



36th NATIONAL TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP – 2016

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14th NATIONAL TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP FOR WOMEN -2016

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Organized by

ALL ODISHA CHESS ASSOCIATION

In association with



KIIT University

On behalf of

All India Chess Federation (AICF)

From : 8th to 14th February, 2016

Venue : KIIT Law College, KIIT University, Bhubaneswar-751024

SCHEDULE OF TOURNAMENT					
Particulars	Date	Time	Particulars	Date	Time
Arrival	08 Feb 2016	Before 10.00 am hrs.	Registration & Managers Meeting	08 Feb 2016	12.00 hrs
Inauguration	08 Feb 2016	14.00 hrs			
Round -1	08 Feb 2016	16.00 hrs	Round -6	11Feb 2016	16.00 hrs
Round -2	09 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs	Round -7	12 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs
Round -3	09 Feb 2016	16.00 hrs	Round -8	13 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs
Round -4	10 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs	Round-9	14 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs
Round -5	11 Feb 2016	09.00 hrs	Prize Distribution	14 Feb 2016	16.00 hrs

(2) Total Prize Fund Rs. 2,00,000/-

• **Men Team Prizes:**

1st Rs.25,000/-, 2nd Rs.20,000/-, 3rd Rs.15,000/-, 4th Rs.10,000/-, 5th Rs.7,000/-, 6th to 10th Rs. 5,000/- each.

• **Women Team Prizes:**

1st Rs.20,000/-, 2nd Rs.14,000/-, 3rd Rs.10,000/-, 4th Rs.8,000/-, 5th Rs.6,000/-

• **Men Team Board Prizes:**

1st Rs.8,000/-, 2nd Rs.6,000/-, 3rd Rs.4,000/-, 4th Rs.3,000/-, 5th Rs.2,000/-

• **Women Team Board Prizes:**

1st Rs.5,000/-, 2nd Rs.4,500/-, 3rd Rs.3,500/-, 4th Rs.2,500/-, 5th Rs.1,500/-

(3) LODGING :

Twin Sharing, Free Non-AC Hostel accommodation, adjacent to Venue, will be provided to one selected official **state** team members including one reserve and one manager from 08th to 14th February, 2016.

For Special (Donor entry team) entries, @ Rs.150/- (Rupees One Hundred Fifty only) per day per person will be charged towards accommodation.

(4) ELIGIBILITY :

- (a) Each affiliated State Association and Institution members of AICF shall be entitled to send one team for each championship. Additional team shall be treated as special entry and shall pay the special entry fee.
- (b) The host All Odisha Chess Association is entitled to field one additional team in each championship.
- (c) Any club recommended by the respective AICF affiliated State Association can field a team for each championship by paying the special entry of Rs. 5,000/- per team.
- (d) Only Indian Nationals are eligible to participate in the championships.

(5) COMPOSITION OF THE TEAM :

Each team (Men & Women) shall consist of four players and one reserve player. The seeding of the teams will be done on the basis of the average rating of the top 4 players. While sending entries, the names of all the players with their FIDE ID and their respective FIDE ratings, if any, should be given to enable the arbiters to arrive at the teams' average rating for ranking purposes. These names and ratings should be reconfirmed in person at the Technical Meeting. The Board Order could be decided by the respective team Captain/Manager, before the commencement of the championship.

(6) SYSTEM OF PLAY :

The Tournament shall be played under the FIDE Laws of Chess.

(7) SESSION OF PLAY & TIME CONTROL:

Team Swiss with a time control of 90 minutes each plus 30 seconds increment per move from move number one.

(8) CHESS CLOCKS

Each team must bring at least two DGT chess clocks in working condition

(9) TIE BREAK:

Latest tie breaking rules will be applied.

(10) ZERO MINUTE RULE:

The "Zero Tolerance" rules will be followed (i.e. Any player who arrives at the chessboard after the start of the session shall lose the game. Thus the default time is zero minutes).

(11) APPEALS COMMITTEE:

Before the commencement of the Championship a five member committee of Appeal with two reserves shall also be formed from amongst the senior participants and officials present at the Technical meeting. All the five members and reserves will be from different states. No member of the committee shall vote on a dispute in which a player from as own unit is involved and in such cases the reserve members(s) shall take his/their places in the committee.

(12) TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE : A representative of the AICF, two members from different participating Associations and two members of the host Association will serve as the Tournament Committee.

(13) PROTESTS :

Protests, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing to the Chief Arbiter at least within 30 minutes of the of the incident with a protest fee of Rs. 1000/- which shall be refunded if the appeal is upheld. The decision of the appeals committee shall be FINAL and BINDING on all the participants.

(14) ARREARS :

All arrears of affiliation fee, tournament fee including that of the current year, must be cleared by the Affiliated Association / Unit at the time of submitting the entries. Otherwise the entries are liable to be rejected.

(15) 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.

(16) INTERPRETATION: For interpretation of the rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the Tournament Committee shall be final and binding on all. The Tournament Committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules, without **prior** notice. **However, such changes should be approved by the AICF.** Such changes will, however, be displayed in the tournament hall.

(17) REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS WITH AICF IS COMPULSORY :

All participants should get their names registered with AICF. Registration forms will be available at the venue on payment of Rs. 250/- for the year 2015-2016. No unregistered player will be allowed to participate in the tournament. If a player is already registered with AICF must show proof thereof.

(18) ENTRIES & ENTRY FEES:

(a) Normal Entry: Rs. 3,000/-, (b) Special Entry: Rs. 5,000/-
The entry fee shall be paid by DD drawn in favor of All Odisha Chess Association, payable at Bhubaneswar. Entries with payment should be sent to :
Mr. **Saroj Kishore Behera**, Treasurer, All Odisha Chess Association, At-Harachandi Sahi, Old Town, Bhubaneswar. Contact No. **098610-83764**.
Email: sarojkishore.behera@gmail.com & cc to : scsbadal@gmail.com
Website: www.odishachess.com

Last date for entries to be received on or before **03.02.2016** (Late entries will be received till **07.02.2016 with a late fee of Rs. 1000/-**). Please note that Cheques/Non MICR DD's will not be accepted. All entries have to be accompanied with **filled in entry form** given below.

Registration/Accommodation:

Mr. Subhasis Patnaik, Executive Member, AOCA, 090400-91258
 Mr. G.C. Mohapatra, Executive Member, AOCA, 094370-45464
 Mr. Suresh Chandra Sahoo, IA, Executive Member, AOCA, 097761-18644

Contacts (if Required):

Mr. Sekhar Chandra Sahu, IM, President, AOCA , 070484-13788

ENTRY FORM

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Name of Team:

Open/Women:

Normal Entry/ Special Entry:

D. D. No.: Drawn on:

Branch: Dated:

Sl. No.	Name of Player	FIDE ID	AICF ID	FIDE Rating
1				
2				
3				
4				
5 (Reserve)				
Manager				

**Association/Affiliated Member
 (Name, Designation & Stamp)**