



AP STATE U-15 OPEN & GIRLS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR NATIONAL SELECTIONS - 2018

Organized by Srikakulam District Chess Association
in Associate with Andhrapradesh Chess Association

Dates: 08th - 10th June 2018 (Fri, Sat, Sunday)

Lunch and Accommodation will be provided Separate for Boys & Girls

Venue:

SRI SIVANI ENGINEERING COLLEGE,
Chilakapalem - SRIKAKULAM



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44th STATE U-15 Open & 35th Girls Chess Championship-2018

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On behalf of
The Andra Pradesh Chess Association

From 8th to 10th June, 2018

1. TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

Date	Schedule	Time
8 th June 2018	Arrival	6 A.M
8 th June 2018	Inauguration	11.00 A.M
8 th June 2018	Player's Meeting	12.30 P.M
8 th June 2018	1 st Round	2.00 P.M
8 th June 2018	2 nd Round	5.00 P.M
9 th June 2018	3 rd Round	9.00 A.M
9 th June 2018	4 th Round	1.00 P.M
9 th June 2018	5 th Round	4.00 P.M
10 th June 2018	6 th Round	9.00 A.M
10 th June 2018	7 th Round	1.00 P.M
10 th June 2018	Prize Distribution	4.00 P.M
10 th June 2018	Departure	5.30 P.M

2. Age Limit: Players should be born on or after 1.1.2003.

Age Proof: Each participant must produce a valid certificate to prove his / her age. **Certificates from School are not enough.** Certificates should preferably be from the Panchayat, Municipality or Corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without date of birth certificates will not be allowed to participate.

The date of birth certificates registered within one year of the birth of the child alone will be recognized and allowed to participate. No state association shall recommend any player who doesn't come under the above criteria.

3. Prizes:

Top four Players from Open and four Girls are selected for national, Railway Concession plus 300, Two APCA T-Shirts, Rs.1800 as D.A per Selected each player plus official selections for national which is going to be held at Tamilnadu from 17th July to 25th July 2018.

Mementos for top two open and Girls of age groups Under – 7,9,11

1. Entry Fee: Ordinary entry fee: **Rs. 300/-** Special Entry fee: **Rs. 750/-**.

All entries including special entries should come through the concerned affiliated District Association of APCA. However, the APCA/organiser will have the right to accept or reject any special entry without assigning any reason thereof.

Late Fee: The last date of receipt of entry is 4.06.2018. Entries received after the last date will attract a late fee of Rs. 150/-. However, no entry will be entertained after 7.06.2018

1. System of Play: The Championship will be played under FIDE's Laws of Chess and the Swiss system. Totally Seven rounds shall be played.

2. Default Time: Default time for arriving to the chessboard is 15 minutes.

3. Time Control: The rate of play shall be 60 minutes with an increment of 30 seconds per move from move number one.

4. Chess Clocks: Each participating District Chess Association must provide at least one clock in working order for every two players entered into the Championship.

5. Tie Break: Following is the order of tie-break:

- 1) Direct encounter
- 2) Buchholz Cut 1
- 3) Buchholz
- 4) Sonneborn Berger
- 5) The greater number of wins (forfeit included)

In case of tie, cash prizes will not be shared.

6. Protest : Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.500/-within one hour of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

7. Appeals Committee: Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed by the organizers. All the members and reserves shall be from different Districts. No member of the Committee can vote on a dispute in which a player from his own District is involved and in such case(s) the reserves member(s) shall take his place in the committee.

8. Withdrawal: If any player withdraws from the State Championship on any grounds, he/she should inform to the chief arbiter in writing before next round paired.

9. Disqualification: No participant will leave the venue before the Prize Distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. The participants disregarding this rule will be suspended for one year.

10. Registration of Players with APCA: All participants in the State Championship should be registered with APCA for the year 2018-19. Application forms are available in the Organiser.

11. Lodging: Free dormitory accommodation will be provided to players (normal entries & Special entries) and one accompanying official (Manager/Coach) nominated by the concerned District Chess Association for each District.

Note: In addition to the above, three additional entries from the District which won Gold, two entries from the District which won the Silver and one additional entry from the District which won the 3rd & 4th in the State Sub Junior Chess Championships 2017 shall be accepted.

Open: Krishna (Gold) 3, Visakhapatnam (Silver) 2, Chittoor (3rd & 4th) 2.
Girls: Guntur(Gold)3, Krishna (Silver) 2, Guntur (3rd) 1 and East Godavari(4th) 1. And these entries from the District Associations shall be given only from the Rank list of their respective District Championships with proof and not to anybody else.