



UNDER THE AUSPICES OF HIS EXCELLENCY
THE MINISTER OF YOUTH & SPORTS DR/ASHRAF SOBHY
Al-Ain Overseas International Chess Festival (Egypt, 27/11 - 3/12/2023)

Al-Ain Chess Club and Adly Chess Academy have the honor to invite you to participate in Al-Ain Overseas Chess Festival, To be held at hall 4 of Cairo Stadium in Nasr City.

Playing System & Technical Regulations:

- The championship is open for all players.
- 10 rounds Swiss system tournament.
- Rate of play is standard: 90 minutes with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from move one..
- The first round starts at 5:00 pm.
- Registration will be closed upon reaching the limit of 600 players.
- The Tournament is a FIDE rated event, in which FIDE laws of standard chess is applied.
- According to FIDE regulations, It is not allowed to have any electronic devices (Mobiles, smartwatches, etc..) in the playing hall.
- Prizes will not be shared and will be given as per the final ranking, Tiebreaks will be applied.
- Tiebreaks are as the FIDE laws and will be announced before the start of the tournament.
- Tournament Champion will be decided through blitz sudden death Match after last round in case of a tie.

Prizes:

The closing ceremony is on the 3rd of December at 09:00 pm.

Main Prizes		Special Prizes	
1st place	EGP 20,000	Rated Under 2000	EGP 2,500 / 2,000/ 1,500 / 1,000 / 800
2nd place	EGP 15,000		
3rd place	EGP 10,000	Women	EGP 2,500 / 2,000/ 1,500 / 1,000 / 800
4th place	EGP 7,000		
5th place	EGP 5,000	Seniors 60	EGP 2,500 / 2,000/ 1,500 / 1,000 / 800
6th - 10th places	EGP 3,000		
11th - 15th places	EGP 2,200	Unrated	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000

Youth Prizes			
Open U-16	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000	Girls U-16	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000
Open U-14	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000	Girls U-14	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000
Open U-12	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000	Girls U-12	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000
Open U-10	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000	Girls U-10	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000
Open U-08	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000	Girls U-08	EGP 2,000 / 1,500 / 1,000

Cups are rewarded to the 1st place in each category.
Gold, Silver & Bronze medals are rewarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd places respectively.
Certificates are given to the 1st five places.

Category & Youth prizes doesn't depend on the number of participants.

Tournament Fees
Registration fees:500 EGP
Free registration for title holders (GM - WGM), Seniors 60 & people of determination

Remarks:

- Number of players is limited to 600 players.
- Registration is first-come first-served basis.
- The player can't get 2 prizes, he only receives the higher one and the other prize is given to the following player on the standings.
- A half point bye is granted to any player upon request for Rounds 2 & 4, the request should be presented to chief arbiter the day before the round.
- Dress code: All players are required to be decently dressed and therefore shorts, slippers and revealing attire are not permitted.
- Appeals: Any Appeal is submitted written just after the completion of the respective game accompanied with the sum of EGP 200. Late appeals will not be accepted and the player loses his right to Appeal.
- For any inquiries, kindly contact the academy administrators: +201099787127 / +201033117744
- The tournament fees are to be paid either via cash at Adly Chess Academy or via Vodafone Cash (01022758523) followed by sending proof of payment as a confirmation.
- Deadline for registration is 19th of November or when the limit of 600 players is reached.

