



# 17<sup>th</sup> ADYAR TIMES FIDE RATED OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT-2017

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Organized by **Tamil Nadu State Chess Association (TNSCA)**

**1. AICF Approval No: 168691/TN/2017 & TNSCA Approval No:RO-19/TN/17-18.**

**2.Venue: Montford Indoor Stadium, Santhome Higher Secondary School** (near Santhome Church) 143 A Santhome High Road, Mylapore, Chennai- 600 004

Bus Stop: Santhome

**3. Tournament Schedule: From 12<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2017**

12 <sup>th</sup> October 2017	Thursday	Players Meeting	09.00 A.M.
	Thursday	Round 1	10.30 A.M.
	Thursday	Round 2	03.30 P.M.
13 <sup>th</sup> October 2017	Friday	Round 3	09.30 A.M.
	Friday	Round 4	03.00 P.M.
14 <sup>th</sup> October 2017	Saturday	Round 5	09.30 A.M.
	Saturday	Round 6	03.00 P.M.
15 <sup>th</sup> October 2017	Sunday	Round 7	09.30 A.M.
	Sunday	Prize Distribution Function	03.30 P.M.

**4. System of Play:** The latest FIDE Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss system will be followed. Total seven rounds shall be played.

**5. Time Control:** The rate of play shall be 90 minutes with an increment of 30 seconds per move from move number one.

**6. Default Time:** Default time for arriving at the chess board is 30 minutes.

**7. Tie Break :** 1.Direct Encounter 2.Buchholz 3.S.B. 4.Greater no. of wins (incl. forfeit games) 5.Greater no.of wins with black pieces.

**8. Appeals Committee:** Before the commencement of the tournament, an appeals committee will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decisions will be final and binding on all players concerned.

**9. AICF Player's Registration:** AICF player registration is compulsory. AICF player Registration fee is Rs. 250/- for the year 2017-2018. As per latest AICF regulation dated 31.07.2017, it is informed that from 01<sup>st</sup> September, 2017 all AICF registrations will be

accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that AICF players registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any 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) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

**10. TNSCA Player's Registration:** All the participants from Tamil Nadu must be registered with TNSCA. TNSCA Player's Registration for the year 2017-18 is mandatory for the participants of Tamil Nadu. Participants should send their duly filled TNSCA Player's registration number with the entry form.

**11.** Complete Silence is to be maintained within the campus.

**12.** The Campus should not be littered.

**13.** No Vehicle should make noise inside the campus.

**14. Smoking is strictly Prohibited inside the school campus.**

**15. Entry Fee:** Rs.750/- per player.

GMs, WGMs, IMs, & WIMs : Free

Rating with 2300 & Above: Free

Entry fee should be remitted by cheque or a bank draft favoring "TAMIL NADU STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION" payable at Chennai or by NEFT transfer to the following bank account.

Account Name	Tamil Nadu State Chess Association
Bank	Indian Bank
A/C No	440756872
Branch	Park Town Branch
IFSCcode	IDIB000P024

Duly filled entry form should be sent to:

"TAMIL NADU STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION

Hall No - 75, JN Stadium, Periamedu, Chennai – 600003".

Phone: 044 - 25384477

E-Mail: tnchesstmt@gmail.com

Website: www.tamilchess.com

**Last Date of Entry:** 10<sup>th</sup> October 2017 0500 p.m.

**16.For more details please contact:**

**S.PAUL AROKIA RAJ ,International Arbiter & FIDE Instructor**

**Co-coordinator and Chief Arbiter**

**Mobile: 98404 58484**

**E-Mail: chesspaul64@gmail.com**

**17. Participants** will have to make their own arrangements for accommodation.

**18. Tournament Committee:** The organizers will form a tournament committee for the smooth conduct of the tournament.

**19. Protests:** Protests if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with protest fee of Rs.500/- within 30 minutes of the completion of the game to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

**20. Withdrawals:** No participant will withdraw from the tournament without the permission of the Chief Arbiter.

**21. Rights of admission:** AICF/TNSCA reserve the right to admit/reject any entry without assigning any reason thereof.

AICF/TNSCA reserve the rights of admission to the venue.

## **22.Total Cash Prizes : Rs. 1.50 Lakhs**

<b>01. Rs. 25,000/- Plus Trophy</b>	<b>08. Rs. 4,000/-</b>
<b>02. Rs. 15,000/-</b>	<b>09. Rs. 3,500/-</b>
<b>03. Rs. 10,000/-</b>	<b>10. Rs. 3,000/-</b>
<b>04. Rs. 8,000/-</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> &amp; 12<sup>th</sup> Rs. 2500/- each</b>
<b>05. Rs. 7,000/-</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> Rs. 2000/- each</b>
<b>06. Rs. 6,000/-</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> - 50<sup>th</sup> Rs 1500/- each</b>
<b>07. Rs. 5,000/-</b>	

**In case of tie, cash prizes will not be shared.**

## **23.PREVIOUS WINNERS**

S.No	Year	Winners
1	2001	IM B.T.Muralikrishnan
2	2002	IM R.Balasubramaniam
3	2003	GM R.B.Ramesh
4	2004	GM M.R.Venkatesh
5	2005	IM R.Balasubramaniam
6	2006	IM D.P.Singh
7	2007	FM C.J. Arvind
8	2008	IM S. Nitin

9	2009	IM D.P.Singh
10	2010	IM Ragul Sangma
11	2011	IM D.P.Singh
12	2012	IM Himanshu Sharma
13	2013	P.Saravana Krishnan
14	2014	IM T.U.NavinKanna
15	2015	IM R.Balasubramaniam
16	2016	R.Ashwath
17	2017	<b>It can be you!!</b>

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## ENTRY FORM

1. Name :
2. FIDE ID :
3. FIDE Rating :
4. Address :
  
5. Date Of Birth :
6. Mobile No. :
7. E-Mail :
8. Gender Male/Female :
9. AICF player Registration No. (2017-18):
10. TNSCA Player Registration No. (2017-18) :  
(for Tamil Nadu Player Only)
11. DD / Cheque / NEFT No :

Date :

Place :

Signature

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