















AICF EVENT CODE 437936/437937/437938/R MH 2025 UNDR THE AEGIS OF FIDE, AICF, MCA & ADCA

GRAND

CHESS

FESTIVAL 2025

CHATRAPATI
SAMBHAJINAGAR
25th Oct to 2nd Nov 2025

Total Prizes 720



Open Classic

Rs. 12,33,333 (25th Oct to 29th Oct)

Rapid Rating

Rs. 6,00000 (30th OCT)

Below 1700 Rs. 12,00000 (31st OCT to 2nd Nov)

> Total prize Fund 30,33,333



SHIBU RAJAN CHAIRMAN-MAHARASHTRA

MSME Promotion Council of India

SHAIKH IFTEQUAR AHEMAD

President Honest Sports Acadmy

HEMENDRA P. PATEL

Secretary Aurangabad District Chess Association



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ALL INDIA FIDE RATING OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT 25th to 29th OCTOBER 2025

Open Prize Fund 12,33,333

Total Prize -115

Trophy -137



WINNER

1,21,333+TROPHY+MEDAL

2ND RUNNER

1,10,000+TROPHY+MEDAL

3RD PRIZE

51,000+TROPHY+MEDAL

MAIN PRIZES						
PRIZES	RS.					
4	25,000					
5	20,000					
6	13,000					
7	12,000					
8	11,000					
9	10,000					
10	10,000					
11	10,000					
12	10,000					
13	10,000					
14	10,000					
15	10,000					
16-25	6,000					

RATING CATEGORY PRIZES							
PRIZES	1601-1800	BELOW1600	UNRATED				
1	50,000+ T	50,000+T	15,000+T				
2	25,000+T	25,000+T	11,000+T				
3	15,000+T	15,000+T	7,000+T				
4	12,000	12,000	6,000				
5	11,000	11,000	6,000				
6	10,000	10,000					
7	10,000	10,000					
8	9,000	9,000					
9	9,000	9,000					
10	9,000	9,000					
11-15	6,000	6,000					
16-17	5,000	5,000					

SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES								
PRIZES	FEMALE (15+)	VETERAN (55+)	SPECIALLY ABELED	SAMBHAJINAGAR	MAHARASHTRA			
1st	7000+ T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T			
2nd	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T			
3rd	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T			
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY			
5th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY			

	AGE CATEGORY PRIZES									
	U-(07	U-	-09	U-1	1	U-13		U-15	
PRIZES	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
lst	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy	10000+ Trophy
2nd	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY	7000+ TROPHY
3rd	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY	5000+ TROPHY
4th-10th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE								
DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME			
25.10.2025	SATURDAY	1	11:00 am	2	4:00 pm			
26.10.2025	SUNDAY	3	9:00 am	4	2:30 pm			
27.10.2025	MONDAY	5	9:00 am	6	2:30 pm			
28.10.2025	TUESDAY	7	9:00 am	8	4:30 pm			
29.10.2025	WEDNESDAY	9	9:00 am					

Arrival

25thOCT 2025 @ 9:00 am Inaugration followed by players meeting 25thOCT 2025 @ 9:00 am Prize Distribution 29thOCT2025 @ 7:00 pm ALL INDIA FIDE OPEN RAPID
RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT
30th OCTOBER 2025

RAPID PRIZE FUND 6,0000

Total Prize -73

Trophy -87

WINNER

71,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL

2ND RUNNER

50,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL

3RD PRIZE

30,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL

MAIN	PRIZES	RA	TING CATE	GORY PRI	ZES
PRIZES	RS.	PRIZES	BELOW 1600	BELOW 1500	UNRATED
4	20,000	1	50,000+ T	50,000+ T	8,000+ T
5	10,000	2	25,000+T	25,000+T	6,000
6	7,000	3	15,000+T	15,000+T	4,000
7	6,000	4	10,000	10,000	3,000
8	5,000	5	7,000	7,000	3,000
9	4,000	6	5,000	5,000	TROPHY
10	4,000	7	3,000	3,000	TROPHY
11	4,000	8	3,000	3,000	TROPHY
12	4,000				
13	4,000				
14	4,000				
15-20	3,000				

SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES							
PRIZES	RS.	RS.					
Veteran (S-65)	Veteran (S-50)	Female (16+)					
4000+T	4000+T	4000+T					
3000+T	3000+T	3000+T					
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY					
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY					
TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY					

	AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES											
	U-	-16	U	-14	U	-12	U-	10	U-	·8	U-	-6
PRIZES	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
lst	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy	3,500+ Trophy
2nd	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY	3000+ TROPHY
3rd	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY
5th to 10th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE								
DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME			
		1	9:30 am	2	10:30 am			
	THURSDAY	3	11:15 am	4	12:00 pm			
30.10.2025		5	12:45 pm	6	2:00 pm			
		7	2:45 pm	8	3:30 pm			
		9	3:45 pm					

Arrival

30 OCT 2025 @ 8:30 am Inaugration followed by players meeting 30 OCT 2025 @ 9:30 am Prize Distribution 30 OCT 2025 @ 7:00 pm

ALL INDIA BELOW 1700

OPEN FIDE RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT 31st OCT to 2nd NOVEMBER 2025

BELOW 1700 PRIZE FUND **6,0000**

Total Prize -112

Trophy -134



WINNER

1,11,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL



1,01,000+TROPHY+MEDAL

3RD PRIZE

51,000 +TROPHY+MEDAL

MAIN PRIZES					
PRIZES	RS.				
4	25,000				
5	15,000				
6	13,000				
7	12,000				
8	11,500				
9	11,000				
10	10,500				
11	10,000				
12	10,000				
13	10,000				
14	9,000				
15	9,000				
16-25	6,000				
26-30	5,000				

R/	ATING CAT	EGORY PRIZES
PRIZES	1500	UNRATED
1	1,00000+ T	10,000+T
2	50,000+T	9,000+T
3	25,000+T	8,000+T
4	15,000	7,000
5	11,000	6,000
6	10,000	5,000
7	10,000	5,000
8	10,000	
9	10,000	
10	10,000	
11-20	6,000	
21-30	5,000	

SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES									
PRIZES	FEMALE (15+)	VETERAN (60+)	SPECIALLY ABELED	SAMBHAJINAGAR	MAHARASHTRA				
lst	7000+ T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T	7000+T				
2nd	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T	5000+T				
3rd	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T	3000+T				
4th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY				
5th	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY	TROPHY				

AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES												
	U-7		U-9		U-11		U-13		U-15			
	BOYS	GIRLS										
	10,000+ Trophy											
	7000+ TROPHY											
	5000+ TROPHY											
	TROPHY											
5+10	TROPHY											

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE												
DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME					
31.10.2025	FRIDAY	1	10:00 am	2	1:00 pm	3	4:00 pm					
1.11.2025	SATURDAY	4	9:00 am	5	12:00 pm	6	3:00 pm					
2.11.2025	SANDAY	7	8:00 am	8	11:00 am	9	2:00 am					

Arrival
31st OCT 2025 @ 8:30 am
Inaugration followed by
players meeting
Prize Distribution
2nd Nov 2025 @ 6:00 pm



Scan here to the Tournament registration link

https://circlechess.com/registration?id=42262

ENTRY FEE CLASSIC OPEN- 6000 RAPID -3000 BELOW-6000

CLASSIC OPEN
RAPID 14,000
BELOW



GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

No request towards waiver of entry fee or late fee will be entertained.

Entry Fee is NON Transferable. & NON Refundeble

Free Entry For GM, WGM, IM & WIN

TOURNAMENT RULES & REGULATIONS

System of Play: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess &

FIDE Swiss System with 09 rounds.

Time Control: OpenTournament : 90 Minutes plus 30 second increment from

move 1 for entire game.

Below 1700 : 30 Minutes plus 30 second increment from

move 1 for entire game.

Rapid Rating: 10 Minutes plus 05 second increment from

move 1 for entire game.

Default Time

(Walk Over Time): The default time will be 30 minutes for Classical Rating Tournaments.

(Open & Below 1700)

The default time will be 10 minutes for Rapid Rating Tournaments.

Tie Break: Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, SB, Direct Encounter, Greater Number of Wins

(including forfeit points), Greater Number of Wins with Black.

AICF Registration: All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2025-26

before the registration deadline to

participate in the tournament. online registration can be done

at www.aicf.in/players

Electronic Devices: All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches)

are not allowed in the tournament hall.

Eligibility: Open Tournament: All rated & Unrated players.

Below 1700: All rated & Unrated players.

(Rated players must not have crossed 1699 for last 36 months.)

Players who finished 1st or 2nd in any Rating Restricted Tournament

(Only FIDE Rating) are not

eligible to play in any Rating Restricted Tournament for 1 year

from the date such achievement.

Rapid Rating: All rated & Unrated players.

Players who is found guilty (as a above rules) at any stage of

the tournament will be removed from the

tournament & entry fees shall not be refunded.

Note: ACCOMODATION:

Only First 200 Players
Dormitory Hall (non A/C)
A PLAYER OR PARENT PER HEAD
WILL BE CHARGED 1000/(One Thousand)

For a Whole EVENT

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ACCOMMODATION

ADARSH HOTEL

A/C, (non A/C) Beed Bypass Rd, near Bajaj Hospital, Shah Nagar, Satara Parisar, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Maharashtra 431001 MO- 099232 42749

HOTEL AMODI PALACE

A/C, (non A/C) Savarkar chowk, Kat Kat Gate Rd, beside Police Mess Road, Hattisinghpura, Kat Kat Gate, N 10, Cidco, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Maharashtra 431001 MO- 9511309511, 9511319511

HOTEL ALANKAR

A/C, (non A/C) VIP Rd, Opposite Main Power House, Kotwalpura, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Maharashtra 431001 MO-: 080875 25795, 02402361666

GREAT SAGAR RESTAURANT

A/C, (non A/C) Vip road, Bhadkal Gate Cir, Jubilee park, Khadkeshwar, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Maharashtra 431001 MO-: 081499 50111

Food available at venue

We are delighted to serve breakfast, lunch, and dinner during the chess match. To make the experience smoother and more affordable, we are offering discounted meal coupons for those who book in advance.

Contact @ Khawayya 9325228261

Classic:- 5 days Tea+Breakfast+only lunch @

₹ 1100/- each person (limited)

Rapid :- Tea+Breakfast+lunch (limited)

@ ₹220/- each person

Below:-- 3 days Tea+Breakfast+lunch (limited)

@ 660/- each person



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