



Asian Zonal Chess Championships 2017

Men & Women Zone 3.1

29 June to 8 July 2017, Tehran, Iran

INVITATION

The I. R. Iran Chess Federation on behalf of the Zonal President has the honor to invite all National Chess Federations of Zone 3.1 affiliated with FIDE to participate in the Asian Zonal Chess Championships 2017 (Men & Women) Zone 3.1 which will be held from 29 June to 8 July 2017 in Tehran, Iran.

1. Participation

1.1 National Federations in Zone 3.1 may enter two invited players (one man and one woman). Federations may register additional players who will be considered extra players.

2. Registration and Travel Condition

2.1 Players have to be registered by their National Federations. The passport copies of participants must be sent by the National Federations to the organizing committee via e-mail on or before 31st May 2017. This date is the registration deadline.

2.2 Travel Expenses must be borne by the player's own Federation.

2.3 A copy of photo of players and accompanying person must be sent to the organizing committee by e-mail.

2.4 The registration fee US\$ 100 for each participant and each accompanying person including accreditation, bulletins and transportation from the airport to the accommodation (29 June Arrival and 8 July Departure)

2.5 Players will not be paired until all payments are made.

2.6 visa reference numbers will be issue by Iran Chess Federation and will send by E-mail for the Participants

3. Entry Fee

3.1 In accordance with FIDE regulation an entry fee of US \$ 150 is required for each player. Their National Federation must pay this amount to the organizing Committee.



4. Hotel Accommodation

4.1 Accommodation and full board for two invited players (one man and one woman) from each federation will be provided by the organizing committee from 29 June (Arrival) and 8 July (Departure). Federations may register additional players who must pay for their own meals and accommodation.

4.2 The official Hotel is 3* Sport Hotel

4.3 Cost of full board and lodge of the accompanying person is (with breakfast, lunch and dinner) US\$ 80 per day per person in double room and US\$110 per person per day in single room.

5. Schedule

Thursday	29 June	Arrival	Any time
Friday	30 June	Technical Meeting	10:00 hours
		Round 1 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Saturday	1 June	Round 2 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Sunday	2 June	Round 3 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Monday	3 July	Round 4 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Tuesday	4 July	Round 5 (Men & Women)	10:00 hours
		Round 6 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Wednesday	5 July	Round 7 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Thursday	6 July	Round 8 (Men & Women)	16:00 hours
Friday	7 July	Round 9 (Men & Women)	10:00 hours
		Closing Ceremony	18:00 hours
Saturday	8 July	Departure	12:00

6. Format

6.1 Depending on the number of participant, the system of play will be announced in the technical meeting.

6.2 The time control is 90 minutes for the first 40 moves followed by 30 minutes for the rest of the game with an addition of 30 seconds per move starting from move one. The game shall be played with DGT clocks.



7. Prizes

7.1 Total Prize money will be US\$ 5000 (Five Thousand) which will be given Men US\$ 3300 and Women US\$ 1700.

7.2 Men: 1st: US\$ 1000, 2nd – US\$ 700, 3rd – US\$ 500, 4th- US\$ 300, 5th-US\$ 200, 6th-US\$ 200, 7th-US\$ 200 & 8th-US\$ 200

Women: 1st: 600, 2nd – 400, 3rd – 300, 4th- 200, 5th-US\$ 100, 6th-US\$ 100

7.3 According to FIDE World Cup Championship Regulation champion of Men group will qualify in the World Cup Championship and Woman group champion will qualify for the Women World Cup.

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