



3RD SAKATAM

OPEN INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATING CESS TOURNAMENT

(Under the aegis of All India Chess Federation & All Assam Chess Association)

ORGANISED BY

HBM Society & Northeast Chess India

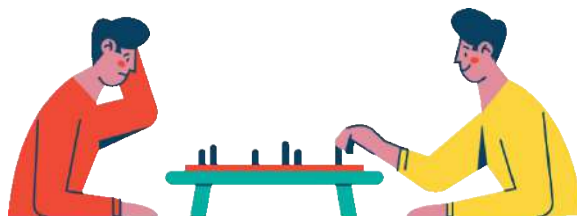
EVENT CODE : 398376/AS/2025

DATE : 26TH TO 31ST MARCH 2025



PRIZE FUND : ₹ 6,00,000/-

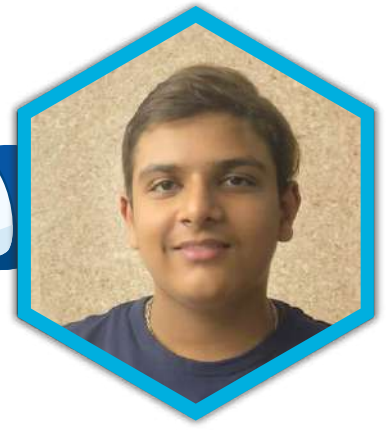
Over 82 cash prizes and more than 105 trophies will be Awarded



Pride of Assam



IM Sahil Dey



IM Mayank Chakraborty



VENUE : BHOGESWARI PHUKANANI INDOOR STADIUM, GUWAHATI

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Main Prizes



2nd ₹50,000 🏆

1st ₹70,000

3rd ₹35,000 🏆

4th ₹25,000 🏆

5th ₹15,000 🏆

6th ₹12,000 🏆

7th ₹8,000 🏆

8th ₹7,500 🏆

9th ₹7,500 🏆

10th ₹7,500 🏆

11th -20th Position Rs.6,500/- 🏆

21st-30th Position Rs.6000/- 🏆

31st - 40th Position Rs. 5000/- 🏆

41st - 50th Position Rs.4000/- 🏆

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Rating Category Prizes

Rank	Best UnRated	Best 1400-1599	Best 1600-1799
1st	₹4,000 🏆	₹4,000 🏆	₹4,000 🏆
2nd	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆
3rd	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆

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Special Category Prizes

Rank	Best Guwahati	Best Assam	Best Northeast
1st	₹5,000 🏆	₹5,000 🏆	₹5,000 🏆
2nd	₹4,000 🏆	₹4,000 🏆	₹4,000 🏆
3rd	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆

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Special Category Prizes

Rank	Best Female (15+)	Best Veteran (50+)
1st	₹4,000 🏆	₹4,000 🏆
2nd	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆
3rd	🏆	🏆

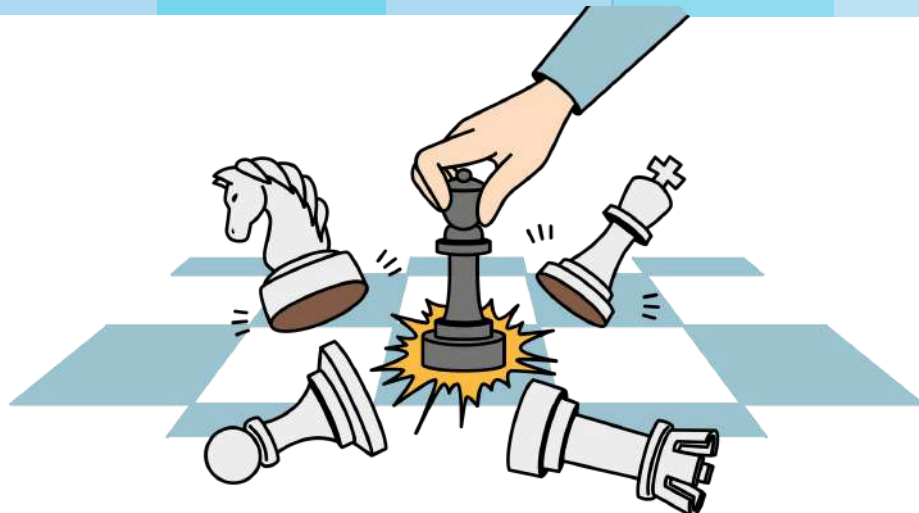


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Age Category (Open)



Rank	Under 07	Under 09	Under 11	Under 13	Under 15
1st	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆
2nd	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆
3rd	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆



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Age Category (Girls)



Rank	Under 07	Under 09	Under 11	Under 13	Under 15
1st	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆	₹3,500 🏆
2nd	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆	₹3,000 🏆
3rd	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

Important Note

- Prize will not be shared. One player will get one higher prize only. Indian Income Tax Act and rules will be applicable.
- Age category players are eligible for prizes of their own age category only and not for higher age category prizes.

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Tournament Rules

- **System of play:** The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds
- **Time Control:** 90 Minutes + 30 Seconds increment from 1 move.
- **Default Time (Walk Over Time):** 30 minutes
- **Reporting time:** 26 March, 2025 at 9:00 AM
- **Inauguration:** 26 March, 2025 at 10:00 AM followed by players meeting.
- **Eligibility:** The tournament is open for all players. All rated and unrated players are eligible to participate. No Age limit.
- **AICF registration:** All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2024-25.
 - For renewing AICF registration of the existing players, please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/players>.
 - For New AICF registration of players please visit <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>.
- **Tie Break:** Tie Break according to latest AICF guideline. In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect. The Cash prizes however will not be shared.
- **Protests:** If any against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee Rs. 1000 within 30 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld. Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee of five members will be formed.
- **Electronic Devices:** All electronic items including all type of wrist watches are not allowed inside the playing arena.
- **Withdrawals:** A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

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Tournament Schedule

26th March, 2025

Round 1 11:00 AM

26th March, 2025

Round 2 04:30 PM

27th March, 2025

Round 3 09:30 AM

27th March, 2025

Round 4 03:00 PM

28th March, 2025

Round 5 09:30 AM

28th March, 2025

Round 6 03:00 PM

29th March, 2025

Round 7 09:30 AM

29th March, 2025

Round 8 03:00 PM

30th March, 2025

Round 9 09:30 AM

30th March, 2025

Round 10 03:00 PM

Number of round and Schedule may be change depending upon number of players.
However, Such Changes will be notified before first round of the game

Note : 31st March : Blitz From 09:00 AM to 02:00 PM

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Registration Details

- **Entry Fee : ₹3,000 (Non Refundable)**
- **Entry is free for GMs, IMs, WGMs, And WIMs Entry fee**
- **for differently abled: ₹1,500**
- **Last date to register: 25th March,2025 @ 5 PM**
- **Prize Distribution :31st March,2025 @ 04:00 PM**



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Amenities at the Venue

- **Waiting Hall for Guardians.**
- **Parking Space**
- **Food Facility is available.**

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How to reach the Venue?

The Bhogeswari Phukanani Indoor Stadium is conveniently located in Guwahati, Assam. Here are the approximate distances from key transportation hubs:

- **Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport (Guwahati Airport):** Approximately 36.6 kilometers away
- **Guwahati Railway Station:** Approximately 8.91 km away
- **Kamakhya Railway Station:** Approximately 17 km away.
- **Distance from ISBT, Guwahati:** Approximately 14 km

These proximities make the stadium easily accessible for participants and attendees traveling from various locations.



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For Accommodation

- Shri Sudip Nath : +91 86382 95874
- Shri Tarun Rajbongshi : + 91 9954043123
- Shri Sanjib Kumar Das : +91 80999 51491
- Shri Jubul Das : +91 99548 40206
- Shri Bhaskerjeet Tahbildar : +91 88765 55609
- Shri Rajib Kumar Barman : +91 88226 88333

All players, participants, and parents are responsible for making their own arrangements.

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- Ravi Kant Tiwari : +91 80117 27200
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Organizing Committee

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: **SHRI MUKUTA DEKA** (Deputy Chairman, GMDA)

PATRON

: **SHRI PRASANTA CHOUDHARY** (Distinguished Social Worker)

CHIEF ADVISORS

: **SHRI RUPAM GOSWAMI** (Chairman, Assam Finance Corporation)

SHRI DILIP DAS (Vice Chairman ATDC)

SHRI ARINDAM BARUAH (General Secretary, Consumer Rights Org.)

SHRI JITU TALUKDAR (Independent Director, Assam Petrochemical Limited)

SHRI ABHIJIT KALITA (Distinguished Social Worker)

ADVISORS

: **SHRI KANDARPA KALITA** (President, All Assam Chess Association)

SHRI RAJIB DHAR (Secretary, All Assam Chess Association)

SHRI JITU MONI NEOG (Joint Secretary, All Assam Chess Association)

SHRI JAYANTA SHARMA

SHRI MRINMOY DAS

SHRI ANJAN DAS

SHRI R.K. PANCHAM SINGH

PRESIDENT

: **DR. ARUP KR. NATH**

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: **SHRI MRINMOY HAZARIKA**

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: **FA RAVI KANT TIWARI**

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: **SHRI DEEPAK DAS**

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SHRI PRANJAL PUJARI

MEMBER

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SMT. ARCHNA PATHAK DAS

SMT. RAJASHREE GOSWAMI

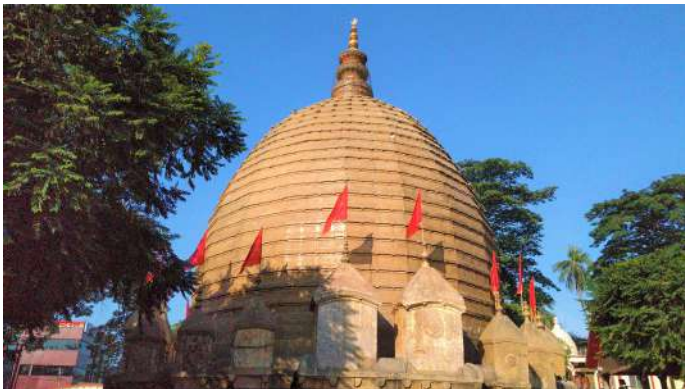
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Welcome to Assam

ASSAM, THE "GATEWAY TO NORTHEAST INDIA," IS A VIBRANT STATE KNOWN FOR ITS LUSH LANDSCAPES, RICH CULTURAL HERITAGE, AND DIVERSE WILDLIFE. NESTLED IN THE BRAHMAPUTRA AND BARAK RIVER VALLEYS, IT IS FAMOUS FOR ASSAM TEA, SILK, AND BEING HOME TO THE ONE-HORNED INDIAN RHINOCEROS. THE STATE OFFERS A UNIQUE BLEND OF NATURAL BEAUTY, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE, AND WARM HOSPITALITY, MAKING IT A PERFECT STARTING POINT TO EXPLORE THE ENCHANTING NORTHEAST REGION. WITH ITS TROPICAL CLIMATE AND YEAR-ROUND CHARM, ASSAM TRULY EMBODIES THE SPIRIT OF INDIA'S NORTHEAST.



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Top Local Attractions to Explore

Kamakhya Temple

- One of the most revered Shakti Peethas in India, Kamakhya Temple attracts devotees from all over the world. Perched atop Nilachal Hill, it offers a serene ambiance and breathtaking views of the city.

Umananda Temple

- Located on the serene Peacock Island in the Brahmaputra River, this temple dedicated to Lord Shiva is accessible by a short ferry ride. The island is considered the smallest inhabited river island in the world.

Assam State Zoo and Botanical Garden

- Perfect for families, this zoo is home to various exotic and native animal species, including the majestic one-horned rhinoceros.

Guwahati Planetarium

- A hub for astronomy enthusiasts, the planetarium offers engaging shows about the cosmos and celestial events.

Srimanta Sankardev Kalakshetra

- This cultural center showcases Assam's rich heritage, including traditional art, dance, music, and handloom.

Basistha Ashram

- Situated on the outskirts of the city, this ancient ashram is a blend of spirituality and nature, surrounded by a picturesque forested area.

Dispur Secretariat Building

- Dispur, being the state capital, houses the Secretariat building, which is a prominent landmark of administrative importance.

Brahmaputra River Cruise

- Enjoy a relaxing evening on a river cruise with panoramic views of the Brahmaputra and its surroundings. Opt for sunset or dinner cruises for an unforgettable experience.

Nearby Destinations for Short Day Trips

- Pobitora Wildlife Sanctuary (48 km): Known for its dense population of one-horned rhinos.
- Kaziranga National Park (4-5 hours drive): A UNESCO World Heritage Site famous for its wildlife safaris.
- Sualkuchi Village (35 km): Renowned as the "Manchester of Assam," this village is famous for its silk weaving industry.



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Accommodation Options

Luxury Stays

1. **Vivanta Guwahati (★★★★★)**
 - Located in Khanapara, this upscale hotel offers modern amenities, fine dining, and a spa.
2. **Radisson Blu Hotel Guwahati (★★★★★)**
 - Known for its scenic location near the Brahmaputra River and premium hospitality services.

Mid-Range Hotels

1. **Hotel Lilawati Grand (★★★)**
 - Centrally located and offers comfortable rooms at affordable rates.
2. **Dynasty Hotel (★★★)**
 - Ideal for travelers looking for cozy accommodations with convenient access to the city's attractions.

Budget-Friendly Options

1. **Hotel Prag Continental**
 - A value-for-money stay with basic amenities and good accessibility.
2. **Mayur Residency**
 - A pocket-friendly option for budget-conscious travelers.

Guest Houses and Homestays

- Explore options on platforms like Airbnb and Booking.com for family-friendly homestays near Dispur or the main city area.

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Transportation Options

By Air

- **Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport (Guwahati Airport):**
- Located about 25 km from Dispur, the airport connects the city with major Indian cities and a few international destinations. Prepaid taxis and app-based cabs like Uber and Ola are readily available.

By Rail

- **Guwahati Railway Station:**
- Situated in the heart of the city, this station connects Guwahati to various parts of India. Auto-rickshaws, cabs, and city buses provide easy access to nearby areas.

By Road

- **Bus Services:**
- Assam State Transport Corporation (ASTC) and private operators run frequent bus services connecting Dispur and Guwahati with nearby towns and cities.
- **Local Transport:**
 - Auto-rickshaws and cycle-rickshaws for short distances.
 - App-based cabs (Uber, Ola) and rental car services for convenience.
- **Nearby Bus Stop : Supermarket**



HBM Society

HBM SOCIETY IS AN ORGANIZATION COMMITTED TO PROMOTING CULTURAL, EDUCATIONAL, AND SOCIAL INITIATIVES. FOCUSED ON FOSTERING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND EMPOWERMENT, IT OFTEN COLLABORATES ON PROJECTS THAT ENCOURAGE LEARNING, TALENT DEVELOPMENT, AND SOCIAL WELFARE. THROUGH ITS VARIOUS ACTIVITIES, HBM SOCIETY AIMS TO MAKE A MEANINGFUL IMPACT BY UPLIFTING INDIVIDUALS AND CREATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH AND COLLABORATION.



Northeast Chess India

NORTHEAST CHESS INDIA IS A DEDICATED PLATFORM PROMOTING THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF CHESS IN NORTHEAST INDIA. IT SERVES AS A HUB FOR ORGANIZING TOURNAMENTS, TRAINING SESSIONS, AND EVENTS AIMED AT NURTURING YOUNG TALENTS AND ENHANCING THE CHESS CULTURE IN THE REGION. WITH A FOCUS ON COLLABORATION AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, NORTHEAST CHESS INDIA STRIVES TO MAKE CHESS ACCESSIBLE TO PLAYERS OF ALL LEVELS, FOSTERING STRATEGIC THINKING AND SPORTSMANSHIP AMONG ENTHUSIASTS.





Moments captured

SAKATAM THROUGH THESE MOMENTS CAPTURED IN A FEW UNFORGETTABLE PHOTOS



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For Payment Bank Details

BANK A/C Name HBM Society,

Bank Name: Indian Overseas Bank,

A/C No. : 140902000001002,

IFS Code : IOBA0001409,

Branch : Chandmari

Note: Organizer has the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.