

Welcome to the city of Temples Jammu (J&K)
First ever category National in J&K

XXI NATIONAL UNDER-17 Boys & Girls CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP-2010

At

Jammu (J&K)

3rd to 11th Nov 2010

Organized by
All J&K Chess Association



On behalf of
All India Chess Federation

Venue & Date:

The tournament will be held at Heritage School Sector -D Sainik Colony Jammu From 3rd to 11th Nov 2010.

Schedule

Arrival : 02 nd Nov 2010 at Nek Hotel below	Gummat Jammu
Registration of players with late fee	: 02 nd Nov, 2010 till 9 p.m.
Inauguration	: 03rd Nov 2010 at 10.00 A.M.
Managers Meeting	: 03 rd Nov, after inauguration.
3 rd November 2010 Wednesday	: Round 1 03.00 p.m.
4 th November 2010 Thursday	: Round 2 03.00 p.m
5 th November 2010 Friday	: Round 3 09.00 a.m
5 th November 2010 Friday	: Round 4 03.00 p.m
6 th November 2010 Saturday	: Round 5 03.00 p.m
7 th November 2010 Sunday	: Round 6 09.00 a.m
7 th November 2010 Sunday	: Round 7 03.00 p.m
8 th November 2010 Monday	: Round 8 03.00 p.m
9 th November 2010 Tuesday	: Round 9 03.00 p.m
10 th November 2010 Wednesday	: Round 10 03.00 p.m
11 th November 2010 Thursday	: Round 11 08.00 a.m
Prize Distribution Function	: 3:30 P.M.

Lodging:

Free Dormitory accommodation will be provided to all official participants (ordinary entries) and one accompanying official (Manager) nominated by the concerned state association for each state from 3rd to 11th November 2010. All other accompanying persons should make their own arrangements for stay. Parents may be provided ordinary dormitory lodging arrangement with a payment of Rs.1, 000/- each for the whole duration.

Hotel Accommodation:

Ordinary Double bed Rs.2000/- for the entire tournament (2nd to 11th Nov 2010).
AC Double bed Rs.5000/- for the entire tournament (2nd to 11th Nov 2010).

Zero Minute Rules:

Zero Tolerance: The "zero tolerance" rules will be followed (i.e.): "Any player who arrives at the chessboard after the start of the session shall lose the game. Thus the default time is zero minutes. "

Age limit: Players born on or after 01-01-1993.

Age Proof: Each participant must produce a valid certificate to prove his/her age. **Certificates from Schools are not enough.** Certificates should preferably be from the Panchayat, Municipality or Corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without date of birth certificates will not be allowed to participate.

**** The date of birth certificates registered within one year of the birth of the child alone will be recognized and allowed to participate. No state association shall recommend any player who doesn't come under the above criteria. Any player who is aggrieved by this stipulation can appeal to AICF with proper documentary proof and the AICF's decision in this regard will be FINAL and BINDING.**

If any doubt arises about the claimed age of a player, the Tournament Committee has the right to refer the player during the championship for a due evaluation of age by competent medical experts. A player, if declared over-age by such experts, shall not continue in the championship and shall be reported to AICF. Protest about the age of players may be made to the Chief Arbiter in writing along with a fee of Rs.1, 000/- per player. This will not be refunded. **No protest about over age of a player will be entertained after 2nd round of the championship.**

Only the Coach or Manager deputed by participating State Chess Association can lodge such protests. The Tournament Committee has the right to decide the day, time and place for such medical evaluation of age. AICF / organizers will have the right to refer any player to the medical evaluation of age at any time during the tournament. Players refusing to take the test as decided by the Tournament Committee shall be deemed to have failed the test and shall be disqualified from the Championship.

Eligibility: Subject to age limit the following players can participate

- a) In each category, two players from each affiliated State Association of the AICF can take part. If any Association fails to send its full quota, the vacancies so caused shall not be filled.
 - b) Top four players each from 2009 National U-17 Boys & Girls Chess Championships are eligible to participate as seeded players in respective categories.
 - c) The top two players from 2009 National Under-15 (Open & Girls) Chess Championships are eligible to participate as seeded players in their respective categories.
 - d) Players who won the 2009 National Under-13 (Open & Girls) Chess Championships can play in respective categories.
 - e) The winner and Runner-up of 2009 National U-17 Girls Championship and the Champion of 2009
 - f) National Sub-junior Girls Championship are eligible to play as seeded players in open category.
 - g) The host Association is entitled to field one additional player in each category.
 - h) The Hon. Secretary, All India Chess Federation can nominate one player in each category.
 - i) Any player who remits the Special Entry fee of Rs.4, 000/- Such entries must come through the concerned State Chess Association.
 - j) Current World Champion in any age group category.
 - k) Current World No.2 & No.3 in Under-16 & Under-18 category.
 - l) Current Asian Under-16 & 18 Champions.
 - m) Current Asian No.2 & No.3 in Under-18 category.
 - n) Current National Champion in any higher category.
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- ✓ Two players from areas where no State Chess Association exists. Such players should write to Mr.D.V.Sundar, Hon. Secretary, All India Chess Federation, Room No.70, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai-600 003 (Tamil Nadu) to get entry.
 - ✓ In the event of the total number of entries being odd in a category, then the host Association may add one more entry to make it an even number.
 - ✓ In addition to the above, the following States can field additional seats, as their players had won Gold, Silver and Bronze medals in the previous National Under-17 Chess Championships:

- ✓ Open: Orissa: 5 (Gold & Silver Medal last year); Tamil Nadu: 1 (Bronze Medal last year);
- ✓ Girls: Tamil Nadu: 3 (Gold Medal last year); Goa: 2 (Silver Medal last year); Jharkhand: 1 (Bronze Medal last year).
- ✓ All IMs are seeded in Open section and all WIMs are seeded in girls section subject to age Limit.

Prizes: Total Prize Fund: **Rs.1, 25, 000/-**

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RS.62, 500/- EACH		
	BOYS	GIRLS
1	Rs.15, 000/-	Rs.15, 000/-
2	10, 000/-	10, 000/-
3	8, 000/-	8, 000/-
4	6, 000/-	6, 000/-
5	5, 000/-	5, 000/-
6	4, 000/-	4, 000/-
7	3, 000/-	3, 000/-
8	2, 500/-	2, 500/-
9	2, 000/-	2, 000/-
10	2, 000/-	2, 000/-
11	1, 000/-	1, 000/-
12	1, 000/-	1, 000/-
13	1, 000/-	1, 000/-
14	1, 000/-	1, 000/-
15	1, 000/-	1, 000/-

Championship trophy for the champions of both groups.

Entry Fee: **Ordinary: Rs.1, 000/- Special: Rs.4, 000/-**

There will be 50% Concession in entry fee for participants from North Eastern States, Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

All entries, be it regular or donor, should be routed through respective State Associations. However, AICF reserves the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason thereof.

Entries shall be received on or before 25th Oct 2010. The entries along with the entry fee by DD drawn in favor of All J&K Chess Association and payable at Jammu & entry shall be sent to Mr. Baldev Raj, Secretary (All J&K Chess Association) Nek Hotel, Below Gummat, Jammu (J&K) Pin – 180001
Mobile No: 094191-82197

After 25th Oct 2010, a late fee Rs. 250/- will be charged till 30th October 2010. No entries will be entertained after 30th October 2010.

System of play:

The Championship shall be played under the FIDE Laws of Chess. There will be eleven rounds. The time control is 90 minutes for each player for the entire game with 30 seconds increment per move from move number one (or in the absence of DGTs 2 Hours each straight finish).

Chess Clocks:

Each participating Association must provide at least two DGT chess clocks in working order for every four players entered in the Championship.

Tie Break:

Buchholz tie break system will be applied.

Tournament Committee:

AICF or its representative, two members from different participating associations, Secretary and two members of the All J&K Chess Association will constitute the Tournament Committee

Protests:

Protests, if any against the decision of the Chief Arbiter, shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.500/- **within 30 minutes** of the occurrence of the incident. The amount shall be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

Appeals Committee:

Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member Appeals Committee shall be formed by the AICF/ organizers. All the members and Reserves shall be from the different States. No member of the Committee can vote on Dispute in which a player from his own state is involved and in such case the reserves shall take his place in the committee.

Disqualification:

No participant shall leave the venue before the prize distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. Participants disregarding this rule are liable to be placed under suspension for one year.

Interpretation:

For interpretation of the Rule(s) and for deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the tournament committee shall be final and binding on all. The tournament committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules, without notice. Such changes shall, however, be displayed in the tournament hall.

Registration of players:

AICF Registration is compulsory for all participants, if not already done. Participants should submit the forms (available at the venue) with photograph and Rs. 250/- for Registration *for the year 2010-2011*.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS PLEASE CONTACT:

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ENTRY FORM

To,
Mr. Baldev Raj
Secretary (All J&K Chess Association)
National U-17 Boys and Girls Chess Championship-2010
Jammu (J&K)

Dear Sir,

Kindly enroll the following players for National Under 17 Chess Championship. The Entry Fee has been paid by D.D. favoring "All J&K Chess Association"

Sr.No.	Name of Player / Manager	Date of Birth	Place where Payment made
1.
2.
3.
4.
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We understand that the Championship is held only for AICF Registered Players. All Team Members will abide by the Rules & Regulations of AICF.

SECRETARY

Place: State Chess Association

Date:

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