

**Mercantile/ Government Services
International Rated
Blitz Chess Championship &
Rapid Chess Championship 2019**



**12th
13th**
October 2019
SRI LANKA

**MERCANTILE
CHESS
ASSOCIATION**





BLITZ CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP & RAPID CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

2019

The Mercantile/ Government Services International Rated Blitz Chess Championship and Rapid Championship 2019 organized by the Mercantile Chess Association, on behalf of the Chess Federation of Sri Lanka and FIDE (The World Chess Federation), will be held in Colombo, Sri Lanka on 12th & 13th of October 2019.



Venue

Royal College Union Skills Centre

Schedule

Rapid Championship **7 ROUNDS**

12-Oct-2019 9.00AM - 5.00PM

Blitz Championship **7 ROUNDS**

13-Oct-2019 9.00AM - 1.00PM

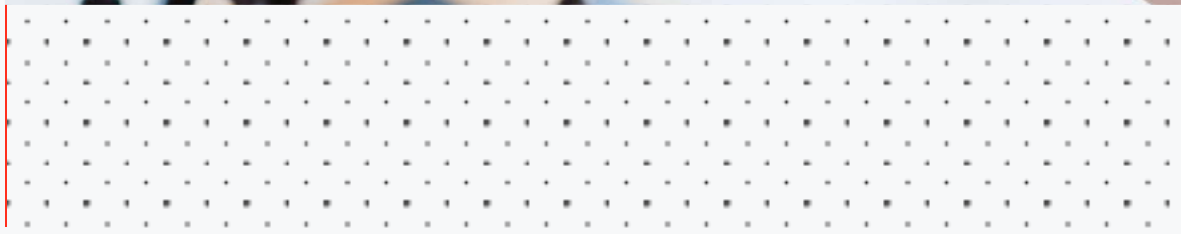
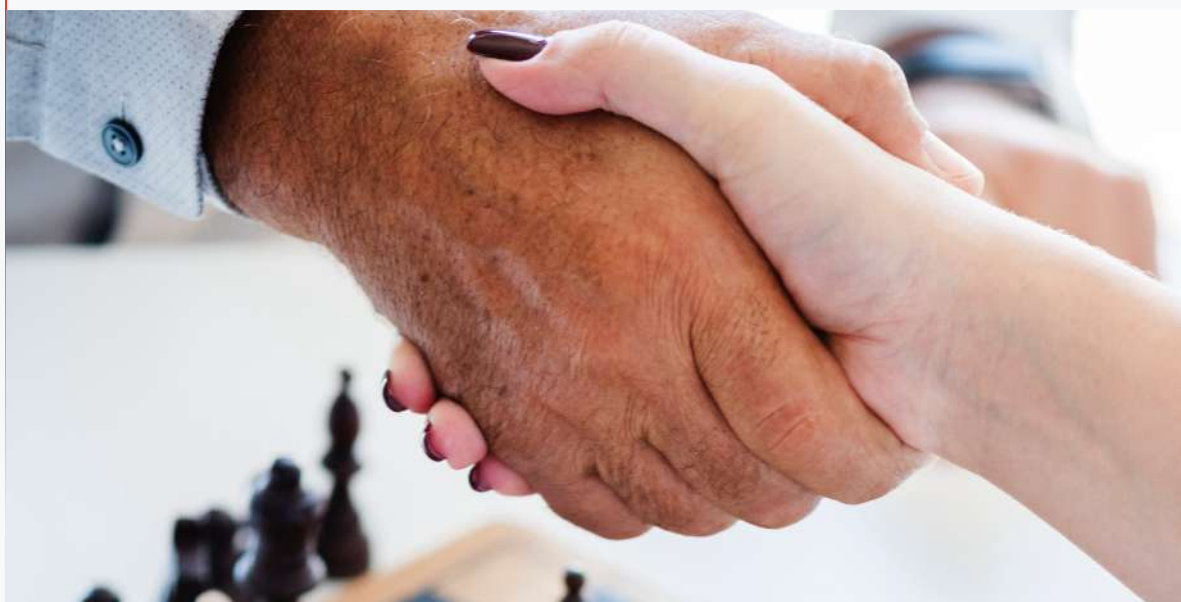
Prize Giving

13-Oct-2019 3.00PM - 04.30PM



Eligibility

1. Open for all chess players working in Mercantile & Government sectors.
2. All employees who contribute to EPF, who are in regular service of forces and professionals (lawyers, doctors, etc) can participate in the event.
3. Players should be ready to provide proof for their employment when requested.
4. If the evidence provided (in #3) by a team member is not explicit on the affiliation of the member to employer represented by the team, the organizing committee has the right to request a letter issued by the relevant employer that confirms his/her affiliation to their organization. If such a letter is not provided, the organizing committee has the authority to disqualify the team.
5. A team should consist of 3 players and a reserve.
6. As a promotion of the event, an organization may combine with one other organization (only if both organizations [individually] have equal or less than 3 members) and field a combined team.
7. The complaints need to be raised within the first two rounds of the tournament & the letter from the employer should be handed over to organizing committee within the next two rounds after the complaint.



Prizes

Blitz Championship

Champion Team

Trophy, Gold Medals, Certificates & LKR 18,000/-

1st Runner up

Silver Medals, Certificates & LKR 12,000/-

2nd Runner up

Bronze Medals, Certificates & LKR 8,000/-

Best Girls

Trophy, Gold Medals, Certificates & LKR 8,000/-

(If there are only Girls and they should have a score of at least 30%)

Board Prizes

Certificates & LKR 2,000/- each board

Rapid Championship

Champion Team

Trophy, Gold Medals, Certificates & LKR 18,000/-

1st Runner up

Silver Medals, Certificates & LKR 12,000/-

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Entries

Dully filled entry forms for Blitz Chess Championship & Rapid Chess Championship (last 2 pages) should submit to mercantilechess@gmail.com

The deadline for entries is 08th October 2019.
A late fee of LKR 500/- will be charged from the teams, register after the deadline.

Entry Fee

LKR 4,000/- per team for one event
LKR 7,000/- per team for both events

*Cheques should be drawn in favor of Mercantile Chess Association

Time Control

Blitz Championship

3 minutes plus 2 seconds additional time per move starting from move 1

Rapid Championship

15 minutes plus 10 seconds additional time per move starting from move 1



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Be a part of this Exciting Chess event!

Mercantile/ Government Services International Rated Blitz Chess Championship 2019

Entry Form

Name of the Organization

Address, E-mail & Telephone

Name of the Captain

Name of the Team

	Name	FIDE ID	Rating		
01					
02					
03					
04					

We abide by the Rules and Regulations of the event. All the details given above are true to the best of our knowledge.

Authorized Signature

Date

Note: All local players are requested to register with the Chess Federation and all teams are requested to register with the Mercantile Chess Association. Facilities to register with CFSL and MCA will be arranged at the tournament venue. Everyone is requested to forward an email address when registering, to enable the communication with CFSL and MCA easier.

Mercantile/ Government Services International Rated Rapid Chess Championship 2019

Entry Form

Name of the Organization

Address, E-mail & Telephone

Name of the Captain

Name of the Team

	Name	FIDE ID	Rating		
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