

# 30<sup>th</sup> TAMILNADU STATE UNDER - 11 OPEN AND GIRLS FIDE RATED CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP – 2017

For Shree Gurukulam & Amaze Chess Academy Trophy  
(AICF Event Code : 159055/TN/2017 & TNSCA Approval No. S03/ERO/17-18)



Organized by

Erode District Chess Circle (Reg.)



& Amaze Chess Academy



On behalf of  
TAMIL NADU STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION  
from 28<sup>th</sup> April to 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017



Venue: Shree Gurukulam Higher Secondary School,  
Moolavaikkal, Karattadipalayam (PO), Gobichettipalayam - 638 453. Erode (Dt).  
Website : [www.shreegurukulam.org](http://www.shreegurukulam.org)

Tournament Schedule		
Arrival	28.04.2017	
Managers Meeting and Inauguration	28.04.2017	09.30 A.M.
1 <sup>st</sup> Round	28.04.2017	11.00 A.M.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Round	28.04.2017	04.00 P.M.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Round	29.04.2017	09.00 A.M.
4 <sup>th</sup> Round	29.04.2017	02.30 P.M.
5 <sup>th</sup> Round	30.04.2017	09.00 A.M.
6 <sup>th</sup> Round	30.04.2017	02.30 P.M.
7 <sup>th</sup> Round	01.05.2017	09.00 A.M.
8 <sup>th</sup> Round	01.05.2017	02.30 P.M.
9 <sup>th</sup> Round	02.05.2017	09.00 A.M.
Prize Distribution	02.05.2017	03.00 P.M.

**Normal Entry Fee: Rs. 400/- Special Entry Fee: Rs. 800/-**

**Total Cash Prize : Rs. 24,000/- (Rs. 12000/- for Boys & Rs. 12000/- for Girls)**

Prizes	1	2	3	4	5	6 to 10
Boys	Rs. 3000/-	Rs. 2400/-	Rs. 1800/-	Rs. 1400/-	Rs. 900/-	Rs. 500/-
Girls	Rs. 3000/-	Rs. 2400/-	Rs. 1800/-	Rs. 1400/-	Rs. 900/-	Rs. 500/-

**\*\* Please note that only players who take part in this State Championship will be permitted to represent Tamil Nadu has selected /special entries in the forth coming National U-11 Chess Championship for Boys and Girls. Hence Participation in this State Championship is COMPULSORY \*\***

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

Age Limit	<b>Players should have <u>been born on or after 1.1.2006.</u></b>
Eligibility	Age proof is required. Certificate should be from the Panchayat/Municipality or corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without the date of birth certificate will not be allowed to participate. As per the rules of AICF, only players whose dates of birth are registered within one year of their birth are permitted to take part in respective age group state/nationals. Other country passport holders shall not be allowed to participate in the State Chess Championship. Only Tamil Nadu Players Can participate this championship
Boarding & Lodging	Unfurnished dormitory type of lodging will be provided to seeded/selected players and one manager per team at college campus. (Nominated by the district association). Players are requested to bring their own beddings. Canteen facilities are available on payment basis at the school premises itself. All special entries and accompanying persons have to arrange accommodation of their own.
Registration of Participants with AICF	All the participants of 30 <sup>th</sup> Tamil Nadu State Under - 11 Open and Girls Chess Championship – 2017 must be registered with All India Chess Federation. Those who are already registered with AICF must produce proof thereof. The AICF player registration fee for the year 2017-2018 is Rs. 250/-. Players who have already paid must show the proof of the same. Entries without AICF registration fee will be rejected.
Registration of Participants with TNSCA	All the participants of 30 <sup>th</sup> Tamil Nadu State Under - 11 Open and Girls Chess Championship – 2017 must be registered with TNSCA by paying Rs. 150/- as player registration fee for the year 2017-2018, the players have to submit their Date of Birth Certificate copy and one passport size photo along with the duly signed 'TN Players' Registration Form. Players who have already paid must show the proof of the same.
Erode Registration	Erode District players registration is compulsory for Erode District players only. The fee for the year 2017-2018 is Rs. 50/- only.
Default Time	Default time is 15 minutes. Players have to be at the boards within 15 minutes of the start of the round.
Rules	FIDE rules in force shall apply.
System of Play	The Tournament shall be conducted as Nine rounds Swiss System.
Time Control	90 minutes each plus 30 seconds increment from the move one.
Tie-break	Direct encounter, Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger and number of wins (forfeit included) tie-break rules will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.
Chess Clocks	Each Association is requested to provide at least two chess clocks for every four players.
Appeals Committee	An Appeals Committee comprising of three members plus two reserves will be formed at the managers meeting. All the members and reserves shall be from different districts. No member of committee can vote on dispute in which a player from his own district is involved and in such case(s), the reserve member takes his place. The decision of the appeals committee is final and binding on all players concerned.
Tournament Committee	The tournament committee consisting of the General Secretary, TNSCA or his representative, The Secretary of Erode DCC or his representative and representative from another district to be nominated by the TNSCA shall decide on all emergency matters.
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 incident. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is refundable one if the protest is upheld.
Withdrawals	A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

Arrears	The players belonging to Districts which are in arrears to TNSCA will not be allowed to take part.
Rights of Admission	The TNSCA /organizer Erode District Chess Circle (Reg.) reserve the right to admit / reject any entry without assigning any reason thereof. The TNSCA/organizer Erode District Chess Circle (Reg.) reserve the rights of admission to the venue and lodging place.
Instruction to the District Chess Associations	Complaints against suspected under-aged players could be made with a fee of Rs.1000/- to the organizers before the end of the second round who shall medically verify the players concerned and the matter will be taken to AICF through TNSCA.

Eligibility	
1	Only Indian Nationals are eligible to participate.
2	Every affiliated district / Special unit can field two players in each category.
3	The TNSCA General Secretary can nominate one entry.
4	The top four rankers of the last TN State Under-11 Boys and Girls Chess Championships 2016 are seeded to play here in respective category subject to age stipulation. Boys : 1) Pranesh M (SIV)      Girls: 1) Meenatchi Rajam V (MDU)
5	The top four rankers of the last TN State Under-13 Boys and Girls Chess Championships 2016 are seeded to play here in respective category subject to age stipulation: Boys : NIL   Girls : NIL
6	The top four rankers of the last TN State Under-9 Boys & Girls Chess Championships 2016. Boys: 1) Roshan S (ERO), 2) Thrish Karthik (CHE), 3) Ilamparthi A R (CHE), 4) Mackenzie Campbell B (CHE) Girls: 1) Savitha Shri B (KAN), 2) Akshaya Rajaraman (KAN), 3) Kanishkaa C (MDU), 4) Ratnapriya K (CHE)
7	The Winner of the last TN State Under-7 Boys and Girls Chess Championships 2016 are seeded to play here in respective category: Boys: Ilamparthi A R (KAN)      Girls: Sai Neha R M (TRY)
8	The Winner and Runner-up of 2016 TN State Under-11 and Under-9 Girls' Championships can opt to play in Open section 30th Tamil Nadu State Under - 11 Open and Girls Chess Championship – 2017.
9	The host Erode District Chess Circle is entitled to field two additional entries.
10	In the event of an odd entry, the host Erode District Chess Circle is entitled to add one more to make the total number even.
11	Any player who has qualified to represent India in Indian World/Asian Chess Championships subject to age stipulation.
12	All GMs, WGMs, IMs and WIMs.
13	Any player who pays the special entry fee of Rs.800/- but has to be recommended by the respective district association
12	In addition to the above the following districts can field additional entries by virtue of their players finishing in top four of the 2016 TN State Under-11 Chess Championship: Boys : Kanchipuram - 1, Chennai - 1, Sivagangai - 1, Trichy - 1 Girls : Madurai - 1, Chennai - 1, Kanchipuram – 2
13	Two players in each category approved by TNSCA will be permitted from areas where no district association exists.

Entry fee to be paid by a Demand Draft in favour of “Erode District Chess Circle”, payable at Erode and sent to: Erode District Chess Circle, Erode. C/o. Dr. S. Ramesh, Secretary, 4, KNK Road back side, Erode - 3. Mobile : 94433 64966, E-mail : drramesh.erd@gmail.com

All entries whether 'regular' or 'special' should be routed through the respective district chess association on or before 24.04.2017. No entry will be entertained after 24.04.2017. Copy of the entry should be sent to Tamil Nadu State Chess Association E-mail: [tchess64@gmail.com](mailto:tchess64@gmail.com)

**Entry Fees can also be paid at [www.pay4chess.com](http://www.pay4chess.com) but all entries should be routed through the respective district chess association.**

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Yours,

**ERODE DISTRICT CHESS CIRCLE (Reg.)**

Er. R. Mohanraj (President), Mr. M.C. Rixon (Vice-President), Dr. R. Rangaraj (Chairman, Shree Gurukulam H.S. School), Rtn. C. Ravichandran (Treasurer), Mr. G. Sidhaiyan (Joint Secretary), Dr. S.M. Sardar Basha (E.C. Member), Mr. S. Savadamudhu, Mr. Alfa V.S. Elango

<b>PREVIOUS WINNERS</b>				
<b>No</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Boys</b>	<b>Girls</b>
1	1989	Coimbatore	T. K. Chandrasekar	A. Chithra Selvi
2	1990	Pollachi	Y. Syed Anwar Shazuli	S. Sujatha
3	1991	Salem	G. Vinod	A. Vidhya
4	1992	Madurai	N. Kedar	S. Cynthia
5	1993	Madurai	K. Sasikaran	S. Sasirekha
6	1994	Madurai	R.R. Laxman	S. Sasirekha
7	1995	Madurai	S. Karthik	P. Sumathi
8	1996	Selaiyur	S. Karthik	C. Delphin
9	1997	Coimbatore	M.R. Venkatesh	K. Charanya
10	1998	Chennai	J. Deepan Chakravarthy	M. Kasthuri
11	1999	Sivakasi	R. Siddarth	P. Priya
12	2000	Chennai	B.R. Kidambi	Ishwarya Shobana
13	2001	Salem	T. Abbay	G. Sowmiya

14	2002	Thiruvallur	Aswin Jayaram	Anjanaa N Sowjanya
15	2002	Madurai	S.P. Sethuraman	Pon N Krithika
16	2003	Karaikudi	B. Adhiban	Pon N Krithika
17	2004	Chennai	N. Srinath	C. Savetha
18	2005	Trichy	Ajay Srikanth	J. Vaishnavi
19	2006	Tirupur	Ajay Srikanth	J. Vaishnavi
20	2007	Madurai	S. Koushik	Se. Meenupriya
21	2008	Hosur	Karthikeyan Murali	G.K. Monnisha
22	2009	Salem	B. Kumaran	U. Ashwini
23	2010	Karaikudi	Karthikeyan Murali	R. Vaishali
24	2011	Madurai	M. Arvind	R. Vaishali
25	2012	Mannargudi	M. Arvind	R. Vaishali
26	2013	Chennai	R. Prajesh	C. Lakshmi
27	2014	Trichy	Harshavardhan GB	Lakshmi C
28	2015	Nagapattinam	Balasubramanian H	Jyothsna L
29	2016	Namakkal	Srihari L R	Meenatchi Rajam V
30	2017	Erode	It might be you	It might be you