

## **“VANADZOR OPEN 2024”**

### **INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT**

**August 1-7, 2024**

### **REGULATIONS**

#### **TOURNAMENT ORGANIZER.**

FM Sargissyan Sargis

#### **TOURNAMENT VENUE.**

Vanadzor Specialized Chess School For Juniors, SNPO:  
address- Tigran Mets Ave., 2b building.

Palace of Sports: address- Zoravar Andranik 8.

## **PARTICIPATION.**

“**VANADZOR OPEN 2024**” will host A, B, C, D, E groups accordingly.

**A Group** Tournament is open to players with 2051 and above international FIDE rating.

**B Group** Tournament is open to players with 2050 and/or below international FIDE rating and limited number of I and II category players, who don't have international rating.

In both the A and B groups tournaments national and international (FIDE) ratings will be calculated.

Participants of A and B groups must have a FIDE ID.

If they do not possess a **FIDE ID**, it is required to reach to the Armenian Chess Federation /tel. 010 440105/ in advance.

**Only the participants with FIDE ID can participate in the tournament.**

**Group C:** up to 12 years old. (including participants born in 2012)

**Group D:** up to 10 years old. (including participants born in 2014)

**Group E:** up to 8 years old. (including participants born in 2016)

A blitz tournament is scheduled to take place during the tournament.

**The total prize fund of the tournament is 5 000 000 Armenian drams (387 AMD ≈ 1 USD as of 15.05.2024).**

Under the regulations of the Tax Code of the Republic of Armenia, there will be a 20% income tax withholding on prize funds exceeding 50,000 drams.

The defined prizes of the tournament are as follows:

**PRIZES.**

A group	Prize	B group	Prize
1 <sup>st</sup> place	800 000	1 <sup>st</sup> place	250 000
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	600 000	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	200 000
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	400 000	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	150 000
4 <sup>th</sup> place	200 000	4 <sup>th</sup> place	100 000
5 <sup>th</sup> place	180 000	5 <sup>th</sup> place	50 000
6 <sup>th</sup> place	160 000	Best result among boys U14	40 000
7 <sup>th</sup> place	140 000	Best result among girls U14	40 000
8 <sup>th</sup> place	120 000	Best result among boys U12	40 000
9 <sup>th</sup> place	100 000	Best result among girls U12	40 000
10 <sup>th</sup> place	80 000	Best result among Senior 50+	50 000
Best result among women	60 000	Best result among women	50 000
Best result among boys U14	50 000		
Best result among boys U12	40 000		
Best result among Senior 50+	60 000		

C group	Prize	D group	Prize	E group	Prize
1 <sup>st</sup> place	120 000	1 <sup>st</sup> place	90 000	1 <sup>st</sup> place	70 000
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	100 000	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	60 000	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	55 000
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	80 000	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	50 000	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	40 000
4 <sup>th</sup> place	60 000	4 <sup>th</sup> place	40 000	4 <sup>th</sup> place	35 000
5 <sup>th</sup> place	50 000	5 <sup>th</sup> place	35 000	5 <sup>th</sup> place	30 000
Best result among girls	40 000	Best result among girls	25 000	Best result among girls	20 000

## **TOURNAMENT DETAILS.**

The tournament will be held in 9-round Swiss system.

The blitz tournament will be held in 9-round Swiss system.

For all the tournaments the Swiss-Manager pairing software will be used.

## **TIME CONTROL.**

90 minutes for the whole game with 30 seconds increment starting from move one.

Blitz tournament. 3 minutes for the whole game with 2 seconds increment starting from move one.

The default time for the tournament is 30 min from the start of the round.

## **SCHEDULE .**

DATE	ROUND	TIME
August 1	Opening Ceremony and 1 <sup>st</sup> round	12: 00  16: 00
August 2	2 <sup>nd</sup> round 3 <sup>rd</sup> round	11:00 16:00
August 3	4 <sup>th</sup> round Blitz tournament	11:00 16:00
August 4	5 <sup>th</sup> round 6 <sup>th</sup> round	11:00 16:00
August 5	7 <sup>th</sup> round	11:00
August 6	8 <sup>th</sup> round	11:00
August 7	9 <sup>th</sup> round	11:00
August 7	Closing Ceremony	17:00

## **TIE-BREAKS.**

Tie-breaks will be carried out according to the following order:

- a) Cut Buchholz-1,
- b) Buchholz,
- c) Results of direct encounters between the tied players
- d) The greater number of games played with black
- e) The greater number of victories.

All the winners of the tournament will be awarded with trophies, medals, diplomas and monetary prizes.

- The monetary prizes will not be shared and are distributed according to the final ranking.
- Each prize holder can win only one prize: the highest one.
- In case the category prize is the same as the main prize, the player receives the main prize.
- Chess players who achieve prize-winning positions are expected to participate in and attend the closing ceremony of the tournament.

## **A GROUP ENTRY FEE**

<b>A group</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>
GM, WGM IM. WIM	free
International rating 2201-2400	15 000 AMD
International rating 2051-2200	20 000 AMD

## **B GROUP ENTRY FEE**

<b>B group</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>
International rating 1701-2050	10 000 AMD
International rating 1400-1700	15 000 AMD
Without International rating	20 000 AMD

## **C GROUP ENTRY FEE**

<b>C group: born in 2012 and/or 2013</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>
Unrated (limited number)	15 000 AMD
IV category	15 000 AMD
III category	10 000 AMD
II category	8 000 AMD
I category	7 000 AMD

## **D GROUP ENTRY FEE**

<b>D group: born in 2014 and/or 2015</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>
Unrated (limited number)	15 000 AMD
IV category	10 000 AMD
III category	10 000 AMD
II category	8 000 AMD
I category	7 000 AMD

## **E GROUP ENTRY FEE**

<b>E group: up to and including 2016</b>	<b>Entry fee</b>
Unrated (limited number)	8 000 AMD
IV category	7 000 AMD
III category	7 000 AMD
II category	5 000 AMD
I category	5 000 AMD

## HOTELS.

Hotel	Room type	Price per person	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
"KIROVAKAN" HOTEL	Standard single	7000 AMD	1800 AMD	2500 AMD	2500 AMD
	Standard double	6000 AMD	1800 AMD	2500 AMD	2500 AMD
	Standard deluxe	7500 AMD	1800 AMD	2500 AMD	2500 AMD
"GUGARQ" HOTEL	Lux for 4 people	5000 AMD			

## **REGISTRATION FOR THE TOURNAMENT:**

Participants should make payments to the following account:

BENEFICIARY'S NAME: **IE Sargsyan Sargis** (Individual entrepreneur)

BENEFICIARY'S BANK: **ARARATBANK OJSC**

BENEFICIARY'S ACCOUNT: **1510007679309382 AMD**, TIN: 67138575

During the transfer, don't forget to mention the participant's details:

- name, surname, patronymic
- telephone number
- category/rating,
- group detail.


**The deadline of the registration in the tournament is July 25, 2024.**


All expenses of participants and coaches are covered by the sending organization.


Mobile phones and/or other electronic communication devices are prohibited to being brought into the tournament venue by players.

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