



GUAM ECHECS

GUAM CHESS FEDERATION, FIDE ZONE 3.6



2019 OCEANIA ZONAL CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS

9 ROUND FIDE – RATED SWISS TOURNAMENTS

17 February to 24 February 2019

Played at Pacific Star Resort & Spa

627 Pale San Vitores Rd., Tumon Guam 96913

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

February 17, 2019

Arrival of participants and welcome dinner & opening ceremony

Day 1 18 Feb

Players meet 8:30 am
Round 1 9:30 am
Round 2 3:00 pm

Day 2 19 Feb

Round 3 2:00 pm

Day 3 20 Feb

Round 4 9:00 am
Round 5 3:00 pm

Day 4 21 Feb

Round 6 2:00 pm

Day 5 22 Feb

Round 7 9:00 am
Round 8 3:00 pm

Day 6 23 Feb

Round 9 9:00 am
Play-off if necessary 3:00 pm
Followed by Prize giving

Feb 23, 2019

Guam tour (optional)

February 24, 2019

Departure

THE WINNERS OF THE 2019 GUAM ZONAL QUALIFY AND ENTITLED TO ADVANCE TO PLAY IN THE WORLD CUP AND THE WORLD CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP. LIKEWISE, DIRECT TITLE OF INTERNATIONAL MASTER (IM/WIM) TITLE FOR 1ST & FIDE MASTER (FM/WFM) TITLE FOR 2ND & 3RD PLACERS WILL BE CONFERRED.

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PRIZES

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP (\$US Dollar)

1 ST -----	\$1,000--
2 nd -----	\$ 750--
3 rd -----	\$ 500--
4 th -----	\$ 300--
5 th -----	\$ 200--
6 th -----	\$ 100--
7 th -----	\$ 50--
Rated U2000-----	\$ 150--
Rated U1800-----	\$ 150--
Rated U1600-----	\$ 150--

WOMENS CHAMPIONSHIP

1 st -----	\$ 750--
2 nd -----	\$ 500--
3 rd -----	\$ 250--

ENTRY FEES (US Dollars)

OPEN-----	\$ 250.--
WOMEN-----	\$ 200.--

Inclusive of LUNCH and Snacks during games & welcome dinner buffet

FREE ENTRY FOR GM & WGM

Before 31 Oct. 2018 the President of each FIDE Zone 3.6 Federation may nominate seeded players to receive free entry and room-share accommodation as follows in each of the open and women's championships.

Australia (2) New Zealand (1) Fiji (1) Solomon Island (1)
Palau (1) PNG (1) Nauru (1)

No expenses or pocket money will be paid.

TIME CONTROL AND FORFEITURE

*FIDE time control 90 minutes for the first 40 moves, followed by 30 minutes for the remaining moves, with an increment of 30 seconds per move from move 1.

*Any player who arrives at the chessboard more than 30 minutes after the scheduled start of the session shall lose the game unless the arbiter decides otherwise. Any player who forfeits without notifying the arbiter may be withdrawn from the tournament.

TIE BREAK

In the case of a tie for the first place, a playoff match will be required to decide the title of the Zonal Champion. The playoff matches will begin at 2 pm on the day of the final round.

APPEALS

The Asian Chess Federation President after consultation with the Oceania president shall nominate the Technical Delegate and Chief Arbiter and its assistant or officials. The chief Arbiter may, in consultation with the Technical Delegate, issue additional written regulations. The Technical Delegate shall chair the Appeals Committee. The Appeals Committee shall be composed of three members and two reserves, all from different federations. No members of the Appeals Committee shall take part in a decision affecting a player belonging to the same federation. Appeals including appeals against the decision of the Arbiter or his assistant must be submitted in writing to the Chairman of the Appeals Committee within fifteen (15) minutes of the completion of the relevant playing session. An appeal shall be submitted with an accompanying fee of \$100.00 US dollars. If the appeal is upheld the appeal fee will be refunded. The decision of the Appeal Committee is final, binding and takes effect immediately.

All others standard FIDE Rules & regulations of chess shall apply.

VENUE: Pacific Star Resort & Spa— 627 Pale San Vitores, Road Tumon, Guam
96929 Phone: (671) 648-1617 F: (671)646-1656 * www.pacificstarguam.com

TRANSPORT: Provided by Pacific Star Resort & Spa (pick-up & drop-off) ACCOMMODATION

Pacific Star Resort & Spa accommodation is available on site at a special rate: \$135 + 11% tax per night single/double without breakfast and \$160 +11 % tax per night single/double with breakfast. NOTE: Lunch and Snacks will be served during every game.

ENQUIRIES: ROGELIO L. ORIO (Roger)

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FIDE International Organizer Rogelio L. Orio (Roger)

CONDITIONS

*The competition is base on the FIDE Laws of chess.

*FIDE ratings will be used for pairing and rating prizes.

*Players must be members of a FIDE Zone 3.6 federation (Australia, Fiji, New Zealand, Palau, PNG, Solomon Island, Nauru & Guam)

*Entries close 05 Jan 2019. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Organizer and with a late payment fee of \$25.

* Limit of one prize per player. Unrated players are ineligible for rating prize. Prizes will be pooled in the event of tie.

Please enter me in the 2019 OCEANA ZONAL CHESS

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Date of Birth _____

Email _____

FIDE ID Number _____

I am a registered member of _____

I am entering the: Open () Women () Please check

Methods of Payment * Bank Account Details: Bank account #101316595, Routing # 1214-05115 Guam Echecs, BOG, ITC branch, Tamuning Guam, 96913;
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