

PALNADU DISTRICT MEN & WOMEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP - 2023

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Arrival	Date	Time
Managers' Meeting and Inauguration	08-05-2023	8.30 am
Number of rounds and timings	Intimated to the player depending on the participation strength during inauguration	
Prize Distribution	08-05-2023	4.30 pm

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Under the
aegis of
CDAGD

Palnadu District Selection Process:

Only one Championship / Tournament will be conducted for all age groups including, Team, Rapid & Blitze for the palnadu district. Selections will be made by considering the position obtained in the respective categories of the district. Tie-break rules are mentioned below. The number of Rounds will be decided by the organizing committee depending on the strength of the players. Based on the Tie-break rules as per the prospectus, Players will be selected for respective age groups. (No separate tournament for different age groups). The following age-group players /Men/Women/Rapid & Blitz/ Team will be selected to represent respective State Championships. Players will be considered for the respective age group only. In case the player wants to represent any higher age group, he/she should give in writing to the chief arbiter before the commencement of the tournament. In such cases, the player's name will be considered for selection only for his/her selected age group. The top 2 prizes for district separately will be announced within 4 days. The rest of the selected members will be displayed by the end of the week on the website.



Venue :

VIIT The School

Subbaiah Thota, 26-29, Vikas School Back side,
Chilakaluripet, Andhra Pradesh - 522616

Name of the State Championship	Players selected from Palnadu	Players selected from Annamayya
Open	4	Top 4 Positioned players in the open category.
Women	4	Top 4 positioned players in women category.
Team	5	Top 5 positioned players in open category.
Women Team	5	Top 5 positioned players in Women category.
Rapid & Blitze	2	Top 2 Positioned players in the open category.
U19 Boys	4	Top-4 in respective age category
U19 Girls	4	Top-4 in respective age category
U15 Boys	4	Top-4 in respective age category
U15 Girls	4	Top-4 in respective age category
U13 Boys	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U13 Girls	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U11 Boys	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U11 Girls	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U9 Boys	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U9 Girls	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U7 Boys	2	Top-2 in respective age category
U7 Girls	2	Top-2 in respective age category

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Note: In case a player wants to participate in the State Championship other than his/her respective category, he/she will be recommended as a special entry. However, for recommendation Player must have participated in this selection tournament. No player will be recommended as a normal entry/special entry without participating in the selection tournament. In case no specific age group/category player is not available in the list, the said place will be kept vacant but other age group/category players will not be considered normal entries for the vacant age group/category place. For Amateur & Schools as there is no specific entry fee structure no selection will be made. For State School & State Championship Entry fee will be paid by the Organising committee for all the above selected players.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

REGISTRATION:

All Players including Normal/Seeded/Selected should get their names registered in apchess.org in the link provided for the tournament. (All age group players are also to get registered in the same tournament named (Palnadu) Selection(s) Tournament 2023. No player will be allowed without registering at the apchess.org (in case of website problems players should fill out the google form provided by the organiser through the official WhatsApp group of the District).

AGE GROUP CONSIDERATION

Players born on or after

For U7 Boys & Girls: 01-01-2016

For U9 Boys & Girls: 01-01-2014

For U11 Boys & Girls 01-01-2012

For U13 Boys & Girls 01-01-2010

For U15 Boys & Girls 01-01-2008

For Y19 Boys & Girls 01-01-2004

Considered for respective age group Unless specifically given in writing to Chief Arbiter before the commencement of the tournament for the option to consider them for any higher age group.

However, such a player will not be considered for his/her age group in such cases except for opted age group.

Eligibility

Age proof is required for Age group selection. The certificate should be from the Panchayat/Municipality or corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without the date of the birth certificate will not be considered for age group and they will be considered for open. As per the rules of AICF, only players whose dates of birth are registered within one year of their birth are permitted to take part in their respective age group state/nationals. Other country passport holders shall not be allowed to participate in the State Chess Championship. Only Andhra Pradesh Players can participate in this championship.

ACA PLAYER REGISTRATION

ACA player registration is mandatory for participating in District Selections. If any player is not registered he /she should fill the form and handed over to the organiser before start of Tournament.

Default Time:

The default time is 10 minutes. Players have to be at the boards within 10 minutes of the start of the round.

Rules

FIDE rules in force shall apply.

System of Play

The Tournament shall be conducted on the Swiss System. A number of rounds will be decided depending on the participation strength during the manager/player meeting and the same will be displayed.

Time Control

30 minutes each plus 5 seconds increment from the move one.

Tie-break

Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger, Direct encounter, number of wins (forfeit included), and number of wins with Black. In case of a tie, prizes will not be shared.

Chess Boards & Clocks

Players should bring their own chess boards and chess clocks. If not 5 minutes each will be awarded at the end.

Appeals Committee

An Appeals Committee will be formed before the tournament depending on the availability of senior players/coaches at the tournament. The decision of the Committee is final.

Protest

Protest, if any against the decision of the Chief arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs. 500/- within 10 minutes of the incident. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is refundable if the protest is upheld.

Withdrawals

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

Rights of Admission

The ACA/ Palnadu District Ad-hoc Committee reserve the rights of admission to the venue

Instruction to the over age players protests.

Complaints against suspected over-aged players could be made with a fee of Rs.1000/- to the organizers before the end of the second round and the matter will be taken to AICF through ACA.

Certificates

Digital certificates will be made available for all participants after the completion of the tournament within 15 days and the link will be available on the Palnadu District web page of apchess.org.

Eligibility

All Registered users of ACA belonging to Palnadu District as per apchess.org. Only Indian Nationals are eligible to participate.

All entries should be registered on or before 07-05-2023. However, the organizer reserves the right to accept entry up to the start of the tournament with a late fee. Entry fees have to be paid through the following mode.



CHESS TOURNAMENT



Entry fee: Rs. 300/-

(For Govt School children Rs. 200/-)

Y.V.K Chakravarthy

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For details please contact:

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Note :

1. Please attach payment proof while registering in the tournament.
2. For the process of registration go through the documentation available in the down loads of apchess.org.
3. The location of the venue will be shared through WhatsApp group (or) follow the Palnadu District web pages of apchess.org
4. Food: All Players look after their own arrangements.
5. Recommendation for State Championship: No player will be recommended by the District Palnadu Ad-hoc Committee to represent in AP State Championship without participating in the District Selection(s) tournament except in case of State School & State Amateur.