



SRI M.S.VENKATARAMAN MEMORIAL
8th INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT 2023
AICF Event code: 340425/TN/2023
TNSCA Approval No.RO-07/CGL/2023-24

Organised By:-**MOUNT CHESS ACADEMY**

Under the Aegis of:-**AICF/TNSCA & CGDCA**

at

NEWPRINCE SHRI BHAVANI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY
Vengaivasal Main Road, Sembakkam, Chennai, Tamil Nadu 600073

From 21st to 24th October 2023

Total Prize Fund: Rs. 500000/- (5 Lakhs)

Prizes: 1st Prize Rs. 50, 000/- + Trophy
4th Prize Rs. 25, 000/-
7th Prize Rs.10, 000/-;
10th Prize Rs.6, 000/-;

2nd Prize Rs.40, 000/-; **3rd Prize Rs.30, 000/-;**
5th Prize Rs. 20, 000/-; **6th Prize Rs. 15, 000/-;**
8th Prize Rs. 8,000/-; **9th Prize Rs.7, 000/-;**
11th Prize to 20th Prize Rs 5000 each

Category Prizes:

Rating 1800-1601: _	1)10,000, 2)8,000, 3)6,000, 4)4,000	5th to 8th 3,000each
Rating 1600-1401: _	1)10,000, 2)8,000, 3)6,000, 4)4,000	5th to 8th 3,000each
Rating 1400-1201: _	1)10,000, 2)8,000, 3)6,000, 4)4,000	5th to 8th 3,000each
Rating 1200-1001: _	1)10,000, 2)8,000, 3)6,000, 4)4,000	5th to 8th 3,000each
Unrated:-	1)10,000, 2)8,000, 3)6,000, 4)4,000	5th to 8th 3,000each
Veterans above 55 Years:-	1)6,000, 2)5,000, 3) 4000, 4) 3000 5)3000	
Woman above 18 Years: _	1)6,000, 2)5,000, 3) 4,000 4)3000	

Top SIX in Boys and Girls- Under 08, 10, 12, 14, 18 will get Trophies

Entry Fee: Free for GMs,WGMs,IMs,WIMs & Rs. 2500- for Others

Last date for entry: 17.10.2023. NO SPOT ENTRIES ALLOWED

Arrival: 21.10.2023. First Round on 21.10.2023 at 10.30 A.M & Departure: 24.10.2023 at 6.30 P.M

Round Schedule

21.10.2023 (Saturday)	Inauguration @ 09.30 A.M	
21.10.2023 (Saturday)	Round 1 – 10.30 A.M.	Round 2– 04.00 P.M
22.10.2023 (Sunday)	Round 3 – 09.00 A.M.	Round 4 – 03.00 P.M.
23.10.2023 (Monday)	Round 5 – 09.00 A.M.	Round 6 – 03.00 P.M.
24.10.2023 (Tuesday)	Round 7 – 08.30 A.M.	Round 8 – 01.30 P.M.
Prize Distribution – 24.10.2023 (Tuesday) at 5.30 pm. Departure 6.30 P.M.		

Rules and Regulations

Rule: The tournament will be played under the latest FIDE rules.

Mode of Tournament: Total 8 Rounds shall be played

Rate of Play: 90 minutes each, plus 30 seconds increment per move from move one.

AICF player Registration: AICF Player registration is compulsory for all players. AICF Player Registration fee is Rs 300/- for the year 2023-2024. As per latest AICF regulations all AICF registrations will be accepted only through online. Players/Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of the Tournament. For renewing AICF Registration of existing players please click <http://aicf.in/players/>.

For fresh AICF Registration please click <http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/>

For fresh AICF 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, ready before the registration process. Note: Only passport size (less than 1MB) photograph in jpeg format should be uploaded

TNSCA Player Registration: TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all players. TNSCA player registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2023 – 2024. Players registering with TNSCA should submit duly filled and signed TNSCA Players Registration form along with a copy of their Date of Birth certificate and one passport size photograph.

Chengalpattu Player Registration: **Registration fee is Rs.75/- for the year 2023 – 2024 (for Chengalpattu district players only)**

Tie-break: Latest AICF tie-break rules will be applied. In case of tie Prize money will not be shared

Protests: Protests, 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 to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

Appeals Committee: An Appeals Committee comprising of five members will be formed at the players meeting. The decision of the appeals committee is final and binding on all players concerned.

Withdrawals: A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

Wrist Watches: **AICF has banned the wrist watches while playing in FIDE Rated events. Players are instructed not to wear wrist watches while playing.**

Chief Arbiter: **IA Seshadri K.R**

Boarding: Players responsibility – Canteen facility is available at venue on nominal charges

Lodging: Players responsibility

Entry Fee: Free for GMs, WGMs, IMs, WIMs,
Rs. 2500 for others

Entry fee to be paid by Online through Bank:-City Union Bank, Name of the account: - The Mount Chess Academy, Current Account No:-510909010098071 IFSC Code: - CIUB0000104 Branch: - Nanganallur

For further details Contact:

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ENTRY FORM

1. FIDE ID Number

2. NAME

3. AICF ID

4. Address:

5. Date of Birth:

6. Male/Female

8. Mobile/Telephone:

9. Email

10. AICF Registration: Fee enclosed/Registration proof enclosed.

Crossed Demand Draft/Chennai Cheque No. _____ for Rs. _____ in favour of
Mount Chess Academy drawn on _____ Bank is enclosed.

Date:

Place:

Signature

**Entry fees can also be paid by online through
www.easypaychess.com
www.chessfee.com & signinchess.com**

Last date for entry: 17.10.2023