



# We Are One Family

## Online Chess Tournament

**On the occasion of International Chess Day,**

**QCA is happy to invite you and all chess enthusiasts to participate in the “We Are One Family” Online Chess Tournament. The tournament will be played in 18 rounds of Blitz Chess on Lichess.org, which is going to kick off on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July at: 5:00 PM Qatar Time. The Player who gets the most points after 18 rounds of play will be declared the Winner.**



#InternationalChessDay



## Prizes

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place – Winner</b>	<b>500 \$</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>250 \$</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>	<b>150 \$</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>50 \$</b>
<b>Best Female</b>	<b>250 \$</b>
<b>Best Boy U20</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>Best Girl U20</b>	<b>100 \$</b>

<b>Best Resident – 1<sup>st</sup> prize</b>	<b>150 \$</b>
<b>Best Resident – 2<sup>nd</sup> prize</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>Best Resident – 3<sup>rd</sup> prize</b>	<b>50 \$</b>
<b>Best Resident U20</b>	<b>75 \$</b>
<b>Best Resident U16</b>	<b>50 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Male – 1<sup>st</sup> prize</b>	<b>200 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Male – 2<sup>nd</sup> prize</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Male – 3<sup>rd</sup> prize</b>	<b>50 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Female – 1<sup>st</sup> prize</b>	<b>200 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Female – 2<sup>nd</sup> prize</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari Female – 3<sup>rd</sup> prize</b>	<b>50 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari U20</b>	<b>100 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari U14</b>	<b>75 \$</b>
<b>Best Qatari U12</b>	<b>50 \$</b>

### NOTE:

- No prize sharing.
- Prizes shall be received via Bank-Transfer after 3 weeks to one month of Winners-List announcement due to Covid-19 less office-hours + Banks long & slow procedures.
- Prize must be claimed within 24 hours, after that no claim will be entertained.
- To claim a prize, contact the Tournament Director at the following number: +974 30006260



## **Rules & Regulations:**

**Admission:** Open for all & Free of charge

**Date & Time:** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020 at: 5:00 PM Doha-Qatar Time

**Where?** On [lichess.org](https://lichess.org)

If you are new to Lichess or not familiar with the Swiss System format at Lichess, we suggest you to become familiar with it by visiting the following page: <https://lichess.org/swiss>

**Time Control:** 3min + 1sec/move, 18 rounds Blitz Chess, Swiss System.

**Score Calculation:** A win is worth one point, a draw is a half point, and a loss is zero points. When a player can't be paired during a round, they receive a "bye" which worth one point.

### **How is the winner decided?**

The player(s) with the most points at the conclusion of the tournament will be announced winner(s). When two or more players have the same number of points, Sonneborn–Berger score will be the tie break. Results and winners' names will be published after the final report.

### **Fair Play:**

Qatar Chess Association has taken several measures to ensure clean and fair play system for all participants. QCA reserves the right to **BAN** x-player from taking part in any future tournament hosted by QCA and **declare** his name in public if x-player turn out to be cheating or using any external assistance like chess engines during the tournament.

If your lichess account is further convicted of fair-play violations, your account will be closed, and you will be subjected to lichess private proceedings. You can find more information about this on: [lichess.org/faq](https://lichess.org/faq)



## Registration Steps:

- 1- Create an account on lichess if you don't have one.
- 2- Join QCA Team in Lichess here: <https://lichess.org/team/qatar-chess-association>
- 3- Open the tournament page here: <https://lichess.org/swiss/j2P7zZPQ>
- 4- Click " Join "

**For more information: +974 30006260**



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