



Smart Chess Academy 17th Tamil Nadu State Level Children & Open Chess Tournament Karur 2026

(TNSCA Approval No : CO-79/KAR/26-27)

(Under the aegis of TNSCA and KDCA)

Organized by

SMART CHESS ACADEMY. KARUR

Venue: Jairam Vidya bhavan Matric Hr. Sec. School, Karur-2

Date: 26/08/2026 (Wednesday)

Round 1 : 9.45 am on 26.08.2026

Inaugural Function : 9.00 am

Prize Distribution : 4.30 pm

20 & above entries through Academy or School will get **Shields**

7 CATEGORIES

OPEN,

**UNDER 08 BOYS, UNDER 08 GIRLS
UNDER 11 BOYS, UNDER 11 GIRLS
UNDER 14 BOYS, UNDER 14 GIRLS**

Total 239+ Prizes
All Players will get **Certificates + Medals**

Main Categories & Trophies	Born on or after	Main Categories & Trophies	Born on or after
Under 8 - Boys : 20 Cups	(01.01.2018)	Under 8 - Girls : 20 Cups	(01.01.2018)
All Under 6 Player will get Special Trophies (Born on or after 01.01.2020)			
Under 11 - Boys : 20 Cups	(01.01.2015)	Under 11 - Girls : 20 Cups	(01.01.2015)
Under 9 Boys in Under 11 : 10 Special Trophies		Under 9 Girls in Under 11 : 10 Special Trophies	
Under 14 - Boys : 20 Cups	(01.01.2012)	Under 14 - Girls : 20 Cups	(01.01.2012)
Under 12 Boys in Under 14 : 10 Special Trophies		Under 12 Girls in Under 14 : 10 Special Trophies	
Open (61 Prizes) (No Age Limit) Rs.25,000 Cash 44 Trophies	1. Rs.4000+T	2. Rs.3000+T	3. Rs.2500+T
	5. Rs.1800	6. Rs.1500	7. Rs.1200
	9. Rs.800	10. Rs.700	11 to 15 : Rs.550
	Best Women (26+)	1. Rs.500+T	Best Specially Challenged
	Best Men (40+)	1. Rs.500+T	2nd to 5th Special 12 Trophies
Under 25 Special Trophies : 10 Boys & 10 Girls (Born on or after 01.01.2001)			
Karur District 24 Prizes : 3 Special Trophies in U08,F08,U11,F11,U14,F14,Open Men,Open Women			
Best Supportive Award for Highest Entries to Academy/ School/College			

Entry Fee
For All Category
Rs. 400 /-

TNSCA Registration Fee for the Year (2026-2027)

Rs. 150 /-

KDCA Registration Fee for the Year (2026-2027)

(Only for Karur District Players)

Rs. 75 /-



Time Control
Each 20 minutes
Chief Arbiter
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Contact Organizer

R. Manigandan M.E.,
Senior National Arbiter, Certified Chess Coach

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Entry Fee can be paid through online at
signinchess.com, chessfee.com
chessentry.in, easypaychess.com
bookmyfee.com, circlechess.com,
ticket360.co.in/event

Bank Details

SMART CHESS ACADEMY- PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK
Current A/c No : 1808202100000336
IFSC : PUNB0180820 Branch : KARUR M.G. ROAD

Rules & Regulations

- This Tournament is Open to Tamil Nadu Players only. Mobile Phones & Watches are not allowed in the playing hall
- TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all players. TNSCA player registration fee is Rs. 150/- for the year 2026-2027. For TNSCA New Player Registration link : <https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/>
- The Latest FIDE Rapid Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss System will be followed
- **Time Control: Each Player 20 minutes.** First Round will be started at 9.45 am on 26.08.2026 (Wednesday)
- Number of Rounds, Round 1 pairing will be displayed on 26.08.2026 (Wednesday) after 8am in www.chess-results.com
- Strictly No Spot Entries. The players are requested to bring their own Chess set & Chess Clock if any
- Tie Breaks: Swiss tiebreak system will be applied. In case of Tie, Prizes will not be shared
- Chief Arbiter's decision will be the Final on all players concerned.
- **Last date for registration : 24.08.2026 before 10 pm**

Covid-19
Precaution
Wear Mask
Use
Sanitizer

KDCA Members

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Chief Guests

'Vastra Rathna' 'Kongu Maamani'

Mr. Atlas. M. NACHIMUTHU

President – Karur District Chess Association, President – Kongu Educational Trust Chairman – Atlas Export, Karur

Mr. V. VIJAYARAGAVAN

Vice President, Tamil Nadu State Chess Association

Dr. S. RAMESH

Joint Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Chess Association

Special Guests

Er. R. RAMASAMY

CHAIRMAN, JAIRAM EDUCATIONAL TRUST, KARUR

Mr. V.P. SELVARAJ

SECRETARY, KDCA

Dr. K.R. JAYAKRISHNA

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Mr. S. RAJA

TREASURER, KDCA

Mr. R. VISWANATHAN

PRINCIPAL, JAIRAM VIDYA BHAVAN MATRIC Hr Sec SCHOOL

Mr. R. JEGAN MOHAN

AMAX TROPHY, DINDIGUL

Tournament Organizing Committee Members

R. MANIGANDAN

ORGANIZER/SMART CHESS ACADEMY, KARUR

R. AYYAPPAN

VICE – PRESIDENT/SMART CHESS ACADEMY, KARUR

Venue : Walkable distance near Karur Round-Turn, Parking & Canteen Facilities are available