Southern First International Chess Championship 2014

On behalf of the Chess Federation of Sri Lanka and FIDE- The World Chess Federation and Southern Province Chess Club is organizing the <u>Southern</u> <u>First International Chess Championship 201</u>4 an International Rating Open Chess event for the First time with <u>a total prize fund of nearly Rs.350,000</u> /= in cash and other attractive awards and Prizes.

The event will be played according to the Swiss system with 9 rounds from 18th to 22th October 2014 @Galle.

Venue:- Samoda Reception Hall, Dangedara, Galle, Sri Lanka

Schedule:

 17thOct- Arrival

 18th Oct - Round 1 & 2
 9.00am -8.00pm

 19th Oct - Round 3 & 4
 9.00am - 8.00pm

 20th Oct - Round 5 & 6
 9.00am - 8.00pm

 21th Oct - Round 7 & 8
 9.00am - 8.00pm

 22th Oct- Round 9 & PDF
 9.00am - 7.00pm

 23th Oct- Departure

Eligibility: Open for all

Prizes:

Champion - Trophy, Gold Medal & Rs. 50,000/= 1^{st} Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs. 30,000/= 2^{nd} Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs. 20,000/= 4^{th} & 5^{th} - Rs. 10, 000/= each 6^{th} to 15^{th} - Rs. 5.000/= each

Best Girls

Champion - Trophy, Gold Medal & Rs. 15,000/= 1st Runner up - Silver Medal, Rs. 10000/= 2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal Rs. 5000/=

Best Player - Rating category 1800 to 2000

Champion - Gold Medal & Rs. 5,000/= 1st Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs.3000/= 2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs.2000/=

Best Player - Rating category 1600 to 1800

Champion - Gold Medal & Rs. 5,000/= 1st Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs.3000/= 2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs.2000/=

Best Player - Rating category less than 1600

Champion - Gold Medal & Rs. 5,000/= 1st Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs.3000/= 2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs.2000/=

Best Unrated Player

Champion - Gold Medal & Rs. 5,000/=

1st Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs.3000/=

2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs.2000/=

Best Under 15,12,10, 8 Boys & Girls separately

Champion - Gold Medal & Rs. 5,000/= 1st Runner up - Silver Medal & Rs.3000/= 2nd Runner up - Bronze Medal & Rs.2000/=

Best Under 6 Boys & Girls separately

Champion - **Gold Medal & Prizes**1st Runner up - **Silver Medal & Prizes**2nd Runner up - **Bronze Medal & Prizes**

All participants will be provided with certificates.

Entry Fee:

All title players (FM/WFM and above) and players having a rating of above 2200 are free.

Rating category 1800- 2200: Rs. 1,500/= Rating Category less than 1800: Rs. 2,000/=

Unrated players: Rs. 3,500/=

Late fee of Rs. 500/= will be charged for the entries received after 17th October 2014. This applies even for rated players, whom only are allowed to do registration even via Email.

All amounts are in Sri Lankan Rupees.

* All local players should be registered with the CFSL to play in this event.

Accommodation:

All foreign players with more than 2000 ELO rating will be provided accommodation only. All other foreign players have to look after their accommodation. We may support all on the request. All those who needs A/C Accommodation has to pay an extra fee of 25 \$ per night. All foreign titles players Over FM will be provided accommodation with meals. IMs, WIMs may contact the organizers directly. All the foreign unrated players and accompanying person have to bare their own expenses.Local outstation players can be accommodated with a nominal charge.

Travel Grant:

*GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs, with the ELO of will be given a travel grant of Rs. 12,000/=

All Inquiries & entries to:

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Hon. Secretary CFSL

General Secretary – Commonwealth Chess Association

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Dead line for entries is <u>17th October 2014</u> to the undersigned. You may hand over the entries with relevant fee to the following regional officials

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Mr. Erosh Jayasinghe (Colombo)	0713775756
Mr. Werochana Perera (Kurunagala)	0717400249
Mr. Jagath Ketelawala (Kegalle)	0715130654
Mr. R S Kalugampitiya (Kandy)	0715601237
Mr. Gihan Perera (Galle)	0714498167
Mr.Pavithra Athukorala(Colombo)	0711818200
Mr. Dayal Siriwardana (Kalutara)	0718560211
Mrs. Buddhi Panagoda (Gampha)	0719295352
Mr. Malith Akalanka (Ambalangoda)	0718740372
Mr. Tharindu Chandrasiri(Matara)	0713421555
Mr. Dulanga Dilhan (Matara)	0712535916

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Entry Form

Date:

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Name:
Birthday:
Address & Contact No:
E- mail:
ELO Rating: FIDE ID:
School/Club:
CFSL ID:

Signature: