







Slovak Chess Federation and ŠK Modra in cooperation with Slovenská organizačná, o.z. invite you to

International Slovak Championship of Chess Amateurs



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LJ Slovakia Chess Open 2024

The event will take place under the auspices of the Chairwoman of the Žilina Self-Governing Region Erika Jurinová

The tournament is co-funded by the Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sport of the Slovak Republic and with the support of the Slovak Chess Federation.

<u>Chief Organiser:</u> Slovenský šachový zväz

<u>Director:</u> Ján Kišon (+421 949 364 826)

Chief Arbiter: IA Karol Pekár **Supporting arbiter:** Rostislav Berezjuk **Supporting arbiter:** Martin Kuna

Venue: Hotel Sorea*** Liptovský Ján

Date: 15.6.-18.6.2024

System: 8 rounds Swiss with a time control of 60 minutes + 30 sec/move,

OPEN tournament for players rated max. 2299 FIDE (cutoff date 1.6.2024) or without FIDE rating.

The player cannot hold a GM, IM, WGM nor WIM title. Every player must have a FIDE ID by the start of the tournament, and members of the Slovak Chess Federation must have their membership fee for 2024 paid. Tournament results will be sent to FIDE for rating calculation (1.7.2024)

Tie-breakers: 1. Cut Buchholz (without the worst result), 2.Direct encounter, 3.Number of wins, 4. Full Buchholz, 5. Armageddon match (if the players are playing for prizes).

The default waiting time is 30 minutes since the announced beginning of the round.

All issues relevant to game rules are resolved by the Chief Arbiter. The decisions of Chief Arbiter during the tournament are definitive.

Registration: The filled out form must be send prior to the 5.6.2024 or you can register by email: <u>li@slovakiachessopen.sk</u>. The applications will be confirmed after paying the entry fee.

For the applications received after 5.6.2024 an extra fee of 10 € must be paid. We cannot guarantee hotel accommodation after this date. Accommodation in the Sorea Liptovský Ján hotel will be booked only after the tournament deposit with accommodation fee has been paid. In the case of a greater number of participants, the day of the payment will decide the player's inclusion in the tournament and accommodation reservation. When paying for more participants, please provide a list of all individuals in

the application. Please, pay the deposit to Fio banka: SK82 8330 0000 0029 0284 2054, using the date of birth as a variable symbol (YYYYMMDD) and the names of the participants in the note.

Entry fee: Without accommodation: 45€

Entry fee with accommodation:

For a person 15 years old or older (born 1.7.2009 and older): 265€ For a person up to 15 years old (born 1.7.2009 or later): 210€

For an accompanying person with accommodation: - 45€ (entry fee)

1 person in a standard room: +30€

No discount vouchers can be applied to reduce the fees stated above. Such vouchers can only be discussed with the provider of the accommodation. In this case, participant will pay entry fee only.

The package with accommodation contains: tournament entry fee, 3 nights accommodation in a 2-bed standard room, 3x half board (breakfast and dinner in the form of buffet tables, begins on 15.6. with dinner and ends with breakfast on 18.6), free entrance to hotel pool. Thermal water in the indoor pools of the Hotel SOREA MÁJ originates in the Rudolf thermal spring. Water temperature ranges between 26 to 29 °C, being mineralised and acidic, depending on the gas content it is strongly carbonaceous with a medium content of hydrogen sulfide. The water has beneficial effects on the respiratory tract, musculoskeletal system (rheumatism, joints), and skin problems (eczema, allergies).

Staying in this water supports the natural relaxation of the body and promotes good sleep.

Cancellation fees:

15 days before the tournament: 100% of the fee will be returned 7 - 14 days before the tournament: 50% of the fee will be returned

1 - 6 days before the tournament: fee is non-returnable, but you can redeem 50% of your fee at any of

the Slovakia Chess Open tournaments in 2024.

Prize fund: Total prize fund 5200€,

Main <u>financial</u> prizes in the OPEN tournament combined 3400 €.

I.700€, II.500€, III.400€, IV. 300€, V. 200€, VI. 100€

Slovak Chess Amateur Championship (men) - **I.300€**, **II.200€**, **III.100€** Slovak Chess Amateur Championship (women) - **I.300€**, **II.200€**, **III.100€**

Material prizes in the OPEN tournament combined 1800 € (categories):

Senior (1963 and older) I.100€, II.70€, III.30€ Junior (2003 and younger) I.100€, II.70€, III.30€ Pupil (2008 and younger) **I.100€**, **II.70€**, **III.30€** Women **I.100€**, **II.70€**, **III.30€** Rating 1901 - 2100 I.100€, II.70€, III.30€ Rating 1701 - 1900 **I.100€**, **II.70€**, **III.30€** Rating 1501 - 1700 I.100€, II.70€, III.30€ Rating below 1500 **I.100€**, **II.70€**, **III.30€**

Players from Liptov Region I.100€, II.70€, III.30€

(players from regions RK and LM)

Winning awards is subjected to personal presence at the final ceremony.

Material prizes will be in the form of a voucher in the https://www.sachovepomocky.sk/ chess store by JAVES, s.r.o. Cumulation of prizes within a category is not allowed.

The prizes in categories are valid only if at least 8 players will participate. In the case of a lower number of participants, the prizes may be reduced. Cumulation of prizes is allowed.







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Tournament schedule:

Saturday 15.6. Registration 8.00-10.00

(possible by email: li@slovakiachessopen.sk / phone +421 908 370 268)

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1.round	11.00
2.round	17.00
Dinner	19:00-21:00
Breakfast	07:30-09:30
3.round	09.00
4.round	17.00
Dinner	19:00-21:00
Breakfast	07:30-09:30
5.round	09.00
6.round	17.00
Dinner	19:00-21:00
Breakfast	07:30-09:30
7.round	08:30
8.round	13:30
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