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1ST LITTLE STAR CHESS ACADEMY

ALL INDIA OPEN

FIDE RAPID RATING

CHESS TOURNAMENT 2026

PUNE



TOURNAMENT DATE
23 AUG 2026
(SUNDAY)



REPORTING TIME
9:00 AM



VENUE

CLARA GLOBAL
CBSE School



50, Bhagwan Tatyasaheb Kawade Rd,
Ghorpadi, Pune, Maharashtra – 411036

AICF EVENT CODE: 486821/MH(R)/2026



TIME CONTROL: 10 minutes + 5 seconds increment per move



★ TOTAL PRIZE FUND ★

₹3,00,000/-

(THREE LAKH RUPEES ONLY)

ORGANIZED BY

**LITTLE STAR
CHESS ACADEMY**

ORGANIZER



Mayank Lalit Chulet
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CO-ORGANIZER



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★ COME, COMPETE & CONQUER! ★

PRIZE STRUCTURE

OPEN CATEGORY

Sr No.	Open Category
1	₹21,000 + Trophy
2	₹15,000 + Trophy
3	₹11,000 + Trophy
4	₹9,000 Medal
5	₹7,000 Medal
6	₹5,000 Medal
7	₹3,000 Medal
8	₹3,000 Medal
9	₹2,500 Medal
10	₹2,500 Medal
11	₹2,000 Medal
12	₹2,000 Medal
13	₹2,000 Medal
14	₹2,000 Medal
15	₹2,000 Medal
16	₹2,000 Medal
17	₹1,500 Medal
18	₹1,500 Medal
19	₹1,500 Medal
20	₹1,500 Medal

CATEGORY PRIZES

(EACH CATEGORY)

UNDER-7

- 1st ₹ 8,000 + Trophy
- 2nd ₹ 5,000 + Trophy
- 3rd ₹ 3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹ 2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹ 1,500 + Trophy
- 6th-10th Medal

UNDER-9

- 1st ₹ 8,000 + Trophy
- 2nd ₹ 5,000 + Trophy
- 3rd ₹ 3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹ 2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹ 1,500 + Trophy
- 6th-10th Medal

UNDER-12

- 1st ₹ 8,000 + Trophy
- 2nd ₹ 5,000 + Trophy
- 3rd ₹ 3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹ 2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹ 1,500 + Trophy
- 6th-10th Medal

UNDER-15

- 1st ₹ 8,000 + Trophy
- 2nd ₹ 5,000 + Trophy
- 3rd ₹ 3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹ 2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹ 1,500 + Trophy
- 6th-10th Medal

UNRATED

- 1st ₹ 8,000 + Trophy
- 2nd ₹ 5,000 + Trophy
- 3rd ₹ 3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹ 2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹ 1,500 + Trophy
- 6th-10th Medal

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RATING 1400-1500

- 1 ₹8,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹5,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Medal



RATING 1501-1600

- 1 ₹8,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹5,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Medal



RATING 1601-1700

- 1 ₹8,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹5,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Medal



RATING 1701-1800

- 1 ₹8,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹5,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 4th ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 5th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Medal



BEST FEMALE

- 1 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹1,500 + Trophy
- 4th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- 5th ₹1,500 + Trophy
- ☆ 6th Medal
- ☆ 7th Medal
- ☆ 8th Medal
- ☆ 9th Medal
- ☆ 10th Medal



BEST VETERAN (50+)

- 1 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 3 Trophy
- 4th Trophy
- 5th Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Medal



BEST PUNE PLAYER

- 1 ₹3,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 3 ₹1,500 + Trophy
- 4th Trophy
- 5th Trophy
- 6th Trophy
- ☆ 7th-10th Medal



ACADEMY AWARDS

- 1 ₹2,000 + Trophy
- 2 ₹1,500 + Trophy
- 3 Trophy
- 4th Trophy
- 5th Trophy
- ☆ 6th-10th Trophy



SPECIALLY ABLED



TWO TROPHIES



YOUNGEST PLAYER (MALE)

₹1,500 + Trophy



YOUNGEST PLAYER (FEMALE)

₹1,500 + Trophy





RULES & REGULATIONS



The tournament shall be played under the **FIDE Laws of Chess**, under the Swiss System with 9 rounds for all formats.



TIME CONTROL : 10 minutes + 5 seconds increment per move
Walkover Time : 10 minutes



Tie-Breaks (in the following order):
(i) Buchholz Cut 1, (ii) Buchholz All, (iii) Sonneborn-Berger (SB),
(iv) Direct Encounter (DE), (v) Greater number of wins,
(vi) Number of wins with Black



Prizes will not be shared. A player shall be eligible for only one higher cash prize. For age-category prizes, a player is eligible only for his/her respective age category. All prize winners must be present at the prize distribution ceremony to claim their prizes.



The tournament organizers reserve the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.



Withdrawals: A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage by informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.



Electronic devices: All electronic items like mobile phone, tab, including wrist watches (all type of watches), ear buds, headphones are not allowed in the tournament hall. Players found in possession of such items will be declared lost.



Discipline: Any player/ parent who disrupts the decorum of the tournament will face exclusion from the tournament.



Eligibility: The tournament is open to all players, both rated and unrated. Foreign players are required to possess a valid FIDE ID (FIN) to participate in the event.



CONTACT IN CASE OF DIFFICULTY IN REGISTRATION



MOST IMPORTANT ★

AICF REGISTRATION

AICF Registration of the year 2026-2027 is compulsory. AICF players Registration fee for the year 2026-2027 has to be paid before the start of the tournament. It will be accepted only through online mode. All players having active AICF 2026-2027 registration can participate in this tournament.



New Player Registration
<https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>



AICF ID Renewal Link
<https://prs.aicf.in/players>



★ MCA REGISTRATION ★



New Player Registration
https://mcachess.in/Tournament_Registration/MCA_Registrations.php



MCA ID Renewal Link
https://mcachess.in/Tournament_Registration/existing_entry.php



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Registration Through CircleChess

Registration Link:

<https://circlechess.com/registration?id=50872>

Scan Or Click on the QR
To Register
Through CircleChess.

★ ENTRY FEE STRUCTURE ★

	EARLY BIRD ENTRY FEE	₹ 1350/-	Till 15 th July 2026
	ENTRY FEE FOR ALL PLAYERS	₹ 1500/-	Till 13 th Aug 2026
	FREE ENTRY GM & IM.	FREE	

 Note :- After 13th Aug 2026 late fee of ₹300/- will be applicable

FOR DETAILS AND
ENTRY QUERIES

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ACCOMODITION & FOOD

Players and Parents are requested to make their own arrangements.

