



# YMCA - 4<sup>th</sup> CHESSMII INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATED OPEN RAPID CHESS TOURNAMENT - 2024

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**TOTAL PRIZE FUND**  
**Rs.5,00,000**

**201 PRIZES**  
93 CASH PRIZES | 33 TROPHIES | 75 MEDALS

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**VENUE:**  
**YMCA HALL, THOTTUMUGHAM, ALUVA, ERNAKULAM, KERALA, INDIA**

**17<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2024**

Online Registration  
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## PRIZE STRUCTURE

	MAIN	1750-1601	1600-1551	1550-1501	1500-1451	1450 - 0	UNRATED
1st	Rs.30000 🏆	Rs.10000	Rs.10000	Rs.10000	Rs.10000	Rs.10000	Rs.10000
2nd	Rs.20000 🏆	Rs.7000	Rs.7000	Rs.7000	Rs.7000	Rs.7000	Rs.7000
3rd	Rs.15000 🏆	Rs.5000	Rs.5000	Rs.5000	Rs.5000	Rs.5000	Rs.5000
4th	Rs.12000	Rs.4500	Rs.4500	Rs.4500	Rs.4500	Rs.4500	Rs.4500
5th	Rs.10000	Rs.4000	Rs.4000	Rs.4000	Rs.4000	Rs.4000	Rs.4000
6th	Rs.9000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
7th	Rs.8000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
8th	Rs.7000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
9th	Rs.7000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
10th	Rs.7000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
11th - 12th	Rs.6000	BEST VETERAN (Age above 55)		BEST WOMEN (Age above 18)		SPECIALLY ABLED PLAYER	
13th - 14th	Rs.5000						
15th - 19th	Rs.4000	Rs.3000		Rs.3000		Rs.3000	
20th - 25th	Rs.3500						

	Under 15	Under 13	Under 11	Under 09	Under 07
1st	Rs.3000 🏆	Rs.3000 🏆	Rs.3000 🏆	Rs.3000 🏆	Rs.3000 🏆
2nd	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
3rd	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
6th - 20th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

Best YMCA Player	
1st	🏆
2nd	🏆
3rd	🏆
4th	🏆
5th	🏆



TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Reporting Time	17-11-2024	9.00 A.M.
Inauguration Ceremony	17-11-2024	9.30 A.M.
Technical Meeting	17-11-2024	10.00 A.M
1st Round	17-11-2024	10.30 A.M.
2nd Round	17-11-2024	11.20 A.M.
3rd Round	17-11-2024	12.10 P.M.
LUNCH BREAK	17-11-2024	LUNCH BREAK
4th Round	17-11-2024	1.30 P.M.
5th Round	17-11-2024	2.20 P.M.
6th Round	17-11-2024	3.10 P.M.
7th Round	17-11-2024	4.00 P.M.
8th Round	17-11-2024	4.50 P.M.
Prize Distribution Function	17-11-2024	6.00 P.M.

ENTRY FEE DETAILS

Rating Above 2400	Free	14/11/2024
Early Bird Offer	Rs.2250/-	20/10/2024
Under 10 Players	Rs.2250/-	05/11/2024
All Other Players	Rs.2500/-	21/10/2024 - 10/11/2024
Entry with Late Fee	Rs.2999/-	11/11/2024 - 14/11/2024

- \* Registration Closes on 14/11/2024 @ 10.00 PM
- \* Note: No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

ACCOMODATION | FOOD PRE BOOKING - PAYMENT MODE

Dormitory Accommodation (120 Beds)	Rs.300/- per head (24 Hours from check-in Time)
<div>- Food Package - Breakfast, Lunch &amp; Refreshments<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Morning Veg. Breakfast &amp; Tea (08.30 AM - 9.30 AM)</li><li>Tea &amp; Snacks at 11.00 AM</li><li>Veg. Meals</li><li>Tea &amp; Snacks at (03.30 PM - 04.30 PM)</li><li>For 17-11-2024 only</li></ul></div>	Rs.200/- per head

- \* Dormitory Accommodation available on first come first serve basis
- \* At the time of registration food can be booked for players & parents
- \* Food serving is limited to pre-booking persons only.

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## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE



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CHIEF ARBITER

## RULES & REGULATIONS

- **System of play:** FIDE Swiss System with Rapid Regulations will be followed
- **Time Control:** 10 Minutes + 05 Seconds increment from move 1
- **Rounds:** 8
- The tournament will be conducted as per the latest FIDE Laws of Chess
- **Eligibility:** The tournament is open for all players.
- **Tie- break:** Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger, Direct encounter, Number of wins (including forfeit points)
- Players are not allowed to use any type of wrist watch, mobile, or any such electronic device in the playing area.
- **International Players:** A valid FIDE ID is mandatory.
- **AICF player registration:** AICF player registration is compulsory for all Indian players
  - a. AICF player registration fee Rs.300/- for the year 2024 – 2025 has to be paid well before the start of tournament. It will be accepted only through online
  - b. For renewing AICF registration of the existing players, please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/player>
  - c. For (new) fresh AICF registration please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
- **CAK Player Registration:** For Kerala players, CAK Registration for the year 2024 is compulsory
- AICF new Registration or active AICF ID and CAK Registration (Kerala Players) is sole responsibility of the player. Players who have failed for AICF / CAK registration as mentioned above will not be allowed to participate in the tournament. Such cases refund will not be provided.
- **Appeals Committee:** An Appeals Committee will be formed during the technical meeting.
- **Protests:** Protests, if any against the decision of the arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee Rs.1000 (Rs. One thousand only) within 10 minutes of the incident. The protest fee is refundable only if the protest is upheld. The decision of the appeals committee on all protests shall be final and binding
- **Interpretation:** For interpretation of the rules and deciding any point not covered by the rules, the decision of the tournament committee shall be final and binding.
- **Withdrawals:** A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing
- Tournament registration only through chessmii.com
- Cash Prize money distribution done through chessmii.com wallet on or before 20/11/2024.
- One player will be given one (higher) prize only
- For the category prize, the organizer may ask the players for their date of birth proof, and by registering for the tournament players are abide to present the Date of Birth Proof for the given tournament
- Indian Income Tax Rule, section 194B will be applicable
- Organizer has the right to accept or reject any entry with assigning any reason.
- Organizer has the right to make any changes on the event at any time
- Organizing committee are not responsible for any discomfort or any other problems like transportation etc for those are staying at hotel. Participants need to reach to the tournament venue at due course of time as mentioned above in this brochure.
- Refund Request: Need to done through chessmii.com and refund request will not be accepted after 15/11/2024, as arrangements according the registration has been already done by the organizers (transaction charges will be deducted).
- Spot entry will not be accepted.
- Attendance is mandatory at the prize distribution Ceremony

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## VENUE LOCATION: HOW TO GET TO VENUE

YMCA Hall is situated at Thottumugham, Aluva, Ernakulam, Kerala



### BY ROAD

From Aluva Bus Stand - 2 Kms



### BY TRAIN

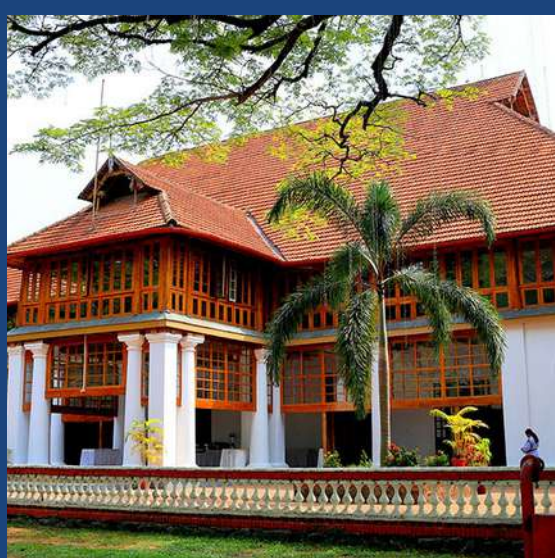
Nearest railway station Aluva - 2 Kms - Bus Stand is opposite to railway station



### BY AIR

Cochin International Airport - 9 Kms.

## TOURIST PLACES TO VISIT NEAR TO VENUE



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SYNAGOGUE**



**MARINE DRIVE**



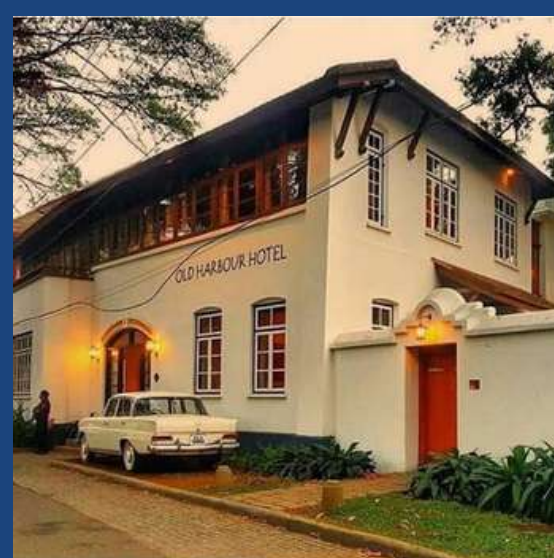
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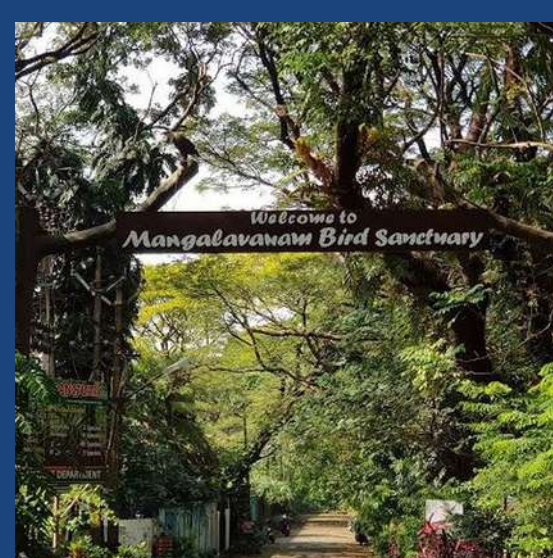
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