The 7th Asian Dragons International Chess Tournament 2013

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The 7th Asian Dragons International Chess Tournament 2013 to be held in Taipei, Chinese Taipei, July 30 – Aug.06, 2013.

INTRODUCTION

The Asian Dragons Invitational Tournament was firstly held in Kaohsiung in 2007, being the first international chess tournament organized by Chinese Taipei Chess Association. The purpose of the tournament was to provide opportunity for developing players with ratings below 2200 to compete against players with similar strength, offering them a friendly yet competitive environment. With this purpose in mind, the tournament was played in round-robin format for the Open section and Under 16 section with players coming from the following countries: Macau, Hong Kong, Japan, Singapore, Korea and the host federation, Chinese Taipei. After many years of success, the host federation had received many requests to participate from countries other than mentioned above. Therefore, the organizers have switched the format to Swiss System in order to encourage more chess players to participate in this event and to spread and strengthen the chess culture. In keeping with its original Asian Dragons spirit, we continue to invite players from Hong Kong, Macau, Japan, Singapore, and Korea. Starting from 2013, we shall invite other federations if the free quota is not fully used. At the same time we now openly welcome players from all over the world. Therefore, the name of the tournament is changed to Asian Dragons International Chess tournament from 2013.

Regulations

1. TOURNAMENT

1.1 Swiss System 9 rounds

2. TOURNAMENT RULES

2.1 System of Play

The tournament is FIDE rated and will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess. The tournament will be conducted as Swiss system of 9 rounds and will be played according to FIDE regulations.

2.2 Time control

The time control is 90 minutes for each player for the entire game with 30 seconds increment per move from move one.

2.3 Tie-break

FIDE Tie-Break Regulations shall be applied. Details of Tie-Break will be announced during Technical Meeting.

2.4 Chief Arbiter shall make announcement accordingly before the start of the games. If a player is not present during the start of the games, he/she shall lose by default.

3. ELIGIBILITY & PARTICIPATION

- **3.1** Eligible to participate are all players with FIDE rating 1600~2200 for Open Section; FIDE rating under 2200 for Youth Under 16 Section.
- **3.2** The host federation has the right to accept unrated local players to a maximum of one fifth of the total players per section.
- **3.3** To maintain Asian Dragons original spirit, those invited federations have the rights to send <u>some</u> players without FIDE rating, yet the players shall have approximate strength of the required rating range.

4. Registration and entry fee

- **4.1** Participants must pay entry fee of 100EUR.which includes luncheon, dinner, one banquet and hotel airport transportation.
- **4.2** Players with FIDE rating more than 2000 (FIDE rating 2001~2200-according to official FIDE July 2013 rating list) will have entry fees waived and receive 10% discount on Taipei Hero House accommodation..
- **4.3** Invited Federations are eligible to have entry fee waived for two (2) players per section and for one (1) official.

4.4 Deadline for Registration is June 30th 2013

In order to provide appropriate tournament conditions, the Federations or players must complete carefully the official registration form and send it back to the organizing committee no later than June 30th, 2013. Organizers reserve the right to refuse or decline late registrations.

5. Venue

The tournament will be held at National Taiwan University which is located at the center of Taipei city.

6. ACCOMMODATION

- **6.1** For invited federations, free boarding and lodging for 2 players per section and 1 official per federation are provided to stay in the official hotel (Taipei Hero House) on a triple room or double room basis from August 01 to August 08. Meals are provided from breakfast of July 30 to breakfast of August 06 2013. Single occupancy or spouse occupancy will not be covered by the host federation.
- **6.2** All accompanying person (including invited federation) and extra player has to pay 35 EUR per day per person for shared triple room or 45 EUR for shared double room at the Taipei Hero House hotel.
- **6.3** Taipei Hero House hotel an official 3-Star hotel: http://www.fafaroc.org.tw/eng/fafaroc.asp?menuid=19

Tel: 02-23319722

(No.20, Sec. 1, Changsha St., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City 100, Chinese Taipei)

- a. Triple rooms: 35 EUR per person per day (Bed + breakfast) ,7 nights = 245 Euro
- b. Double rooms: 45 EUR per person per day (Bed + breakfast) ,7 nights = 315 Euro
- c. Single rooms: 65 EUR per person per day (Bed + breakfast), 7 nights = 455 Euro

6.4 Alternative 4-Star Hotel:

- a. Double rooms: 100 EUR per person per day (Bed+ breakfast), 7 nights = 700 Euro
- b. Single rooms: 130 EUR per person per day (Bed+ breakfast) , 7 nights = 910 Euro

7. PRIZES

The first five players in each section will be awarded Trophies and Certificates.

8. CHIEF ARBITER AND HIS ASSISTANTS

The host federation will appoint the Chief Arbiter, his Deputy and Assistants.

9. APPEALS COMMITTEE

The host federation after consultation with the participating federations and players shall appoint the Appeals Committee comprising three persons from different federations. A protest fee of 100 Euro shall be paid in advance but this amount is refundable if the protest is upheld.

10. SCHEDULE

Date	Details	Time	
2013.07.30.	Arrival		
	Technical meeting at Hero House	8 pm	
	(No.20, Sec. 1, Changsha St., Zhongzheng		
	Dist., Taipei City 100, Chinese Taipei)		
2013.07.31	Open Ceremony	10am	
	Round 1	1 pm	
	Welcome Banquet		
2013.08.01	Round 2	9 am	
	Round 3	3 pm	
2013.08.02	Round 4	9 am	
	Round 5	3 pm	
2013.08.03	Free day		
2013.08.04	Round 6	9 am	
	Round 7	3 pm	
2013.08.05	Round 8	9 am	
	Round 9	3 pm	
	Closing Ceremony	•	
2013.08.06	Departure		

11. Contact the Organizing Committee

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12. Visa Information

Whoever needs help for visa application, please contact Chinese Taipei Chess Association as early as possible (at least 4 weeks before departure is advised).

13.Travel and tour information

All of participants arriving by international flights should take plane to Taoyuan International airport, Chinese Taipei.

The host federation will arrange the transportation from airport to the hotel for arrival and departure during the schedule date. The subway system, bus system and taxis are extremely convenient for foreign visitors. Travel cost is not included for the free day. A friendly free city tour assistant will be available upon request.

If you plan to have prolonged stay in Chinese Taipei, you are welcome to contact us for suggestions and further information.

Taiwan Travel Net: http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/ Taipei Travel Net: http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/

Taiwan High Speed Rail: http://www.thsrc.com.tw/tc/?lc=tc

Registration Form

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Federation:					
□ Invited Federation					
Name of Participant:			Male □ Female □		
Player:	Coach		Other :		
Category:	open:		U16:		
FIDE ID No:	FIDE Title:		FIDE Rating:		
Nationality :		Passport No:			
Expiry Date :		Issued Date :			
Date of Birth :		Place of Birth :			
Registration Fee : Invited player free Invited official free Participants 100 Euro					
Accommodation: Invited player free Invited official free					
□ Taipei Hero House : □ Triple 245 Euro □ Double 315 Euro □ Single455 Euro					
□ Alternative 4-Star Hotel □ double 700 Euro □ Single 910 Euro					
□ I have arranged my own lodging at					
Total amount :					
Flight Details					
Arrival Date :		ight No:	Time:		
Departure Date :		ight No:	Time:		
Contact Person:		Email:			
Federation Signature :					

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