



**Pondicherry District and State
SENIOR Chess Championship
2023-2024**

From 28th July to 30th July 2023

28th Friday-evening - one round

29th Saturday-full day-three rounds

30th Sunday- full day - three rounds

Organized By :

PONDICHERRY STATE CHESS ASSOCIATION

Under the Aegis of

ALL INDIA CHESS FEDERATION

VENUE

**Mutharaiyar Higher Secondary School,
Muthirayarpalayam , Puducherry**

**Registration : 5.00 to 6.00 pm onwards on 28th July 2023 at
Mutharaiyar Higher Secondary school**

First round shall commence by Friday 6 pm (28-07-2023)

First round at	06pm	28-07-2023
Second round at	09am	29-07-2023
Third round at	12 pm	29-07-2023
Fourth round at	04 pm	29-07-2023
Fifth round at	09 am	30-07-2023
Sixth round at	12pm	30-07-2023
Seventh round at	04 pm	30-07-2023

Championship will be played under Swiss System and the number of rounds and schedule will depend on number of participants. The schedule and time can be changed accordingly.

2. **Eligibility:** Only Pondicherry state players can participate in the event.

3. **Entry fee: Rs. 400/-**

Players should bring your own chess boards & clock

4. **Tie Break:** Following is the order of tie-break:

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

5. **Protest:** Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 Minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

6. **Appeals Committee:** Before the commencement of the tournament, a three-member appeals committee shall be formed by the PSCA

7. **Withdrawal:** If any player is absent for any round without intimation to Chief Arbiter will be removed for all the remaining rounds without further notice

8. **PSCA Registration:** It is Mandatory for all participants to register their names with the Pondicherry State Chess Association for the year 2023-2024. PSCA registration fees **Rs . 100/-**

9. Top four will be selected to represent the Pondicherry State Chess Association in the fourth coming 60th National Senior Chess Championship to be held at Pune, Maharashtra from 16-26 August 2023

10. **Prize Awards :**

Total 35 prizes

- 1st Prize Rs :3000/-
- 2nd Prize Rs :2500/-
- 3rd Prize: Rs 1000/-,
- 4th Prize: Rs 750/-
- 5th Prize: Rs 500 /-
- 6th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 7th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 8th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 9th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 10th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 11th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 12th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 13th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 14th Prize: Rs 500/-
- 15th prize: Rs 500/-

Consolation prizes U7 Boys 2prizes (cups)
U7 Girls 2prizes (cups)
U9 Boys 2prizes (cups)
U9 Girls 2prizes (cups)
U11 Boys 2prizes (cups)
U11 Girls 2prizes (cups)
U13 Boys 2prizes (cups)
U13 Girls 2prizes (cups)
U15 Boys 2prizes (cups)
U15 Girls 2prizes (cups)

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