1st LIKECHESS FIDE RATED RAPID CHESS TOURNAMENT

in association with

Vikasa Vidya Samithi, Shivamogga Khannur Group of Institutions (KGI)

AICF Event Code: 436228/KA(R)/2025

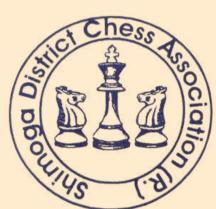
KSCA Event Code: KSCA/G68/2526

Under the Aegis















DATE: 23RD NOVEMBER 2025

VIKASA VIDYA SAMITHI, ALKOLA, PLACE:

SHIVAMOGGA, KARNATAKA



₹ 50,000 +





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Scan or click QR to register through **Circle Chess**

ENTRY FEES Rs. 250/-

Rs. 400/- (After October 15, 2025) Rs.500/- (After November 15, 2025) LIMITED ENTRIES

Free entry - GM, IM, WIM & WGM

PLAYING SCHEDULE

November 23, 2025 – SUNDAY	
9 AM	INAUGURATION
9.10 AM	PLAYERS MEETING
9.20 AM	ROUND 1
10.10 AM	ROUND 2
11.00 AM	ROUND 3
11.50 AM	ROUND 4
12.40 PM	ROUND 5
02.00 PM	ROUND 6
02.50 PM	ROUND 7
03.40 PM	ROUND 8
04.30 PM	ROUND 9
05.30 PM	PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

AICF & KSCA REGISTRATION

Registration with the All India Chess Federation & Karnataka State Chess Association (only for Karnataka players) for the year 2025–26 is compulsory for all participants. Those who have not registered with AICF or KSCA (only for Karnataka players) must complete their registration well before the first round pairings.

AICF New Registration: https://aicf.in/

KSCA Registration : https://karnatakachess.com/player-registration/

Proof to be produced when requested by the organisers.

MAIN PRIZES

1st Rs. 5,000 +

2nd Rs. 4,000 +

3rd Rs. 3,500 +

4th Rs. 3,000 +

5th Rs. 2,500 +

6th – 7th Rs. 1,500 +

8th – 10th Rs. 1,000 + 🖳

11th – 15th Rs. 750 +

RATING CATEGORY PRIZES

Unrated 1400 - 1500 1501 - 1600 1601 - 1700

1st Rs. 1,500 + **__**

2nd Rs. 1,250 +

3rd Rs. 1,000 + 📄

4th Rs. 500 +

Youngest Boy and Girl

2 TROPHIES



AGE CATEGORY PRIZES

U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14 & U-16

(Boys and Girls seperate)

TOP 5 TROPHIES

SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

Best Veteran
Above 60

Best Female
Above 18

Best Shivamogga

1st Rs. 1,000 + 💭

2nd Rs. 750 +

RULES & REGULATIONS

- Time Control: 15 Mins + 5 Seconds
- **System of play**: The tournament will be conducted in accordance with FIDE Laws and the Swiss System, consisting of 9 rounds.
- Protests, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing, accompanied by a protest fee of 1000 Rs, within 10 minutes of the incident's occurrence to the Appeals Committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.
- Withdrawals: A player can withdraw at any stage of the event after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.
- Appeals Committee: A five-member appeals committee shall be formed.
- Players qualified for more than one prize will be considered only for one higher prize.
- Spot entries are not entertained to ensure the round starts on time.
- Chess sets & clocks will be provided to all players.
- Players will forfeit the prize if he/she is not present during prize distribution.
- Players are not allowed to carry bags, mobile phones,
 wristwatches, or other electronic devices to the playing arena.
- Entry fees is non-refundable and non-transferable.
- AICF registration is mandatory for all players.
- KSCA registration is mandatory for all Karnataka players.

Chief Arbiter

IA MANJUNATHA M

Deputy Chief Arbiter

IA PRANESH YADAV K