

## GM & IM Round Robin "Festival šaha Bijeljina" (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - 2026"

IM Zoran Runic (BIH) is organizing nine closed round-robin tournaments:

GM "Renome" 1 and IM "Renome" 1 from Mart 19. to Mart 24. GM "Renome" 2 and IM "Renome" 2 from Mart 25. to Mart 30. GM "Renome" 3 and IM "Renome" 3 from Mart 31. to April 5. GM "Renome" 4 and IM "Renome" 4 from April 6. to April 11.

**Organizer: IM Zoran Runic** 

Tournament director:Sinisa Kajmakovic Chief arbiter: FA Miodrag Stankovic

Assistant arbiters: FA Ilija Ilic and NA Zoran Runic

- 1. Each tournament will have 10 participants and 9 rounds will be played.
- 2. The time control is 90 minutes for the first 40 moves, with a 30-second increment per move starting from move one.
- 3. The minimum guaranteed average rating of participants is 2381 for the GM tournaments and 2231 for the IM tournaments.
- 4. The organizers will provide the required structure of participants and all necessary chess equipment for each event.
- 5. Players must have a minimum rating of 2201 to participate in the GM tournaments and 2101 for the IM tournaments. The organizer may include players with ratings below these minimums, provided that doing so does not reduce the guaranteed average rating of participants for each tournament.
- 6. Drawing of lots procedure and technical meeting will take place in "Center for Culture Bijeljina" at 12:00pm on Mart 19<sup>th</sup> for GM "Center for Culture Bijeljina" 1 & IM "Center for Culture Bijeljina" 1. Tournament's schedule will be published in the Regulations and it will be distributed to all the players at the Technical Meeting.
- 7. Accommodation for all participants is reserved at **Hotel Drina and Motel Milosevic**, at affordable prices. The menu can be adjusted to foreign players' preferences. All details regarding accommodation and prices should be arranged with the organizer, Zoran Runic.
- 8. The entry fee for participation depends on the player's rating (according to the FIDE Rating List as of Mart 1<sup>st</sup>) and is structured as follows:

GM Round Robin Tournament		IM Round Robin Tournament	
ELO 2501+	250 EUR	ELO 2350 +	200 EUR
ELO 2451 - 2500	300 EUR	ELO 2301- 2350	250 EUR
ELO 2401 - 2450	350 EUR	ELO 2251 - 2300	300 EUR
ELO 2351 - 2400	400 EUR	ELO 2201 - 2250	350 EUR
ELO 2301 - 2350	450 EUR	ELO 2151 - 2200	400 EUR
ELO 2201 - 2300	550 EUR	ELO 2101 - 2150	500 EUR
ELO 2200 and less 650 EUR		ELO 2100 and less 600 EUR	

- 9. The entry fees listed in the table above apply to players who use accommodation provided by the organizer. Participants are not required to stay in the official hotel; however, those who choose to arrange their own accommodation must pay an additional entry fee of €50.
- 10. The organizer can provide individual or group transfers to any location upon request.



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11. For all information regarding these tournaments and accommodation reservations, please contact the organizer: **IM Runić Zoran** +387 65 510 797 (WhatsApp,Viber) or via e-mail zoran.runic@hotmail.com

## NOTE:

All interested participants, in coordination with the tournament director, Zoran Runić, are required to make an advance payment of 30% of the registration fee by Mart 1.2026. Failure to complete the payment by this date will be considered a withdrawal from the tournament, and the participant's name will be removed from the registration list.