







2nd Tirupattur Open Rapid FIDE Rating Chess Tournament 2025

(AICF Event Code: 442058/TN(R)/2025 & TNSCA Approval No: RFR-14/TPT/25-26)

Organized by

TIRUPATTUR DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION

Dates:

11&12-10-2025,

Saturday & Sunday

Venue:

Papa Seth Mahal,

Tirupattur - 635601, Tirupattur Dt, Tamilnadu. https://bit.ly/papaseth

CLICK HERE



Total Prize Money:

Rs. 3,03,000/-

100 Cash Prizes + Trophies

Entry Fees: Rs. 1,500/- (For all type of Players)

the official website of

Players can pay entry fees directly through the official website of Tirupattur District Chess Association https://tptchess.com/

Players can also pay entry fees through the following websites

https://www.signinchess.com/

https://bookmyfee.com/

https://www.chessfee.com/

https://circlechess.com/

https://www.easypaychess.com/

Last date of entry: 09-10-2025, Thursday @ 05:00 P.M.



OPEN CATEGORY - MAIN PRIZES

1 ₹ 28,000 (2) ₹ 22,000 (3) ₹ 17,500 (4) ₹ 12,000 (5) ₹ 7,000

(6) ₹ 6,000 (7) ₹ 5,000 (8) ₹ 4,000 (9) ₹ 3,500 (10) ₹ 3,000

(11) ₹ 2,750 (12) ₹ 2,750 (13) ₹ 2,500 (14) ₹ 2,500 (15) ₹ 2,500

16 ₹ 2,250 (17) ₹ 2,250 (18) ₹ 2,250 (19) ₹ 2,000 (20) ₹ 2,000

21 ₹ 2,000 22 ₹ 1,750 23 ₹ 1,750 24 ₹ 1,500 25 ₹ 1,500

26 ₹ 1,500 (27 ₹ 1,500 (28 ₹ 1,500 (29 ₹ 1,500 (30 ₹ 1,500

RATING 1400-1500

1 ₹ 5,000 2 ₹ 4,500 3 ₹ 3,500 4 ₹ 3,000 5 ₹ 2,500

6 ₹ 2,000 7 ₹ 2,000 8 ₹ 1,500 9 ₹ 1,500 10 ₹ 1,500

RATING 1501 - 1600

1 ₹ 5,000 2 ₹ 4,500 3 ₹ 3,500 4 ₹ 3,000 5 ₹ 2,500

6 ₹ 2,000 7 ₹ 2,000 8 ₹ 1,500 9 ₹ 1,500 10 ₹ 1,500

RATING 1601 - 1700

1 ₹ 5,000 (2) ₹ 4,500 (3) ₹ 3,500 (4) ₹ 3,000 (5) ₹ 2,500

6 ₹ 2,000 7 ₹ 2,000 8 ₹ 1,500 9 ₹ 1,500 10 ₹ 1,500

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 $(1) \underbrace{\mathbf{7},000} (2) \underbrace{\mathbf{7},500} (3) \underbrace{\mathbf{7},000} (4) \underbrace{\mathbf{7},750} (5) \underbrace{\mathbf{7},500} (5)$

BEST. PHY. CHALLENGED

BEST VETERAN BEST WOMEN

₹ 1,500 (2) ₹ 1,500 (3) ₹ 1,500 (1) ₹ 1,500 (1) ₹ 1,500

BEST TIRUPATTUR

- 1 ₹ 3,000 (2) ₹ 2,500 (3) ₹ 2,000 (4) ₹ 1,750 (5) ₹ 1,750
- 6 ₹ 1,500 7 ₹ 1,500 8 ₹ 1,500 9 ₹ 1,500 10 ₹ 1,500

BEST VELLORE

1 ₹ 1,500 2 ₹ 1,500 3 ₹ 1,500 4 ₹ 1,500 5 ₹ 1,500

BEST RANIPET

1 ₹ 1,500 2 ₹ 1,500 3 ₹ 1,500 4 ₹ 1,500 5 ₹ 1,500

BEST KRISHNAGIRI

1 ₹ 1,500 2 ₹ 1,500 3 ₹ 1,500 4 ₹ 1,500 5 ₹ 1,500

BEST DHARMAPURI

1 ₹ 1,500 2 ₹ 1,500 3 ₹ 1,500 4 ₹ 1,500 5 ₹ 1,500

BEST THIRUVANNAMALAI

1 ₹ 1,500 2 ₹ 1,500 3 ₹ 1,500 4 ₹ 1,500 5 ₹ 1,500

Category Prizes:

Trophies for Top 10 players in Under 13 & 15 Categories
Trophies for ALL PLAYERS below 11 years.

Special Prizes: 5 Trophies for Government School Players.

Participation Certificates will be given to ALL PLAYERS.

Tournament Schedule

Arrival: 11.10.2025, 08.00 AM Inauguration: 09.30 AM Rounds: 09 (Nine)

11.10.2025	1st Round	10.00 am	12.10.2025	6th Round	10.00 am
11.10.2025	2 nd Round	11.30 am	12.10.2025	7 th Round	11.30 am
11.10.2025	3 [™] Round	01.30 pm	12.10.2025	8 th Round	01.30 pm
11.10.2025	4 th Round	03.00 pm	12.10.2025	9 th Round	03.00 pm
11.10.2025	5 th Round	04.30 pm	12.10.2025	Prize Distribution	05.30 pm

Departure : 12.10.2025 07.00 pm

TOURNAMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Please AVOID PHONE CALLS. Contact only through Email & WhatsApp chat.

Chief Arbiter: Mr. Palaniappan, International Arbiter

Rules and Regulations:

System of Play

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

Mode of Tournament

Total 9 rounds shall be played.

Time Control

- 25 minutes each + 5 seconds increment per move from move number 1
- The default time is 15 minutes.

Tie breaks

 Buchholz Cut 1, 2) Buchholz, 3) Sonneborn- Berger, 4) Direct Encounter, 5) Greater number of wins including forfeit games, 6) Number of wins with black pieces. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.

AICF Player Registration:

AICF player registration is compulsory for all players. AICF Player Registration fee is Rs.300/for the year 2025-2026. AICF player registrations will be accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of the tournament. For renewing AICF

registration of existing players, please click http://aicf.in/players/ and click extend membership. For (New) 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 1 MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

TNSCA Player Registration:

TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players. TNSCA Player Registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2025-2026. 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. For renewing TNSCA player registration of existing players, please click

https://registration.tamilchess.com/.

For fresh TNSCA registration please click

https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/

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.

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Tirupattur District Player Registration

As per the resolution passed by the Tirupattur District Chess Association, the Tirupattur District Player Registration fee of Rs. 75/- for the year 2024 – 25 is exempted for all Tirupattur District players. (for Tirupattur district players only)

Protests

Protests if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with protest fee of Rs.500/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

Appeals Committee

Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decisions will be final and binding on all players concerned.

Withdrawals

A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the chief arbiter in writing

Rights of admission

The AICF/TNSCA/Tirupattur DCA reserve the rights of admission to the venue.

Wrist watches

As per the AICF regulations, wrist watches (both analog and smart watches) are not permitted during the tournament.

Electronic Gadgets

Players are strictly prohibited from possessing any electronic devices during gameplay. Any participant found with electronic gadgets will be immediately disqualified from the current round

Accommodation

No Accommodation will be provided.

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https://bit.ly/papaseth CLICK HERE Venue



Chess Result's Link

https://bit.ly/2ndtptopen CLICK HERE

Nearest Transport Available from the Venue:

Tirupattur Bus Stand : 1.2 kms Tirupattur Railway Station: 0.3 kms Jolarpet Railway Station : 11 kms



Nearest Airports:

Chennai International Airport : 223 kms Bengaluru International Airport : 168 kms



- ♦ Venue will be opened on 11-10-2025, Saturday @ 8 AM only. Hence players are requested to plan your arrival.
- Plenty of restaurants, cafes and shops are available around the venue. Swiggy & Zomato food delivery options also available in the city.
- Prize Distribution will be started after 30 minutes of completion of last round. Prizes and Certificates will not be given in advance.
- Players are requested to book their return tickets after 08.30 pm.

NEAR BY LODGES

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