

26th OPEN INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT of KAVALA * 28 July - 4 August 2017 .

ORGANIZERS

Kavala Chess Club - East Macedonia & Thrace Chess Union

V E N U E : Foyer of Kavala Prefecture Amphitheatre (15 Erithrou Stavrou Str.)

PLAYING SYSTEM : **FIDE Swiss 9 rounds** - Three groups according to ELO Rating - **Group A** : Rtg > 1900 (women>1800)
Group B : Rating < 2000 (Players with Rating between 1900 - 1999 have the right of choice to participate either in the First or Second Group) - **Group C** : Born after 1-1-2007 and without FIDE rating

1 st Round	Friday 28 July	16.00 h	SCHEDULE of GAMES	6 th Round	Tuesday 1 August	16.00 h
2 nd Round	Saturday 29 July	16.00 h		7 th Round	Wednesday 2 August	16.00 h
3 rd Round	Sunday 30 July	10.00 h		8 th Round	Thursday 3 August	16.00 h
4 th Round	Sunday 30 July	17.00 h		9 th Round	Friday 4 August	10.00 h
5 th Round	Monday 31 July	16.00 h		Closing Ceremony	Friday 4 August	15.30 h

RATE OF PLAY : 90 min for the first 40 moves + 30 min until the end of the game + 30 sec per move from the 1st move

TIE BREAKS : 1st Results in same point group, 2nd Buchholz (cut-1), 3rd Sonneborn- Berger

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR : Theodoridis Vassilios - CHIEF ARBITER : Halvatzoglou Kleopatra

PRIZES FIRST GROUP					PRIZES SECOND GROUP				
1 st	2.000	7 th	180	1 st Woman	300	1 st	200	1 st Woman	100
2 nd	1.200	8 th	160	2 nd Woman	180	2 nd	150	2 nd Woman	70
3 rd	700	9 th	140	3 rd Woman	100	3 rd	110	3 rd Woman	50
4 th	400	10 th	120	1 st Rtg < 2300	150	4 th	100		
5 th	300	11 th	100	1 st Rtg < 2200	120	5 th	90		
6 th	200	12 th	100	1 st Rtg < 2100	100	6 th	80		
4.800		+	800	+	950	+	730	+	220 = 7.500 €

Between tied players, until 6th place Group A and 3rd place Group B, money prizes are divided equally. In case of a player having the right to two or more prizes he gets the higher one. **Cups** will be given to the top 6 of the final ranking, to the top 3 women, to the top 3 of the final ranking Group B and to the first of special categories.

By no appearance in the Closing Ceremony the right for prizes is forfeited.

PRICES FOR ACCOMMODATION

Prices per person per night	DOUBLE ROOM			THREE BED ROOM			SINGLE ROOM		
	breakfast	1 meal	2 meals	breakfast	1 meal	2 meals	breakfast	1 meal	2 meals
GALAXY ****	39 €	50 €	60 €	34 €	45 €	55 €	65 €	76 €	86 €
OCEANIS ***	30 €	39 €	48 €	23 €	32 €	41 €	46 €	55 €	64 €
ESPERIA ***	31 €			24 €			48 €		
For room reservations : Tel. fax : 2510.231011 * e-mail : touristinfo@kavalagreece.gr									

PARTICIPATION FEE

Group A : Rating above 2400 **free**, between 2200-2399 : **30 €**, between 2000-2199 : **40 €**, between 1900-1999 : **50 €**

Group B : Rating 1900-1999 **free**, under 1900 : **30 €** - **Group C** : **20 €**

ACCOMMODATION CONDITIONS for GMs and IMs, according to ELO Rating 1 st July 2017 Conditions to a maximum number of 30 GMs - IMs & 10 WGMs - WIMs Priority to the highest rated GMs The arrangement applies also for WGMs and WIMs with Rating up to 150 points less	1	2700 +	9 days in single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 400 €
	2	2675 - 2699	9 days in single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 350 €
	3	2650 - 2674	9 days in single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 300 €
	4	2625 - 2649	9 days in single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 250 €
	5	2600 - 2624	9 days in single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 200 €
	6	2575 - 2599	9 days in double room	Full Board	Travel expenses 150 €
	7	2550 - 2574	9 days in double room	Full Board	Travel expenses 100 €
	8	2525 - 2549	9 days in double room	Full Board	--
	9	2500 - 2524	9 days in double room	Full Board	--
	10	2475 - 2499	9 days in double room	Half Board	--
	11	2450 - 2474	9 days in double room	Breakfast	--
	12	2425 - 2449	Discount 50% to the hotel prices		--
	13	2400 - 2424	Discount 30% to the hotel prices		--

REGISTRATION : Entries must be sent by e-mail : webmaster@chesskavala.gr, not later than July 10th and should include full name, FIDE Rating, telephone and dates of arrival and departure.

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