

Xth NATIONAL CITIES CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

From 11 to 15 February, 2007.

at

**JAWAHARLAL NEHRU STADIUM,
CHENNAI-600003.**

Organised by

T NAGAR CHESS ACADEMY

In Association with

MOUNT CHESS ACADEMY



Under the Aegis of

KANCHI DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION

&

TAMILNADU STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION



On behalf of



ALL INDIA CHESS FEDERATION

Prize Fund: 55, 000/-

PRIZES:

1st Prize:	Rs. 20.000/-	4th Prize:	Rs. 6,000/-
2nd Prize:	Rs. 15.000/-	5th Prize:	Rs 4,000/-
3rd Prize:	Rs 10,000/-		

Last Date of Entry: 06th Feb-2007

VENUE & DATE:

The championship will be held at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai-600003. Tamilnadu from **11th to 15th February, 2007**. This stadium is within 10 minutes walking distances from Chennai Central Railway Station.

SCHEDULE:

Arrival : **11th February**
Manager's meeting : **11th February at 3:00 PM**
Inauguration : **11th February 3:30 P.M.**

Round 1:	11th February 2007	4.00 P.M. to 8.00 P.M.
Round 2:	12th February 2007	9.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M.
Round 3:	12th February 2007	2.30 P.M. to 6.30 P.M..
Round 4:	13th February 2007	9.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M
Round 5:	13th February 2007	2.30 P.M. to 6.30 P.M..
Round 6:	14th February 2007	9.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M..
Round 7:	14th February 2007	2.30 P.M. to 6.30 P.M..
Round 8:	15th February 2007	9.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M.

Prize Distribution: **15th February 2007 3:00.P.M**
Departure: **15th February**

LODGING: Free dormitory lodging will be provided from 11th to 15th February 2007 at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai-600003 to players and to one accompanying official. All are requested to bring their beddings .All other accompanying persons will have to make their own arrangements for their stay.

Eligibility: **The National Cities Team Championship is open to all Cities**

Team Composition: **4 Players plus 1 reserve.**

REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS: All the participants who participate in the National Championship should get their names registered with AICF. Registration forms will be available at the venue on payment of RS.250/- for the year 2006-07. Those already registered should produce Proof. No unregistered player will be entitled to participate in this National

ENTRY FEES: **RS.2400/- per team should reach**

Mr. A.L.Kasi,
The Organising Secretary,
Xth National Cities Chess Championship,
2,Guild Street, TNagar
Chennai-600017

on or before 06th February 2007 by D.D. drawn in favour of T.Nagar Chesss Academy payable at Chennai. Late entries will be accepted with a late fee of Rs. 250/- per team till 10th February, 2007.No Entry will be entertained after 10th February, 2007.

TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS`

The Championship shall be played under the laws of "Chess and FIDE Swiss Rules. **Totally Eight rounds shall be played unless otherwise decided by the Tournament committee** before the commencement of the Championship. The time control will be 90 minutes for each player for the entire game with increment of 30 seconds from the first move. However, the tournament committee has the right to change the above timings or the number of rounds before the commencement of the first round. **The Winning Team will qualify to represent India at their own cost in the Asian Cities Chess Championship to be held at Tehran, Iran from 1st to 10th March 2007**

CHESS CLOCKS: Each participating team must provide at least two DGT chess clocks in working order for every four players entered by them in Championship

TIE BREAK: Latest tie breaking rules will be applied.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE: A Tournament Committee consisting of the Chief Arbiter, Hon. Secretary of AICF or his representative, and the Secretary and two members of the host Association shall be constituted before the commencement of the tournament.

PROTESTS: Protests, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter, shall be made in writing with protest fee: of RS.1000/-within one hour of the occurrence of the incident. The amount shall be refunded if the appeal is upheld

APPEALS COMMITTEE: Before the commencement of the Championship a five member Committee of Appeal with two reserves shall be formed from amongst the senior participants and officials present at the Managers' meeting to be held at the venue on the Inaugural day. All the five members and reserves shall be from different Cities. No member of the committee can vote on a dispute in which a player from his own unit is involved and in such case the reserve member(s) shall take his / their place in the committee.

DISQUALIFICATION: No participant will leave the venue before the prize distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. The participants disregarding this rule will be suspended for one year.

INTERPRETATION: For interpretation of Rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by rules, the decision of the tournament committee shall be final and binding. The tournament committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules without prior notice. However, such changes will be displayed at the championship venue.

The Organisers reserve the right to admit or reject any entry without assigning reason thereof and also reserve the rights of admission to the Tournament Hall and lodging places.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE:

Shri D.V.Sundar	Hon.Secretary,	All India Chess Federation
Shri Manuel Aaron	Gen. secretary	Tamilnadu State Chess Association
Shri V.Ravichandran	Hon Secretary	Mount Chess Academy
Shri.M.Muthu Kumar	Hon.Secretary	Kanchi District Chess Association
Shri S.Srinivasa Rangan	Joint Secretary	T.Nagar Chess Academy

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TNSCA Website : www.tamilchess.com**

Previous National Cities Chess Champions

	<u>Year</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Champion</u>
1	1989	Calicut	Bombay
2	1991	Cochin	Jamshedpur
3	1993	Madras	Neyveli
4	1995	Nagpur	Mumbai
5	1996	Neyveli	Neyveli
6	1998	Bhopal	Chromepet
7	1999	Nagpur	Calcutta
8	2002	Lucknow	Delhi
9	2003	Vijayawada	Kanchi
10	2007	Chennai	?????