



# WARRIOR CHESS ACADEMY

## International 2nd FIDE Rated Open Chess Tournament

AICF Event: 452211/TN/2026

TNSCA Event: RO-31/CHE/25-26

Total  
Cash Prize  
₹ 7 lakhs

Entry Fee:  
₹ 3,500

105  
Cash Prizes  
+  
119  
Trophies



25<sup>th</sup> February - 1<sup>st</sup> March  
2026 (5 Days)



Nehru Stadium  
**CHENNAI**



## MAIN PRIZES

**1<sup>st</sup>** ₹ 50,001 + Smart TV + 🏆

**2<sup>nd</sup>** ₹ 40,000 + 🏆

**3<sup>rd</sup>** ₹ 30,000 + 🏆

**4<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 20,000

**5<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 15,000

**16<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 5,000

**17<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 5,000

**18<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 4,000

**19<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 4,000

**20<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 4,000

**6<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 13,000

**21<sup>st</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**7<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 12,000

**22<sup>nd</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**8<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 10,000

**23<sup>rd</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**9<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 10,000

**24<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**10<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 10,000

**25<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**11<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 9,000

**26<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**12<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 8,000

**27<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**13<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 7,000

**28<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**14<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 7,000

**29<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

**15<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 6,000

**30<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500

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# RATING CATEGORY PRIZES

## I400 - I500

1 <sup>st</sup>	₹ 15,000 +		+	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	₹ 12,000 +		+	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	₹ 10,000 +		+	
4 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 15,000			
5 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,500			
6 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
7 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
8 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
9 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
10 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
11 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			
12 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			

## I501 - I600

1 <sup>st</sup>	₹ 15,000 +		+	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	₹ 12,000 +		+	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	₹ 10,000 +		+	
4 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 15,000			
5 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,500			
6 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
7 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
8 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
9 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
10 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
11 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			
12 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			

## I601 - I700

1 <sup>st</sup>	₹ 15,000 +		+	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	₹ 12,000 +		+	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	₹ 10,000 +		+	
4 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 15,000			
5 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,500			
6 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
7 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
8 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
9 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
10 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
11 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			
12 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			

## I701 - I800

1 <sup>st</sup>	₹ 15,000 +		+	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	₹ 12,000 +		+	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	₹ 10,000 +		+	
4 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 15,000			
5 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,500			
6 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
7 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
8 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
9 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
10 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500			
11 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			
12 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,000			

## BEST UNRATED

1 <sup>st</sup>	₹ 10,000 +		+		4 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,500	7 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500	10 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500
2 <sup>nd</sup>	₹ 8,000 +		+		5 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 4,000	8 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500	11 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 2,500
3 <sup>rd</sup>	₹ 6,000 +		+		6 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500	9 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 3,500	12 <sup>th</sup>	₹ 2,500

# AGE CATEGORY PRIZES

**U- 08, 10, 12, 15 BOYS & GIRLS**

(SEPARATE PRIZES FOR EACH CATEGORY)

**1<sup>st</sup>** Cycle



**4<sup>th</sup>**



**6<sup>th</sup>**



**8<sup>th</sup>**



**2<sup>nd</sup>** Chess Clock



**5<sup>th</sup>**



**7<sup>th</sup>**



**9<sup>th</sup>**



**3<sup>rd</sup>** Smart watch



**10<sup>th</sup>**



## SPECIAL PRIZES

### BEST VETERAN (55+)

**1<sup>st</sup>** ₹ 4,500 +



**2<sup>nd</sup>** ₹ 4,000 +



**3<sup>rd</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**4<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**5<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



### BEST SP.CHALLENGED

**1<sup>st</sup>** ₹ 4,500 +



**2<sup>nd</sup>** ₹ 4,000 +



**3<sup>rd</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**4<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**5<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



### BEST GIRL / WOMEN (16+)

**1<sup>st</sup>** ₹ 4,500 +



**2<sup>nd</sup>** ₹ 4,000 +



**3<sup>rd</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**4<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



**5<sup>th</sup>** ₹ 3,500 +



### BEST YOUNGEST

**BOY**

**1<sup>st</sup>**



**2<sup>nd</sup>**



**3<sup>rd</sup>**



**GIRL**



**CHIEF ARBITER**

**Mr. NANDAKUMAR V,**  
International Arbiter

# TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

25 <sup>th</sup> FEB - 2026	ROUND 1	1 <sup>ST</sup> - 9:30 AM
	ROUND 2	2 <sup>ND</sup> - 3:00 PM
26 <sup>th</sup> FEB - 2026	ROUND 3	3 <sup>RD</sup> - 9:30 AM
	ROUND 4	4 <sup>TH</sup> - 3:00 PM
27 <sup>th</sup> FEB - 2026	ROUND 5	5 <sup>TH</sup> - 9:30 AM
	ROUND 6	6 <sup>TH</sup> - 3:00 PM
28 <sup>th</sup> FEB - 2026	ROUND 7	7 <sup>TH</sup> - 9:30 AM
	ROUND 8	8 <sup>TH</sup> - 3:00 PM
1 <sup>st</sup> MARCH - 2026	ROUND 9	9 <sup>TH</sup> - 9:30 AM
	PD FUNCTION	3:30 PM

# ENTRY FEE

**RS. 3,500/-**

For All Players

**FREE FOR**  
GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs

 **BANK DEPOSIT**

Account Name :

Warrior Chess Academy

A/C No : 6922137082

IFSC : IDIB000A131

Type : Current Account

Bank : Indian Bank

 **LAST DATE OF  
ENTRY**

**23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2026**

## NOTE ON REFUND POLICY

- No refund will be processed once the player has been paired in the 1<sup>st</sup> Round of the tournament.
- In case of cancellation, informing the Organizer is compulsory either through WhatsApp or Email.

For any queries or cancellation requests, kindly contact the Organizer:

 **+91 955 154 6464**

 **warriorchessacademy64@gmail.com**

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE

**Mr. V. BHASKAR,**

FIDE Instructor  
International Arbiter

**Mr. V. DHANASEKAR,**

International Arbiter

**Mr. S. BALAJI,**

FIDE Arbiter

**Mr. P ANAND BABU B.E.,**

Senior National Arbiter,  
Founder, Warrior Chess Academy

# RULES & REGULATIONS

- System of Play: The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with **9 rounds**.
- Time Control: **90 Minutes plus 30 seconds increment** from move 1 for the entire game.
- Tie Break: The following tie break rules will be applicable for all the FIDE Rated Swiss Events under AICF Incase of tie, **cash prize will not be shared**.
- As per AICF regulations, **wrist watches and other electronic devices** are strictly prohibited inside the playing area. Players are instructed not to wear wrist watches while playing. It will lead to **loss of the game**.
- AICF player registration** is compulsory for all **Indian 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 event ( Championship ). For renewing AICF registration of existing players, please click <https://prs.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** is compulsory for all **Tamil Nadu players**. TNSCA Player Registration fee is **Rs.150/-** for the **year 25-26**. 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. Note : Only passport size (less than 1 MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded
- CDCA Registration/Renewal** for the year **2025-2026** is mandatory for all **Chennai District Players**
- Default time is **15 minutes**. Players have to be at the boards within **15 minutes from the start of the round**.
- Protest, if any against the decision of the Chief arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of **Rs-1000/- within 15 minutes of the incident**. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is a refundable one if the protest is upheld.
- Withdrawals** - A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, **after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing**.
- Appeals Committee** - Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee comprising of five members plus two reserves will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decision will be final and binding on all the players concerned.



## PRIZE CONDITIONS ( FOR SPECIAL PRIZES )

- No requests or claims will be entertained regarding the change or upgrade of prizes such as Smart TV, Bicycles, Chess Clocks, Smart Watches, etc.
- Prize distribution will be done only during the Valedictory Function. Winners must be present in person to receive the prizes.
- The Organising Committee's decision regarding prize allocation and distribution shall be final and binding.