

TATA STEEL CHESS FESTIVAL

In Association With

Dhanuka Dhunseri Dibyendu Barua Chess Academy

Under The Aegis Of

All India Chess Federation
Sara Bangla Daba Sangstha

Date

November 13 to 17, 2024

Venue: Dhono Dhanyo Auditorium, Alipore, Kolkata



Event A:

All India Open Age Group(U-19) Chess Tournament-2024

Date : November 13 to 14, 2024

Format : 9 Rounds Swiss with time control of 15 minutes plus 5 seconds increment form move 1 to each player

Eligibility : Open to all players (Indian citizen).
Under-19 (Born on or after 01-01-2005)

Entry Fee : Rs.500/-

The last date of entry :
9th November (4pm) or first 250 entries,
whichever is earlier.
Entries will be accepted strictly through online

Form Link : <https://forms.gle/JDqYnZRNZ53jrwSx6>
(Only online entries will be accepted)

Main Prizes :

1st : 10,000/- + Trophy	8th - 10th : 1,000/- each
2nd : 6,000/-	Special Prizes (Only for Girls)
3rd : 4,000/-	1st : 10,000/- + Trophy
4th : 3,000/-	2nd : 6,000/-
5th : 2,000/-	3rd : 4,000/-
6th - 7th : 1,500/- each	

Consolation Prizes : Under 8 Boys / Under 10 Boys / Under 12 Boys
Trophies for top 5 ranks

Under 8 Girls / Under 10 Girls / Under 12 Girls
Trophies for top 3 ranks

Schedule : 13-11-2024 : Playing Time: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. (4 Rounds)
14-11-2024 : Playing Time: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. (5 Rounds)

Prize Distribution : 03.30 pm



Event A: All India Open Age Group(U-19) Chess Tournament-2024

Rules & Regulations

- 1) Eligibility: Open to all players (Only Indian Citizen).
- 2) System: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 9 rounds.
- 3) Time Control: 15 minutes for each player with 05 seconds increment from move 1.
- 4) Tie-Break: In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.
- 5) AICF Registration is mandatory for the year 2024-2025
New Registration AICF Link : <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
Renewal AICF : <https://prs.aicf.in/>
- 6) SBDS Registration: SBDS registration for the year 2024-2025 is mandatory for west bengal players only
SBDS Registration link:
<https://www.sbdschess.in/player-registration.php>
Renewal : <https://www.sbdschess.in/player-search.php>
- 7) Restrictions: Players are not allowed to carry mobile phones, wrist watches (all type of watches) or any other electronic devices in the tournament hall during play.
- 8) Chief Arbiters decision is final and binding to all
- 9) Protests: Protests, if any, should be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/ within 10 minutes from the end of the relevant session. Appeals Committee, formed by the organizers will give their final judgment.
- 10) Prize Money will not be shared (one player will be eligible for one prize only, whichever is higher).
- 11) Players will have to abide by Rules & Regulations of SBDS
 - * Entry fee once paid will not be refunded
 - * Prize money will not be shared in case of tie
 - ** Players will be eligible for only one (higher) prize
 - ** Indian Income Tax rules will apply



Event B: All India Women Rapid Chess Tournament

Date : November 15, 2024

Format : 7 Rounds Swiss with time control of 15 minutes plus 5 seconds increment form move 1 to each player

Entry Fee : GM/IM/WGM/WIM – Free
Other players - Rs 500/-

The last date of Entry :
November 13, 2024 (till 4pm) or first 150 entries,
whichever is earlier.

Form Link : <https://forms.gle/1YRpF8YdgEwM4p7w5>
(Only online entries will be accepted)

Prizes : 1st : 20,000 + Trophy 6th : 3,000/-
2nd : 15,000/- 7th - 10th : 2,000/- each
3rd : 10,000/- 11th & 15th : 1,500/- each
4th : 7,000/- 16th - 20th : 1,000/- each
5th : 5,000/-

Schedule : 15-11-2024 : Playing Time: 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (7 Rounds)

Prize Distribution : 03.30 pm



Event B:

All India Women Rapid Chess Tournament

Rules & Regulations

- 1) Eligibility: Open to all players (Only Indian Citizen).
- 2) System: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 7 rounds.
- 3) Time Control: 15 minutes for each player with 05 seconds increment from move 1.
- 4) Tie-Break: In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.
- 5) AICF Registration is mandatory for the year 2024-2025
New Registration AICF Link : <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
Renewal AICF : <https://prs.aicf.in/>
- 6) SBDS Registration: SBDS registration for the year 2024-2025 is mandatory
SBDS Registration link:
<https://www.sbdschess.in/player-registration.php>
Renewal : <https://www.sbdschess.in/player-search.php>
- 7) Restrictions: Players are not allowed to carry mobile phones, wrist watches (all type of watches) or any other electronic devices in the tournament hall during play.
- 8) Chief Arbiters decision is final and binding to all
- 9) Protests: Protests, if any, should be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/ within 10 minutes from the end of the relevant session. Appeals Committee, formed by the organizers will give their final judgment.
- 10) Prize Money will not be shared (one player will be eligible for one prize only, whichever is higher).
- 11) Players will have to abide by Rules & Regulations of SBDS



Event C: All India Open Rapid Rating Chess Tournament

- Event Code** : 388287/WB(R)/2024
Date : November 16-17, 2024
Total Cash Prizes : Rs. 3,00,000/-
Entry Fee : GM/IM/WGM/WIM – Free
Other players - Rs 1,500/-

The last date of Entry :
November 13, 2024 (till 4pm) or first 250 entries,
whichever is earlier.

- Form Link** : <https://forms.gle/kUSt3mYNenVF88866>
(Only online entries will be accepted)

- Schedule** : 16-11-2024 : 5 Rounds, (1st Round starts at 10 a.m.)
17-11-2024 : 4 Rounds,(6th Round starts at 9.30 a.m.)

- Main Prizes** : 1st : 50,000 + Trophy 6th - 8th : 7,500/- each
2nd : 30,000/- 9th - 10th : 6,000/- each
3rd : 20,000/- 11th & 20th : 4,000/- each
4th : 15,000/- 21th - 25th : 3,500/- each
5th : 10,000/- 26th - 30th : 3,000/- each

- Category Prizes** : Best Women Elo 1601-1800 Best Unrated
(Above 15) 1st : 5,000/- 1st : 5,000/-
1st : 6,000/- 2nd : 4,000/- 2nd : 4,000/-
2nd : 3,500/- 3rd : 3,000/- 3rd : 3,000/-
3rd : 3,000/-
- Elo 1401-1600 Elo 1801-2000 Best Veteran
(Above 60 yrs)
1st : 5,000/- 1st : 5,000/- 1st : 5,000/-
2nd : 4,000/- 2nd : 4,000/- 2nd : 2,500/-
3rd : 3,000/- 3rd : 3,000/-

- Age Group Prizes** : Under 8 Boys / Under 10 Boys / Under 12 Boys
Trophies for top 5 ranks
- Under 8 Girls / Under 10 Girls / Under 12 Girls
Trophies for top 3 ranks

Event C:

All India Open Rapid Rating Chess Tournament

Rules & Regulations

- 1) Eligibility: Open to all players (Only Indian Citizen).
- 2) System: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 9 rounds.
- 3) Time Control: 15 minutes for each player with 05 seconds increment from move 1.
- 4) Tie-Break: In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.
- 5) AICF Registration is mandatory for the year 2024-2025
New Registration AICF Link : <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
Renewal AICF : <https://prs.aicf.in/>
- 6) SBDS Registration: SBDS registration for the year 2024-2025 is mandatory for West Bengal Players Only
SBDS New Registration link:
<https://www.sbdschess.in/player-registration.php>
SBDS Renewal : <https://www.sbdschess.in/player-search.php>
- 6) Restrictions: Players are not allowed to carry mobile phones, wrist watches (all type of watches) or any other electronic devices in the tournament hall during play.
- 7) Chief Arbiters decision is final and binding to all
- 8) Protests: Protests, if any, should be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1500/ within 10 minutes from incident occurrence. Appeals Committee, formed by the organizers will give their final judgment.
- 10) Prize Money will not be shared (one player will be eligible for one prize only, whichever is higher).

* Entry fee once paid can't be refunded

* Prize money will not be shared in case of tie

** Players will be eligible for only one (higher) prize

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Event D: All India Open Blitz Tournament

- Date** : November 17, 2024
- Format** : 7 Rounds Swiss with time control of 3'+ 2" Secs.
Increment Round Starts at 2.00 p.m.
- Eligibility** : Open to all players. First 250 players will be allowed on first come first basis.
- Entry Fee** : GM/IM/WGM/WIM – Free
Other players - Rs 500/-
- The last date of Entry :
November 13, 2024 (till 4pm) or first 250 entries,
whichever is earlier.
- Form Link** : <https://forms.gle/J1UfZcejV99HrxIz8>
(Only online entries will be accepted)
- Prizes** :
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|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1st : 15,000 + Trophy | 6th - 7th : 2,000/- each |
| 2nd : 10,000/- | 8th : 1,500/- |
| 3rd : 5,000/- | 9th & 10th : 1,000/- each |
| 4th : 4,000/- | 11th - 15th : 500/- |
| 5th : 3,000/- | Best Women : 1,000/- each |
- Schedule** : 1st round will start at 2.00 pm
- Prize Distribution** : 04.30 pm



Event D: All India Open Blitz Tournament

Rules & Regulations

- 1) Eligibility: Open to all players (Only Indian Citizen).
- 2) System: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 7 rounds.
- 3) Time Control: 3 minutes plus 2 seconds increment for each player from move 1.
- 4) Tie-Break: In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.
- 5) AICF Registration is mandatory for the year 2024-2025
New Registration AICF Link : <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
Renewal AICF : <https://prs.aicf.in/>
- 6) SBDS Registration: SBDS registration for the year 2024-2025 is mandatory for West Bengal Players Only
SBDS New Registration link:
<https://www.sbdschess.in/player-registration.php>
SBDS Renewal : <https://www.sbdschess.in/player-search.php>
- 7) Restrictions: Players are not allowed to carry mobile phones, wrist watches (all type of watches) or any other electronic devices in the tournament hall during play.
- 8) Chief Arbiters decision is final and binding to all
- 9) Protests: Protests, if any, should be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/ within 10 minutes from incident occurrence. Appeals Committee, formed by the organizers will give their final judgment.
- 10) Prize Money will not be shared (one player will be eligible for one prize only, whichever is higher).

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General Information

- All participants will get free entry for Tata Steel Chess India Rapid and Blitz 2024.
- All participants should have AICF registration.
- Outstation players will have to arrange their own accommodation.
- Entries to be collected online only.

Bank Details For Payment Of Entry Fees

BANK NAME : AXIS BANK LTD

ACCOUNT NAME : GAME PLAN SPORTS PVT LTD

CURRENT ACCOUNT NUMBER : 005010200060817

ADDRESS : 7, SHAKESPEARE SARANI, KOLKATA 700 071

IFSC CODE : UTIB0000005

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