

“The Belt and Road” 2017 Hainan Chess Open

1. Organizer:

Board and Card Games Administrative Center of General Administration
of Sport of China

Chinese Chess Association

Department of Culture, Radio, Television, Publication and Sports of
Hainan Province

2. Host

Department of Culture, Radio, Television, Publication and Sports of
Sanya

Hainan Chess Association

3. Operating Unit

Hainan Yi Zhi Mei Sports and Cultural Development Co., Ltd

4. Strategic cooperation media

Hainan Channel of People.cn

5. Supporting Unit

Hainan Tongxing Chess Club

Shenzhen Juqi Education Development Co., Ltd

6. Playing Date and Place

Date: 16th to 26th December 2017

Place: Sanya City Hainan Province China

Playing venue : Sanya Visun Royal Yacht Hotel

7. Entry

7.1 It is open to all players.

7.2 It is divided to A group and B group.

7.3 A group is open to men and women players rated 2200 and above based on October 1st 2017 FIDE rating list.

B group is open to men and women players rated less than 2199 based on October 1st 2017 FIDE rating list or unrated players.

8. System

8.1 FIDE rating is calculated.

8.2 The latest FIDE rule is adopted.

8.3 Swiss system of 9 rounds. The time control is 90 minutes for each player with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from the first move.

8.4 Men and women players will play together and the result will be ranked together.

9. Arbiter and Appeals

9.1 Arbiter is appointed by Chinese Chess Association

9.2 Appeals member is appointed according to the Regulation.

10. Prize fund

10.1 US\$57,000 (before tax) in prizes shall be awarded. The local tax is 20%.

10.2 A group(\$30,000)

1 st	\$15,000	4 th	\$1,600
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2 nd \$5,000	5 th \$1,200
3 rd \$3,000	6 th to 12 th \$600

B group(\$10,900)

1 st \$3,000	4 th \$800
2 nd \$2,000	5 th \$600
3 rd \$1,000	6 th to 12 th \$500

Women Best Performance in A group(\$9,000)

1 st \$3,000	4 th \$800
2 nd \$2,000	5 th \$600
3 rd \$1,000	6 th to 8 th \$500

Women Best Performance in B group(\$7,100)

1 st \$2,000	4 th \$800
2 nd \$1,200	5 th \$600
3 rd \$1,000	6 th to 8 th \$500

10.3 The prize shall be transferred by bank wire after the tournament. Prizes shall not be shared among tied players. And players cannot have both prizes. Trophy will be awarded to the champion of A group and B group, and the best women player in A group and B group.

11. Payment

11.1 Entry fee

Registration is free for GM with a FIDE rating of 2500 and above and WGM of 2300 and above based on October 1st 2017 FIDE rating list. For all others players, the entry fee is as follows:

Rated players: \$50

Unrated players: \$80

11.2 Grandmasters who have ratings of 2700 and above and Women Grandmasters who have ratings of 2500 and above based on October 1st 2017 FIDE rating list will be provided free accommodations on a twin-room basis from 16th dinner to 26th lunch.

11.3 Grandmasters who have ratings of 2550-2700 and Women Grandmasters who have ratings of 2350-2500 based on October 1st 2017 FIDE rating list will have 50% discount on the accommodation.

11.4 For other players, the rate of room and meals is as below:

***Sanya Adry Resort Hotel(not playing venue)**

<http://www.eadryresort.com/>

Rate including three meals in a double room for one person per night is 488 Chinese yuan.

If a person wants to stay alone in a double room, the rate including three meals is 688 Chinese yuan.

There is no single room in Sanya Adry Resort Hotel.

***Sanya Visun Royal Yacht Hotel(playing venue)**

http://www.visunyachthotel.com/yt_about.php

Rate including three meals in a double room for one person per night is 588 Chinese yuan.

Rate including three meals in a single room for one person per night is 888 Chinese yuan.

Note: the meals will begin from 16th dinner and end until 26th lunch.

11.5 Invited players and players who enjoy free accommodations are obliged to attend the promotion activity for half a day at the resting day.

11.6 Free airport transportation will be provided at Sanya Phoenix International Airport and flight information should be given to LOC before 30th Nov 2017.

12. Other matters

12.1 The deadline of registration is 25th Nov 2017.

12.2 Registration should be sent to email address of 2647506476@qq.com

Contact person: Cindy Li

12.3 All participants should purchase accidental insurance during the stay.

12.4 Payment should be made to the following account before 25th Nov 2017:

Bank name: The Industrial and Commercial Bank of China , hainan provincial branch , haidian Sub-branch.

Bank Address: NO.78 meilisha garden, The fifth west road of haidian Island,HAIKOU,HAINAN,CHINA.

SWIFT: ICBKCNBJHNP

Beneficiary: ZHOU ZHIJUN

Beneficiary's Address: Room D 27th Floor Guo Mao Center, Yu Sha Road, Long Hua District, Hai Kou City, Hainan Province, China.

A/C NO: 6212262201016350359

12.5 Schedule

16 th Dec	Arrival
17 th Dec	14:00 Opening Ceremony 14:30 Round 1
18 th Dec	14:30 Round 2
19 th Dec	14:30 Round 3
20 th Dec	14:30 Round 4
21 st Dec	14:30 Round 5
22 nd Dec	14:00-18:00 Simultaneous Rest
23 rd Dec	14:30 Round 6
24 th Dec	14:30 Round 7
25 th Dec	14:30 Round 8
26 th Dec	9:00 Round 9 16:00 Closing and Departure