

# 15<sup>TH</sup> TAMILNADU STATE LEVEL CHILDREN & OPEN 'GOLD COIN' CHESS TOURNAMENT

(TNSCA approved no. CO - 189/KAR/25-26) under the aegis of TNSCA & KDCA

Jointly Organised by



**STAR SCHOOL**  
(Montessori & CBSE)



**ANAND**  
CHESS ACADEMY  
(Affiliated to Karur District Chess Association)

**Date : 25.01.2026, Sunday**

**Inauguration : 9:00 AM**

**Prize ceremony : 6:00 PM**



**Venue :**  
**STAR SCHOOL**  
Montessori & CBSE  
No. 2/58, Covai Road, Andankovil,  
Karur - 639008.  
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**TOTAL PRIZES WORTH RS.1,80,000 (1.8 LAKHS)**

**Total Prizes 4 gms Gold Coin + 80 gms Silver Coin +  
8 DGT Chess Clocks + 200 Cups + 500 Medals Above  
+ Cash Prizes for Open Rs.30,000/- (28 Prizes)**

Category & Born on or After	CHILDREN CATEGORY PRIZE DETAILS BOYS & GIRLS SEPARATE PRIZES			Karur Special Prizes
<b>Under 9</b> 01.01.2017	First Prize ½ Gram Gold Coin	2nd Prize DGT Chess Clock	3rd Prize 10 Gram Silver Coin	Boys 3 Trophy Girls 3 Trophy
<b>Under 11</b> 01.01.2015	First Prize ½ Gram Gold Coin	2nd Prize DGT Chess Clock	3rd Prize 10 Gram Silver Coin	Boys 3 Trophy Girls 3 Trophy
<b>Under 13</b> 01.01.2013	First Prize ½ Gram Gold Coin	2nd Prize DGT Chess Clock	3rd Prize 10 Gram Silver Coin	Boys 3 Trophy Girls 3 Trophy
<b>Under 17</b> 01.01.2009	First Prize ½ Gram Gold Coin	2nd Prize DGT Chess Clock	3rd Prize 10 Gram Silver Coin	Boys 3 Trophy Girls 3 Trophy

**ENTRY FEE FOR ALL CATEGORIES RS. 400 /- only**

**Entry Fee can be paid at**

www.chessfee.com  
www.chesscircle.com  
www.signinchess.com  
www.easypaychess.com  
www.Ticket360.co.in

KDCA Registration Fee Rs. 75/-  
TNSCA Registration Fee Rs.150/-

**ALL CHILDREN CATEGORY PARTICIPATION WILL GET MEDALS**

All U - 7 Players will get special Trophies (Born on or After 01.01.2019)

Top 10 Supporting Academies will be honoured with mementos (Min 20 Entries)

## OPEN CATEGORY CASH PRIZE (28 PRIZES)

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Prize</b>	Rs. 5000/-	<b>5th Prize</b>	Rs. 1500/-
<b>2nd Prize</b>	Rs. 3500/-	<b>6th-10th Prize</b>	Rs. 1000 /-
<b>3rd Prize</b>	Rs. 2500/-	<b>11th-15th Prize</b>	Rs. 750 /-
<b>4th Prize</b>	Rs. 2000/-	<b>16th-20th Prize</b>	Rs. 500 /-

## SPECIAL PRIZES

<b>Best Women</b>
1st Rs.750   2nd Rs. 500   3rd Rs.500
<b>Best Veteran (50+)</b>
1st Rs.500   2nd Rs.500
<b>Best Disabled Person</b>
1st Rs.500   2nd Rs.500   3rd Rs.500

## CONTACT US

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(Senior National Arbiter & Chess Coach)  
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## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Eligibility: The Tournament is open to Tamil Nadu Players only.
2. Rules: The latest FIDE rules in force shall apply and the Swiss system will be followed.
3. Time Control: Each game will have 20 minutes.
4. Schedule: The first round will commence at 9.30a.m.on 25.01.2026. The number of rounds and the round-wise schedule will be announced at the tournament venue.
5. Equipment: Players are requested to bring their own international chess sets and chess clock (if any).
6. Tiebreak : Latest AICF tiebreaks will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.
7. The Chief Arbiter's decisions shall be final and binding on all players.
8. Age-proof Certificate must be produced for Children's category prizes.
9. Entry Deadline: Entries close at 6:00 p.m. on 23.01.2026. Strictly no spot entries.
10. TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players.  
TNSCA Player Registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2025-2026.
11. For Fresh TNSCA registration <https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/>
12. TNSCA Renewal Registration <https://registration.tamilchess.com/>
13. KDCA Registration fee is Rs.75/- for the year 2025 - 2026 (for Karur district players only)
14. The TNSCA/KDCA/ organizer Anand chess academy /reserve the right of admission to the venue and lodging areas.
15. Participation certificates will be awarded to all players.
16. Accommodation will not be provided.
17. Canteen Facility will be available on a paid basis.

STAR School Bus will be available from Karur New Bus Stand & Old Bus Stand

(Near Roundana, Alangar Lodge, Kovai Road)

Time : Morning 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM

Evening : Drop from school to New Bus Stand.



Chief Arbiter Mr. M.Umapathy IA  
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PT : Mr. Abdul Buhari, Star School.  
Cell : 99947 37891

Deputy Chief Arbiter Mr. R.Sivaramankrishnan FA  
Cell : 9600012893

Mr. S.Vignesh, Chess Coach  
Cell : 79049 79284

Mr. Jegadish, Chess Coach  
Cell : 73391 06210

## OUR SPECIAL GUESTS

<b>Mr. Atlas M. Nachimuthu</b> "Vastra Ratna" Award President - KDCA & Kangu Educational Trust, Chairman - ATLAS EXPORT, Karur.	<b>Mr. C. VIJAYA KUMAR</b> Chairmen, Star Group of Institution, Karur.	<b>Mr. NITHIN VIJAYA KUMAR</b> Secretary, Star School, Montessori & CBSE, Karur.
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