BUDDHI INTERNATIONAL OPEN RATING CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2017











Buddhi School of Chess, under the auspices of the Chess Federation of Sri Lanka and FIDE has the honor to invite all chess players for the **BUDDHI International Open Rating Chess Championship 2017** which is organizing for the 8th time with cash prizes and other attractive awards.

The event will be played according to the Swiss system over 9 rounds from 14th October to 18th October 2017 at "APSARA" hotel, Nittabuwa. For this gorgeous event participant around 350 from all over the country and abroad like India, Nepal and Maldives, South Asian Region country players are participating.

Venue: "APSARA" Hotel, Kandy Road, Nittabuwa, Sri Lanka.

Date :- 14th October - 18th October 2017

Schedule

13 th October 2017	Arrival	
14 th October 2017	Round 1 & 2	9.00 am – 7.00 pm
15 th October 2017	Round 3 & 4	9.00 am – 6.30 pm
16 th October 2017	Round 5 & 6	9.00 am – 6.30 pm
16 th October 2017	Round 7 & 8	9.00 am – 6.30 pm
17 th October 2017	Round 9 & PDF	9.00 am – 7.30 pm
18 th October 2017	Departure	

Open for All Rated & Unrated Chess Players

Prize

Open

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.60000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.40000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.25000/=
4 th and 5 th Place		Rs.10000/=
6 th to 15 th Place		Rs.5000/=

Best Women

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.10000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.6000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.4000/=

Rating Category 1700 - 1900

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Rating Category 1500 - 1700

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Rating Category 1300 - 1500

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Rating Category Less than 1300

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Unrated

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Under 15 Girls and Boys Separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Under 13 Girls and Boys separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Under 11 Girls and Boys Separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Under 09 Girls and Boys Separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	Rs.5000/=
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	Rs.3000/=
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	Rs.2000/=

Under 07 Girls and Boys Separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	
4 th to 10 th Place	Special Prizes	

Under 06 Girls and Boys Separate

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal	
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal	
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal	
4 th to 10 th Place	Special Prizes	

Best Over 50 Open

Champion	Trophy + Gold Medal
1 st Runner Up	Silver Medal
2 nd Runner Up	Bronze Medal

All the Participants will be Provided Participation Certificate

Prizes for Teams

Mercantile Sector Championship*

Champion	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)
1 st Runner Up	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)
2 nd Runner Up	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)

Higher Education (Over 18) Sector Championship**

Champion	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)
1 st Runner Up	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)
2 nd Runner Up	Trophy + Certificates (Top 5 Members)

*, ** If player wants to represent Cooperate Sector Organization (CSO) or Higher Education Institute (HEI), the player should be informed the event organizer before starting the $2_{\rm nd}$ round. The player should have proper approval from the representing those sectors to do so.

There should be minimum 3 players from the same CSO / HEI to claim a team prize. The team place will be decided by the top five players of the same CSO / HEI. None can represent both categories.

If need more clarification on this regard, please contact the organizer.

ACCOMMODATION

- All the Foreign players with more than 2000 ELO Rating will be provided accommodation with three meals.
- All other foreign Rated players will be provided with accommodation only.
- All those who needs A/C Rooms Accommodation has to pay an extra fee 20\$ per night.
- GMs, WGMs, IMs, WIMs may contact Organizers Directly.
- All the Foreign Unrated players and accompanying person have bare their own expenses.
- Local Outstation players can be accommodated with normal charge.

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

TRAVEL GRANT

- GMs, WGMs, IMs with ELO 2300 or above (2200 or above for WIMs) will be given a travel grant of 20,000/= LKR
- All the foreign players will provide free transport facilities from Airport to Hotel and Hotel to Airport.

ENTRY FEES

 All the Title players (GM, WGM, IM, WIM, FM, WFM) and players having a rating of above 2000 ELO are Free

Rating Category 1800 – 2000	Rs.1500/=
Rating Category 1600 – 1800	Rs.2000/=
Rating Category Less than 1600	Rs.2500/=
Unrated	Rs.3500/=

2 All Amounts are in Sri Lankan Rupees

• A late fee of 500/= will charged for the entries received after 10th October 2017, This Applies for

Rated players, whom can do registration even via email, as well.

Gampaha	
Shamin Moraes	071-2297180
Buddhi Panagoda	071-9295352
Thiwanka Thiserra	071-8271990
Kalutara	
Dayal Siriwardena	071-8560211
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Coloombo	
Prasanna Kulakurasooriya	077-7778270
Erosh Jayasinghe	071-3775756
Kandy	
Rajeendra Kalugampitiya	071-5601237
Asela Prabajith	077-2344740
Galle	
Asela Hemantha	077-2336633
Gihan Perera	071-4498167
Rathnapura	
Sanjula Ravinath	071-9020600
Kegalle	
Jagath Ketelawala	071-5130654
Polonnaruwa	
Rajeev Thilakarathne	077-6221847
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Ambalangoda	
Malith Akalanka	071-8740372
Kurunegala	
Werochana Perera	071-7400249
vverocriana i erera	071 7 1002 15
Puttalam	
Surath Wijerathne	072-2299902
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Panadura C S Kumarawadu	071-2425763
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All the Inquires and Entries

All Inquiries & entries to:

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8 th Buddhi International Open Rating Chess Championship 2017 Entry Form
Name:
Birthday:
Address & Contact No:
E - mail:
ELO Rating: FIDE ID:
School/Clu b:
CFSL ID:
We abide by the rules and regulations of the Event. All the Details given above are true to the best of our knowledge.