



SARWATRA SHATRANJ KISHANGANJ FIDE RAPID RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT 2026

(Under the aegis of All India Chess Federation & All Bihar Chess Association)

ORGANIZED BY

KISHANGANJ CHESS CLUB

(Recognized by All Bihar Chess Association)

EVENT CODE : 476452/BR(R)/2026



SUNDAY, 03 MAY 2026



**SRI JAIN TERAPANATH BHAWAN,
CALTEX CHOWK, KISHANGANJ,
BIHAR, 855107**

PRIZE FUND : ₹51,000/-

SUPPORTED BY



**ENTRY FEE
₹ 250/-**



MAIN PRIZES



2nd ₹7000/-

4th ₹3000/-

6th ₹1000/-

9th ₹850/-

12th ₹700/-

15th ₹550/-

18th ₹400/-



1st ₹10000/-

7th ₹900/-

10th ₹800/-

13th ₹650/-

16th ₹500/-

19th ₹350/-



3rd ₹5000/-

5th ₹2000/-

8th ₹900/-

11th ₹750/-

14th ₹600/-

17th ₹450/-

20th ₹300/-

RATING CATEGORY

Rank

1st

2nd

3rd

Best
Unrated

1st ₹1500/-

2nd ₹1000/-

3rd ₹500/-

Best
1400-1599

1st ₹1500/-

2nd ₹1000/-

3rd ₹500/-

Best
1600-1799

1st ₹1500/-

2nd ₹1000/-

3rd ₹500/-



BEST FEMALE

1st

1st ₹1500/-



2nd

2nd ₹1000/-



BEST VETERAN

1st

1st ₹700/-



BEST KISHANGANJ

1st

1st ₹1500/-



2nd

2nd ₹1100/-



3rd

3rd ₹700/-



4th

4th ₹500/-



5th

5th ₹400/-



BEST SCHOOL

1st



2nd



3rd



TOURNAMENT RULES

- **System of Play :** The Tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 09 rounds
- **Time Control :** 10 Minutes + 05 seconds increment from 1st move
- **Default Time (Walk Over Time) :** 10 Minutes
- **Reporting Time :** 3rd May 2026 at 09:00 AM
- **Inauguration :** 3rd May 2026 at 09:30 AM followed by players meeting
- **Eligibility :** The tournament is open for all players. All rated & unrated players are eligible to participate. No age limit.
- **AICF Registration :** All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2026-2027
- **For renewing AICF registration of the existing players, please visit**
<http://prs.aicf.in/players>
- **For New AICF registration of players please visit**
<http://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
- **ABCA Registration :** ABCA Registration is mandatory for All Bihar Chess player's for the year 2026-2027
- **Tie Break :** Tie Break according to latest AICF guideline. In case of a tie the latest FIDE Rules shall come into effect. The cash prize however will not be shared.

Protests : If any against the decision of Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee Rs. 1000/- within 30 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeal committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld. Before the commencement of the tournament appeals committee of five members will be formed.

● **Electronic Device :** All electronic items including all types of wrist watches are not allowed inside the playing arena.

Withdrawal : A player may withdraw at any stage of the event after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

03rd May
Round 1 10:00 AM

03rd May
Round 6 02:15 PM

03rd May
Round 2 10:45 AM

03rd May
Round 7 03:00 PM

03rd May
Round 3 11:30 AM

03rd May
Round 8 03:45 PM

03rd May
Round 4 12:15 PM

03rd May
Round 9 04:45 PM

03rd May
Round 5 01:00 PM

03rd May
Prize Distribution 06:00 PM

- Number of round and schedule may be change depending upon number of players, However such change will be notified before first round of the game.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

- Entry Fee : 250/- (Non Refundable)
- Entry is free for GMs, IMs, WGMs and WIMs
- Entry for Differently abled 200/-
- Last Date of Entry 1st May 2026

AMENITIES AT THE VENUE

- Waiting Area for Guardians
- Parking Space
- Food Facility is available on Payment basis

FOR PAYMENT BANK DETAILS

Account Number : 50100299604644

IFSC CODE: HDFC0002749

Account Holder Name : SUBENDU CHAKRABORTY

Branch : KISHANGANJ

For Payment Scan Below :



For Registration Scan /Click Below :



<https://forms.gle/dRsNMLsixeE1BGba6>

(Online Form is Mandatory for Everyone)

FOR REGISTRATION

Mukesh Kumar	Treasurer, Kishanganj Chess Club	6204489381
Aman Gupta	Jt. Secretary, Kishanganj Chess Club	6203697683

FOR ANY QUERIES

Subendu Chakraborty	Secretary, Kishanganj Chess Club	9431213453
Rohan Kumar	Tournament Convenor	9304258355

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Sajeedur Rahman	President , Kishanganj Chess Club	7292943585
Mudabbir Ahsan	Patron , Kishanganj Chess Club	9661957078
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Abhishek Mandal	Vice President, Kishanganj Chess Club	9006059920
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ABOUT KISHANGANJ

Kishanganj District Overview

Kishanganj is the easternmost district in Bihar, India, serving as the headquarters for its namesake city in the Purnia division of the Seemanchal region. It spans 1,884 square kilometers and became a separate district on January 14, 1990, after separating from Purnia following years of local advocacy.

Geography and Borders

Located between 25.20°-26.30° N latitude and 87.7°-88.19° E longitude, it borders Nepal to the north, West Bengal's Uttar Dinajpur and Darjeeling districts to the east, Araria to the west, and Purnia to the southwest. A narrow 20-km strip of West Bengal separates it from Bangladesh; major rivers include the Mahananda, Kankai, Mechi, and Ramzan.

History

Originally a sub-division of Purnia, its name derives from a legend involving a Hindu saint during Nawab Mohammed Fakiruddin's era, who renamed Alamganj as Krishna-Kunj, later evolving to Kishanganj. It's Bihar's only tea-producing district and part of India's "Chicken Neck" corridor.

Demographics

The 2011 census recorded a population of 1,690,400, with 866,970 males and 823,430 females, yielding a sex ratio of 950 per 1,000 males. Literacy stands at 55.46% overall (higher for males at 71.7% in the city area), with Muslims forming the majority and 90.47% living rurally.

Administration

It has one sub-division (Kishanganj) and seven blocks: Bahadurganj, Dighalbank, Kishanganj, Kochadhaman, Pothia, Terhagachh, and Thakurganj.

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Kishanganj Railway Station

This night view captures Kishanganj railway station, a key transport hub reflecting the district's connectivity.



HOW TO REACH THE VENUE

Sri Jain Terapanth Bhawan, caltex chowk, kishanganj is well connected by road, rail and air

By Road & By Train : kishanganj is well connected to all major state & cities like Bihar, West Bengal, Jharkhand, Assam, Sikkim

By Air : Nearest Airport Bagdogra 75Km & Purnia Airport 70 KM

Local Transport : Distance of venue is Approx 1.5 KM from Railway Station & 2KM from Bus Stand. Auto Rikshaw are available for easy access to the venue

