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# GRAND CHESS FESTIVAL 2025

CHATRAPATI  
**SAMBHAJINAGAR**  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct to 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 2025

**Open Classic**

Rs. 12,33,333  
(25<sup>th</sup> Oct to 29<sup>th</sup> Oct)

**Rapid Rating**

Rs. 6,00,000  
(30<sup>th</sup> OCT)

**Below 1700**

Rs. 12,00,000  
(31<sup>st</sup> OCT to 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov)



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# ALL INDIA FIDE RATING OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT 25<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2025

**Open Prize Fund  
12,33,333**

**Total Prize -115**

**Trophy -137**



**WINNER**

**1,21,333+TROPHY+MEDAL**

**2ND RUNNER**

**1,10,000+TROPHY+MEDAL**

**3RD PRIZE**

**51,000+TROPHY+MEDAL**

## MAIN PRIZES

PRIZES	RS.
4	25,000
5	20,000
6	13,000
7	12,000
8	11,000
9	10,000
10	10,000
11	10,000
12	10,000
13	10,000
14	10,000
15	10,000
16-25	6,000

## RATING CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	1601-1800	BELOW1600	UNRATED
1	50,000+ T	50,000+T	15,000+T
2	25,000+T	25,000+T	11,000+T
3	15,000+T	15,000+T	7,000+T
4	12,000	12,000	6,000
5	11,000	11,000	6,000
6	10,000	10,000	
7	10,000	10,000	
8	9,000	9,000	
9	9,000	9,000	
10	9,000	9,000	
11-15	6,000	6,000	
16-17	5,000	5,000	

## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	FEMALE (15+)	VETERAN (55+)	SPECIALLY ABELED	SAMBHAJINAGAR	MAHARASHTRA
1st	7000+ T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T
2nd	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T
3rd	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
5th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## AGE CATEGORY PRIZES

U-07			U-09		U-11		U-13		U-15	
PRIZES	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
1st	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy
2nd	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY
3rd	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY
4th-10th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
25.10.2025	SATURDAY	1	11:00 am	2	4:00 pm
26.10.2025	SUNDAY	3	9:00 am	4	2:30 pm
27.10.2025	MONDAY	5	9:00 am	6	2:30 pm
28.10.2025	TUESDAY	7	9:00 am	8	4:30 pm
29.10.2025	WEDNESDAY	9	9:00 am		

## Arrival

**25<sup>th</sup> OCT 2025 @ 9:00 am**

**Inauguration followed by  
players meeting**

**25<sup>th</sup> OCT 2025 @ 9:00 am**

**Prize Distribution**

**29<sup>th</sup> OCT 2025 @ 7:00 pm**





# ALL INDIA FIDE OPEN RAPID RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT 30<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2025



**RAPID PRIZE FUND  
6,00000**

**Total Prize -73**

**Trophy -87**

**WINNER**

**71,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL**

**2ND RUNNER**

**50,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL**

**3RD PRIZE**

**30, 000 +TROPHY+MEDAL**

## MAIN PRIZES

PRIZES	RS.
4	20,000
5	10,000
6	7,000
7	6,000
8	5,000
9	4,000
10	4,000
11	4,000
12	4,000
13	4,000
14	4,000
15-20	3,000

## RATING CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	BELOW 1600	BELOW 1500	UNRATED
1	50,000+ T	50,000+ T	8,000+ T
2	25,000+T	25,000+T	6,000
3	15,000+T	15,000+T	4,000
4	10,000	10,000	3,000
5	7,000	7,000	3,000
6	5,000	5,000	TROPHY
7	3,000	3,000	TROPHY
8	3,000	3,000	TROPHY

## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	RS.	RS.
Veteran (S-65)	Veteran (S-50)	Female (16+)
4000+T	4000+T	4000+T
3000+T	3000+T	3000+T
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

U-16			U-14		U-12		U-10		U-8		U-6	
PRIZES	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
1st	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy
2nd	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY
3rd	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
5th to 10th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
30.10.2025	THURSDAY	1	9:30 am	2	10:30 am
		3	11:15 am	4	12:00 pm
		5	12:45 pm	6	2:00 pm
		7	2:45 pm	8	3:30 pm
		9	3:45 pm		

### Arrival

**30 OCT 2025 @ 8:30 am**  
Inauguration followed by  
players meeting  
**30 OCT 2025 @ 9:30 am**  
Prize Distribution  
**30 OCT 2025 @ 7:00 pm**



# ALL INDIA BELOW 1700

## OPEN FIDE RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT

31<sup>st</sup> OCT to 2<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER 2025

**BELOW 1700  
PRIZE FUND  
12,00000**

**Total Prize -112**

**Trophy -134**



**WINNER**

**1,11,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL**

**2ND RUNNER**

**1,01,000+TROPHY+MEDAL**

**3RD PRIZE**

**51,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL**



MAIN PRIZES	
PRIZES	RS.
4	25,000
5	15,000
6	13,000
7	12,000
8	11,500
9	11,000
10	10,500
11	10,000
12	10,000
13	10,000
14	9,000
15	9,000
16-25	6,000
26-30	5,000

RATING CATEGORY PRIZES		
PRIZES	1500	UNRATED
1	1,00000+ T	10,000+T
2	50,000+T	9,000+T
3	25,000+T	8,000+T
4	15,000	7,000
5	11,000	6,000
6	10,000	5,000
7	10,000	5,000
8	10,000	
9	10,000	
10	10,000	
11-20	6,000	
21-30	5,000	

SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES					
PRIZES	FEMALE (15+)	VETERAN (60+)	SPECIALLY ABELED	SAMBHAJINAGAR	MAHARASHTRA
1st	7000+ T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T
2nd	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T
3rd	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
5th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

	U-7		U-9		U-11		U-13		U-15	
	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy	10,000+ Trophy
	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY
	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY
	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
5+10	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
31.10.2025	FRIDAY	1	10:00 am	2	1:00 pm	3	4:00 pm
1.11.2025	SATURDAY	4	9:00 am	5	12:00 pm	6	3:00 pm
2.11.2025	SANDAY	7	8:00 am	8	11:00 am	9	2:00 am

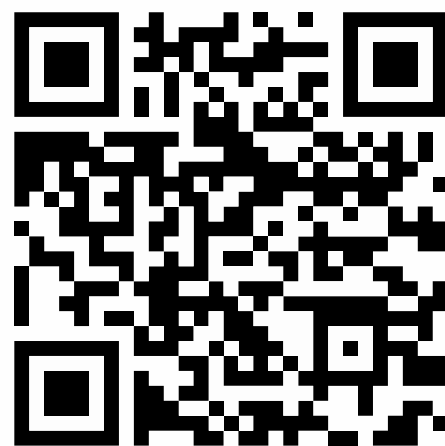
### Arrival

**31<sup>st</sup> OCT 2025 @ 8:30 am**

**Inauguration followed by  
players meeting**

**Prize Distribution**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 2025 @ 6:00 pm**



Scan here to the  
Tournament registration link

<https://circlechess.com/registration?id=42262>

### ENTRY FEE

**CLASSIC OPEN- 6000**

**RAPID -3000**

**BELOW-6000**

### CLASSIC OPEN

**RAPID**

**BELOW**

**14,000**

# GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

No request towards waiver of entry fee or late fee will be entertained.

Entry Fee is NON Transferable. & NON Refundable

Free Entry For GM, WGM, IM & WIN

## TOURNAMENT RULES & REGULATIONS



- System of Play:** The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess & FIDE Swiss System with 09 rounds.
- Time Control:** OpenTournament : 90 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.  
Below 1700 : 30 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.  
Rapid Rating : 10 Minutes plus 05 second increment from move 1 for entire game.
- Default Time (Walk Over Time) :** The default time will be 30 minutes for Classical Rating Tournaments. (Open & Below 1700)  
The default time will be 10 minutes for Rapid Rating Tournaments.
- Tie Break :** Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, SB, Direct Encounter, Greater Number of Wins (including forfeit points), Greater Number of Wins with Black.
- AICF Registration :** All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2025-26 before the registration deadline to participate in the tournament. online registration can be done at [www.aicf.in/players](http://www.aicf.in/players)
- Electronic Devices :** All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall.
- Eligibility :** Open Tournament: All rated & Unrated players.  
Below 1700: All rated & Unrated players.  
(Rated players must not have crossed 1699 for last 36 months.)  
Players who finished 1st or 2nd in any Rating Restricted Tournament (Only FIDE Rating) are not eligible to play in any Rating Restricted Tournament for 1 year from the date such achievement.  
Rapid Rating : All rated & Unrated players.  
Players who is found guilty (as a above rules) at any stage of the tournament will be removed from the tournament & entry fees shall not be refunded.



## Note: ACCOMODATION :

Only First 200 Players  
Dormitory Hall (non A/C)  
A PLAYER OR PARENT PER HEAD  
WILL BE CHARGED 1000/-  
(One Thousand)  
For a Whole EVENT. ● Sahyadri Lawn



## For Technical queries

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## ACCOMMODATION

### ADARSH HOTEL

A/C, (non A/C) Beed Bypass Rd, near Bajaj Hospital, Shah Nagar,  
Satara Parisar, Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar, Maharashtra 431001  
MO- 099232 42749

### HOTEL AMODI PALACE

A/C, (non A/C) Savarkar chowk, Kat Kat Gate Rd, beside Police Mess Road,  
Hattisinghpura, Kat Kat Gate, N 10, Cidco, Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar,  
Maharashtra 431001 MO- 9511309511, 9511319511

### HOTEL ALANKAR

A/C, (non A/C) VIP Rd, Opposite Main Power House, Kotwalpura,  
Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar, Maharashtra 431001  
MO : 080875 25795, 02402361666

### GREAT SAGAR RESTAURANT

A/C, (non A/C) Vip road, Bhadkal Gate Cir, Jubilee park, Khadkeshwar,  
Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar, Maharashtra 431001  
MO : 081499 50111

### Food available at venue

We are delighted to serve breakfast, lunch, and dinner during the chess match. To make the experience smoother and more affordable, we are offering discounted meal coupons for those who book in advance.

Contact @ Khawayya 9325228261

Classic:- 5 days Tea+Breakfast+only lunch @

₹ 1100/- each person ( limited)

Rapid :- Tea+Breakfast+lunch ( limited)

@ ₹220/- each person

Below:-- 3 days Tea+Breakfast+lunch ( limited)

@ 660/- each person



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