

players registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any tournament. For renewing AICF registration of existing players, please click <http://aicf.in/players/> For fresh AICF registration please click <http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/> For fresh AICF registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address (unique) not used by any other person/ player for AICF, ready before the registration process.

Note : Only passport size (less than 1MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

6. **TNSCA Player Registration:** All participants from Tamil Nadu are required to register themselves with TNSCA as Player. TNSCA player registration fee is Rs. 150/- for the year 2017-18. Players registering with TNSCA as asked to submit duly filled TNSCA player registration form with passport size photo and date of birth certificate copy. Those who have already paid must show the proof thereof

7. **TDCA Player Registration:** TDCA fee of Rs.50/- for 2017-2018 must be paid or a photocopy of the proof of payment is to be sent (only for Thoothukudi District players).

**Note:** Players should send 2 passport size photos for providing tournament Identity Card.

8. **Protest:** Protest if any against the decision of the chief arbiter, shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.500/- within 30 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

9. **Appeals Committee:** A five member appeals committee shall be formed by organizers. All the members and reserves shall be from different districts/ states. No member of committee can vote on dispute in which a player from his own district/ state is involved and in such cases, the reserve will take his place.

10. Players and accompanying persons are requested to maintain discipline throughout the tournament within the campus. The organizers have the right to take action against the indisciplinary activities by any person.

11. The organiser/TNSCA/AICF is entitled to accept or reject entries.

12. The organiser/TNSCA/AICF has the rights of admission to tournament hall.

**Chief Arbiter**  
**Prof.R. Anantharam, International Arbiter**

**Teekay Chess Centre**

**Dr.S.Vaseekaran** **Prof.T.Karpagavalli (94870 49284)**  
**President** **Secretary**

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**Tournament Committee**

**Mrs. M.Santhi (94877 03266)** **Ms. B.Harithra (99941 90284)**  
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**The Victorious Pearls of Teekay**

S.No.	Year	Venue	Winner
1.	July 2013	Holy Cross Eng. College,Tuticorin	Sa. Kannan
2.	Aug 2014	Kamaraj College,Tuticorin	K. Priyanka
3.	Feb 2016	Kamaraj College,Tuticorin	P. Shyam Nikil IM
4.	Feb 2018	V.O.C. Port Trust,Tuticorin	... May be You



**Mr.Manuel Aaron**  
**1st International Master**  
**Arjuna Award Winner**  
**Pearl of Tuticorin**

*We are very proud and happy to welcome The Vice - President of TDCA, The President of Tuticorin Chess Trust and The Honourary Advisor of Teekay Chess Centre Mr.Manuel Aaron for the Inaugural function.*

*Hearty Welcome From Teekay Chess Centre*

Annai Cards



**4<sup>th</sup> Teekay International FIDE Rated Chess Tournament - 2018**

Organized by  
**Teekay Chess Centre, Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu**

(Under the Aegis of TDCA, TNSCA & AICF)

(AICF event code : 174558/TN/2018) (TNSCA approval no.:RO-25/TUT/17-18)



**Date: 31<sup>st</sup> January to 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2018**



Venue:  
**Community Hall, V.O.C.Port Trust, Tuticorin**

*Come and Enjoy playing Chess near a beach*



For Enquiries contact:  
Mrs.Muthuselvi - 82207 87822

**Total cash Prize Fund**  
**Rs. 3,20,000/-**

Entry Fee	
Unrated	Rs.1600/-
Rating upto 1700	Rs.1400/-
Rating 1701 to 2000	Rs.1200/-
Rating 2001 to 2399	Rs.1000/-
Rating above 2400	FREE
GMs, IMs, WIMs and WGMs	FREE
Early Bird Offer (till 05.12.2017)	Rs.200/- less in entry fee

#### Tournament Schedule

Inauguration : **31.01.2018 10.00 A.M.**  
 Players Meeting : **10.45 AM**  
 First Round : **11.00 A.M.**



#### Round Schedule

Rounds	Date	Timings
1.	31.01.2018	11.00 A.M.
2.	31.01.2018	4.00 P.M.
3.	01.02.2018	9.30 A.M.
4.	01.02.2018	3.30 P.M.
5.	02.02.2018	9.30 A.M.
6.	02.02.2018	3.30 P.M.
7.	03.02.2018	8.30 A.M.
8.	03.02.2018	1.30 P.M.

Closing Ceremony : **03.02.2018 6.00 P.M.**

**Entry Details:** Entries should be sent on or before 28.01.2018 with DD in favour of "Teekay Chess Centre", payable at Thoothukudi or deposited in bank account

#### Bank Details

1. Account Name : **Teekay Chess Centre**  
 2. Bank : State Bank of India, Tuticorin  
 3. Account Number: 33040037697  
 4. Account Type : Savings Account  
 4. IFSC code : SBIN0014463

Those who have paid through bank or by online payment have to send a scanned copy of the bank receipt/ chalan along with the entry form.

Entries may also be sent through [www.paychessentry.com](http://www.paychessentry.com) (or) [www.chessfee.com](http://www.chessfee.com) (or) [www.easypaychess.com](http://www.easypaychess.com). You can download the entry form from [www.aicf.in](http://www.aicf.in) and [www.tamilchess.com](http://www.tamilchess.com).

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**Send Your entries to:** Teekay Chess Centre, 324, George Road, Tuticorin-3, TN.

**Boarding and lodging:** A/C and furnished double sharing room will be provided for GMs, IMs, WGMs and WIMs at the cost of organizers. For other players accommodation will be provided in V.O.C Port Trust quarters adjacent to the venue on sharing basis. Players should bring their own beddings. A nominal charge of Rs.200/- per head will be collected. Players/Parents can enjoy the good accommodation at the harbour quarters near the sea shore.

**Food:** Quality vegetarian and Non- vegetarian food is available inside and outside the venue on payment basis.

**Transport Details:** The venue is about 8KMs from the old bus stand and 7 KMs from the Railway station and 32 KMs from Airport. City buses are available from the old bus stand to the venue for every 15 minutes.

#### Main Cash prizes

**Open (Rtg)1601-2000 (Rtg)1301-1600 (Rtg)1000-1300**

**1. Rs.60000+A.M.M.S. Ganesan Padmavathy Memorial Trophy**  
 2. Rs.40000 1. Rs. 8000 1. Rs. 7000 1. Rs.6000  
 3. Rs.25000 2. Rs. 6000 2. Rs. 5000 2. Rs.4000  
 4. Rs.15000 3. Rs. 5000 3. Rs. 4000 3. Rs.3000  
 5. Rs.10000 4. Rs. 4000 4. Rs. 3000 4. Rs.2500  
 6. Rs. 9000 5. Rs. 3000 5. Rs. 2000 5. Rs.1500  
 7. Rs. 8000 6. Rs. 2000 6. Rs. 1500 6. Rs.1000  
 8. Rs. 7000 7. Rs. 1500 7. Rs. 1000 7. Rs.7000  
 9. Rs. 6000 8. Rs. 1000 8. Rs. 1000 8. Rs.1000  
 10. Rs. 5000 9. Rs. 1000 9. Rs. 1000 9. Rs.1000  
 11. Rs. 4500 10. Rs. 1000 10. Rs. 1000 10. Rs.1000  
 12. Rs. 4000 11. Rs. 1000 11. Rs. 1000 11. Rs. 1000  
 13. Rs. 3500  
 14. Rs. 3000  
 15. Rs. 2500  
 16-20. Rs.2000(each)  
 21-25. Rs.1500(each)



#### Special Prizes

Category	Open		
	I	II	III
Best Unrated	2000	1500	1000
Veteran (above 60)	1500	-	-
Best Women (above18)	1500	1000	-
Virtually impaired	1500	1000	-
Best Thoothukudi players	2000	1000	500



#### Category Prizes

Category	Open	Thoothukudi District
UNDER - 9	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups
UNDER -11	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups
UNDER -13	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups
UNDER -17	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups	Boys 5 cups & Girls 3 cups

#### Tournament Regulations:

- The tournament will be played under the FIDE Laws of Chess.
- Pairings will be based on Swiss System using Swiss Manager.
- Time Control: 90 minutes + 30 seconds increment per move.
- Tiebreak:** Direct Encounter, Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger tiebreak and greater number of wins will be applied. Prizes will not be shared.  
 A player is eligible for one prize only. A player is eligible for either the main prize or his rating or age category or Thoothukudi district prize whichever is higher. In case a player is eligible for cash prize and trophy, he will be awarded cash prize. If a lower rated or aged player wishes to avail a prize in a higher rated/age category, he has to inform the same before the end of second round. Then, he is eligible for the opted category or main prize.
- AICF Player Registration:** AICF registration is compulsory. AICF Registration fee is Rs. 250/- for the year 2017-2018. As per latest AICF regulation dated 31.07.2017, it is informed that from 01 September, 2017 all AICF registrations will be accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that AICF