

KELAB BRIDGE DAN CATUR UNIVERSITI SAINS MALAYSIA

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USM 25TH CHESS INDIVIDUAL OPEN TOURNAMENT 2019

Date : 7th April 2019
 Time : 8.00am – 7.00 pm
 Venue : Dewan Utama Pelajar (DUP A & B), USM Main Campus, Penang.
 Closing date : 5th April 2019
 (Registration after the closing date may still be accepted but a late fee of RM 10 shall be imposed.)

Tournament Regulations:

- This tournament is open to all players.
- There are few categories of play :

Open	Veteran (≥50 years old)	Lady	IPTA/IPTS
U18B	U18G	U15B	U15G
U12B	U12G	U9B	U9G

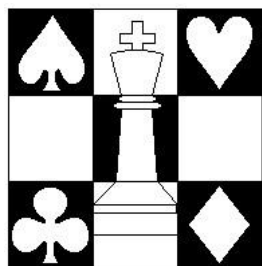
- Five Appeals Panel will be appointed before the tournament starts.
- Swiss System will be used, with **seven or eight rounds for INDIVIDUAL** (based on number of participants). For the pairings, a Swiss Manager Program will be used.
- FIDE rules and regulations shall apply.
- Each player is accorded with a time control of **15 minutes + 10 seconds per move**.
- If any player is not present within 15 minutes after the game is started, he/she shall lose by default.
- FIDE regulations apply for mobile phones, which must be switched off during playing times. Penalty is automatic loss of game.
- Players should be smartly attired at all times while in the playing hall.
- Organising committees have a final decision right.
- Tie-Breaks :
 - Buchholz
 - Berger
 - Fide (Cumulative)

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Category	Prizes
Champion	RM 500
1 st Runner-Up	RM 300
2 nd Runner-Up	RM 200
4 th	RM 150
5 th	RM 125
6 th	RM 100
7 th	RM 90
8 th	RM 80
Best Veteran (> 50 yrs old) x1	Medal x1
Best Lady x1	Medal x1
Best IPT x3	Medal x1
Best U18 (Boys) x3	Medal x1
Best U18 (Girls) x3	Medal x1
Best U15 (Boys) x3	Medal x1
Best U15 (Girls) x3	Medal x1
Best U12 (Boys) x3	Medal x1
Best U12 (Girls) x3	Medal x1
Best U9 (Boys) x3	Medal x1
Best U9 (Girls) x3	Medal x1
Best USM Staff x1	Medal x1

7 April 2019	
0800 — 0850	Registration
0900 — 0950	Round 1
1000 — 1050	Round 2
1100 — 1150	Round 3
1200 — 1250	Round 4
1300 — 1350	Lunch Break
1400 — 1450	Round 5
1500 — 1550	Round 6
1600 — 1650	Round 7
1700 — 1750	Round 8
1800 — 1815	Break
1815 — 1900	Prize Giving Ceremony

Best School Prizes

Category	Prizes
Best Secondary School x3	Trophy x1
Best Primary School x3	Trophy x1

Participation Fee

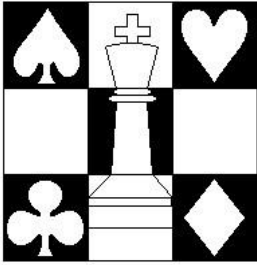
Category	Participation fees	
	PCA member	Non PCA member
Primary School (U9, U12)	RM 15	RM 20
Secondary School (U15, U18)	RM 20	RM 25
IPTA / IPTS	RM 25	RM 30
Open / Lady / Veteran	RM 25	RM 30

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Payment can be made on the day of the event at the registration counter provided that you registered online before the due date.

Online Registration

Please visit penangchess.com for online registration and list of players

Accommodation

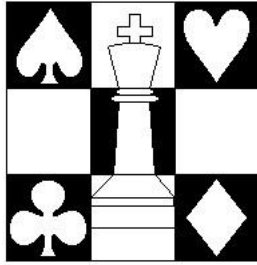
Players are encouraged to budget for their own board and lodgings, as well as transportation needs.

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