



“Vallalar” – 1st Open Rapid FIDE Rating Chess Tournament-2023

AICF Event Code: **307073/TN(R)/2022** & TNSCA Approval No: **RFR-19/CUD/22-23**
 Cuddalore DCA Event Code : **CUD/17/22-23**

Organized by:

Lesunathan Chess Academy, Neyveli

(Under the Aegis of All India Chess Federation, Tamil Nadu State Chess Association & Cuddalore District Chess Association)

Date: 14-01-2023 –Saturday (One day only)

Venue : Vallalar Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Kullanchavadi road, Kollukarankuttai, Marungur-Post., Panruti-taluk, Cuddalore-District, Neyveli, Tamil Nadu 607103

Prizes: Total Cash Prizes: Rs. 2,00,000/- (Two Lakh Only)

Main Prizes:				Rating Slab Prize (3 Prizes each) (0-1100),(0-1200), (0-1300),(0-1400), (0-1500),(0-1600), (0-1700),(0-1800), (0-1900),(0-2000)	
1 st	Rs.16,000/- + Trophy	11 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	1 st	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy
2 nd	Rs.14,000/- + Trophy	12 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	2 nd	Rs.1,300/- + Trophy
3 rd	Rs.12,000/- + Trophy	13 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	3 rd	Rs.1,100/- + Trophy
4 th	Rs.10,000/- + Trophy	14 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	Cuddalore District Players (All Players)	
5 th	Rs.7,500/- + Trophy	15 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	1 st	Rs.3,000/- + Trophy
6 th	Rs. 6,000/- + Trophy	16 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	2 nd	Rs.2,500/- + Trophy
7 th	Rs. 5,000/- + Trophy	17 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	3 rd	Rs.2,000/- + Trophy
8 th	Rs. 4,000/- + Trophy	18 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	4 th	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy
9 th	Rs.3,000/- + Trophy	19 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	5 th	Rs.1,300/- + Trophy
10 th	Rs. 2,000/- + Trophy	20 th	Rs.1,700/- + Trophy	6 th to 20 th	Rs.1,100/- + Trophy each
Category Prizes Common		Cuddalore District Players		Divyang Players (All Disabilities)	
Age 08 Boys (5)	Age 08 Girls (5)	Age 08 Boys (5)	Age 08 Girls (5)	1 st	Rs.3,000/- + Trophy
Age 10 Boys (5)	Age 10 Girls (5)	Age 10 Boys (5)	Age 10 Girls (5)	2 nd	Rs.2,500/- + Trophy
Age 12 Boys (5)	Age 12 Girls (5)	Age 12 Boys (5)	Age 12 Girls (5)	3 rd	Rs.2,100/- + Trophy
Age 15 Boys (5)	Age 15 Girls (5)	Age 15 Boys (5)	Age 15 Girls (5)	4 th	Rs.1,800/- + Trophy
1 st	Rs.600/- + Trophy	1 st	Only Trophy	5 th	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy
2 nd	Rs.600/- + Trophy	2 nd	Only Trophy	Youngest Boy (1) : Rs.1,400/- + Trophy	
3 rd	Rs.600/- + Trophy	3 rd	Only Trophy	Youngest Girl (1) : Rs.1,400/- + Trophy	
4 th	Rs.600/- + Trophy	4 th	Only Trophy		
5 th	Rs.600/- + Trophy	5 th	Only Trophy		

Tournament Schedule : Reporting Time :08:00 A.M.

**Rounds : 07
(Seven)**

No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

**The last date of entry:
10-01-2023 - 05:00 P.M.**

14-01-2023	Saturday	10:00 A.M.	Round 1
14-01-2023	Saturday	11:00 A.M.	Round 2
14-01-2023	Saturday	12:01 P.M.	Round 3
14-01-2023	Saturday	02:00 P.M.	Round 4
14-01-2023	Saturday	03:00 P.M.	Round 5
14-01-2023	Saturday	04:00 P.M.	Round 6
14-01-2023	Saturday	05:00 P.M.	Round 7
14-01-2023	Saturday	06:30 P.M.	PD Ceremony

Time Control: 15 minutes each with 10 seconds increment

Only Paid Entries will be entertained No SMS, No Whatsapp ,
No E-mail Entries will be accepted.

Round 1 pairing will be displayed in Chess-results.com 14.01.2023 @
08:00 A.M.

All Players : Rs. 1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand Only)
&
for Cuddalore Players Rs.800/- (Rupees Eight Hundred Only)

Participation Certificate: All Players will get participation certificates.

System of Play

The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 07 (Seven) Rounds.

Tie Break : Latest FIDE Tie Breaks will be followed .

In the event of tie the cash prizes will not be shared.

Ban on Electronic devices and Wrist watch

All electronic items including Mobile Phones and wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall.

No Accommodation will be provided.

GENERAL INFORMATION

AICF Registration

All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2022 – 2023 before the registration deadline to participate in the tournament. Those who not registered with AICF are required to do AICF registration online at <https://prs.aicf.in/players> before sending their entry.

Protest

Protest, if any against the decision of the Chief Arbiter, shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.500/- within 15 Minutes of the completion of the game. The amount shall be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

Covid Protocol

1. All players are required to mandatorily adhere the Covid Protocol issued by Government of India/Government of Tamil Nadu at the time of tournament.
2. Any symptomatic players will be removed from the tournament as precaution. All players are obliged to obey this rule and no protest can be made against this decision of organizing committee on this.
3. Players are obliged to undergo random RT PCR/Antigen Test conducted by the organizing committee.
4. All the players should be compulsorily vaccinated before the tournament.
5. All Officials and Arbiters will be fully vaccinated.
6. Sanitization of Chess Board and Chess pieces will be carried out at regular intervals.
7. Parents and accompanying persons are not allowed inside tournament hall at all times.
8. Due to any unforeseen scenario, if the event needs to be cancelled, then TNSCA's obligation is limited to refunding the entry fee paid by the players.
9. By enrolling for the events, the players abide by all the terms and conditions of the tournament for participation

Withdrawals:

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

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.

Disqualification :


No Participants will leave the venue before the prize distribution function without the permission of the chief Arbiter.

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 tournament Venue.

Players can also pay the entry fee directly to the following account through NEFT and forward the entry form along with transaction receipt.

Please note that cash deposit in account will not be entertained.

Account Name	Lesunathan Chess Academy	Scan and Pay 
Bank	UCO Bank , Neyveli	
Bank Account No	29240110022252	
Bank Address	Neyveli, Cuddalore, TN	
IFSC Code	UCBA0002924	

For Further Details :

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Mrs. Kanagarani N - 95247 69843	Mr.Anandh Babu VL - 98942 78402
Mr.Bhaskar V - 95512 49204	Mr.Pragadesh P - 94427 76466
Mr. Shakthivel M - 95977 20700	Mr.Shanmugam C - 99431 47227
Mr. Ganesh Babu S - 99445 64728	Mr. Selvamanikandan S-87548 67744

Email for any enquiry : lesunathanchessacademy@gmail.com

Entry Fee can be paid at

www.chessfee.com , www.easypaychess.com, www.signinchess.com and
www.cbchessportal.co.in

Tournament Committee & Advisory Committee

Mr. Anantharaja GG Vice-President-TNSCA Mr. Bhaskaran M – CFPD Secretary Mr.Balaraman , Jt Secy TNSCA Mr. Senthil Vel – Jt Secy TNSCA Mr. Abdul Nazer – JtSecy , TNSCA Mr. R.K.Balagunashekharan- Jt. Secy,TNSCA Mr. Vijayaragavan V – Jt Secretary , TNSCA Mr. Pragadesh P – Madurai GM Athens Organizer Mr. Murugan K – Lesunathan Chess Academy Mrs. Kanagarani N – Lesunathan Chess Academy	Mr. Sekar S – President, Cuddalore District CA Mr.Pandiyan R- Secretary, Cuddalore District CA Mr.Roobavel S- Treasurer,Cuddalore District CA Mr. Dhenagaran B – Secretary , TDCA Mr. Arun N – Secretary, Salem District CA Mr.Silambarasan , Secretary, Thanjavur DCA Dr. Ramesh S – Secretary , Erode District CC Mr. Gnanasekaran N – Secy , Namakkal DCF Mr. ShanmugamC, Karur, AURO Chess Club Mr. Muthukumarasamy NK, Namakkal
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Vallalar Group of Institutions



Vallalar Matric Higher Secondary School, Kollukarankuttai
Vallalar College of Education, Kollukarankuttai and Vallalar V Kids

Resource Person :

Mr.Natarajan K – Correspondent and Mr. Thirumalavavan T – Chairman

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