



Smart Chess Academy 13th Tamil Nadu State Level Children & Open Chess Tournament Karur 2026

(TNSCA Approval No : CO-196/KAR/25-26)

(Under the aegis of TNSCA and KDCA)

Organized by

SMART CHESS ACADEMY, KARUR

Date: 11/01/2026 (Sunday)

Round 1 : 9.45 am on 11.01.2026

Venue: The Karur Polytechnic College, Erode Road, Karur - 639008

Inaugural Function : 9.00 am

Prize Distribution : 5.00 pm

20 & above entries through Academy or School will get **Shields**

9 CATEGORIES OPEN,
UNDER 9 BOYS, UNDER 9 GIRLS
UNDER 11 BOYS, UNDER 11 GIRLS
UNDER 13 BOYS, UNDER 13 GIRLS
UNDER 17 BOYS, UNDER 17 GIRLS

Total 285+ Prizes
 All Players will get **Certificates + Medals**

Main Categories & Trophies	Born on or after	Special Trophies	Born on or after
Under 9 - Boys : 20 & Girls : 20	(01.01.2017)	Under 8 - Boys 5 & Girls 5	(01.01.2018)
All Under 7 Player will get Special Trophies (Born on or after 01.01.2019)			
Under 11 - Boys : 20 & Girls : 20	(01.01.2015)	Under 10 - Boys 5 & Girls 5	(01.01.2016)
Under 13 - Boys : 20 & Girls : 20	(01.01.2013)	Under 12 - Boys 5 & Girls 5	(01.01.2014)
Under 17 - Boys : 20 & Girls : 20	(01.01.2009)	Under 15 - Boys 5 & Girls 5	(01.01.2011)
Open (61 Prizes) (No Age Limit) Rs.25,000 Cash 44 Trophies	1. Rs.4000+T	2. Rs.3000+T	3. Rs.2500+T
	5. Rs.1800	6. Rs.1500	7. Rs.1200
	9. Rs.800	10. Rs.700	11 to 15 : Rs.550
	Best Women (26+)	1. Rs.500+T	Best Specially Challenged
	Best Veteran (55+)	1. Rs.500+T	1. Rs.500+T
Under 25 Special Trophies : 10 Boys & 10 Girls (Born on or after 01.01.2001)			
Karur District 30 Prizes : 3 Special Trophies in U09,F09,U11,F11,U13,F13,U17,F17,Open Men,Open Women			
Best Supportive Award for Highest Entries to Academy/ School/College			

Entry Fee

For All Category

Rs. 400 / -

TNSCA Registration Fee for the Year (2025-2026)

Rs. 150 / -

KDCA Registration Fee for the Year (2025-2026)

(Only for Karur District Players)

Rs. 75 / -



Time Control
Each 20 minutes
Chief Arbiter
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Contact Organizer

R. Manigandan M.E.,
 Senior National Arbiter, Certified Chess Coach

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Entry Fee can be paid through online at
signinchess.com, chessfee.com
chessentry.in, easypaychess.com
bookmyfee.com, circlechess.com
xthlete.in, ticket360.co.in/event

Bank Details

SMART CHESS ACADEMY- PUNJAB NATIONAL
 BANK Current A/c No : 1808202100000336
 IFSC : PUNB0180820 Branch : KARUR M.G. ROAD

Rules & Regulations

- This Tournament is Open to Tamil Nadu Players only. Mobile Phones & Watches are not allowed in the playing hall
- TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all players. TNSCA player registration fee is Rs. 150/- for the year 2025-2026. For TNSCA New Player Registration link : <https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/>
- The Latest FIDE Rapid Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss System will be followed
- **Time Control: Each Player 20 minutes. First Round will be started at 9.45 am on 11.01.2026 (Sunday)**
- Number of Rounds, Round 1 pairing will be displayed on 11.01.2026 (Sunday) after 7am in www.chess-results.com
- Strictly No Spot Entries. The players are requested to bring their own Chess set & Chess Clock if any
- Tie Breaks: Swiss tiebreak system will be applied. In case of Tie, Prizes will not be shared
- Chief Arbiter's decision will be the Final on all players concerned.
- **Last date for registration : 09.01.2026 before 10 pm**

Covid-19
Precaution
Wear Mask
Use
Sanitizer

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Chief Guests

'Vastra Rathna' Mr. Atlas. M. NACHIMUTHU

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Dr. S. RAMESH

Joint Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Chess Association



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Course Offered (Since 1984)

Diploma in Civil Engineering
Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
Diploma in Automobile Engineering
Diploma in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
Diploma in Electronics and Communication Engineering
Diploma in Computer Engineering

**The Karur Polytechnic College Bus pickup
at 8.15am & 8.45am from Karur New Bus
Stand & Karur Old Bus Stand to Venue**

Parking & Canteen Facilities are available