

3rd International Chess Festival
“Batumi Municipality Cup – 2017”
Batumi, Georgia. July 01-12, 2017

Regulations

Organizers:

- Municipality of Batumi
- Chess Club “NONA”
- Georgian Chess Federation

Media Support:

- Adjarian Telecasting and Radio Companies
- Newspaper "Adjara"

1. Festival Events

- 1.1 Open A** - Players with FIDE Rating 2200 and higher, also
Players with FIDE Title: GM, IM, FM, WGM, WIM, WFM.
- 1.2 Open B** - Players with FIDE Rating low than 2200 and any Player who wishes.
- 1.3 Open C** - Players with FIDE Rating low than 1600 and any Player who wishes.
- 1.4 Open Blitz**
- 1.5** Boys under age 12 (Date of birth 2005 and after)
- 1.6** Girls under age 12 (Date of birth 2005 and after)
- 1.7** Boys under age 10 (Date of birth 2007 and after)
- 1.8** Girls under age 10 (Date of birth 2007 and after)
- 1.9** Boys under age 8 (Date of birth 2009 and after)
- 1.10** Girls under age 8 (Date of birth 2009 and after)

2. System and Rate of Play

2.1 Time Control:

Open A & Open B - The playing time will be 90 minutes for 40 moves plus 30 minutes for the rest of the game with an increment of 30 seconds per move, starting from move one.

Open C and B&G U8, U10, U12 - 90 minutes + 30 seconds per move.

2.2 Festival tournaments played in 9 rounds, according to the Swiss system.

2.3 Pairings will be carried out with the computer program – **SwissManager**.

3. Players

Upon arrival players may be requested to present the passport of their players for verification of age eligibility.

Registration online is possible. E mail: **marikachess@gmail.com**

After arrival players must confirm registration until deadline.

Otherwise Player will be deleted from first round pairing.

4. Festival Schedule

		Open A & B & C	B&G U8, U10, U12
July 01	Arrival of participants Registration	10.00-20.00	10.00-20.00
July 02	Registration	09.00-14.00	09.00-10.00
	Opening Ceremony	15.30	15.30
July 02	Round 1	16.00	11.00
July 03	Round 2	15.00	15.00
July 04	Round 3	15.00	15.00
July 05	Round 4	15.00	15.00
July 06	Round 5	11.00	11.00
July 06	Mini Football Tournament	17.00	
July 07	Round 6	15.00	15.00
July 08	Round 7	15.00	15.00
July 09	Round 8	15.00	15.00
July 10	Round 9	11.00	11.00
	Closing Ceremony	19.00	19.00
July 11	International Blitz Tournament	17.00	
July 12	Departure		

5. Tie-Break System and Trophies

5.1 In case of equal points the order of players will be determined by the following tie-break procedures:

1. Buchholz cut -1, the highest number wins;
2. Buchholz, the highest number wins;
3. The greater number of victories;
4. Progressive score

5.2 Winners will be awarded Batumi municipality's Cups, Medals, Respective Diplomas and money prizes.

6. Prize fund – 48 650 GEL

Prizes will be taxed to Georgian Legislation.

Tournament	Categories	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Open A	Men	7000	4000	3000	2000	1500	1200	1000	800
	Women	2000	1000	800					
Open B	Men	1700	1300	1000	800	600			
	Women	900	600	400					
	U16 - B	400							
	U16 - G	300							
	U14 - B	300							
	U14 - G	200							
	senior (50+) man woman	500 400							
	senior (65+) man woman	500 400							
Open C		800	600	400	200	100			
Boys under 12		400	300	250	200	100			

Girls under 12		350	250	200	150	100			
Boys under 10		350	300	200	150	100			
Girls under 10		300	250	200	150	100			
Boys under 8		300	250	200	100	50			
Girls under 8		250	200	150	100	50			
Blitz	Men	400	300	200	100				
	Woman	200							
	U 16	100							
	U 14	100							

- In case of tie money prizes will be not shared.
- The player who has won not one prizes gets the greatest prize only.
- The Players who will take a prize places are obliged to attend the Closing Ceremony shall take place according to schedule.

6.1. Coaches contest: By the results of their pupils in U8, U10, U12 B&G category, coaches will be rewarded prize money.

Prizes in each category:

Tournament	Place / Money prizes in GEL				
Under 8, 10, 12 Boys and Girls	I	II	III	IV	V
	250	200	150	100	50

Coaches, who wish to participate in the contest, should perform the list of pupils till July 03. In the coaches contest in U8,U10,U12 - B&G category must participate non-less than 5 pupils of each coach.

7.Entry fee

FIDE Rating	
FIDE Rating 2501> GM, WGM, IM, WIM	0
FIDE Rating 2401-2500	30 USD
FIDE Rating 2301-2400	40 USD
FIDE Rating 2200-2300	50 USD
FIDE Rating 2200<	50 USD
FIDE Rating 1600<	40 USD
Juniors U16 & U14 B&G - 20 % discount	
Tournaments under ages - U8, U10, U12 B&G	35 USD
Blitz Tournament	10 USD

8.Accommodation

ACCOMMODATION CONDITIONS For GMs and IMs, according to FIDE Rating 1 st July 2016. The arrangement applies also for WGMs and WIMs with Rating up to 150 points less	1	2700 +	Single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 400 \$
	2	2650 - 2699	Single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 300 \$
	3	2600 - 2649	Single room	Breakfast	Travel expenses 200 \$
	4	2550 - 2599	Double room		Travel expenses 100 \$
	5	2500 - 2549	Double room		

8.1 Hotel . Payment in GEL (a dollar equivalent)

Prices per Person Per day	Hotel "Chao" 10 min. by car	Hotel "Kazbegi" 10 min. by car	Hotel "Dolphin" & "Lux" 10 min. by car	Hotel "Comfort" 10 min. by car	"Sport Complex" 5 min. by walk
SINGLE	120 GEL- Breakfast +25 GEL- Full Board		100 \$ Full Board		
DOUBLE	90 GEL- Breakfast +25 GEL- Full Board	40 \$ - Full Board	50 \$ Full Board	30 \$ Full Board	25 GEL
SUITE (3 persons)	70 GEL- Breakfast +25 GEL- Full Board	30 \$ - Full Board	50 \$ Full Board	30 \$ Full Board	

8.2

Private Sector - 5-10 min. by walk

10, 15, 25, 30 GEL - (25-30 GEL Hostel type rooms)

8.3

About Accommodation please call to (+995) 577 79 34 37 Giorgi Chanturia

9. Payments

9.1 Accommodation and travel expenses will be covered by the participants, federation and their Sponsors.

9.2 The registration fee should be transferred to the following bank account:

Batumi N(N)LE "Chess Club Nona" (GEL)

TAX ID : 445426138

Account holder name: Common Account of Treasure

Bank: National Treasury

Bank Swift Code : TRESGE22

Account number/code: 7 4079 7519

Chess Club Nona

Intermediary:

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK, USA (USD)

SWIFT CODE: FRNYUS33

ACC: 021087992 GEORG

Beneficiary's bank:

NATIONAL BANK OF GEORGIA, TBILISI

SWIFT CODE: BNLNGE22

Beneficiary: N(N)LE CHESS CLUB NONA (TAX ID: 445426138)

IBAN: GE65NB0331100001150207

Intermediary:

DEUTSCHE BUNDESBANK, ZENTRALE FRANKFURT AM MAIN, DE (EUR)

SWIFT CODE: MARKDEFF

ACC: 5040040060

Beneficiary's bank:

NATIONAL BANK OF GEORGIA, TBILISI

SWIFT CODE: BNLNGE22

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The foreign bank commissions must be paid by the sender.

9.3 All Payments should be paid in full before the end of the second round.

10. General Rules

10.1 Default time for all rounds is 1 hour.

10.2 Appeals:

Protests must be submitted in written form within one hour after completion of the round concerned.

The protest must be accompanied with the sum of 50\$ - Open A, B & C, 20\$ - Youth tournaments, as a deposit of the appellant. The deposit must be handed to the Chairman of the Appeals Committee. If the appeal is accepted, the sum shall be returned immediately.

The appeal has to be lodged by the player.

The decisions of the Appeals Committee are final.

In case of organizational shortcomings, please, address to the secretariat of Events Commission of the Georgian Chess Federation:

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11. Contact Information

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The 3rd Festival "Batumi Municipality Cup – 2017"
will be held in "KAISA" Palace.
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