E-Catur Pinang **79/2026**

Annual Triangular Games 2026

There's always been a traditional sports rivalry in Penang among three of Penang's oldest and premier academic institutions. The "Big 3" are Penang Free School (Founded 1816), St. Xavier's Institution (1852) and Methodist Boys' School (1891). Their three alumni associations, namely Old Frees' Association (OFA), Old Xaverians' Association (OXA) and Methodist Boys' School Union/Anglo-Chinese School Union (MBSU/ACSU) meet annually to compete across a variety of sports to foster camaraderie, sportsmanship and healthy competition. The sports include badminton, tennis, table-tennis, snooker and chess. Mahjong was introduced this year!

This year's chess competition was held on Saturday, 17th October 2026 at the OFA JSAS Hall. Special mention to OFA Secretary, Low Han Boon, OFA Chess Convenor, Quah Seng Sun, Terry Ong, Ung Tay Aik and Anthony Liong for being such gracious hosts.

Host OFA had assembled a very strong team comprising FM Ooi Chern Ee, FM Dr. Ronnie Lim, CM Jonathan Chuah, Anthony Liong, Eoh Thean Keat, Chan Kah Poh and Terry Ong. OXA was represented by brothers, Eshwant & Manresh Singh, Chong Kean Foong, Marc Lim, Yeoh Poh Thiam and Lye Tuck Lum while MBSU/ACSU had Dr. Wong Teik Aun, Darren Teoh, Tan Eng Lee, Danny Khaw, Freddy Goh, Sia Koon Liong and Dicky Yeoh. Congratulations OFA for the runaway win.

Champion Team: OFA - Fortis, Atque, Fidelis

MBSU Chess Team (3rd Place) - For you a name, for us a flame!

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10AM
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OXA's Eshwant Singh drew against OFA's FM Ooi Chern Ee on Board 1

OXA (Runner-Up) - Labor, Omnia, Vincit

OFA Versus MBSU Score 6-0

OXA Versus OFA Score 0.5-5.5

MBSU Versus OXA Score 2-4

OXA Versus MBSU

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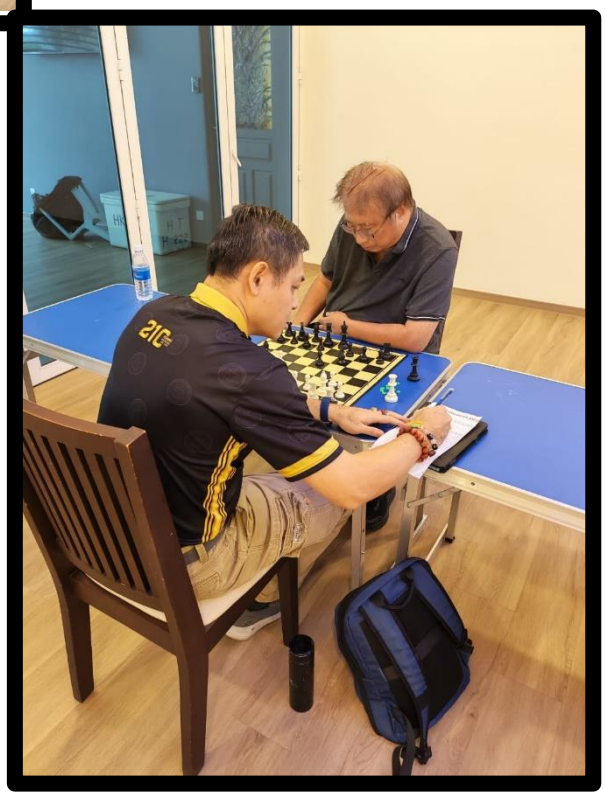

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