PERSATUAN CATUR PULAU PINANG PENANG CHESS ASSOCIATION

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PenangChess.com

Penang Heritage City International Chess Open

Dewan Sri Pinang, Penang • 8 – 12 Dec 2010

Tournament Regulations

- This is an individual tournament, open to all players.
- There are two groups of play: Open category for all players, and Challenger category for players rated below 2000 (FIDE ratings) or national rating 1750 and below.
- FIDE (International Chess Federation) rules and regulations shall apply. Results will be sent for FIDE rating calculations.
- Both groups will be played using the Swiss System, with 9 rounds for Open and Challenger. For the pairings, a Swiss Manager program will be used.
- The matches shall be conducted according to the schedule attached.
- Each player is accorded with a time control of 90 minutes plus 30 seconds per move.
- Five minutes before the games start, the Chief Arbiter shall make the announcement accordingly. If any player is not present within an hour after the game is started, he shall lose by default.
- FIDE regulations apply for mobile phones, which must be switched off during playing times. Penalty is automatic loss of game.
- Officials and players should be smartly attired at all times while in the playing hall.

Programme / Schedule

Day 1 (Wednesday, 8 December 2010) 0800-0830 Final Registration 0830-0900 Players' Briefing Round 1 0900-1300

Round 2 1500-1900

Day 2 (Thursday, 9 December 2010)

Round 3 0900-1300 1500-1900 Round 4

Day 3 (Friday, 10 December 2010)

0900-1300 Round 5 1500-1900 Round 6

Day 4 (Saturday, 11 December 2010)

0900-1300 Round 7 1500-1900 Round 8

Day 5 (Sunday, 12 December 2010)

0900-1300 Round 9

1300 Closing / Prize-giving Ceremony

Entry Fee (RM)

Free entry for titled player (GM, IM, FM, NM)

	Open	Challenger
FIDE Rated	50	30
PCA Member	150	50
Non-PCA Member	180	80

Accommodation

Players are required to budget for their own board and lodgings, as well as transportation needs.

Contact Person

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Prize and Entry Fee

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Prize Money	Open (RM)	Challenger (RM)
1	5000	500
2	2500	300
3	1500	200
4	1000	150
5	800	100
6	600	90
7	600	80
8	600	70
9	500	60
10	500	50
11 th - 15 th each	400	
Best Lady	250	50
Best PCA 1	250	50
Best PCA 2	200	50
Best PCA 3	200	50
		Medals for
		Challenger
		Session only.
		Gold, Silver,
<mark>U12B/ U12G/</mark>		Bronze, 4 th and 5 th
<mark>U10B/ U10G/</mark>		<mark>prizes for each</mark>
U8B/ U8G		categories.

Registration:

Please visit http://chess.euhong.net for online registration and list of players

Closing Date: 1st December 2010

Payment:

United Overseas Bank Current A/C No. 31530002132 (Penang Chess Association)

MayBank A/C No. 507246106978 (Tan Eng Seong)

The organizers reserve the right to change the rules and regulations without prior notice.

Notice: The tournament venue had been changed back to Dewan Sri Pinang (from Penang City Hall).





Hotel Malaysia

Walking directions to Dewan Sri Pinang, Malaysia (A->B) 10 minutes. Around 850m.

Bayview Hotel Georgetown

8 minutes. Around 650m.