





# FIRST ASIAN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP FOR DISABLED

Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic 2 June – 10 June, 2017

# INVITATION

Chess Federation of the Kyrgyz Republic under the auspices of the Asian Chess Federation and FIDE is pleased to invite National Federations to participate in the First Asian Chess Championship for disabled, Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic, from 2<sup>nd</sup> (arrival) to 10<sup>th</sup> of June (departure).

#### 1. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1.1. Men and Women with disabilities who reached 18 years of age, representing the Chess Federations of Asia are permitted to participate in the Championship.
- 1.2. Each Federation may register any number of participants for the tournament in the following categories:

Men and women with disabilities, visually impaired (legally considered as blind), men and women with disabilities, hearing impaired (legally considered as deaf), men and women with disabilities with a lesion of the musculoskeletal system, including physical and other heavy physical disability of at least 50%.

## 2. CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

2.1. The championship will be played using Swiss system in seven (7) rounds or round robin format with eight (8) or more participants.

Date and time		Round
June 2 (Friday)	10:00	Arrival and registration of participants
	18:00	Dinner
	19:00	Technical meeting and draw
	20:00	The opening ceremony
June 3 (Saturday)	10:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Round, standard chess
June 4 (Sunday)	10:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round, standard chess
June 5 (Monday)	10:00	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round, standard chess

June 6 (Tuesday)	10:00	4 <sup>th</sup> Round, standard chess
June 7 (Wednesday)	10:00	5 <sup>th</sup> Round, standard chess
June 8 (Thursday)	10:00	6 <sup>th</sup> Round, standard chess
June 9 (Friday)	10:00 15:00 20:00	7 <sup>th</sup> Round, standard chess The closing ceremony Dinner
June 10 (Saturday)	10:00-12:00	Departure of participants

#### 3. CONDITIONS

- 3.1. The championship will be held according to the rules of FIDE.
- 3.2. Time control in the standard chess for each participant will be starting from the 1<sup>st</sup> move 90 minutes before the end of the game with the addition of 30 seconds per move.

## 4. THE CHIEF ARBITER, HIS ASSISTANTS AND DEPUTIES

- 4.1. The Asian Chess Federation president, in consultation with the organizing committee, will appoint the Chief Arbiter, his deputies and other officials.
- 4.2. Protests, including a disagreement with the decision of the Chief Arbiter or his assistants, must be submitted in written form to the Chairman of the Appeals Committee within 15 minutes after completion of the respective round. The protest includes fee in amount of 50 USD or equivalent in local currency. If the protest is considered positive, the fee will be returned. Otherwise, the organizing Federation will be of benefit to the fee. Protests in rapid chess and blitz will not be accepted.

#### 5. APPEALS COMMITTEE

- 5.1. Championship Technical Delegate will be appointed by the President of the Asian Chess Federation, after consultation with the Host Federation.
- 5.2. The Appeals Committee consists of the Chairman, two members and two alternative members.

### 6. DETERMINATION OF THE WINNER

- 6.1. The final status will be determined by the number of scored points of the participant. If two or more participants at the end of the Championship scores the same number of points, the places will be allocated according to the tiebreaker system in the following order:
  - 1. Direct Encounter
  - 2. Greater number of wins
  - 3. Buccholz 1
  - 4. Sonneborn-Berger
- 6.2. If all of the above methods do not reveal the winner, participants are declared joint winners.

## 7. MEDALS

- 7.1. Medals will be awarded to the first three placed in each category among men and women. The prizes will award three of the best federations in the total number of medals in all categories and groups. For the first place among the federations will take into account the total number of gold medals, won by the federation. In the case of the same number of gold medals, will be taken into account the amount of silver. If, however, there are the same number of silver medals, will be taken into account the number of bronze medals.
- 7.2. The three best Federations in the total number of medals in all categories and groups will be awarded by prizes. For the first place among the Federations, it will take into account the total number of gold medals won by the federation. In the case of the same number of gold medals, the number of silver medals will be taken into account. If in this case there will be the same number of silver medals, the number of bronze medals will be taken into account.
- 7.3. The money prizes will be awarded to the first six places in each category among men and women.

1<sup>st</sup> place 1500 USD 2<sup>nd</sup> place 1200 USD 3<sup>rd</sup> place 1000 USD 4<sup>th</sup> place 700 USD 5<sup>th</sup> place 500 USD 6<sup>th</sup> place 300 USD

#### 8. ACCOMMODATION

- 8.1. All participants must reside in the official hotel of the Championship (JANNAT REGENCY 5 Star Hotel). The cost of accommodation per day/person is 95 USD, which must be paid to the Organizer of the Championship.
- 8.2. Championship organizers will provide free accommodation for seven members (male and female) including the head of the delegation of each national federation.

#### 9. REGISTRATION AND FEES

- 9.1. The registration fee as 50 USD must be paid to the Organizing Committee for each participant and accompanying persons.
- 9.2. Transfer of all the participants from the Bishkek Airport to the official hotel and back is 50 USD per person.
- 9.3. Whole amount must be paid in local/foreign currency, not later than 20 April 2017, or pay in cash at the registration desk on the day of arrival.
- 9.4. Payment must be made to the following essential requisites:

PO "Chess Federation of the Kyrgyz Republic" Kyrgyz Republic, Bishkek, 31 Turusbekov str.

Tel.: 317453

VAT number: 00402199710110

OKPO: 21676859

Social Fund: registration №01-03254

Multicurrency bank account number 1091820226210122

Bishkek central branch of "Optima Bank" Kyrgyz Republic, Bishkek, 104/1 Kievskaya str.

BIC of the branch: 109018

SWIFT: ENEJKG22

#### 10. APPLICATION AND VISAS

- 10.1. National federations must submit a completed registration form and a copy of the passport:
  - The preliminary application with numbers all participants of your delegation (indicating the number of participants per category must be submitted till 20 March 2017;
  - The official confirmation of the applications of all the delegation members till April 20, 2017:
  - The delegations are obliged to issue a visa to the Kyrgyz Republic, if it's necessary. To
    get an official invitation for a visa, participants should conduct to the organizers.
    Participants who need an official invitation for a visa to the Kyrgyz Republic, should
    provide following information:
- a) The initials (as in the passport);
- b) Citizenship;
- c) Date of birth;
- d) The number of passport;
- e) Date of expiry of the passport;
- f) The team function (player or Chaperone).

## 11. FINAL INFORMATION

- 11.1. The player, who appears in the beginning of the game with a delay of more than 15 minutes after the start of the tour, will be considered as defeated.
- 11.2. The interpretation right of the provisions belongs to the organizer, and the main rules of the game belongs to the referee.
- 11.3. Decisions of the chief arbiter during the competition can be appealed by Appeals Committee.
- 11.4. All emerging issues not mentioned in this Regulation, allows the organizer.
- 11.5. The national federation are responsible for the participation and insurance of the players.

## 12. CONTACT INFORMATION

12.1. The organizer is Chess Federation of the Kyrgyz Republic:

Kyrgyzstan, Bishkek, 31 Turusbekov str.

Tel .: 0 (312) 31 79 42 Fax: 0 (312) 91 09 29

12.2. Registration forms should be sent to the following email address: kgchess020213@gmail.com