



GEAR

All India Open FIDE Rating Blitz Chess Tournament

AICF Event Code: 279140/KAR(B)/2022

UKCA Event Code: UKCA/R002/2022

Organized by Innovators Chess Academy on April 14, 2022 at GEAR Innovative International School, Bangalore. Register before April 12 on www.icachess.in

Total Prize fund: Rs 2,00,000. Entry fee: Rs 1,000/-

Event Details and Round Schedule

GEAR Innovative International School will host the All India Open FIDE Rating Rapid Chess Tournament on April 14, 2022 at its premises. The Event will be organized by Innovators Chess Academy

Round 1	2 pm	Round 8	4.40 pm
Round 2	2.20 pm	Round 9	5 pm
Round 3	2.40 pm	Round 10	5.30 pm
Round 4	3.10 pm	Round 11	5.50 pm
Round 5	3.30 pm	Round 12	6.10 pm
Round 6	3.50 pm	Round 13	6.30 pm
Round 7	4.20 pm		

Prize Distribution after the final Round on April 14, 2022.

Note: Attendance is mandatory at the Prize Distribution to receive the Prize

COVID-19 – STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES:

All necessary precautions and the standard Operating Procedures with respect to COVID-19 must be followed strictly.

Wearing mask is compulsory, hands must be sanitized, and social distance has to be maintained.

Prize Structure Main Prizes

1 st Prize	Rs 24000
2 nd Prize	Rs 19000
3 rd Prize	Rs 15000
4 th Prize	Rs 13000
5 th Prize	Rs 11000
6 th Prize	Rs 10000
7 th Prize	Rs 8000
8 th Prize	Rs 7000
9 th Prize	Rs 6000
10 th Prize	Rs 5000
11 th to 20 th Prizes	Rs 4000 each
21 st to 25 th Prizes	Rs 3000 each

Category Prizes – Unrated to 1200, 1201-1500

1 st Prize	Rs 5000
2 nd Prize	Rs 4000
3 rd Prize	Rs 3000
Best Female	Rs 3000

Prize Money will be transferred online within a week from the date of completion of the Event.

Age Category Prizes – Trophies

Under 10 Top 3 Boys and Girls (born on or after 01-01-2012)

Under 13 Top 3 Boys and Girls (born on or after 01-01-2009)

Registration

Entry fee is Rs 1000. Register on www.icachess.in. Entry fee is free for GMs and IMs.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Entry fee is strictly Non-refundable

- System of Play - The latest FIDE Rules in force shall apply and the SWISS system will be followed.
- Mode of Tournament - Total Thirteen rounds shall be played.
- Tie Break - Buchholz tie Break system will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.
- Time Control - 3 Minutes each with 2 seconds increment from move number one.
- AICF Player Registration - AICF registration is compulsory. AICF Registration fee is Rs.250/- for the year 2022-2023. As per latest AICF regulation dated 31.07.2017, it is informed that from 01st September 2017, all AICF player registrations will be accepted only through online. Player's registration should be done well before the start of event.
 1. Existing Registration -For existing players please go to your player page in <http://aicf.in/players> and click on extend membership
 2. New (Fresh) Registration – <http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/> For fresh AICF player registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address (unique) not used by any other person/ player for AICF player registration. Note: Only passport size (less than 1MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

- Protests - Protests if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with protest fee of Rs.1000/-within 5 minutes after completion of the game to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.
- Appeals Committee – Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee comprising of five members, will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decision will be final and binding on all the players concerned.
- Withdrawals - A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the chief arbiter in writing.
- Chief Arbiter - Mr. Vasanth B H (International Arbiter)
- Players qualified for more than one prizes will be considered only for higher prize.
- Participation certificate in the form of E-Certificates will be awarded to all the participants. Merit Certificates will be awarded to all Prize winners during the Prize Distribution.

Venue Address:

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