DHARAPURAM CHESS ACADEMY

Tamilnadu State Level Chess Tournament

(TNSCA Approval No: CO-217/TPR/26-27)

Organized By	**Dharapuram Chess Academy**
Date	**22/11/2026**
Venue	**Maharani College of Arts & Science, Dharapuram Road (Tirupur–Dharapuram Road)**
Entry Fee	**Rs. 400/-**
Last Date	**19/11/2026 at 5:00 PM — Strictly No Spot Entries**

PRIZES & CATEGORIES

Category	Prizes	Special Prizes
Under 9 Boys	20 Cups	5 Tirupur District + 5 Dharapuram Taluk
Under 9 Girls	20 Cups	
Under 12 Boys	20 Cups	
Under 12 Girls	20 Cups	
Under 15 Boys	20 Cups	
Under 15 Girls	20 Cups	
Open (Common)	**20 Cash Prizes — Total Rs. 25,000/-**	

Rank	Prize	Rank	Prize
1st	**Rs. 4,000**	Best Tirupur	**Rs. 500**
2nd	**Rs. 3,500**	Best Dharapuram	**Rs. 500**
3rd–5th	**Rs. 2,000**	Best Women	**Rs. 500**
6th–10th	**Rs. 1,000**	Best Veteran 55+	**Rs. 500**
11th–15th	**Rs. 800**	Best Diff.Abled	**Rs. 500**

All age categories will have 5 Special Prizes for Tirupur District & 5 Special Prizes for Dharapuram Taluk Players.

ONLINE ENTRY & CONTACT

Entry Fee can be paid online through: Bookmyfee.com / Chessfee.com / Circlechess.com / Easypaychess.com / Signinchess.com

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RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The Tournament is open to Tamil Nadu Players only.

2. The Latest FIDE Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss system will be followed.

3. Time Control: Each 20 Minutes.

4. The first round will commence at 09:30 AM on 22/11/2026. The number of rounds and the round-wise schedule will be announced at the tournament venue.

5. Players are requested to bring their own international chess sets (and chess clock if any).

6. Tiebreak: Buchholz tiebreak system will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.

7. The Chief Arbiter's decisions shall be final and binding on all players concerned.

8. Age proof Certificate must be produced for Children's category prizes.

9. Entries close at 5:00 PM on 19/11/2026. No entry will be entertained after 5:00 PM on 19/11/2026. Strictly no Spot Entries.

10. TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players. TNSCA Player Registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2026-2027. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that TNSCA players registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any tournament.

11. For renewing TNSCA player registration of existing players, please visit: registration.tamilchess.com/

12. For fresh TNSCA registration please visit: registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/

13. For fresh TNSCA registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address ready before the registration process. Note: Only passport size (less than 1 MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

14. Tirupur DCA player registration Rs.75/- for 2026-27 is for Tirupur District Players only.

15. The TNSCA / Tirupur DCA / organizer Dharapuram Chess Academy reserve the rights of admission to the venue and lodging place.

16. Participation certificates will be awarded to all participants.

AGE LIMIT

Category	Born On or After
Under – 9	**01.01.2017**
Under – 12	**01.01.2014**
Under – 15	**01.01.2011**
Open	**No Age Limit**

FIRST ROUND: 09:30 AM — 22 NOVEMBER 2026

Please complete online registration before the deadline. Strictly no spot entries.