow or cushion for height adjustment in the chair

How to reach Venue?

From City Bus Stand to venue 3.2 km
From Sub Urban Bus Stand 4.4 km
From railway Station 3.1 km

For Enquiry

95357 50002, 82964 26042
99642 91085
Email: firstmovec@gmail.com

Hotel Names And Contact Numbers Near BSS Vidyodaya School

- 1) 9606555006 - Hari Govinda's
- 2) 9632247471- Suvarna Residency
- 3) 9901608109- Hotel Mysore Royale
- 4) 8214292777- The Quorum Hotel
- 5) 8214264280 - Advaita Residency
- 6) 9741022294 - Aishwarya Residency

We recommend booking a hotel within a 5 km radius of BSS School for convenience. While booking, kindly check:

- * Room rates and any discounts
- * Facilities (Wi-Fi, AC, meals, parking, etc.)
- * Exact distance to the school
- * Reviews and ratings

A few hotel names and contact numbers have been shared. You may also search on Google or any travel app for more options.

Early booking is encouraged.

Enjoy the Bliss of Mysore

