

Renganayagi Varatharaj College of Engineering
Tamil Nadu State FIDE Rated 19th Team & 13th Blitz Chess
Championships 2012

(AICF Event Code 65165/TN/11-12)

TNSCA Approval S15/11-12)

Organised by
Virudhunagar District Chess Association



Estd. 1947

On behalf of
Tamil Nadu State Chess Association

09/02/2012 to 13/02/2012.

Venue: Renganayagi Varatharaj College of Engineering
Sivakasi – Thayilpatti - Sattur Road, Salvarpatti – 626 128

Schedule

09.02.2012	:	Arrival	
	:	Manager's Meeting	11.00-12.00 Hrs
		Team Championship	
	:	Round - 1	14.00-18.00 Hrs
10.02.2012	:	Round - 2 & 3	09.30-13.30 Hrs & 15.30-19.30 Hrs
11.02.2012	:	Round – 4 & 5	09.30-13.30 Hrs & 15.30-19.30 Hrs
12.02.2012	:	Round - 6	09.30-13.30 Hrs
12.02.2012	:	Blitz Championship	14.30-16.30 Hrs
13.02.2012	:	Round - 7	09.30-13.30 Hrs
	:	Prize Distribution Function	15.00-16.00 Hrs

Total Cash Prizes: Rs.40000

Team Prizes	:	1. Rs. 8,000/-; 2. Rs. 6,000/-; 3. Rs. 4,000/-; 4. Rs. 2,500/-; 5. Rs. 2,000/-; 6. Rs. 1,500/-; 7. Rs. 1,000/-; 8. Rs. 1,000/-; 9. Rs. 1,000/-; 10. Rs. 1,000/-.
Board Prizes	:	1. Rs. 1,500/-; 2. Rs. 1,250/-; 3. Rs. 1,000/-; 4. Rs. 750/-; 5. Rs. 500/-
Blitz Prizes	:	1. Rs. 1,500/-; 2. Rs. 1,100/-; 3. Rs. 900/-; 4. Rs. 750/-; 5. Rs. 650/-; 6. Rs. 500/-; 7. Rs. 400/-; 8. Rs. 300/-; 9 to 11. Rs. 200/- each 12 to 14 Rs. 100 each

Best individual performance: Three or four prizes each in Under 16, 13 and 10 categories

Entry fees: Rs. 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) per team, can be sent by Cash, D.D. or Banker's cheque in favour of **Virudhunagar District Chess Association** payable at **Sivakasi**. Entries should reach on or before 05.02..2012 at Virudhunagar District Chess Association, 58 (21/1), Mundaga Nadar Street, Sivakasi – 626 123. E-mail: vdcachess@gmail.com Entries can also be registered on line at website: www.vdcachess.com (All the four/five names can be entered in the column against *Applicant's name*) Ph: R. Anantharam 94431 55852, V. Sundara Pandian 94433 74894.

Registration of players with AICF: All the participants must be registered players of All India Chess Federation. Those who are already registered with AICF must produce proof thereof. The AICF registration fee for the year 2011-2012 is Rs.250/-. While registering, a photo copy of the date of birth certificate must be produced. **The date of birth certificates registered within one year of the birth of the child alone will be recognized and allowed to participate.** Entries without AICF registration fee will be rejected.

TNSCA registration fee: Every participant should be registered with TNSCA for 2011 - 12. Those who are not yet registered with TNSCA should register themselves with TNSCA.

Lodging: Free dormitory accommodation will be arranged suitably for outstation teams including manager. All are requested to bring their bedding, etc. The venue is about 7 KMs from Sattur and 15 KMs from Sivakasi. Free transport will be provided by the college management to Sattur and Sivakasi daily.

Boarding: As there is no hotel near the college, food will be arranged at the college on nominal payment of **Rs.300 (Rs.three hundred only) for meals for five days or Rs.100/- (Rs.one hundred only) for five days lunch @ Rs.20 for each lunch. Participants must inform earlier (along with the entry), whether they need only lunch or meals for three times on all days.**

Important trains from Chennai to Sattur: 12633 Kanyakumari Express (Reaches Sattur at 03.05 AM), 12631 Nellai Express (06.33 AM), 12693 Pearl City Express (05.26 AM) and 16723 Ananthapuri Express (04.57 AM)

From Hosur, Salem, Erode etc. Mysore – Tuticorin Express 16732 – reaches Sattur at 08.40 AM

From Coimbatore: 16610 Nagercoil Express (03.16 AM)

From Thanjavur: 16735 Tiruchendur Express (04.00 AM)

Lodges in Sattur

Chitra Lodge, Ph : 04562 261486

Nataraj Lodge, Ph: 04562 260465 . .

Lodges near Sivakasi Bus stand (convenient to catch the college bus)

Hotel Pandian Ph: 04562 272783 and 274464

Hotel Srinivas: 04562 277522 and 277533

Hotel Chidambaram 278121 and 278124

Ariyas Mansion: 277175 and 94431 27717

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

RULES & REGULATIONS

Eligibility: (a) All affiliates of the TNSCA (b) any Chess Club or Chess Association affiliated to any of our District Chess Associations; (c) any Institution; (d) any team of four or five players. Players intending to represent teams other than their own District/ Special Unit should apply in writing to their District association or Special Unit for a No objection certificate at least 10 days before the start of the championship. At least five days before the championship starts, the District Association or Special Unit shall inform the TNSCA and the player concerned, its decision on the application. Players cannot participate in any state championship without the written consent of their District Association or Special Unit.

Organizers have the right to reject entries without assigning any reason. However, their entry fee will be refunded. The organizers and TNSCA reserve the rights of admission in the tournament premises.

System of Play: The tournament shall be a 7-round Swiss. FIDE Rules will be followed.

Rate of Play: 90 minutes each with 30 seconds increment from move number 1;

Team composition: Each team will consist of maximum five players and one Manager. Each team match will be played on four boards. A team's fixed board order (FBO) for the whole championship shall be given in writing at the Captains' meeting. This shall be final. Board replacement in any round shall be in ascending order. Fifth board player can play on Board 4, fourth board player can play only on fourth or third board (if any player of the higher board is rested) and so on. Order for each round (Round Team List – RTL) shall be submitted to the Chief Arbiter within the time frame specified at the Captains' meeting. If a team does not submit any board order for any round, only their first four players according to their fixed board order can play in that round.

Tie-Break: Pairing will be done by match points. The position of teams that finish with the same number of match points shall be determined by application of the following in sequence, proceeding from (a) to (b) to (c) to (d) to the extent required:

- (a) by the sum of the game scores of all the team's opponents;
- (b) Sonneborn-Berger for Team Tournaments – it is the score made by each opposing team multiplied by the score made against that team. Then add all these sums together.
- (c) by the sum of the match points of all the teams' opponents, excluding the one opponent who scored the lowest number of match points.

Chess Clock: Every team should bring at least two chess clocks in good working condition.

Disqualification: Smoking inside the premises is strictly prohibited. No participant shall leave the venue before the prize distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter.

Arrears: The players belonging to District Chess Association / Special Units / Academies which are in arrears to TNSCA cannot field their team.

Appeals committee: Protest if any, should be given in writing with a fee of Rs. 300/- within 30 minutes of the incident to the Chief Arbiter; all protest shall be decided by the Appeals Committee to be elected at the Captains meeting before the first round.

Interpretation: For Interpretation of the rules and deciding on any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the Tournament Committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules without prior notice. Such changes will, however be displayed in the tournament hall.

BLITZ CHAMPIONSHIP

The Tamil Nadu State Blitz Championship will be held at the same venue on the evening of 12th February 2012. This shall be a 9 round Swiss and will be open to all. The entry fee shall be Rs. 100/- If the player brings his own chess clock in working condition the entry fee is Rs. 75/- The organizers reserve the right to accept or reject the participant who does not bring a chess clock, in case clocks are insufficient at the venue. **Entries for the event should be submitted latest by 12.00 Hrs. on 11th February, 2012 at the venue.**

Previous Winners

TN Team Championship

01 1974 Madras	Madras "B"	12 2001 Rajapalayam	Indian Bank
02 1976 Pollachi	Madras "A"	13 2002 Avadi	T.Nagar 'A'
03 1977 Madurai	Madras "A"	14 2003 Chennai	ICF
04 1978 Mettur	Madras "B"	2004 Not Held	
05 1980 Chengleput	Madras "A"	15 2005 Avadi	Southern Railway
06 1981 Tuticorin	Madras "A"	16 2006 Neyveli	ICF – Chennai.
07 1982 Madras	Indian Bank	17 2007 Chennai	Velammal "A"
08 1983 Pollachi	Madras "A"	18 2008 Chennai	SRM University
09 1984 Sivakasi	Madurai	2009, 2010 & 2011 Not held	
10 1988 Dharmapuri	Thanjavur	19. 2012 Sattur	??????
11 1998 Chennai	Indian Bank		

TN Blitz Championship

01 1978 Mettur	
02 1980 Kancheepuram	
03 1981 Tuticorin	S.Narayanasamy
04 1982 Madras	K.V.Santharam
05 1998 Chennai	K.Sasikiran
06 2001 Sivakasi	G.B.Prakash
07 2002 Thiruvallur	S.Poobesh Anand
08 2003 Chennai	K.Gunasekaran
2004 Not held	
09 2005 Avadi	Ram.S.Krishnan
10 2006 Neyveli	Karthikeyan.P
11 2007 Chennai	Sethuraman. S.P
12 2008 Chennai	Deepan Chakravarthy

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ENTRY FORM

To

The Secretary
Virudhunagar District Chess Association
58 (21/1), Mundaga Nadar Street
Sivakasi – 626 123

Dear Sir,

Kindly accept the entry of our following players for the above chess championship organized by Virudhunagar District Chess Association. The entry fees has been paid by D.D. favouring “ Virudhunagar District Chess Association” payable at Sivakasi. We understand that the Championship is held for only registered players of Tamil Nadu State Chess Association. All the team members will abide by the Rules & Regulations of Tamil Nadu State Chess Association.

Name of the Team:.....

Team Manager:.....

Sl. No.	Team Members	Payment Particulars	Team C’Ship / Blitz C’Ship
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Secretary / Physical Director.
District Chess Association/ Academy/ Special Members/
Universities/ Educational Institutions.

Place:

Date:

(Seal)