

Velammal Ponneri International Fide Rated Classical Open Chess Tournament

CONDUCTED BY PLAYU.IN

AICF Event Code: 414331/TN/2025

TNSCA Event Code: RO-05/TLR/25-26

CASH PRIZE OF RS 4,00,000

Total Number Of Cash Prizes: 90

Total Number Of Trophies: 78

ENTRY FEE :RS 2000

FREE FOR GMS, IMS, WGMS, WIMS

LAST DATE FOR
REGISTRATION: 5TH MAY 2025

CHIEF ARBITER: J BANEL ANDROSS (IA)

8th May 2025 to 11th May 2025

VENUE LOCATION



REPORTING TIME: 8.30 AM, 8TH MAY 2025

FIRST ROUND: 10 AM, 8TH MAY 2025

**INTERNATIONAL CHESS SET WILL BE
PROVIDED FOR PLAY**

REGISTER NOW



ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

**1. (Recommended) - Ponneri
Gymkhana Club - Room rent
starts from Rs 4500 Rs 3,000
(Contact: +91 82771 35843)**

**2. Sri Balaji Lodge - Room rent
starts from Rs 1500
(Contact: +91 89393 11159)**

**3. Shanmuga Guest
house - Room rent starts
from Rs 1000
(Contact: +91 96000 66449)**

You can also register at: <https://bookmyfee.com> | <https://easypaychess.com/>
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FOR ENQUIRIES CONTACT: +91 98845 92472 (SHIRAJ)

**VENUE: THE VELAMMAL INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, VELAMMAL
KNOWLEDGE PARK HIGH ROAD, PONNERI, PANJETTY, TAMIL NADU 601204**

PRIZES - OPEN

1st	40,000	4th	15,000	11th - 15th	5,000
2nd	30,000	5th	10,000	16th - 20th	3,000
3rd	20,000	6th - 10th	7,500	21st - 25th	2,000

BELOW 1800

1st	7,500	5th	3,000
2nd	6,000	6th - 10th	2,000
3rd	5,000	11th - 15th	1,500
4th	4,000		

BELOW 1500

1st	7,500	5th	3,000
2nd	6,000	6th - 10th	2,000
3rd	5,000	11th - 15th	1,500
4th	4,000		

UNRATED

1st	7,500	5th	3,000
2nd	6,000	6th - 10th	2,000
3rd	5,000	11th - 15th	1,500
4th	4,000		

WOMAN ABOVE 18 YEARS

1st	7,500	5th	3,000
2nd	6,000	6th - 10th	2,000
3rd	5,000	11th - 15th	1,500
4th	4,000		

TROPHIES

Categories	Boys	Girls
Under 07	5	5
Under 09	5	5
Under 11	5	5
Under 13	5	5
Under 15	5	5
Under 17	5	5

BEST VETERAN(55+ OPEN)

1st	7,500	4th	4,000
2nd	6,000	5th	3,000
3rd	5,000		

Print and e-Certificate will be provided to all Participants

ROUND SCHEDULE

Round	Time	Round	Time
1st	10 AM, 8th May 2025	5th	9 AM, 10th May 2025
2nd	3 PM, 8th May 2025	6th	2 PM, 10th May 2025
3rd	9 AM, 9th May 2025	7th	9 AM, 11th May 2025
4th	2 PM, 9th May 2025	8th	2 PM, 11th May 2025

TOP 3 WINNERS IN ALL CATEGORIES WILL GET 3 MONTHS FREE ACCESS TO EQUILII APP - AN AI POWERED MENTAL TRAINING APP.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- **System of Play:** The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 8 rounds.
- **Time Control:** 90 Minutes plus 30 seconds increment from move 1 for the entire game.
- **Tie Break:** The following tie break rules will be applicable for all the FIDE Rated Swiss Events under AICF.
 - i. Buchholz Cut 1
 - ii. Buchholz
 - iii. Sonneborn-Berger
 - iv. Direct encounter
 - v. The greater number of wins including forfeits
 - vi. Number of wins with Black piecesIn case of tie, cash prize will not be shared.
- **Draw Offer:** Players shall not agree for a draw before 30th move of black.
- As per AICF regulations, wrist watches and other electronic devices are strictly prohibited inside the playing area.
- AICF Registration/Renewal for the year 2025-2026 is mandatory for all Indian Players
- TNSCA Registration/Renewal for the year 2025-2026 is mandatory for all Tamil Nadu Players
- TVLRCA Registration/Renewal for the year 2025-2026 is mandatory for all Tiruvallur District Players
- **Default Time (Walkover Time):** The default time will be 30 minutes.
- **Protests:** If any, against the decision of the Arbiter or the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 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 the 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.
- All cash prizes are subject to tax deductions



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650

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MEDICAL
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65

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SELECTIONS

2

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8

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8

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OLOGY PEELAMEDU

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DHARAPURAM

OTHERS

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ERODE
TRICHY
VELLORE
TANJORE
DINDIGUL
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