



نادي الشارقة الثقافي للشطرنج
Sharjah Cultural & Chess Club

حكومة الشارقة
مجلس الشارقة الرياضي
GOVERNMENT OF SHARJAH
SHARJAH SPORTS COUNCIL



4th Ali Abu Khalil Memorial December 2024

1. Prospectus

● The Sharjah Cultural & Chess Club (SCCC) and the Sharjah International Chess Academy (SICA) are pleased to announce the **4th Ali Abu Khalil Memorial December 2024**, which will be held over-the-board, From **23rd until 28th December 2024** at **17:00**.

2. Participation-Registration

- All Participants must have issued a FIDE-ID.
- The participation is open for everybody with Under 2300 FIDE Standard Rating.
- Registrations will be accepted only via the following link:
<https://sharjahchess.ae/register>.
- The deadline for Applications and Payment will be on **December 21st** (20:00).

3. Entry Fees

- Players Under 1600 standard rating Entry Fees: AED 150.
- Players over 1600 standard rating Entry Fees: AED 100 .
- All Entry Fees must be pre-paid by payment link will send it by email.
- Limitation of Participation will be on 200 Participants.
- Registration will be closed upon reaching the maximum number of Participants.

- Registered Participants who will withdraw without valid reason(s) at any stage (even before the 1st Round), will not be allowed to participate in future events of SCCC & SICA.

4. Data

- Swiss System Tournament of Nine (9) rounds. will be FIDE-Rated (FIDE Standard Rating List).
- The playing venue will be the in the premises of the SCCC & SICA.
- The tournament will be held by a total of Ten (45) minutes +(30) second increment

6. Scoring System & Tie-Breaks

- The tie-break criteria will be (by order):
 - Direct Encounter.
 - Buchholz-cut1.
 - Buchholz-cut2.
 - Highest Number of Wins with black (played).
 - Rating Performance.

4th Ali Abu Khalil Memorial December Standard Event (AED 11000)		
Standings		Prizes AED
1 st Place		3000
2 nd Place		2000
3 rd Place		1500
4 th Place		1000
5 th Place		800
Best UAE		1000
Best SCCC player		1000
Best Player U1800		500
Best Player U1600		500

Date		Time	Activity
December 23 rd	Monday	17:00	Round 1
December 24 th	Tuesday	17:00	Round 2
December 25 th	Wednesday	17:00	Round 3
December 26 th	Thursday	17:00	Round 4
December 27 th	Friday	16:00	Round 5
		18:00	Round 6
December 28 th	Saturday	15:00	Round 7
		17:00	Round 8
		18:00	Round 9