

Tășnad City Cup

International Chess Tournament 12th Edition Open Under 2200 November 7–9, 2025

Organizers

ACS Șah Someș Satu Mare, C.S. Voința Satu Mare, with the support of the Tășnad City Hall

Venue

Tășnad Spa Resort, Tășnad Thermal Baths

Tournament System

Open tournament for licensed players listed in the ELO or CIV lists with ELO/CIV maximum 2200 – results will be reported to FIDE and the Romanian Chess Federation.

System: 7 rounds, Swiss pairing.

Time control: 2 x 1h + 30 seconds increment per move starting from move one.

Prizes (gross and guaranteed): 10,600 RON

General ranking: 6,700 RON

Special prizes: 3,900 RON

1st place – 3,000 RON + trophy

2nd place – 1,500 RON

3rd place – 900 RON

4th place – 700 RON

5th place – 600 RON

ELO/CIV 1701–1900: 1st – 500 RON, 2nd – 300 RON

ELO/CIV 1551–1700: 1st – 500 RON, 2nd – 300 RON

ELO/CIV 1401–1550: 1st – 500 RON, 2nd – 300 RON

CIV under 1400: 1st – 500 RON

Women: 1st – 500 RON

Veterans (+65): 1st – 500 RON

Cups, medals, and diplomas will also be awarded by age categories: U8, U10, U12, U14 (boys and girls separately).

Schedule

- Friday – 07.11.2025, 14:30 – Opening ceremony & drawing of lots
- Friday – 07.11.2025, 15:00 – Round 1
- Friday – 07.11.2025, 17:30 – Round 2
- Saturday – 08.11.2025, 09:00 – Round 3
- Saturday – 08.11.2025, 14:00 – Round 4
- Saturday – 08.11.2025, 17:30 – Round 5
- Sunday – 09.11.2025, 09:30 – Round 6
- Sunday – 09.11.2025, 13:00 – Round 7

Prizes are taxable according to the legislation.

Tie-break criteria

Buchholz median, Buchholz, and progressive score.

Each participant has the right to two byes (=0.5 points each) in any of the first four rounds, but this must be announced no later than before the start of the previous round.

Late arrival is allowed up to 30 minutes.

Entry fee

General: 180 RON

Participants who book accommodation are kindly asked to pay the entry fee in advance into the account of ACS Șah Someș Satu Mare:

Intesa San Paolo Bank Satu Mare

IBAN: RO55 WBAN 0031 9622 2373 RO01

Fiscal code: 49519745

Additional Information about Tășnad Resort

Tășnad Resort is located in Satu Mare County, north-western Romania, at altitudes between 134 and 229 meters. It has been granted the status of a tourist resort of local interest.

The thermal water is extracted from a depth of 1,354 meters and has a chloride-bicarbonate, sodium-magnesium composition, with ammonium and potassium content. It is used both for leisure (thermal pools) and therapeutic purposes – rheumatic, neurological, gynecological, and other chronic conditions.

Facilities and access:

- Modernized thermal spa with indoor and outdoor pools (summer schedule: 08:00–22:00).
- Camping areas for tents and caravans, with utilities (water, showers, electricity).
- Over 1,000 accommodation places in hotels, guesthouses, and private homes, plus modern spa & wellness units.

The hilly landscape and fresh air provide excellent conditions for relaxation and leisure tourism. The resort is renowned for both balneotherapy and recreational opportunities.

More details: <http://www.tasnad-statiune.ro/index.php>

Information and Registration

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