



BALU CHESS ACADEMY

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(AFFILIATED TO CHENGALPATTU DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION)



CGDCA APPROVAL CODE
DC/55/2025-2026

1ST BALU CHESS ACADEMY CHENGALPATTU DISTRICT LEVEL CHESS TOURNAMENT



@ LOYOLA MATRICULATION HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, #8, GANDHI STREET, CHITLAPAKKAM, CHENNAI - 64

TOP 20 PRIZES (10 TROPHIES + 10 MEDALS)

SPECIAL PRIZES

BEST ACADEMY (WITH MOST NO. OF ENTRIES)

BEST YOUNGEST PLAYER (MOST NO. OF POINTS WHO'S BORN ON OR AFTER 01/01/2020)

MEDAL WILL BE GIVEN FOR ALL THE UNDER-08 PLAYERS

ALONG WITH A USEFUL CHESS STUDY MATERIAL WHICH WILL BE SHARE DIGITALLY

CANTEEN & 2 WHEELER PARKING AVAILABLE

CAR PARKING FACILITY NOT AVAILABLE

ENTRY FEE CAN BE PAID ONLINE THROUGH
[EASYPAYCHESS.COM](https://www.easypaychess.com), [CHESSFEE.COM](https://www.chessfee.com), [CHESENTRY.IN](https://www.chessentry.in)

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

- THE TOURNAMENT IS OPEN TO CHENGALPATTU DISTRICT (CGDCA) REGISTERED PLAYERS ONLY. CGDCA REGISTRATION FEE IS RS.75/- FOR THE YEAR 2025 - 2026. CGDCA REGISTRATION LINK : [HTTPS://WWW.EASYPAYCHESS.COM/MEMBERSHIP.ASP](https://www.easypaychess.com/membership.asp)
- THE LATEST FIDE RULES IN FORCE SHALL APPLY AND THE SWISS SYSTEM WILL BE FOLLOWED.
- TIME CONTROL : EACH 20 MINUTES.
- THE FIRST ROUND WILL COMMENCE AT 9:30 AM ON 04/01/2026, SUNDAY. PLAYERS PLEASE REPORT @ 9:15 AM. THE NUMBER OF ROUNDS WILL BE 5 OR 6 BASED ON THE NUMBER OF PLAYERS IN A CATEGORY & WILL BE ANNOUNCED @ TOURNAMENT VENUE.
- PLAYERS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING THEIR OWN INTERNATIONAL CHESS SETS (AND CHESS CLOCK IF, ANY).
- TIEBREAK: LATEST AICF TIEBREAKS WILL BE APPLIED. IN CASE OF TIE, PRIZES WILL NOT BE SHARED.
- THE CHIEF ARBITER'S DECISIONS SHALL BE FINAL AND BINDING ON ALL PLAYERS CONCERNED.
- AGE PROOF CERTIFICATE MUST BE PRODUCED FOR CHILDREN'S CATEGORY PRIZES.
- ENTRIES CLOSE AT 5 P.M ON 03/01/2026 (SATURDAY). SPOT ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED.
- THE CGDCA / BALU CHESS ACADEMY RESERVE THE RIGHTS OF ADMISSION TO THE VENUE AND LODGING PLACE.
- PARTICIPATION CERTIFICATES WILL BE AWARDED TO ALL THE PARTICIPANTS.
- IF THERE ARE LESS THAN 20 ENTRIES IN THE GIRLS CATEGORY, THEY WILL BE COMBINED WITH THE BOYS CATEGORY AND THE PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN SEPARATELY.
- MOBILE PHONES, ANY OTHER ELECTRONIC GADGETS, AND WRISTWATCHES OF ANY KIND ARE STRICTLY NOT ALLOWED. A PLAYER FOUND WITH ANY OF THESE ITEMS DURING THE GAME WILL BE DECLARED LOST. SUCH ITEMS CAN BE SWITCHED OFF AND KEPT IN A SEPARATE BAG.

ROUND SCHEDULE

REPORTING TIME : 09:15 AM

IF 5 ROUNDS

RD. 1 - 09:30 AM
RD. 2 - 10:45 AM
RD. 3 - 11:45 AM
LUNCH - 12:30 PM
RD. 4 - 01:30 PM
RD. 5 - 02:30 PM

IF 6 ROUNDS

RD. 1 - 09:30 AM
RD. 2 - 10:45 AM
RD. 3 - 11:45 AM
LUNCH - 12:30 PM
RD. 4 - 01:00 PM
RD. 5 - 01:50 PM
RD. 6 - 02:40 PM

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION : 03:45 PM

AGE CATEGORIES

UNDER 08

BORN ON OR AFTER 2018

UNDER 10

BORN ON OR AFTER 2016

UNDER 12

BORN ON OR AFTER 2014

UNDER 15

BORN ON OR AFTER 2011

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