

THE CHEMBUR GYMKHANA

4th ALL INDIA FIDE RATING OPEN RAPID CHESS TOURNAMENT 2026



Event Code : 483633/MH(R)/2026

UNDER THE AEGIS OF **ALL INDIA CHESS FEDERATION**
MAHARASHTRA CHESS ASSOCIATION AND **MSDCA**

Total CASH PRIZE Fund Rs. 2,00,000/- + Trophies

On Sunday, 6th September 2026

Venue : The Chembur Gymkhana, 16th Road, Chembur (East), Mumbai - 400 071.

Free for GM, IM, WGM, WIM

**Entry
Fees
Rs. 1,000/-**

**1st Prize
Rs. 20,000/-
& Trophy**



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MAIN PRIZES		SUB CATEGORY PRIZES						SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES			
RANK	PRIZES	ELO RATING	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH		1ST	2ND	3RD
1	20000	1401-1450	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	VETAN (A 60)	2100	1700	1200
2	10000	1451-1500	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	WOMEN	2100	1700	1200
3	8000	1501-1550	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNRATED	2100	1700	1200
4	7000	1551-1600	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000				
5	5000	1601-1650	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	TROPHIES	BOYS	GIRLS	
6	4000	1651-1700	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNDER 7	3	2	
7	4000	1701-1750	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNDER 9	3	2	
8	3000	1751-1800	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNDER 11	3	2	
9	3000	1801-1850	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNDER 13	3	2	
10	3000	1851-1900	2000	1600	1000	1000	1000	UNDER 15	3	2	
11 TO 20 (EACH)	2500							Chembur Gymkhana Member (A 18)	3	2	
21 TO 30 (EACH)	1500							Chembur Gymkhana Member (U 18)	3	2	
31 TO 40 (EACH)	1200										

For registration click on this LINK: <https://circlechess.com/registration?id=50690>

Scanner for Registration



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TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **System of Play:** The Tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 9 Rounds.
2. **Time Control:** 10 Minutes + 5 Seconds increment from move 1 for entire game.
3. **Reporting Time:** All players should Report at 9.00 am. Tournament First round will start at 9.30 am.
4. **Tie Breaks:** In case of a tie, The following Tie Break Rules will be followed
 - i) Buchholz cut 1
 - ii) Buchholz
 - iii) SB
 - iv) Direct Encounter
 - v) Greater number of wins (including forfeit points)
 - vi) Greater number of wins with black
5. **Appeals Committee:** Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed by the organizers.
6. **Protest:** Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is up held otherwise amount will be forfeited
7. **AICF Registration** for 2026-2027 is Mandatory for players willing to participate. AICF Registration should be done before registration of tournament.
AICF new player registration link: <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>
AICF ID search Link: <https://prs.aicf.in/players>
8. For Maharashtra Players registration of MCA is Mandatory along with AICF registration.
MCA Registration Link
https://mcachess.in/Tournament_Registration/MCA_Registrations.php
9. **Refund Policy:**
Entry Canceled before or on 1st September 2026 will be refunded, After that Entry fees will not be refunded.

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10. **Interpretation:** For interpretation of the rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the Organiser shall be final and binding on all. The Organiser has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules, without notice. However, such changes/ or inclusion will be subject to AICF clearance.
11. **Withdrawal:** If any player withdraws from the tournament need to inform Chief arbiter in writing.
12. **Disqualification:** No prize winner will leave the venue before the Prize Distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. Otherwise their prize will be forfeited.
13. **Electronic Devices:** Those who are having mobile phones/electronic devises or wearing watches during their play will be declared lost.
14. **Accommodation:** Players will have to make their own arrangement for stay.
15. **SNACKS AND MEALS AVAILABLE ON PAYMENT BASIS**

FOR QUERIES CONTACT :

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IA SANDESH NAGARNAIK (TECHNICAL ARBITER) : 9820729867

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(TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR)

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