



ODISHA STATE WOMEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2023



Organized by

**Kendrapara District Chess Association
(KDCA)**

Under the aegis of

ALL ODISHA CHESS ASSOCIATION(AOCA)

(Date: 20th – 21st MAY' 2023)

**VENUE: Gaurisankar Hotel, Tinimuhani
Kendrapara , Odisha**

Total Prize Fund: ₹ 10,000/-

Tournament Schedule:

Inauguration : 09.30 A.M, Dt: 20/05/2023

Players Meet : 10.00 A.M, Dt: 20/05/2023

Rounds Schedule (Tentative):

20th May - 10:30 AM - Round 1	21st May - 02:30 PM – Round 6
20th May - 11:30 AM - Round 2	21st May - 02:30 PM – Round 7
20th May - 02:30 PM - Round 3	Prize Distribution Ceremony (21st May, 2023– 4:30 PM)
20th May - 04:30 PM - Round 4	
21st May - 11:30 AM - Round 5	

: 2 :

Open Category Prizes

CHAMPION	₹ 2,000/- + Trophy
RUNNER-UP	₹ 1,500/- + Trophy
3RD POSITION	₹ 1,500/- + Trophy
4TH POSITION	₹ 1,000/- + Trophy
5TH POSITION	₹ 1,000/-
6TH POSITION	₹ 800/-
7TH POSITION	₹ 700/-
8TH POSITION	₹ 600/-
9TH POSITION	₹ 500/-
10TH POSITION	₹ 400/-

AGE CATEGORY PRIZES (OPEN)

AGE GROUP	1ST
UNDER-13	TROPHIES
UNDER-11	
UNDER-09	
UNDER-07	
UNDER-06	

Entry Fee: ₹ 400/- (Rupees Four hundred only)

- **Entry details:** It can also be sent to WhatsApp no (9439490922, Jyoti Shankar Nanda, IA along with the Category name, DOB and FIDE ID/AOCA ID if any.
- **Entry fees:** It will be collected at the Venue from 8.00 AM-10.00 A.M. on 20th May' 2023.
- **Entry form:** will be available on the spot. **Completion of Entry form is mandatory for all. Players without filled up Entry forms are not eligible for the 1st round pairing.**
- **AICF-Registration:** It is compulsory for all the participants to complete their AICF-registration for the year 2023-24. Online registration can be done through the link: <https://prs.aicf.in/players>. Spot online registration can be done.
- Player list will be uploaded to www.chess-results.com server on regular basis.

Tournament Rules:

Eligibility: Only players from the state of Odisha are eligible to participate in this Championship. New player must bring one Passport size photo and one copy of DOB certificate.

System of play: The Tournament will be played as per FIDE laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 7 rounds shall be played.

Time Control: 60 minutes plus 30 secs increment from move 1 for the entire game.

Tie Break : The following Tie-breaks will be applied.

1. Buchholz Cut-1
2. Buchholz
3. Sonneborn-Berger
4. Direct encounter
5. The greater number of wins including forfeits
6. Number of wins with Black pieces

However, the cash prizes will not be shared.

Default Time: The default time will be 30 minutes.

Mobile Phone n Wrist Watches: Mobile phones and all electronics devices including wrist watches (all type of wrist watches) are not allowed inside the tournament hall. Players may keep it in separate bag with switched off mode. If the same found during the game in person, players are liable to lose the game or his/her game will be treated as lost (Article: 11.3.2)

Draw offer : No draw offer will be allowed before *Black's 30th move*, unless it is a case of repetition.

Chief Arbiter Discretion: In the event of an unexpected occurrence, the Chief Arbiter reserves the right to make all decisions in conjunction with or on behalf of this championship.

Withdrawal: A player may withdraw at any stage of the event subject to notifying the Arbiter, else he/she will be considered as withdrawn/ treated as withdrawn from the tournament, else *Chief Arbiter* decision otherwise.

Appeals Committee: Before the commencement of the tournament, a Three Member Appeals Committee shall be formed by the organizers. All members and the reserves shall be from the different district/units. No members of the committee can vote on the dispute in which a player from his own district is involved. In such case(s) reserve member(s) shall take his place in the committee. The decision of the appeals committee is FINAL and BINDING on all players concerned.

Protest: Protest if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee ₹1,000/- within 30 minutes of occurrence of the incident. The amount shall be refunded if appeal is upheld. The decision of the appeals committee is FINAL AND BINDING on all players concerned.

Disqualification: No player shall leave the venue before the Prize distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter.

State Qualifiers : Top four (4) players and will participate in the upcoming Senior National Women Chess Championship 2023" to be held at Gujarat on 30th June - 10th July , 2023

: 4 :

For Further details Contact:

Entry and Technical Matter Mr. Jyoti Shankar Nanda, IA (9439490922, WASP)	Entry and Accommodation Mrs. Pinky Mohapatra , SNA (9040107060)
--	--

For any Emergency, Contact:

Mr. Debabrata Swain , President , KDCA : 99379 09909

Mr. Hadibandhu Singh, Working President, KDCA: 99371 62995

Mr. Lalat Keshari Samal , Vice President , KDCA : 93373 95004

Mr. Dharanidhar Sethy , Vice President , KDCA : 94384 12372

Mr. Bhabesh Mohanty , Secretary, KDCA : 82490 73810

Mr. Narayan Das , Jt. Secretry, KDCA : 99374 66755

(Note: Playing Schedule may change, depending upon the strength of the participants. All the participants will get **State level Certificate** subject to completion of the event.)

THANK YOU