

Regulations

FIDE endorsed International Children-Youth Chess Festival Rudaga-Kaissa 2024

14.08. - August 19, 2024 Jurmala

Goals and tasks

- ◆ promotion of chess among children and young people;
- ◆ improvement of sportsmanship of children and young people;
- ◆ formation and development of intellectual capital of young people;
- ◆ creation, maintenance and development of international relations.

Venue and time

The open international children's and youth chess festival "Rudaga - Kaissa 2024" will be held from 14 - 19 August 2024 in Jurmala, Latvia. The venue: "Lielupe by Semarah Hotels" (conference center "Lielupe"), Bulduru prospekts 64/68, Jūrmala, LV-2010.

Organizers and supporters

The festival is organized by the interest education institution "Rudaga plus" with the International Chess Federation (FIDE), Latvian Chess Federation, Jūrmala State City Administration, Jūrmala Sports Service, Rudaga Children's and Youth Education and Creative Schools, "KAISSA" association and hotel "Lielupe by Semarah Hotels". support.

Tournaments, program and rules

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Classic (60'+30'') >1800, 14.08 - 16.08 and 19.08

"A" tournament

OPEN tournament for everyone.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules, FIDE rated.

Time control: 60 minutes per game for each player + 30 seconds for each move made, starting from the first.

"B" tournament

Tournament for players with the second sports class in chess.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules, FIDE rated.

Time control: 60 minutes per game for each player + 30 seconds for each move made, starting from the first.

Classic 3,4, and without sports class players with 30 min without a clock, then 5'+3''

17.08.-18.08.

"C" tournament - III sports class

Tournament for players with the third sports class in chess.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules.

"D" tournament - IV sp.kl.

Tournament for players with the fourth sports class in chess.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules.

Time control: no time control.

"E" tournament WITHOUT Sports class

Tournament for beginners/players without sports class in chess.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules.

Time control: no time control.

"F" tournament - PRESCHOOLERS

Chess tournament for preschool children without a sports class.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules.

Time control: no time control.

Blitz tournament 16.08.

Open tournament for all players without age and skill level restrictions.

Playing system: Swiss system, 9 rounds, FIDE rules, FIDE rated.

Time control: 3 minutes per game for each player + 2 seconds for each move made, starting from the first.

Rapid tournament 18.08.

Open tournament for all players without age and skill level restrictions.

Playing system: Swiss system, 8 rounds, FIDE rules, FIDE rating calculation.

Time control: 10 minutes per game for each player + 5 seconds for each move made, starting from the first.

Other terms

Places won in tournaments are determined by the number of points obtained. In case of an equal number of points, the following additional indicators are used:

- ◆ Improved Buchholz coefficient (discarding the worst result);
- ◆ Buchholz coefficient;
- ◆ Achievement of increasing coefficient (in "C", "D", "E", "F" tournaments) and ranking in the tournament (in all other tournaments).

Schedule

Datums	Laiks	Grafiks
14.08.2024	10:00	Arrivals and registration
	11:00	Opening ceremony
	11:30	Tournament “A”, “B”, Round 1
	16.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 2
15.08.2024	11:30	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 3
	16.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 4
16.08.2024	11.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 5
	16.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 6
	18.00	Blitz
19.08.2024	11.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 7

	16.00	Tournament “A”, “B” Round 8
17.08.2024	10.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 1
	11.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 2
	12.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 3
	13.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 4
	14.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 5
18.08.2024	11.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 6
	12.00	Tournament “C”, “D”, “E”, “F” Round 7
	14.00	

		Tournament "C", "D", "E", "F" Round 8
	18.00	Simultaneous play session
	11.00 - 18.00	Open Rapid
	19:30	Awarding ceremony "C", "D", "E", "F" and rapid tournaments
		Tournament "A", "B" Round 9
19.08.2024	11.00	
	19.00	Awarding ceremony

Organisers have the right to change time and dates.

1. Entry fees

- ◆ "A", "B" Tournament – 45 eur
- ◆ "C", "D", "E" un "F" Tournament – 35 eur
- ◆ Blitz Tournament – 25 eur
- ◆ Rapid Tournament – 35 eur
- ◆ Simultaneous play session – 20 eur
- ◆ Master classes - 10 eur

Children with special needs, orphans (upon presentation of a document).

In case of refusal to participate in tournaments, fees are not refundable.

Registration and accreditation are considered completed upon filling out the application form, receipt of the tournament fee in the established amount to the current account (applies to players) and receiving confirmation of accreditation.

Entry fees should be paid through bank transfer to bank accounts:

Biedrība Interēšu izglītības iestāde "Rudaga plus"

Reģistrācijas numurs: 40008197035

Juridiskā adrese: Kalnciema iela 15, Jūrmala, LV-2015

Banka: AS "Swedbank"

Kods: HABALV22

Konta numurs: LV46HABA0551034430988

Maksājuma mērķis: Ziedojums starptautiskajam šaha festivālam "Rudaga – Kaissa 2024",

Dalībnieka vārds un uzvārds

2. Awards

- winners of awards in "A", "B" tournaments are awarded trophies, diplomas, medals and other prizes of value.
- winners of award-winning places in "C", "D", "E" and "F" tournaments are awarded with trophies, diplomas, medals and other prizes of value.
- award winners in the blitz tournament are awarded diplomas, medals and other valuable prizes.
- winners of prize-winning places are awarded trophies, diplomas, medals and other valuable prizes in the Rapid Chess/Rapids tournament.
- the winner of the tournament between the boys and among the girls will win the award from TAVEX

Additional nominations:

Special prizes from sponsors

"Chess style "

"Mr. Mini Chess", "Ms. Mini Chess".

The newest contestants of the new prize tournament.

'Rising Star' Tournament Discovery

Each player in the tournament will receive a diploma for participation.

3. Registration

Lai reģistrētos dalībai festivālā, jāaizpilda pieteikuma anketa:

<https://forms.gle/24nF7jHbVmK9b8ej9>

Applications accepted until 02.08.2024.

After 02.08.2024 additional entry fee (5 euro increasement).

The organizers have the right to close or extend the registration.

4. Accomodation

The official hotel and partner of the festival: Semarah Hotel “Lielupe”

Special rates are provided for festival participants from “Lielupe by Semarah Hotels”.

Piedāvātās cenas ir pieejamas, veicot rezervāciju caur organizatoriem. Vietu skaits visās viesnīcās ir ierobežots, tādēļ iesakām rezervēt naktsmītnes savlaicīgi.

5. Routing

Centre of the Jurmala is located 13 km from international airport “Rīga”.

For further information check the website:[vhttps://www.riga-airport.com/lv](https://www.riga-airport.com/lv).

6. Visa

Citizens of several countries can come to Latvia without a visa.

Citizens of other countries need a visa in order to enter Latvia or to cross the territory of Latvia. Organisers shall ensure visa support for festival participants and accompanying persons by issuing official invitation letters. Visa support is provided on request to all foreign chess players who have applied by 1 July 2024.

7. Additional information

The expenses for the award of winners, the remuneration of technical staff, local and foreign judges, the festival venue and the rental of vehicles, the production of printed matter and advertising materials shall be covered by competition organisers.

Competition expenses related to travel, accommodation, catering or other expenses of participants in competitions and their attendants shall be covered by participants in competitions or organisations represented by them. Foreign players must have a valid travel insurance policy for the entire planned maintenance period in the Republic of Latvia.

Each adult competitor shall be personally responsible for the conformity of his or her state of health with the competition. The parents or organisation which applies for the commencement of participants shall be responsible for the conformity of the medical condition of the minor contestants.

We would like to inform you that this festival is a public event and that its conduct may be reflected in the media, including your participation in this event. During the event, photography and filming may be carried out for the purpose of informing the public, in accordance with Article 6(1)(e) of the General data Protection Regulation. Photographs and video footage will be published on the websites of the Jurmala State City municipality, as well as the chess and sports industry, their social network accounts, as well as in the media. Tournament results will be posted on www.chess-results.com. Time limit for processing of data – permanent.

Organisers reserve the right to make the necessary changes to the tournament's regulation.

8. About Jurmala

Jurmala is the largest seaside resort town in the Baltic States, located on the coast of the Gulf of Riga and stretching along the coast for more than 20 kilometres, with 11 improved beaches. Historically, the city has brought together 12 villages – Priedaini, Lielupe, Buldurus, Amber, major, Double, New doubles, buds, Melluge, tears, Vaivars, New Kemerus and two small towns – Slok and Kemerus.

Jurmala is a true oasis of natural healing and health, boasting an almost incredible concentration of natural resources that cannot be found on any southern sea coast. It is one of the few European

cities where it is possible not only to breathe sea air, but also to enjoy pine forest aromatherapy at the same time – a third of the city is made up of forest.

Jomas Street is considered over the heart of the city. It's a Centrala Street, with holidaymakers and foreign visitors streaming through the summer. Legend says this is where Jurmala's origins lie.

For more information:

<https://visitjurmala.lv/lv/>

<https://dzintarukoncertzale.lv/>

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