



(Affiliated to Maharashtra Chess Association)

PDCC/58/2025-26



Presents



Next Move Chess Tournament – Season 1

Our Motto:

Play for improvement, not prizes.

This is a practice-oriented Long format chess tournament consisting of **6 rounds with a 25+10 time control**, conducted across **6 balanced groups of 60 players** each to promote **quality and competitive play**. Players are requested to maintain proper notation, as the time control is sufficiently long.

6 Rounds
25 mins + **10** secs

ENTRY FEES
450 /-

Prize Fund
45,000 /-

Note: Players are requested to write notations, as the time control is long.



(If you want to learn notation writing, you can come to any of our branches and learn. No fees will be charged.)



SNBP International School || Bawdhan

Padmavati Hills Tower-1, Padmavati Hills,
Bawdhan, Pune



SUNDAY

08TH February, 2026

Age Groups

OPEN	UNDER 16	UNDER 13	UNDER 11	UNDER 09	UNDER 07
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Reporting Time: 8.45AM [8th February]			
ROUND 1	09.00 AM	ROUND 4	02.00 PM
ROUND 2	10.30 AM	ROUND 5	03.30 PM
ROUND 3	12.00 PM	ROUND 6	05.00 PM

TOURNAMENT RULES & REGULATIONS

- Latest FIDE rules are applicable
- Time Control: **25 mins plus 10 seconds per move**
- The default time will be **15 minutes**.
- In case of any Dispute Chief Arbiter's Decision will be Final
- Participants should carry their lunch with them. **(Canteen facility available)**
- Parking facility available**

Age Category Cut off:	
Under 7	Born on or After 01/01/2019
Under 9	Born on or After 01/01/2017
Under 11	Born on or After 01/01/2015
Under 13	Born on or After 01/01/2013
Under 16	Born on or After 01/01/2010
Veteran	Born on or before 01/01/1971

**Contact
for Any Queries**

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Prize Structure

OPEN		Under -16		Under -13		Under -11		Under -09		Under -07	
1	4000 + TROPHY	1	2500 + TROPHY								
2	2000 + TROPHY	2	1500 + TROPHY								
3	1500 + TROPHY	3	1000 + TROPHY								
4	1200 + MEDAL	4	800 + MEDAL	4	800 + MEDAL	4	800 + MEDAL	4	800 + MEDAL	4	800 + MEDAL
5	800 + MEDAL	5	600 + MEDAL								
6	500 + MEDAL	6	500 + MEDAL	6	500 + MEDAL	6	500 + MEDAL	6	500 + MEDAL	6	500 + MEDAL
7	MEDAL	7	MEDAL	7	MEDAL	7	MEDAL	7	MEDAL	7	MEDAL
8	MEDAL	8	MEDAL	8	MEDAL	8	MEDAL	8	MEDAL	8	MEDAL

BEST Female Player

OPEN	Under -16	Under -13	Under -11	Under -09	Under -07	Veteran
1 MEDAL	1 MEDAL	1 MEDAL	1 MEDAL	1 MEDAL	1 MEDAL	1 500 + M
2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL	2 MEDAL

Benefits of Writing Chess Notation in Tournaments

- Mandatory in Classical Tournaments** - Chess notation is required in most official and FIDE-rated tournaments.
- Accurate Game Records** - Players can replay and study their exact tournament games later.
- Better Post-Game Analysis** - Helps players understand mistakes, missed opportunities, and improve faster.
- Supports Arbiter Decisions** - Written scoresheets are official records used to resolve claims and disputes.
- Improves Time Management** - Encourages structured thinking and disciplined move execution.
- Develops Professional Playing Habits** - Prepares for district, state, national, & international events.
- Enhances Focus Under Pressure** - Writing moves keeps players attentive during long and competitive games.
- Coach & Trainer Advantage** - Coaches can give precise feedback using real tournament games.
- Builds Chess Discipline & Sportsmanship** - Promotes fair play and respect for tournament rules.
- Fifty-Move Rule & Threefold Repetition** - A draw may be claimed only if the moves are correctly recorded.

1. Long talk, Mobile phones and practice games are strictly prohibited in the tournament hall.
2. General discipline should be maintained at the tournament venue.
3. Date of Birth Certificates - For Age Category Players, a valid Photo ID/ Age proof is required
4. Parents are not allowed inside tournament hall at all times.
5. Incase of player entry cancellation, ₹100 shall be deducted as admin charges and rest of the entry fee shall be refunded. (valid till Tuesday 3rd February, 6pm- after that no refund on cancellation)
6. Prize money will be transferred online mode

REGISTRATION



ENTRY FEES
450 /-

Circle Chess Registration Link:

<https://circlechess.com/registration?id=49780>

Entry Fee Structure:

This entry fee structure is valid until 1st February 2026. From 2nd February 2026 to 6th February 2026 (6:00 PM), the entry fee will be ₹550, with an additional ₹100 applicable as a late fee.

Think Ahead. Play Smart. Make Your Next Move!

Limited entries – Register early!

CONTACT FOR REGISTRATION

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SNBP - Celebrating India's Game, Inspiring India's Future.

Under the aegis of Hockey India, SNBP proudly hosted India's premier Under-16 Boys .



SNBP Group has been hosting National Level U/16 Hockey Tournament since 2016. The 9th consecutive tournament hosted between 1st October to 7th October'25 attracted the participation of 24 top teams, with 600 young budding talented players from across the country. This year's most coveted winner's trophy was lifted by Round Glass Academy, Punjab while Naval Tata Grassroot Hockey Academy from Odisha was declared the Runner Up.



ADMISSIONS OPEN

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Upcoming Branches : Dhanori, Lohagaon, & Panvel - Mumbai

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8x8 Chess Academy, India

The **8x8 Chess Academy** is a prominent chess coaching institute in Pune, offering both online and offline (physical center) classes for various age groups and skill levels.



Programs and Services

8x8 Chess Academy provides a range of programs primarily for children, though they also offer individual classes for age 5 and above.

- Course Levels (Typically for ages 5-15):**
 - Beginner: A 6-month course to introduce young minds to chess and foster a love for the game.
 - Intermediate: An 8-month course focused on strategic thinking and tactical precision to prepare students for tournaments.
 - Advanced: Aimed at lifelong chess mastery for very strong players.
- Individual / 1-1 Classes (Age 5+):** Personalized chess growth sessions with one dedicated tutor for focused and customized learning.
- Tournaments and Events:** The academy is involved in organizing chess events, such as the "8x8's Pune International Speed Chess Festival."

Online Coaching: They utilize an advanced online coaching platform to provide interactive and personalized lessons worldwide, often focusing on children aged 5 to 15.

OFFLINE : Branches

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