TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION & PAYMENT LINK:

https://goachess.com/gm/

1. Last date for entry is 10th January 2027. 10% discount will be given for registration before 5th January 2027 and entries post 15th January 2027 with attract a late fee of 10%.
2. Players opting to play Category B and Category C together will get 1000/- discount on total entry fee.
3. All the Indian entries will be accepted only through online mode in the following link except foreign players.
4. Fair Play Regulations will apply. No Wrist Watch of any type or any electronic items allowed inside hall.
5. Foreign players and title holders can register through official email ID goagm3@gmail.com
6. Other than Indian players, all otherr players are required to have valid FIDE ID under their respective country or licensed FIDE ID under FIDE Flag before the registration for the tournament.
7. Taxes will be deducted at source from prize money as perr Government of India Regulations and Indian Income Tax Act.
8. Prize money will be transfrred online mode and in Indian National Rupee (INR) only
9. It is mandatory to attend the players meet.
10. Participation in this tournament will be accepted as the player's consent to take photo, videos in the event for publishing and promotion.
11. GMs/IMs/WGM/WIM will be provide free accomodation on twin sharing basis.
12. Players are requested to report directly at venue / hotel as the case may be.
13. Organizers reserve the right to accept or reject any entry/s for this tournament without assigning any reasons. The Organisers decision will be final.

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Winners (Top 3) of Late Shri Manohar Parrikar Goa International Grandmaster Tournament 2025 (A Category)
with Hon. Minister for State for Power, Government of India, Shri Shripad Yasso Naik
with dignitaries & Goa Chess Association officials.



A

Total Prize Fund Category A, B, C : ₹ 55,00000/-
DATE : 30th Jan. to 6th Feb. 2027
Venue : Indoor Stadium, Peddem, Karaswada, Mapusa, Goa 403507.

- AICF EVENT CODE : 505083/GA/2027
- CATEGORY A : For Players 2000 & Above Rating
- Prize Fund : ₹ 26,00000/-
- Arrival : 29th January 2027 at 12.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Arrival-Goa	Players Meeting	Inauguration	PD Function	Check-Out
29th Jan 2027	30th Jan 2027	30th Jan 2027	6th Feb 2027	6th Feb 2027
12.00 hrs.	13.00 hrs.	13.30 hrs.	16.00 hrs.	12.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT ROUND

Date	30	31	01	02	03	04	05	06
Day	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Round (Time)	R-1 15.00	R-2 09.30	R-4 10.00	R-5 10.00	R-6 09.30	R-8 10.00	R-9 10.00	R-10 10.00
Round /PD (Time)		R-3 16.00			R-7 16.00			PD 16.00

CATEGORY A - PRIZE MONEY - MAIN PRIZES (1ST TO 50TH)

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
1st	₹ 4,75000	7th	₹ 80,000	13th	₹ 30,000
2nd	₹ 3,75000	8th	₹ 75,000	14th to 20th	₹ 20,000
3rd	₹ 2,55000	9th	₹ 65,000	21st to 30th	₹ 15,000
4th	₹ 2,05000	10th	₹ 55,000	31st to 50th	₹ 11,000
5th	₹ 1,55000	11th	₹ 45,000		
6th	₹ 1,05000	12th	₹ 40,000		

CATEGORY PRIZES :	1st	2nd	3rd
3 Best ELO 2200 - 2299 :	₹ 10,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best ELO 2100 - 2199 :	₹ 10,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best ELO Below 2099 :	₹ 10,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Goan Players :	₹ 10,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Female Players :	₹ 10,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 7,000

Please note that one player will be given one (higher)prize only

CATEGORY A : ELIGIBILITY

Players with rating above 2000 as on 1-1-2027 are eligible to participate.
Last date for entries is 10-01-2027. |After 15-01-2027 late fee of 10% of entry will be applicable

For GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs	Free
Rated 2400 and above	₹ 5,000
Rated between 2300-2399	₹ 7,000
Rated between 2100-2299	₹ 8,000
Rated between 2000-2099	₹ 10,000

No Spot entries will be accepted. No request towards waiver/refund of entry or late fee will be entertained.

TOURNAMENT RULES

SYSTEM OF PLAY : The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess & FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds.

TIME CONTROL :

a) 90 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.
b) Default Time (Walk Over Time) : The default time will be 30 minutes.
c) Draw Offer : Players can't make an agreed draw before 30th black move.
d) Tie Break : In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.

B

Total Prize Fund Category A, B, C : ₹ 55,00000/-
DATE : 30th Jan. to 6th Feb. 2027
Venue : Indoor Stadium, Peddem, Karaswada, Mapusa, Goa 403507.

- AICF EVENT CODE : 505084/GA/2027
- CATEGORY B : For Players 1999 and Below Rating
- Prize Fund : ₹ 15,00000/-
- Arrival : 30th January 2027 at 12.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Arrival-Goa	Players Meeting	Inauguration	PD Function	Check-Out
29th Jan 2027	30th Jan 2027	30th Jan 2027	2nd Feb 2027	3rd Feb 2027
12.00 hrs.	08.30 hrs.	09.00 hrs.	16.00 hrs.	12.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT ROUND

Date	30	31	01	02
Day	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE
Round (Time)	R-1 09.30	R-4 09.30	R-7 09.30	R-10 09.30
Round (Time)	R-2 14.00	R-5 14.00	R-8 14.00	
Round /PD (Time)	R-3 17.30	R-6 17.30	R-9 17.30	PD 16.00

CATEGORY B - PRIZE MONEY - MAIN PRIZES (1ST TO 50TH)

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
1st	₹ 1,75000	7th	₹ 60,000	11th to 20th	₹ 20,000
2nd	₹ 1,35000	8th	₹ 50,000	21st to 30th	₹ 11,000
3rd	₹ 1,00000	9th	₹ 41,000	31st to 40th	₹ 10,000
4th	₹ 90,000	10th	₹ 31,000	41st to 50th	₹ 9,000
5th	₹ 80,000				
6th	₹ 70,000				

CATEGORY PRIZES :	1st	2nd	3rd
3 Best ELO 1700 - 1799 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best ELO 1600 - 1699 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best ELO 1400 - 1599 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Unrated :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Female Players :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
Best Veteran (+60) :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
Best Goan Players :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000

Trophies will be given for top 3 boys & 3 girls in U-7, U-9, U-11, U-13 & U-15 categories.
Please note that one player will be given one (higher)prize only

ELIGIBILITY : Players with rating Below 1999 as on 1-1-2027 are eligible to participate. Last date for entries is 10-01-2027. Any player who finished 1st or 2nd in the rating restricted FIDE rated event for the last one year, on the start date of the tournament are not eligible to participate. Players who have not crossed the FIDE rating of 2000 for the past 36 months are only eligible to participate. After 10-01-2027 late fee 10% of entry.

Fee without accomodation	Fee
Rated between 1800-1999	₹ 5,000
Rated between 1400-1799	₹ 6,000
Unrated	₹ 7,000

Players opting to play in both, Category B & Category 'C' will get ₹ 1000 discount on entry fee. This discount is available only up to 05th Jan 2027. No spot entries will be accepted. No request towards waiver / refund of entry fee or waiver of late fee will be entertained.

TOURNAMENT RULES

SYSTEM OF PLAY : The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess & FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds.

TIE BREAK : In case of a tie, the lated FIDE Rules shall come in to effect. The Cash prizes however will not be shared

TIME CONTROL :

60 Minutes plus 30 seconds increment from move 1 for entire game.

C

Total Prize Fund Category A, B, C : ₹ 55,00000/-
DATE : 30th Jan. to 6th Feb. 2027
Venue : Indoor Stadium, Peddem, Karaswada, Mapusa, Goa 403507.

- AICF EVENT CODE : 505086/GA/2027
- CATEGORY C : For Players 1699 and Below Rating
- Prize Fund : ₹ 14,00000/-
- Arrival : 2nd Feb 2027 at 12.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

	Players Meeting	Inauguration	PD Function
	3rd Feb 2027	3rd Feb 2027	6th Feb 2027
	08.30 hrs.	09.00 hrs.	16.00 hrs.

TOURNAMENT ROUND

Date	03	04	05	06
Day	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Round (Time)	R-1 09.30	R-4 09.30	R-7 09.30	R-10 09.30
Round (Time)	R-2 14.00	R-5 14.00	R-8 14.00	
Round/PD (Time)	R-3 17.30	R-6 17.30	R-9 17.30	PD 16.00

CATEGORY C - PRIZE MONEY - MAIN PRIZES (1ST TO 50TH)

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
1st	₹ 1,50000	7th	₹ 55,000	11th to 20th	₹ 17,000
2nd	₹ 1,15000	8th	₹ 45,000	21st to 30th	₹ 12,000
3rd	₹ 1,00000	9th	₹ 36,000	31st to 40th	₹ 10,000
4th	₹ 85,000	10th	₹ 26,000	41st to 50th	₹ 9,000
5th	₹ 75,000				
6th	₹ 65,000				

CATEGORY PRIZES :	1st	2nd	3rd
3 Best Elo 1600 - 1699 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Elo 1500 - 1599 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Elo 1400 - 1499 :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Unrated :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
3 Best Female Players :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
Best Veteran (+60) :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000
Best Goan Players :	₹ 9,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 7,000

Trophies will be given for top 3 boys & girls in U-7, U-9, U-11, U-13 & U-15 categories.
Please note that one player will be given one (higher)prize only

ELIGIBILITY : Players with rating Below 1700 as on 1-1-2027 are eligible to participate. Last date for entries is 10-01-2027. Any player who finished 1st or 2nd in the rating restricted FIDE rated event for the last one year, on the start date of the tournament are not eligible to participate. Players who have not crossed the FIDE rating of 1700 for the past 36 months are only eligible to participate. After 10-01-2027 late fee 10% of entry.

Fee without accomodation	Fee
Rated between 1600-1699	₹ 5,000
Rated between 1500-1599	₹ 6,000
Unrated	₹ 7,000

Players opting to play in both, Category B & Category 'C' will get ₹ 1000 discount on entry fee. This discount is available only up to 05th Jan 2027. No spot entries will be accepted. No request towards waiver / refund of entry fee or waiver of late fee will be entertained.

TOURNAMENT RULES

SYSTEM OF PLAY : The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess & FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds.

TIE BREAK : In case of a tie, the lated FIDE Rules shall come in to effect. The Cash prizes however will not be shared

TIME CONTROL :

60 Minutes plus 30 seconds increment from move 1 for entire game.