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3^o International Chess Festival

2-9 Dicembre 2018



Roma Città Aperta

HOTEL EUROSTARS ROMA AETERNA

Piazza del Pigneto, 9A



Rules

During the International Chess Festival “Roma Città Aperta 2018” Open A and Open B players will play 9 rounds; the Open U16 NC players will play 7 rounds.

Rate of play Open A and B will be of 90 minutes, plus a 30 seconds increment for each move starting from the first move, plus 15 minutes for each player after the fortieth move.

Rate of play Open C will be of 90 minutes, plus a 30 seconds increment for each move starting from the first move.

The Festival is open to both Italian and foreign players. Italian players residing anywhere in Italy and foreign players residing in Italy must be registered with the FSI and hold a competitive level or juniors level, 2018 or 2019 card.

The players attending the Open U16 NC must already be in possession of the 2018 FSI card when the tournament starts as it will not be possible for them to acquire the card during the tournament.

On the other hand, the players attending the Open A and B will have the possibility to register with the FSI when signing up for the Festival; if so, the FSI card will be valid throughout the year 2019 and the money will be in favour of Asd. Scuola Popolare di Scacchi.

Foreign players must be in possession of the FIDE Identity Number; if not, they are required to request it to their federation or through FIDE Arena.

Players with disabilities requiring particular assistance must notify the organization of their presence at the Festival as to allow the organization to arrange the tournament area accordingly.

The Festival will make use of Swiss matching system, FIDE (Dutch); first tiebreaker will be the Buchholz; second Buchholz Cut 1; third ARO.

If announced in advance, players can take advantage of half-point bye according to Italian RTF article 7.5.2. The player reaching the chessboard with a delay of more than 60 minutes will lose the game.

All the technical decisions made by the Tournament Commission will not be open to appeal.

The award ceremony is an integral part of the Festival. Failing to attend will result in renouncing to the prizes gained.

The award ceremony will take place after the end of the last round and its timing will be announced during the last match.

Introducing in the tournament area communication devices (i.e. smartphones and tablets) is strictly forbidden. If found in possess of any communication device, the individual will be required to pay a fee according to FIDE norms. Smoking, including electronic cigarettes, is prohibited.

By signing up to the tournament, the individual agrees to the publication, on the website: www.scuolapopolarediscacchi.com , of some personal information (surname, name, category, Elo). Also, the results obtained and photos and videos taken during the Festival will be uploaded on the website.

For the minors, this consent is implicitly given by parents or guardians.

The organization, according to FSI and FIDE norms, will be allowed to modify the present set of rules whenever necessary to successfully coordinate the Festival.



Registration

Attention: it is possible to register to the tournament ONLY through the website: www.scuolapopolarediscacchi.com

Registration: OPEN A (= > Elo 1900) – OPEN B (= < Elo 2000)

9 games, 8 days. Only one double game.

Registration fees will vary according to the table:

GM => Elo 2450 No registration fee applied and players are required to reach the tournament venue at no later than 3pm.

WGM => Elo 2350 No registration fee applied and players are required to reach the tournament venue at no later than 3pm.

By October 27, 2018

GM < Elo 2450: 10 euro

WGM < Elo 2350: 10 euro

IM – WIM: 40 euro

U16: 60 euro

Other: 80 euro

By November 27, 2018

GM < Elo 2450: 20 euro

GM-WGM < Elo 2350: 20 euro

IM – WIM: 50 euro

U16: 70 euro

Other: 90 euro

After November 27, 2018 (and at the tournament venue)

GM-WGM <Elo 2450: 30 euro

WGM <Elo 2350: 30 euro

IM – WIM: 60 euro

U16: 80 euro

Other: 100 euro

Registration: Open U16NC

By October 27, 2018

By November 27, 2018

U16 NC: 40 euro

U16 NC: 50 euro

After November 27, 2018 (and at the tournament venue)

U16 NC: 60 euro

Registration:

please go to the website www.scuolapopolarediscacchi.com and follow the instructions.

Payment: please check the above table for dates and prices. We kindly advise you to use the website www.scuolapopolarediscacchi.com to pay. It is possible to pay with Paypal or credit card (a small fee might be charged). The system will not accept multiple registrations using same username and email account. Alternatively, it is possible to pay via bank transfer to Asd. Scuola Popolare di Scacchi IBAN: IT13P0200805235000104279659 (Banca Unicredit – Agenzia n. 01724, Roma Tor De' Schiavi). After making the bank transfer, please send an email to scuolapopolarediscacchi@gmail.com quoting the CRO of the bank transfer.

It is necessary to provide name, surname and Elo points of the player, especially if he/she is not the one making the payment. The registration will be considered complete and therefore valid just after the payment is made. The pre-registration through Vesus.org is appreciated but will not be considered binding.

After November 27, 2018 registering will be only possible at the Festival venue and **ONLY** until 3pm, Sunday December 2 (where spots available).

Maximum number of available spots: **220 players.**



Accommodation

The organization has managed to obtain the following convenient staying arrangement for the players who have already signed up for the tournament and their companions.

Direct booking at the hotel **EUROSTARS ROMA AETERNA HOTEL** Via Casilina, 125- Piazza del Pigneto 9 A - ROMA – Italian Telephone Number 0039 0670603 – Fax Number 0039 0670614003

www.eurostarsromaaeterna.com - info@eurostarsromaaeterna.com

IBAN: IT48N0101503200000070148851

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*** double for sole use room: € 49**

*** double room: € 57**

* Price per night including American buffet breakfast and VAT (a visitors tax of € 6 per person per night is not included in the price).

The above-mentioned convenient prices will be applied to bookings made before the 25th of November 2018 included (where rooms available). The cancellation policy includes the possibility of cancelling the reservation up until 7 days before the arrival date. Failing to check in or late cancellation will lead to a penalty fee equal to the full reservation price.

Booking arrangements must be made via email at:
reservations@eurostarsromaaeterna.com.

In the email, the sender will state that he/she has already signed up for the Festival and paid the expected registration fee.

For alternative and/or less expensive staying arrangements please contact the organization at: massimo.carconi@gmail.com



Festival Schedule

Sunday, December 2

3 pm: end of registration and GM-WGM accreditation

4.30 pm: opening ceremony

5.00 pm: first round (everyone)

Monday, December 3

9.30 am:second round (Open U16NC not playing)

4.30 pm: third round (Open U16NC second round)

Tuesday, December 4

4.30 pm: fourth round (Open U16NC third round)

Wednesday, December 5

4.30 pm: fifth round (Open U16NC fourth round)

Thursday, December 6

4.30 pm: sixth round (Open U16NC fifth round)

Friday, December 7

4.30 pm: seventh round (Open U16NC sixth round)

Saturday, December 8

9.30 am: eighth round (Open U16NC not playing)

Sunday, December 9

9.00 am: ninth round (Open U16NC seventh round) Following, award ceremony

Open U16NC will always play in the afternoon, excluding Sunday. Open A and B will play every afternoon and three mornings (first Monday, Saturday and last Sunday), with only one double game.



Prize Money: 7.100 euros

The prizes cannot be shared between players nor combined. Prizes must be collected during the award ceremony by the player or a parent (if the player is a minor). The award ceremony is part of the Festival; hence, players not attending the ceremony will not receive their prizes.

OPEN A = > 1900 elo

First Place
1000 euro
Second Place
800
Third Place
600
Fourth Place
500
Fifth Place
400
First Place <2400
250
First Place <2300
200
First Place <2200
200

OPEN B = <2000 elo

First Place
700 euro
Second Place
500
Third Place
400
Fourth Place
300
Fifth place
200
First Place <1800
150
First Place < 1700
100
First Place <1600
100

OPEN U16-NC

First Place U16
Cup+book+gadget
Second Place U16
Medal+book+gadget
Third Place U16
Medal+book+gadget
First Place U14
Medal+book+gadget
Second Place U14
Medal+book+gadget
Third Plce U14
Medal+book+gadget
First Place U12
Medal+book+gadget
First Place U10
Medal+book+gadget

First Place <2100

100

First Place Women

100

First Place Over 65

100

First Place <1500

100

First Place Women

100

First Place Over 65

100

First Place U8

Medal+book+gadget

