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1ST RIVERSIDE - INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATED OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT

(AICF Event Code: 158517/TN/2017 & TNSCA Approval No. RO-08/NIL/17-18)

ORGANISED BY RIVERSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOL - KOTAGIRI

(Under the Aegis of All India Chess Federation, TNSCA & NDCA)

Date: 22.12.2017 to 25.12.2017

Venue: Riverside Public School, San Tri Moo, Kotagiri - 643 217, Nilgiris District

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY: RS. 2,00,000/(RUPEES TWO LAKHS ONLY)

TOTAL NO. OF PRIZES: 145

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CASH PRIZES

MAIN PRIZES	PRIZES	PRIZES	PRIZES
OPEN TO ALL	1501 - 1800	1201 - 1500	0 - 1200
1st INR 35,000 2nd INR 25,000 3rd INR 18,000 4th INR 10,000 5th INR 8,000 6th INR 5,000 7th INR 3,000	1st INR 6,000 2nd INR 4,000 3rd INR 3,000 4th INR 2,500 5th INR 2,000 6th INR 1,500	1st INR 6,000 2nd INR 4,000 3rd INR 3,000 4th INR 2,500 5th INR 2,000 6th INR 1,500	1st INR 6,000 2nd INR 4,000 3rd INR 3,000 4th INR 2,500 5th INR 2,000 6th INR 1,500
8th INR 3,000 9th - 18th INR 2,500 each 19th - 20th INR 1,500 each		\$ ___\	

Best Nilgiri Players: 1st Rs.3000/-, 2nd Rs.2000/-, 3rd Rs.1500/-, 4th Rs.1500/-

Best Woman Player: Trophy Best Veteran Player: Trophy

Best - Differently Abled Player: Trophy

Category Prizes (Cups): Under 08, 10, 12, 14 & 18 (Top 12 Boys & 8 Girls)

Eligibility: Open to all. Last Date for Entries: 18.12.2017

ENTRY FEES: RATED & UNRATED = INR, 1,000-/- (Rupees Thousand Only)

FREE ENTRY: All GM's, IM's, WGM's, and Ratings above 2350

Tournament Schedule - TOTAL ROUNDS - 8

21.12.2017	Thursday	Arrival	03:00 PM
22.12.2017	Friday	Inauguration	10:00 AM
22.12.2017	Friday	Players Meeting	10:30 AM
22.12.2017	Friday	Round 1	11:00 AM
22.12.2017	Friday	Round 2	04:00 PM
23.12.2017	Saturday	Round 3	09:00 PM
23.12.2017	Saturday	Round 4	03:00 PM
24.12.2017	Sunday	Round 5	09:00 AM
24.12.2017	Sunday	Round 6	03:00 PM
25.12.2017	Monday	Round 7	09:00 PM
25.12.2017	Monday	Round 8	02:00 PM
25.12.2017	Monday	Prize Distribution	06:30 PM
26.12.2017	Tuesday	Departure	11:00 AM

AICF Registration: AICF player registration is compulsory. AICF player Registration fee is 250/- for the year 2017-2018. As per latest AICF regulation dated 31.07.2017, it is informed that from 1st September 2017 all AICF registrations will be accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of the 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.

TNSCA Registration: All the participants from Tamil Nadu are required to register themselves with TNSCA by paying Rs.150/- as player registration fee for the year 2017-18. The amount should be remitted along with the duly signed TN players Registration form plus one passport size photograph and Date of Birth Certificate copy. Those who have already paid must the proof thereof.

NDCA Registration: Nilgiri DCA Registration fee is Rs. 100/- for the year 2017-2018 (for Nilgiri players).

System of Play: The Tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws & Swiss System with 8 Rounds.

Tie Break: Buchholz System will be followed. In case of tie, prize money will not be shared.

Time Control: 90 minutes each with 30 seconds increment per move from move

Protests: Protests, if any against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a Protest fee Rs.1000/- within 30 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeals committee. The Protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

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 will be formed from the participants from the players meeting. The decision of the appeals committee is FINAL and BINDING on all participants.

Disqualification: Use of Alcohol & Smoking is not permitted in Venue, the offenders will be Disqualified; 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. However, such changes will be displayed at the tournament Venue. If any amendments are to the rules the players will be informed in the players meeting and the same amendments will be displayed at the venue.

Rights of Admission: The Organizers /TNSCA/NDCA reserve the right to admit/refuse any entry without assigning any reason thereof. The organizers /TNSCA/NDCA reserves the rights of admission to the venue and lodging places.



Accommodation: Full board, food, and accommodation will be provided to all players at the rate of Rs.2850 per head for the entire duration of the tournament. This should be confirmed before 15.12.2017 along with the payment. Ladies, Girls, Gentlemen, and Boys will be given separate accommodation.



Weather: During December there will be Chill Weather, so come prepared with your Sweaters, jerkins & Caps. A typical Nilgiris weather awaits you.



Chess Sets: Players are requested to bring their own International Chess set (and chess clock if, any)



Certificate: Participation certificates will be awarded to all participants.

Chief Arbiter: Mr. V. Vijayraghavan - International Arbiter

For Enquiries Contact: Mr. Vivek - Riverside Chess Academy - 97878 08000

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Entries can be PAID VIA: www.easypaychess.com www.paychessentry.com & www.pay4chess.com

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ENTRY FORM

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FIDE ID:	RATING:
NAME:	
DATE OF BIRTH: _(DD/MM/YYY)	
ADDRESS:	
EMAIL ID:	
NDCA REGN NO.:	
TNSCA REGN NO.:	
AICF REGN NO.:	

SIGNATURE

DATE:

Entry Registration: NEFT Transfer A/c Name: Riverside Public School

A/c No.: 50100212362744

Bank: HDFC Branch: Ooty

IFSC: HDFC0001270

Riverside Public School, Kotagiri

Mr. Vivek, Riverside Chess Academy, Riverside Public School, San Tri - Moo, Kotagiri - 643 217

DD in favour of

The Nilgiris