

ORGANISED BY CHESSBASE INDIA AND PHOENIX MARKETCITY, MUMBAI

AICF EVENT CODE: 417402/MH(R)/2025

UNDER THE AEGIS OF

All India Chess Federation Maharashtra Chess Association and MSDCA AD-HOC COMMITTEE

ON OCCASION OF

3RD ANNIVERSARY OF THE PHOENIX CHESSBASE INDIA CHESS CLUB



DATE: 5TH APRIL 2025 11 AM ONWARDS

PRIZE FUND



ENTRY FEE:





VENUE: DUBLIN SQUARE, 1ST FLOOR, PHOENIX MARKETCITY, MUMBAI















Main Prizes

Special Prizes

| Rank | Prize | Category | lst prize | 2nd prize | 3rd prize | 4th prize | 5th prize |
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| lst | 70000 + | Best Unrated | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 2nd | 50000 + | Best Veteran (55+) | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 3rd | 35000 + | Best Female | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| | 33000 + | Best Specially Abled | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 4th | 20000 + | 1400-1600 | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 5th | 10000 + | 1601–1800 | 2500 | 1500 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| 6th | 6500 + | Best U- 6 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |
| | | Best U-8 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |
| 7th to 10th | 5500 + | Best U- 10 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |
| 11th to 20th | 2500 | Best U- 12 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |
| 21st to 30th | 1500 | Best U- 14 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |
| 31st to 35th | 900 | Best U- 16 | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy | Trophy |



SCHEDULE



| Reporting Time | 10:30 AM | | | |
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| Round 1 | 11:00AM | | | |
| Round 2 | 11:50 AM | | | |
| Round 3 | 12:40 PM | | | |
| Lunch | 1:30 to 2:15 PM | | | |
| Round 4 | 2:15 PM | | | |
| Round 5 | 3:10 PM | | | |
| Round 6 | 4:00 PM | | | |
| Round 7 | 4:50 PM | | | |
| Round 8 | 5:40 PM | | | |
| Round 9 | 6:30 PM | | | |
| Prize Distribution | 7 to 8 PM | | | |



RULES & REGULATIONS



- Reporting time: 10:30 am. First round will start strictly at 11:00 am.
- Time Control: 10 Minutes +5 Seconds increment from move
- Walkover Time: 10 Minutes.
- Rounds: 9 Rounds
- **Tie Breaks:** In case of a tie, The following Tie Break Rules will be followed :(1) Buchholz cut 1 (2) Buchholz (3) SB (4) Direct Encounter (5) Greater number of wins (including forfeit points) (6) Greater number of wins with black
- **Appeals Committee:** Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed by the organizers.
- 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 otherwise amount will be forfeited.
- AICF Registration for 2025-2026 is Mandatory for players willing to participate. AICF Registration should be done before registration of tournament.
 - AICF new player registration (to be done after 1st April 2025): Click Here
 - AICF ID search Link: Click Here
- For Maharashtra Players registraton of MCA is Mandatory along with AICF registraton.
 - Search your MCA id here: Click Here
 - Registration/Renewal Link (to be done after 1st April 2025): Click Here
- **Refund Policy:** Fee once deposited will not be refunded or transferred to another person, time or event.
- 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. One player will be given one (higher) Cash prize only.
- **Disqualification:** No prize winner will leave the venue before the Prize distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. Otherwise, their prize will be forfeited.
- **Electronic Devices:** Those found in possession of mobile phones/electronic devices or wearing watches during their play will be declared lost.



REGISTRATION & CONTACT



- Entry Fee:
 - -Early Bird (till 31st March): ₹600
 - -Late Bird (1st April Onwards): ₹750
- FREE ENTRY for GM, WGM, IM & WIM
- Player Limit: 500 players only
- Entries close on 3rd April at 5 PM (or once 500 spots are taken)
- Entry fee is strictly non-refundable and non-transferable to another person or event.
- No spot entries will be accepted.
- Round 1 pairings will be released on ChessResults by 11 PM on 4th April 2025.

Registrations: Click Here!

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Contact For Queries:

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