



# ANDHRA PRADESH STATE WOMEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP-2024

ACA Event Code: AP/ 03/2024

Date: 25-05-2024 to 26-05-2024

## Venue

Spartan Chess Academy,  
Hindupur , Sri Sathya Sai District

Organized by

Spartan Chess Academy

On behalf of

**Sri Sathya Sai District Chess Association**  
**Andhra Chess Association**

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# TournamentSchedule

PROGRAMME	DATE	TIME
Arrival	25-05-2024	09.30A.M.
Manager's Meeting and Inauguration	25-05-2024	10.00A.M.
1 <sup>st</sup> Round	25-05-2024	10.30A.M.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Round	25-05-2024	12.30 P.M.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Round	25-05-2024	03.00PM
4 <sup>th</sup> Round	25-05-2024	05.00PM
5 <sup>th</sup> Round	26-05-2024	08.30AM
6 <sup>th</sup> Round	26-05-2024	10.30AM
7 <sup>th</sup> Round	26-05-2024	12.00PM
Prize Distribution	26-04-2024	02.00 PM ONWARDS
Departure	21-04-2024	04.00P.M.

Normal Entry Fee : Rs.300/-

Special Entry Fee: Rs.1,000/-

## AccountDetails:

Phone Pe/Google Pay

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Players who attached their payment proof will only be considered for approval.

**Late Entry:** Late fee of Rs.300/- will be levied after the last date of registration i.e., 20<sup>th</sup> May 2024. Last date with late fee 23-05-2024 (5pm). Acceptance of Late entry is discretion of the Tournament Director/Organising Committee. Without assigning any reason late entry can be rejected.

For any queries:

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# Top 4 Players Selected for Nationals

**Top 3 Special Age group prizes for Girls**

**F7, F9, F11, F13, F15**

**For top 4 selected players**

- **National Entry fee will be paid by the Andhra Chess Association/ Organizing Committee.**
- **Lump sum grant as decided by the ACA to the selected players for Nationals;**
- **Two T-shirts (as decided by the ACA) to the selected players for nationals.**
- **1/4<sup>th</sup> Rail ticket charges to the selected players for nationals.**

## **Eligibility:**

**All Female AP State players Can participate.**

**NO Age Limit**

**No. of Rounds : 7 Rounds : Swiss league.**

All entries, be it regular or special, should be recommended by the respective district chess association. Kindly note that all the entries (Normal & Special) should be registered in [www.apchess.org](http://www.apchess.org) (or Google form provided).

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**Note : At the Venue premises consumption of Alcohol, Smoking strictly prohibited.**

**Boarding & Lodging: Unfurnished non a/c dormitory type of lodging will be provided to ONLY FOR SELECTED PLAYERS WHO REGISTERED BEFOR THE LAST DATE OF REGISTRATION. Players are requested to bring their own beddings.**

Players and parents have to look their own food arrangements.

All special entries and accompanying persons have to arrange accommodation on their own. Kindly note that accompanying persons of same gender alone will be permitted to stay together. A boy cannot stay with a female and a girl cannot stay with a male in the official accommodation provided.

**Default Time:** Default time is 15 minutes. Players have to be at the boards within 15 minutes of the start of the round.

**Rules:** Latest FIDE rules in force shall apply.

**System of Play:** The Tournament shall be conducted on a Seven rounds Swiss System.

**TimeControl:** 30 minutes each plus 10 seconds increment from the move 1.

**Tie-Break:** Buchholz Cut1, Buchholz, SonnebornBerger, Direct Encounter, Number of wins (forfeit included) and number of wins with Black. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.

**Chess Clocks:** Each District Association is requested to provide at least one chess clock for every two players.

**Appeals Committee:** An Appeals Committee comprising of three members plus two reserves will be formed at the Technical Meeting. All the members and reserves shall be from different districts. No member of committee can vote on dispute in which a player from his own district is involved and in such case(s), the reserve member takes his place. The decision of the appeals committee is final and binding on all players concerned.

**Protest:** 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 incident. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is refundable if the protest is upheld.

**Withdrawals:** A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

**Arrears:** The players belonging to Districts which are in arrears to ACA will not be allowed to take part.

**Rights of Admission:** The ACA/Organisor reserves the rights of admission to the venue and lodging place.

**Food:**All Players including Normal & Special should look after their own arrangements. (May be Canteen facilities are available on payment basis at the venue premises it self.)

**Recommendation for Nationals:** No player will be recommended by the ACA without participating in the the State Women Championship

**Refund of entry fee:** In no case, the entry fee paid will not be refunded or transferred. If the entry fee paid is excess/ double (both by the player and district association the same will be refunded on submission of proof.

**Uploading of payment proof in apchess.org:**All players are requested to attach the payment proof of entry fee while registering in web-site.

**Selected Players Money transfer:** Prize money and National entry fee/ Dress code/ Transportation will be transferred only through digital mode. All are requested to provide the details of their PhonePe/GPay/Account number to the organiser. Prize money will be transferred within 5 working days to the respective accounts provided. Players have an option to provide Phone Pe/G pay number in the tournament form itself while registering for tournament.

**Other important aspects:** Until their entry is confirmed they can edit/attach the documents in the tournament form. Players are requested to observe the comments against their names. In case of selected players of districts/Ad-hoc Committees, they are requested to obtain the payment proof from their respective district units and attach the same (or) they can pay and collect the entry fee from their respective district units. In case of double payment on production of receipt/evidence the same will be refunded after verification.

**Verification of selected players:** All district affiliated associations/ units are requested to send the details of selected entries & seeded entries of their district on the day of district selections (or) last date of the entry without late fee whichever is earlier. In case of non-participation of selected player in the official state championship the same should be filled with the next meritplayer as per the chess results server. However this change should be intimated to the organizing committee through the official mail provided hereunder before the last date of entry with late fee. In no case changes and consideration of special entry as normal entry will be entertained after the last date of entry with late fee. All selected entries will be considered as selected only if the selections are made available in chess results server. Without district selection no entry will be considered as selected entry of particular district. No recommendation of waiver of entry fee / late fee will be entertained. Further entries received after the last date with late fee and entries without payment proof will be rejected. Once rejected, the player cannot get enrolled in the tournament.

**Registration help:** In case of difficulty in registering in the tournament the player can follow the following procedure:

1. Player must be registered with [apchess.org](http://apchess.org) and should have ACA number.
2. **How to get ACA number:** If player does not have ACA number he should go to the [apchess.org](http://apchess.org) and click register. Need to fill the form. Player will be sent OTP to the mail id provided and he/she should fill in with. Then player will get message to his/her mail id stating that approval is pending. Once the administrator approves, his/her ACA number will be generated and player can login to his account. Approval may take 12 hours' time.
3. Once ACA number generated, player can log in with his/her id in the [apchess.org](http://apchess.org) and then go for link provided for registration of particular tournament. His/Her data will be retrieved for the particular tournament and he/she should fill in will minimum details like entry fee etc. Soon after submission his/her name will be displayed in the pending entries list of particular tournament. Organizer will verify the particulars and confirm the entry.
4. Players are requested to go through the comments against their names for non-acceptance of entries and fulfill the same.
5. Players can attach payment proof in the edit button against their name in the tournament form. They cannot edit their regular data in tournament form.
6. If player want to edit the regular data like Photo/ Date of birth/ AICF ID/ FIDE ID/ Rating / District/ Name / email etc., he/she can edit his original profile and the same will be approved by the admin within 24 hours.
7. Players are requested to upload their decent passport photo in [apchess.org](http://apchess.org). As the same will be used for ID card printing & Certificates printing if required.
8. **National entry :** All selected players should register themselves in the respective link for National entries. Entry fee paid by the player will be refunded by the organising committee upon production of proof of payment. Selected players are requested to communicate their participation in the National tournament for the next player to be considered as normal entry in case they are not able to participate in national chess championship.

**Note:** Schedule & Time control subject change. However the same will be communicated to all players by way of notice board affixture in the tournament hall before start of tournament.

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