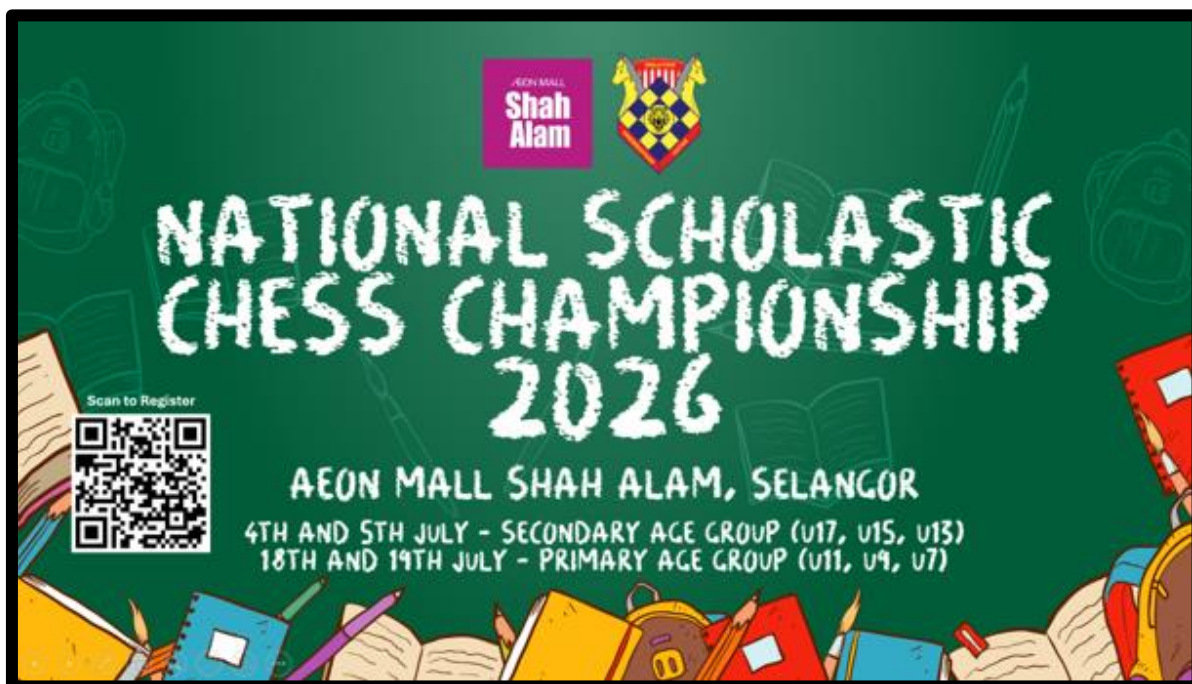




## The National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026



The annual National Scholastic Chess Championship was organised by the Malaysian Chess Federation at Aeon Mall, Shah Alam. Ibnu, Iwan Schani was the Tournament Director of the 7 Round Swiss System Championship, while IA Ahmad Naari, Ellie Emira was the Chief Arbiter. The secondary schools' event had 3 categories: Under 17 (Boys & Girls), Under 15 (Boys & Girls) and Under 13 (Boys and Girls). Winners from across these categories will be offered the chance to represent Malaysia at the inaugural Commonwealth Schools Chess Championship scheduled for October 4-12, 2026.

In the U13 Boys' event, Penang's Triston Ting Ji Yan scored 5.5/7 to finish in third placing. Izz Zara Aisyah Bt. Rosnizam and Abby Tan Li Shuen also secured third placings in the U13 Girls' and U17 Girls' categories. A commendable achievement for our Penang contingent.



## Top 3 Finishers in U13, U15 & U17 Categories

| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 13 Boys  |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|------|------|-----|------|
| Rk.                                                          |     | Name                              | RtgN | Pts. | TB1 | Rp   |
| 1                                                            |     | Keertieshvar A/L Saravanan        | 1453 | 6,5  | 0   | 1808 |
| 2                                                            |     | Harith Kamil Zafri Bin Mohd. Zain | 1570 | 6    | 0   | 1730 |
| 3                                                            |     | Triston Ting Ji Yan               | 1491 | 5,5  | 0   | 1600 |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 13 Girls |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| 1                                                            |     | An Nur Alisha Mohd Khafzan        | 1382 | 6,5  | 0   | 1657 |
| 2                                                            |     | Nur Aisya Aryana Muhamad Aiman    | 1234 | 5,5  | 0   | 1484 |
| 3                                                            |     | Izz Zara Aisyah Bt Rosnizam       | 1338 | 5    | 0   | 1363 |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 15 Boys  |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| 1                                                            |     | Leong Ee Hern                     | 1739 | 6,5  | 0   | 1934 |
| 2                                                            |     | A'qil A'lauddin Bin Abd Aziz      | 1862 | 6    | 0   | 1847 |
| 3                                                            |     | Alex Ooi Hann Wei                 | 1493 | 5,5  | 0   | 1608 |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 15 Girls |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| 1                                                            |     | Aqilah Husna Binti Ainul Fikri    | 1679 | 6    | 0   | 1687 |
| 2                                                            |     | Heng Xiang Qing Elizabeth         | 1310 | 5    | 0   | 1594 |
| 3                                                            |     | Nur Ain Shahrar                   | 1424 | 5    | 0   | 1529 |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 17 Boys  |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| 1                                                            | FM  | Genivan A/L Genkeswaran           | 1876 | 6,5  | 0   | 1906 |
| 2                                                            | FM  | Anderson Ang Ern Jie              | 1898 | 6    | 0   | 1773 |
| 3                                                            |     | Muhammad Airy Bin Mohd. Fadly     | 1400 | 4,5  | 0   | 1659 |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
|                                                              |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| National Scholastic Chess Championship 2026 - Under 17 Girls |     |                                   |      |      |     |      |
| 1                                                            | WFM | Ainul Mardhiah Binti Mohd Afif    | 1661 | 6,5  | 0   | 1711 |
| 2                                                            |     | Ava Arabella Bt. Sheikh Abdullah  | 1424 | 5,5  | 0   | 1581 |
| 3                                                            |     | Abby Tan Li Shuen                 | 1305 | 4,5  | 0   | 1474 |



Abby Tan U17G: 3rd



Triston Ting U13B: 3rd



Izz Zara Aisyah U13G

