

## NARAYANA e-TECHNO SCHOOL, Tiruchengode

# 6<sup>th</sup> District Level Open & Children's Chess Festival



Co-Organized by: JP Anand Chess Academy (Reg. No: UDYAM-TN-14-0078195)

Date : **04.01.2026** (Sunday)

Entry Fee: Rs. 300/- (Last Date: 02.01.2026) Eligibility: Namakkal District Players Only

Venue : Narayana e-Techno School, Kollapatti Housing Board, Valaraigate, T. Gode

Google Map: <a href="https://maps.app.goo.gl/he1LbBuMmqASN4kh6">https://maps.app.goo.gl/he1LbBuMmqASN4kh6</a>

Tournament In Charge: Mr. C. Balu, AGM & Mrs. G. Shasikala, Principal

1<sup>st</sup> Round pairings will be uploaded on www.chess-results.com at 6 PM on 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2026 https://s2.chess-results.com/tnr1297654.aspx?lan=1&SNode=S0

Prizes (370): 75 Cup, 15 Cash Award, 19 Shield, 9 Chess Set, 2 Smartwatch & 250 Medal

Categories: Under-8, Under-11 & Under-14

Each category will separately receive twenty-five Trophies (Boys & Girls combined)

You can join our official Tournament WhatsApp Group by scanning or by clicking the link below <a href="https://chat.whatsapp.com/IWpNA1vrw7mFlk8WtpUfsj?mode=hqrc">https://chat.whatsapp.com/IWpNA1vrw7mFlk8WtpUfsj?mode=hqrc</a>

OPEN (Anyone can play, regardless of age)
All the FIDE (Standard, Rapid & Blitz) rated players are eligible to play in the open category only (January 2026 FIDE Rating List)



1<sup>st</sup> Rs. 2,000 2<sup>nd</sup> Rs. 1,500 3<sup>rd</sup> Rs. 1,000 4<sup>th</sup> Rs. 800 5<sup>th</sup> Rs. 700 6<sup>th</sup> Rs. 600 7<sup>th</sup> Rs. 550 8<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> Rs. 500 Each 11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> Rs. 450 Each

Chess Test Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> - Smart Watch 2<sup>nd</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> - Shield

(All test participants will receive a gift bag and the winners will also receive a discount on this year's admission)

Early Entry Fee Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup>- Smartwatch 2<sup>nd</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> - Chess Set

All participants will receive Medals and Certificates

#### **Tournament Committee**

V. Purushothaman J. Sugumar K. Paramasivam G. Prasath

<b>Chief-Arbiter</b>	Organizer	For Registration	
A. Gopi	JP. Anand	Narayana School	Entries will only be accepted
State Arbiter			via Google Forms
80728 93912	98658 83233	93630 35117	https://forms.gle/CkVqVBfKSTCnNDKn8

- **Special Prizes: 1.** The chess test prizes will be awarded to 20 participants (based on age) who successfully pass a basic chess exam that requires them to arrange the chess pieces on the board and state the names, castling, moves and point values of the pieces. Only children under the age of five (**born on or after 01.01.2021**) are eligible to participate. The exam will be conducted by the parents of the players in front of our arbiter. Time: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Participants may take the test during their free time)
- **2.** Among the players who pay the tournament entry fee on or before **December 6**, **2025**, ten players will be selected through a lucky draw and awarded Early Entry Fee Prizes.

### **Rules and Regulations**

- 1. Players Meeting at 9:00 a.m. on 04.01.2026
- 2. Players are requested to bring their own chess set
- 3. The Latest FIDE rapid rules in force apply
- 4. Total Number of Rounds 7 (Time Control: 15 Minutes each)
- 5. The first round will start at 9:30 A.M. on 04/01/2026
- 7. Lunch Time: 01.30 02.15 P.M. & Prize Distribution at 05.15 P.M. on 04/01/2026
- 8. Buchholz Tie-Break System. In case of a tie, prizes will not be shared
- 9. Food stall facilities are available on a payment basis
- 10. The decisions of the tournament committee shall be final and binding in all matters.
- 11. Age Limit: Under 8 (Born on or after 01.01.2018)

Under - 11 (Born on or after 01.01.2015)

Under - 14 (Born on or after 01.01.2012)

#### 12. Sunday breakfast and lunch must be pre-booked

- 13. If any irregularity is found in the submission of proof of age, entry details, or FIDE ID (including concealment or misrepresentation), the player shall be disqualified at any stage of the tournament; all their points will be cancelled, and the points for their wins will be awarded to the players who played against them
- 14. The tournament will be conducted under four categories separately (All prizes will be awarded on a combined boy and girls' basis)
- 15. Participants must submit a valid age proof certificate along with any one photo ID card (Government-issued or Educational Institution-issued)
- 16. The organizers reserve the right to reschedule, relocate or cancel the event due to unforeseen circumstances. In such cases, their sole responsibility will be to refund the entry fee

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