

23rd PANNONIA CUP

Balatonalmadi, 18th – 22th of July, 2018

Group A: International Open Tournament for FIDE ratings.

Group B: International Open Tournament for FIDE ratings, but competitors over 2000 ELO points can't attend, and competitors under 18 years will be ranked separately.

System used: /for A and B Groups/

We organise a chess competition in Swiss system and 7 rounds without age limits

Location: The air-conditioned Conference Hall of **Pannonia Cultural Center and Library (In Hungarian: Pannonia Kultúrális Központ és Könyvtár)**

Address: Hungary, Zip code: 8220 Balatonalmadi, Városház Square 4.

Main Patrons: Mr. Janos Keszey, the Mayor of Balatonalmadi
Bakonyi Árpád Dr., Honorary Associate Professor

Organiser: Recreation Association of Vörösberény

Time Limit: In Group A: 90-90 minutes + 30 sec after each move

In Group B: 90-90 minutes + 30 sec after each move

Prizes:

Group A

1 st place	60.000 HUF
2 nd place	40.000 HUF
3 rd place	25.000 HUF
4 th place	15.000 HUF
5 th place	12.000 HUF
6 th place	10.000 HUF
7 th place	8.000 HUF
8 th place	7.000.HUF

Special prizes for Group A

Best Women Competitor	10.000 HUF
Best Senior (over 60 years)	10.000 HUF
Best player, who born after 01.01.1998.	30.000 HUF

Group B

1 st place	15.000 HUF
2 nd place	10.000 HUF
3 rd place	7.000 HUF

Under 18 players we will receive medals and diploma in the case of 1-3 places, furthermore the best under 18 player will win a cup.

Final ranking:

Places are decided by number of scores won. Ties are decided by Bucholcz, by Swiss Manager and furthermore/additionally Progressive Bucholcz, TPR, Rating. Prizes will be taxed (but you don't have to pay tax it) and not shared. One player may get only one prize.

Program:

Opening and drawing:	18 th of July	15.30-16.00
1. round	18 th of July	from 16.00
2. round	19 th of July	from 09.00
3. round	19 th of July	from 15.00
4. round	20 th of July	from 09.00
Blitz (Schnell) competition:	20 th of July	from 17.00
5. round	21 th of July	from 09.00
6. round	21 th of July	from 15.00
7. round	22 th of July	from 09.00
Prize giving ceremony:	22 th of July	from 14.30

Entry fees:

Group A

under 2000 FIDE and for unrated	45 EUR
between 2001-2200 FIDE rating	40 EUR
between 2201-2400 FIDE rating	35 EUR
GM, IM and players over 2400 FIDE rating	free entry
Group B (for every player)	30 EUR

Deadline for entries:

15th of July, 2018

Entry fee includes free entry to the beach, if you send in your date of birth until the deadline for entries.

Organisers undertake the costs of playing permit in Hungary (FRD) for all foreign participants.

Accommodation:

Private rooms with all comfort for players and for accompanying persons:
22 EUR/day/person.

Hotel with higher prestige: www.hunguesthotels.hu/en/hotel/balatonalmadi/hunguest

Each player should cater for their own meals. There are good, cheap restaurants and a Penny market a few minutes walk from the chess room for your convenience.

If you would like to have an accommodation, please notify me until the 1th of July, 2018

The organisers reserve the rights of altering the above conditions!

Arrival and registration of players at the location from 10.00 until 14.00 o'clock, 18th of July.

Entry fees, cost of accommodation and meals (if ordered) must be paid upon arrival.

At the centre of the town you can find restaurants, the railway station, the bus terminal, the beach and interesting programs.

During the Tournament we will be held a blitz (schnell) competition, where the people of outside of the Pannonia Cup can be participating too. Entry fee is 2000 HUF, from which 80% will be distributed.

You can find more information, photos and results (some of the more interesting plays included) at our web-site www.sakk-pannonia.info

Entry Address and further information

Imre Fancsy, leader

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