

PAUL KERES MEMORIAL FESTIVAL 2022

With the guaranteed prize fund of 7500€

Location: Estonia Resort Hotel & Spa conference center, Pärnu, Estonia <https://www.spaestonia.ee/>

1) KERES CLASSIC OPEN – July 18th to 22nd 2022

System: 9 rounds; Swiss system; FIDE-rated; possibility to win title norms
 Schedule: **18.07** at 15.00 registration at 16.00 I round
19.07 at 10.00 II round at 16.00 III round
20.07 at 10.00 IV round at 16.00 V round
21.07 at 10.00 VI round at 16.00 VII round
22.07 at 10.00 VIII round at 15.00 IX round
 Time control: 60 min for 30 moves + 30 min for the rest of the game; from move 1, 30 extra sec for each move
 Prizes: I place **1500€**, II place **1000€**, III place **700€**, IV place **350€**, V place **250€**, VI place **200€**
 Women: I place **300€**, II place **200€**, III place **100€**; U18 **100€**; 65+ **100€**; FIDE rating -2000 **100€**
 Special awards: U14, U10 (boys and girls)
 Extra: 12 titled foreign players can be offered free accommodation from the organisers

2) KERES MEMORIAL RAPID TOURNAMENT- July 23rd 2022

System: 7 rounds; Swiss system; FIDE-rated
 Schedule: **July 23rd at 10:45**
 Time control: 15 minutes for the game + 3 sec per move
 Prizes: I place **400€**, II place **300€**, III place **250€**, IV place **100€**
 Special prizes: women **100€**; U18 boys **50€**; U18 girls **50€**; 65+ **50€**; Pärnu **50€**; Pärnu youth **50€**
 Special awards: boys/girls/Pärnumaa (U16, U14, U12, U10)

3) KERES MEMORIAL BLITZ – July 24th 2022

System: 11 rounds; Swiss system, FIDE-rated
 Schedule: **July 24th at 10:15**
 Time control: 3 min for the game + 2 sec per move
 Prizes: I place **250€**, II place **200€**, III place **100€**, IV place **50€**
 Special prizes: women **75€**; 65+ **50€**; U18 **25€**; Pärnu **25€**; Pärnu youth **25€**
 Special awards: boys/girls/Pärnumaa (U16, U14, U12, U10)

4) YOUTH TRAINING CAMP - July 18th to July 24th 2022

Registration and participation fees (the registration is confirmed after transferring the fee):

	CLASSIC OPEN	RAPID	BLITZ	CLASSIC + RAPID + BLITZ
Until 30.06	55€ ; U18 and 65+ 40€	20€ ; U18 and 65+ 15€	15€ ; U18 and 65+ 10€	75€ ; U18 and 65+ 55€
1.-15.07	60€ ; U18 and 65+ 45€	25€ ; U18 and 65+ 20€	20€ ; U18 and 65+ 15€	90€ ; U18 and 65+ 70€
From 16.07	65€ ; U18 and 65+ 50€	30€ ; U18 and 65+ 25€	25€ ; U18 and 65+ 20€	105€ ; U18 and 65+ 95€

NB! GM above 2400 and WGM above 2200 have free participation if registered before 30. 06. U18 (2004-), 65+ (-1957)

Tie-breaks: 1) Median Bucholtz (-1 discarded); 2) Median Bucholtz (-2 discarded)
 Shared prizes: Classic Open - Hort system; Keres rapid and blitz – prizes are not shared;
 Every participant can receive one prize per competition; special prizes are awarded if there are at least 5 competitors in the group
 Bank details: **Tallinna Maleklubi** bank account for transferring the fees: EE541010220237168226, SEB Bank
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