











# Dr. Rangala Babu Rao International Open FIDE Rating Chess Tournament -2024

## **AICF Event Code:379623/AP/2024**



27th Nov,2024 TO 1st December 2024

PRIZE FUND: ₹ 5,00,001/-



S3 Sports Arena
A/C Indoor Stadium
M.V.P Colony
Visakhapatnam
Andhra Pradesh

## Invitation

Sri Chess Academy under the aegis of All India Chess Federation, in Association with Andhra Chess Association & All Visakha Chess Association cordially invites you to participate in Dr. Rangala Babu Rao International open FIDE Rating Chess Tournament-2024

## Schedule

Round	Date	Time
Reporting time	27/11/2024	9.00 AM
Inauguration	27/11/2024	9.30 AM
Players Meeting	27/11/2024	10.00 AM
1	27/11/2024	11.00 AM
2	27/11/2024	4.00 PM
3	28/11/2024	9.00 AM
4	28/11/2024	3.00 PM
5	29/11/2024	9.00 AM
6	29/11/2024	3.00 PM
7	30/11/2024	9.00 AM
8	30/11/2024	3.00 PM
9	01/12/2024	8.00 AM
Prize Distribution	01/12/2024	1.00 PM onwards

## **Prizes**

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
<b>1</b> st	50,001/-+\$\P	2 <sup>nd</sup>	40,000/-+ \$\P
3 <sup>rd</sup>	30,000/-+\$\P	4 <sup>th</sup>	20,000/-
5 <sup>th</sup>	15,000/-	6 <sup>th</sup>	12,000/-
7 <sup>th</sup>	11,000/-	8 <sup>th</sup>	10,000/-
9 <sup>th</sup>	8,000/-	10 <sup>th</sup>	7,000/-
11 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-(Each)		
21st -30th	4,500/-(Each)		













## Rating Between 1701-1800

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Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
<b>1</b> st	9,000/-	<b>1</b> st	9,000/-
2nd	8,000/-	<b>2</b> nd	8,000/-
3 <sup>rd</sup>	6,000/-	3 <sup>rd</sup>	6,000/-
4 <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-	4 <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-
5 <sup>th</sup>	4,000/-	5 <sup>th</sup>	4,000/-

## Rating Between 1501-1600

## Rating Between 1401-1500

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
<b>1</b> st	9,000/-	<b>1</b> st	9,000/-
2 <sup>nd</sup>	8,000/-	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8,000/-
3 <sup>rd</sup>	6,000/-	3 <sup>rd</sup>	6,000/-
4 <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-	<b>4</b> <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-
5 <sup>th</sup>	4,000/-	5 <sup>th</sup>	4,000/-

## Unrated

## Best Vizag

Rank	Prize		
<b>1</b> st	9,000/-	<b>1</b> st	5,000/-
2 <sup>nd</sup>	8,000/-	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4,000/-
3 <sup>rd</sup>	6,000/-	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3,000/-
4 <sup>th</sup>	5,000/-	4 <sup>th</sup>	3,000/-
5 <sup>th</sup>	4,000/-		

## **Special Category Prizes**

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
Female-1st (20Yrs above)	5,000/-	PHC-1st	5,000/-
Female-2 <sup>nd</sup> (20Yrs above)	4,000/-		
Veteran-1 <sup>st</sup> (55Yrs above)	5,000/-	PHC-2 <sup>nd</sup>	4,000/-
Veteran-2 <sup>nd</sup> (55Yrs above)	4,000/-		













#### **Age Category Prizes**

A total of 50-trophies (5 trophies each for boys and 5 for girls separately / category) shall be awarded in the following 10-categories:

Category	Boys	Girls
Under-7	5 Prizes	5 Prizes
Under-9	5 Prizes	5 Prizes
Under-11	5 Prizes	5 Prizes
Under-13	5 Prizes	5 Prizes
Under-15	5 Prizes	5 Prizes

#### **ENTRY FEE, REGISTRATION & PAYMENT**

Entry Fee Amount	2,500/- (Free Entry for GM's, IM's, WGM's and WIM's)	
Last date without fine	15th November,2024 Upto 9.00PM	
Last date with fine	22 <sup>nd</sup> November,2024 Upto 9.00PM with fine Rs. 500/-	
Payment Details	A/C Name: R. Babu Rao A/C. No: 043410025552095 Union bank	
	IFSC Code: UBIN0804347	
Phonepe/Googlepay	9989971232/V.Srikanth	
After 400 entries, registrations will be accepted based on availability.  Players must take care of their food and accomdation.		

Note: All Andhra players must register through apchess.org.

#### **Tournament Rules**

#### **System of Play & Time Control**

The championship shall be played as per FIDE Laws of Chess for a total of 8-rounds Swiss-league. Each player shall have 90 minutes for the entire game with an increment of 30 seconds/move starting from the first move.

#### **Default Time:**

Any player who arrives at the chessboard after 15-minutes from the start of the game shall lose the game. Thus, the default time is 15-minutes.













#### Tie Break:

Following is the order of tie-break:

- (a) Buchholz Cut1
- (b) Buchholz
- (c) Sonneborn Berger
- (d) Direct encounter
- (e) The greater number of wins (forfeit included)
- (f) The greater number of wins by black

#### **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 the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is up held.

#### **Appeals Committee:**

Before the commencement of the tournament, a five-member appeals committee shall be formed by the AICF/organizers. All the members and reserves shall be from different states. No member of the Committee can vote on a dispute in which a player from his own State is involved and, in such case, the reserve member shall take his place in the committee.

#### Interpretation:

For interpretation of the rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the Tournament Committee shall be final and binding on all. The Tournament committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules, without notice. However, such changes/ or inclusion will be subject to AICF clearance. Such changes will, however, be displayed in the tournament hall.

## **Registration of Player**

All participants of the tournament shall be registered with AICF for the year 2023-2024. Online AICF registration can be done at the website <a href="https://www.aicf.in/players">www.aicf.in/players</a>.

#### **Electronic Devices**

All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall. Players found in possession of the items will be declared lost.













## **Contact Details**

Contact Person	Mobile	Contact Person	Mobile
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## Officials Details

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G.V Kumar, IA Chief Arbiter		Dr. R. Babu Rao Tournament Director	

—Tournament organized by Sri Chess Academy ————











