



# 31<sup>st</sup> TamilNadu State Under - 9 Chess Championship for Open & Girls

## **FIDE Rating Chess Tournament**

AICF Event Code: 185223/185225/TN(S)/2018

TNSCA Approval No: SO-9/TRY/18-19

*Organized by*

**TRICHY DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION  
&  
SHIVANI ENGINEERING COLLEGE**

*On behalf of*

**Tamil Nadu State Chess Association**  
**From : 16.05.2018 - 20.05.2018**

### **Entry Fee**

Regular - ₹ 400/-

Special - ₹ 800/-

**Venue:**

**SHIVANI ENGINEERING COLLEGE**

Trichy – Dindigul Road, Poolangulathupatti,  
Trichirappalli – 620 009



## Schedule

16.05.2018	Wednesday	Arrival	08.00 A.M.
		Manager's Meeting	09.00 A.M.
		Inauguration	09.30 A.M.
16.05.2018	Wednesday	Round 1	11.00 A.M.
		Round 2	04.00 P.M.
17.05.2018	Thursday	Round 3	09.30 A.M.
		Round 4	03.00 P.M.
18.05.2018	Friday	Round 5	09.30 A.M.
		Round 6	03.00 P.M.
19.05.2018	Saturday	Round 7	09.30 A.M.
		Round 8	03.00 P.M.
20.05.2018	Sunday	Round 9	09.30 A.M.
		Prize Distribution	03.30 P.M.

### Total cash prize Rs.25,000/

Place	1	2	3	4	5	6	7 to 10	11 to 15
Open	2500	2000	1500	1200	1000	800	500	300
Girls	2500	2000	1500	1200	1000	800	500	300

\*\* Please note that only the players take part in this State Championship will be permitted to represent Tamil Nadu as selected / special entries in the forth coming National U-9 Chess Championship. Hence participation in this State Championship is COMPULSORY.

\*\* Note to District Chess Associations: Hence advise all the players to take part in this State Championship.

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## Rules and Regulations

<b>Eligibility</b>	Players must have been born on or after 01-01-2009. 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.
<b>Boarding &amp; Lodging:</b>	Dormitory type of rooms will be provided at College campus to seeded / selected players and one manager per team. (Nominated by the district association). Players are requested to bring their own bedding. Free Dormitory for others : For other those who wants to stay with College Accommodation (Dormitory Hall only ,Kindly bring your own bedding ) they should sent a email to the organizer well in advance with all Particulars ( Player Name, Contact Number, Accompanying Person Name, Relation, Gender and Age) However this can be arranged first come first served basis only Limited only. Boarding : Food will be Provided on Payment Basis with Nominal Cost in the College Campus itself.
<b>Registration of Participants With AICF</b>	AICF player registration is compulsory for all players. AICF player Registration fee Rs.250/- for the year 2018-2019.AICF player registrations will be accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). For renewing AICF registration of existing players, please click <a href="http://aicf.in/players/">http://aicf.in/players/</a> For fresh AICF registration please click <a href="http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/">http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/</a> 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.
<b>Registration of Participants with TNSCA:</b>	All the participants of TN State U-9 Chess Championships are required to register themselves with TNSCA by paying Rs. 150/- as player registration fee for the year 2018-2019, 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. Those have already paid the TNSCA player registration should show the proof at the venue.
<b>TDCA Registration</b>	Trichy District players registration is compulsory for TDCA players. The fee for the year 2018-2019 is Rs.100/- (Hundred only) only.
<b>Default Time</b>	Default time is 15 minutes. Players have to be at the boards within 15 minutes of the start of the round.
<b>Rules:</b>	FIDE rules in force shall apply.
<b>System of play:</b>	The Tournament shall be conducted on Nine rounds Swiss System.
<b>Time Control:</b>	90 minutes each plus 30 seconds increment from the move one.
<b>Tie-break</b>	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.
<b>Chess Clocks:</b>	Each Association is requested to provide at least two chess clocks for every four players.
<b>Tournament Committee:</b>	The tournament committee consisting of the General Secretary, TNSCA or his representative, The Secretary of Trichy DCA or his representative and representative from another district to be nominated by the TNSCA shall decide on all emergency matters.

<b>Appeals Committee:</b>	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.									
<b>Protest:</b>	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.									
<b>Withdrawals:</b>	A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.									
<b>Arrears:</b>	The players belonging to Districts which are in arrears to TNSCA will not be allowed to take part.									
<b>Rights of Admission</b>	The TNSCA / Trichy DCA reserve the right to admit / reject any entry without assigning any reason thereof. The TNSCA/ Trichy DCA reserve the rights of admission to the venue and lodging place.									
<b>Instruction to the District Chess Associations</b>	As per the rules of AICF only players whose dates of birth are registered within one year of their births are permitted to take part in respective age group Nationals. Hence Dist. Assns are directed hereby to forward the names of players whose birth registrations have been done within a year of their births for this TN State U-9 Championship. Wherever discrepancies exist, the matter may be taken up with AICF through TNSCA. This will avoid the inconvenience caused to such players when they appear in Nationals. While sending the Entries, District Chess Associations should certify that the players have been duly selected from the selection/ District Chess Championship giving details of venue & Date. If such certificate is not sent the entries will be treated as special entries. While you are sending the entry the following details are compulsory: <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">1. Name with Correct Spelling</td> <td style="width: 33%;">2. FIDE ID</td> <td style="width: 33%;">3. FIDE Rating (If any)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4. Date of Birth Proof</td> <td>5. AICF Regn. Number/Proof</td> <td>6. TNSCA Regn. Number/Proof</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7. Valid Email Id</td> <td>8. Normal or Special Entry</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	1. Name with Correct Spelling	2. FIDE ID	3. FIDE Rating (If any)	4. Date of Birth Proof	5. AICF Regn. Number/Proof	6. TNSCA Regn. Number/Proof	7. Valid Email Id	8. Normal or Special Entry	
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<b>Ban Wrist Watches for Players</b>	AICF has banned the wrist watches while playing in FIDE Rated events. Players are instructed not to wear wrist watches while playing.									

**Last date for entry is**

**11th May 2018. All entries be Regular or Special entry should be routed through respective district Chess Association, copy to TNSCA**

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## PREVIOUS WINNERS

No.	YEAR	PLACE	U-9 BOYS	U-9 GIRLS	No.	YEAR	PLACE	U-9 BOYS	U-9 GIRLS
01.	1989	Coimbatore	K.S.Sriram	M.Vinitha	16.	2003	Tiruchengode	N. Srinath	J. Mohana Priya
02.	1990	Pollachi	Kedar Narayanan	M.Vinitha	17.	2004	Saranya CC	Ajay Srikanth	J. Saranya
03.	1991	Salem	S.Sridharan	Aarthie Ramasamy	18.	2005	Pudukottai	Osama Salim	Srinidhi Nagarajan
04.	1992	Madurai	P.Mageshchandran	Mimi Vallabai	19.	2006	Neyveli	Ja. Gireman	U.Ashwini
05.	1993	Madurai	P.Mageshchandran	T.V.Sindhujah	20.	2007	Nagercoil	B.Kumaran	G.K. Monnisha
06.	1994	Madurai	S.Karthick	T.S.Subashini	21.	2008	Chennai	Jerome Jorge Ebenezer	R. Abirami
07.	1995	Selaiyur, Madras	M.R.Venkatesh	Jayashree Ilango	22.	2009	Karaikudi	P. Haswanth	R.Vaishali
08.	1995	Salem	J.Deepan Chakravarthy	M.Priyadarshini	23.	2010	Hosur	V.S. Rathanel	K. Priyanka
09.	1996	Salem	J.Deepan Chakravarthy	M.Kasturi	24.	2011	Chennai	P. Iniyam	M. Tejesvi
10.	1997	Kanyakumari	Bharat Raj Kidambi	L.Iswarya Shobana	25.	2012	Hosur	R. Praggananandhaa	C.Lakshmi
11.	1998	Nagercoil	T.Abhay	M.Rajadarshini	26.	2013	Kanchi	H. Balasubramaniam	Shivani Madhu
12.	1999	Chennai	M.Gopikrishna	V.K.Sindhu	27.	2014	Sivagangai	Bharath Subramaniam H	Darsana M S
13.	2000	Devakottai	S.Nitin	P.K.Jayashree	28.	2015	Madurai	Gukesh D	Darsana Ms
14.	2001	Chennai	S.P. Sethuraman	Sathya Priya	29.	2016	Madurai	Roshan S	Savitha Shri B
15.	2002	Tirupur	S.P. Sethuraman	Kiruba H Arasu	30.	2017	Sivagangai	Rohith S	Kanishkaa C
16.	2003	Tiruchengode	N. Srinath	J. Mohana Priya	31.	2018	Trichy	?????????????	?????????????

## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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 (Mariamman College of Education)

**Chief Arbiter :** Sriman V S, International Arbiter

**Deputy Chief Arbiter :** Dharmaraj.P, FIDE Arbiter

**Bus Route:** Trichy To Dindigul Main Road,  
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 to Inamkulathur via Central Bus Stand  
**Bus Stop:** Poolangulathu Patti (Shivani College)

### TRICHY DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION

**Patron :** Mr. S.Ravindhran  
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## Subject to Age Limit the following players are eligible to play:

1. Every affiliated District Chess Association/Special Unit of TNSCA is entitled to field two entries in each category.
2. The top four rankers of 2017 TN State Under - 9 (Open and Girls) Chess Championship subject to age stipulation.
3. The two rankers of 2017 TN State Under - 7 (Open and Girls) Chess Championships are seeded to play in their respective categories.
4. In addition to above the following Districts can field additional entries by virtue of three medal winners (gold, silver and bronze) secured by their players in the last 30th TN State (Under - 9) Open & Girls Chess Championship 2017 held at Karaikudi.  
Boys – Sivagangai -3 (Gold), Kanchipuram -2 (Silver), Tiruvallur-1 (Bronze)  
Girls – Salem - 3 (Gold), Trichy -2 (Silver), Coimbatore - 1 (Bronze).  
All these nominations from the District Associations shall be given only from the Rank list of their respective District championships with proof and not to anybody else.
5. The host Trichy District Chess Association is entitled to field one additional entry in each category.
6. Any player who pays the prescribed Special entry fee: Open: Rs.800/- Girls: Rs.800/- may be considered for participation with recommendation of the respective District Association.
7. The TNSCA Secretary can nominate one player in each category.
8. Any current National Champion in any category is to be seeded to All State championships subject to age stipulation.
9. Any current National No. 2 and 3 are to be seeded to the same category State Championship subject to age stipulation.
10. Any current World Champion in any category is to be seeded to All State Championships subject to age stipulation.
11. Any current World No. 2 and 3 are to be seeded to the same + one step higher State championships subject to age stipulation.
12. Any Current Asian Champion is to be seeded to the same plus one step higher state championship subject to age stipulation.
13. Any Current Asian No. 2 and 3 are to be seeded to the same category subject to age stipulation.
14. Any current State Champion is to be seeded to all lower categories State Championships subject to the restriction regarding age.
15. All GMs & IMs are seeded to all Open (boys) State Championships subject to age stipulation.
16. WGMs & WIMs are seeded to all State Chess Championships, subject to age stipulation.
17. Only Indian Nationals are eligible to participate.

Entry Fees can be sent in Cheque/DD in favour of "Trichy District Chess Association" payable at Trichy.

To the following Address : 24, Govinda Konar Street, Sangiliandapuram, Trichirappalli – 620001

E-mail: [tdca2010@gmail.com](mailto:tdca2010@gmail.com). Entry Fees can also be paid at [www.chessfee.com](http://www.chessfee.com) / [signinchess.com](http://signinchess.com)



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