

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CHESS RATING TOURNAMENT "Ethno Village Timchevski 2019"

Staro Nagorichane, Kumanovo, July 1 - 3, 2019

Organizers, venue and date

The City Chess Club Kumanovo in cooperation with Ethno Village "Timchevski", organizes the International Youth Rating Chess Tournament "Ethno Village Timchevski 2019" in the period from 1 - 3 July 2019 in Ethno village "Timchevski" in Kumanovo, Northern Macedonia.

International Youth Rating Chess Tournament "Ethno Village Timchevski 2019" will be played in two age groups: up to 20 (born in 1999 and younger) and up to 12 years old (born in 2007 and younger). The right to appear on both tournaments have chess players up to 2200 rating points FIDE (standard FIDE rating).

System and rate of play

The International Youth Rating Chess Tournament "Ethno Village Timchevski 2019" in both age groups are held by the Swiss system in 7 rounds (Computer Pairing). The tournaments are FIDE rated.

The rate of play is 60 minutes for the whole game, with an addition of 30 seconds per move, starting from the first move. Writing moves are required.

Accommodation of the Participants and Entry Fee

Accommodation in Ethno Village "Timchevski" is provided for all participants and accompanying persons. The price of two days Full Board and registration for participants in double and triple rooms are 50 EUR, and for parents, coaches and other companions in double and triple rooms is 40 EUR.

A meal for those who are not accommodated in Ethno Village "Timchevski" through the organizer is 5 EUR or 300 denars.

Exclusive packages - discounts for the first ten accompanying persons and trainers with 2 or 3 participants.

Entry Fee

The registration fee for participants which will not use official accommodation in Ethno Village "Timchevski" is 10 EUR or 600 denars.

Prizes and Qualifying

Organizer secured for all participants of the tournament to receive appropriate gifts and diplomas for participation.

For the overall tournament winners (up to 12 and up to 18 years old), as well as for the three first placed in all age categories (up to 8, up to 10 years in the tournament up to 12 years, and up to 14 and 16 years in the tournament up to 18 years) Organiser secured cups and medals.

The winners of both tournaments, as part of the first prize, are entitled to free participation in the European Youth Championship in Accelerated Chess in Novi Sad in 2020, in a way that they will be paid an entry fee and two days full boards in the official hotel.

The prize fund of the tournament up to 18 years old is:

- 1st place - Entry fee and Full Board at the European Youth Championship in Rapid Chess in Novi Sad 2020 (U18) plus 3000 denars
- 2nd place - 5000 denars
- 3rd place - 3000 denars
- 4th place - 2000 denars
- The best girl - 2000 denars

The prize fund of the tournament for up to 12 years is:

- 1st place - Entry fee and Full Board at the European Youth Championship in Rapid Chess in Novi Sad 2020 plus 2000 denars
- 2nd place - 3000 denars
- 3rd place - 2000 denars
- 4th place - 1500 denars
- The best girl - 1500 denars

Important Information

The Technical Conference for tournaments will be held on July 1 at noon in the hall of Ethno Village "Timchevski," and the formal opening at 2 PM in the playing hall after which the first round will begin.

Anything not foreseen by this Announcement, as well as any changes, will be an integral part of the Tournament Regulations.

Reservation of Accommodation, Player Registration and Payment

The deadline for applying for participation and accommodation is on Thursday, June 20, 2019. The registration of players and accompanying persons can be done via the e-mail address: youthchessfestival@gmail.com, or via the contact telephone numbers.

The type and quality of the rooms will be allocated to the participants and their followers according to the order of registration and payment.

For all additional information and payment instructions contact:

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