



वयं स्वयमेव स्पर्धा कुर्मः

*"I don't believe in psychology. I believe in good moves." – Bobby Fischer*



Total Prizes

**963**

**6<sup>th</sup>**

Edition  
Pune, Mah.

# Late Bharatbai Halkude Memorial LBHM Chess Festival, Pune

AICF Event Code : 411958 / 411959 / 411962 (R) / 411961 (B) / MH / 2025

**17th-25th May 2025**

OPEN  
Rs.12,33,000  
(17-21 May)

BLITZ RATING  
Rs.2,00,000  
(21 May)

Total Prize Fund  
**30,33,000**

RAPID RATING  
Rs.4,00,000  
(22 May)

BELOW 1800  
Rs.12,00,000  
(23-25 May)

**Venue - S.K.N. Sinhgad School of Business Management**

Sr. No. 44/1, Sinhgad Road, Vadgaon Budruk, Pune 411041, Maharashtra.



# Chess Festival 2025

## LBHM 2024 Winner (OPEN)



IM Neelash Saha (West Bengal)

## LBHM 2024 Winner (RAPID)



GM Aranyak Ghosh (West Bengal)

## LBHM 2024 Winner (BLITZ)



IM Neelash Saha (West Bengal)

## LBHM 2024 Winner (BELOW-1800)



Manna Charanjit (West Bengal)

## LBHM 2018 Winners



IM Rajesh V A V (TN)

## LBHM 2019 Winners



GM Venkatesh M.R. (TN)

## LBHM 2022 Winners



IM Mohammad Nubairshah Shaikh (Mah)

## LBHM 2023 Winner (OPEN)



IM Neelash Saha (West Bengal)

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Anirudha Potwad (Mah)



Satheesh Kumar G (TN)



Sharnarhi Viresh (Mah)



IM Neelash Saha (West Bengal)

## LBHM 2023 Winner (RAPID)



## LBHM 2023 Winner (BELOW 1600)



Aahan Sharma (Maharashtra)



**LBHM**  
an Innovative Chess Movement !!







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**CASH PRIZES**  
**377**

**TROPHIES**  
**294**

**MEDALS**  
**292**

**Late Bharatbai Halkude Memorial**

# **LBHM Chess Festival, Pune**

**17th-25th May 2025**

## **OPEN**

**PRIZE FUND**

Rs.12,33,000  
(17-21 May)

**CASH PRIZE**

105

**TROPHIES**

74

**MEDALS**

73

## **BLITZ**

**PRIZE FUND**

Rs.2,00,000  
(21 May)

**CASH PRIZE**

86

**TROPHIES**

73

**MEDALS**

73

## **Total Prize Fund**

**30,33,000**

**Total Prizes**

**963**

## **RAPID**

**PRIZE FUND**

Rs.4,00,000  
(22 May)

**CASH PRIZE**

86

**TROPHIES**

73

**MEDALS**

73

## **B-1800**

**PRIZE FUND**

Rs.12,00,000  
(23-25 May)

**CASH PRIZE**

100

**TROPHIES**

74

**MEDALS**

73

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# Chess Festival 2025

14<sup>th</sup> LBHM Open FIDE Rating  
Chess Tournament

TOTAL PRIZES  
**252**

CASH PRIZES  
**105**

## OPEN PRIZE STRUCTURE



TROPHIES  
**74**

MEDALS  
**73**

**WINNER**

**1,35,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**1st Runner up**

**1,00,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**2nd Runner up**

**51,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

### MAIN

PRIZES	RS.
4	25000
5	15000
6	13000
7	12500
8	12000
9	11500
10	11000
11	10000
12	10000
13	10000
14	10000
15	10000
16-25	6000

### RATING CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	1601-1800	Below 1600
1	50000 + 🏆	50000 + 🏆
2	25000 + 🏆	25000 + 🏆
3	15000 + 🏆	15000 + 🏆
4	12000	12000
5	11000	11000
6	10000	10000
7	10000	10000
8	10000	10000
9	10000	10000
10	10000	10000
11-15	6000	6000

### BEST LBHM

*LBHM Player
25000 + 🏆
12000 + 🏆
7000 + 🏆
6000
6000

\*Best LBHM Player - Player Required to Play Minimum  
3 Open Tournaments of LBHM Chess Festival. (Including This Edition)





# Chess Festival 2025



Youngest  
Youngest Pune  
Most Senior  
Most Senior Pune  
Best Academy - I  
Best Academy - II  
Best Academy - III



## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	Female (15+)	Veteran (55+)	Specially Abeled	Pune	Mah.
1st	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆
2nd	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
3rd	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	U-07		U-09		U-11		U-13		U-15	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
1st	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆
2nd	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆
3rd	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
4th-10th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
17.5.2025	Saturday	1	10:30 am	2	04:30 pm
18.5.2025	Sunday	3	09:30 am	4	03:30 pm
19.5.2025	Monday	5	09:30 am	6	03:30 pm
20.5.2025	Tuesday	7	09:30 am	8	03:30 pm
21.5.2025	Wednesday	9	09:00 am		

### Arrival

17th May 2025 @ 8:30 AM

Inauguration followed by  
players meeting

17th May 2025 @ 9:30 AM

### Prize Distribution

21st May 2025 @ 7:00 PM



# Chess Festival 2025

15<sup>th</sup> LBHM Below-1800 FIDE Rating  
Chess Tournament

TOTAL PRIZES  
**247**

CASH PRIZES  
**100**

**BELOW  
1800  
PRIZE  
STRUCTURE**



TROPHIES  
**74**

MEDALS  
**73**

**WINNER**

**1,31,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**1st Runner up**

**1,01,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**2nd Runner up**

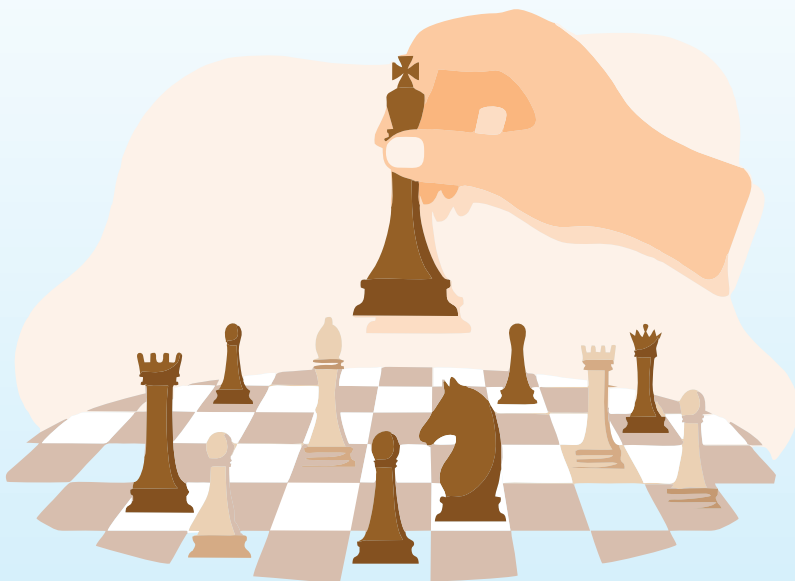
**51,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

MAIN	
PRIZES	RS.
4	25000
5	15000
6	13000
7	12000
8	11500
9	11000
10	10500
11	10000
12	10000
13	10000
14	10000
15	10000
16-25	6000

RATING CATEGORY PRIZES			BEST LBHM
PRIZES	BELOW 1600	Unrated	*LBHM Player
1	100000 + 🏆	10000 + 🏆	25000 + 🏆
2	50000 + 🏆	9000 + 🏆	15000 + 🏆
3	25000 + 🏆	8000 + 🏆	10000 + 🏆
4	15000	7000	7000
5	11000	6000	6000
6	10000	<b>*LBHM Player Players Required to play Minimum 3 BELOW Tournaments of LBHM Chess festival. (Including This Edition)</b>	
7	10000		
8	10000		
9	10000		
10	10000		
11-15	6000		
16-20	6000		



# Chess Festival 2025



Youngest  
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Most Senior  
Most Senior Pune  
Best Academy - I  
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## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	Female (15+)	Veteran (60+)	Specially Abeled	Pune	Mah.
1st	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆
2nd	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
3rd	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆
4th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆
5th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	U-07		U-09		U-11		U-13		U-15	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
1st	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆
2nd	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆	7000+ 🏆
3rd	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
4th-10th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
23.5.2025	Friday	1	11:00 am	2	01:45pm
		3	04:15pm		
24.5.2025	Saturday	4	09:30 am	5	01:00 pm
		6	04:00 pm		
25.5.2025	Sunday	7	08:30 am	8	11:30 am
		9	02:30 pm		

### Arrival

23rd May 2025 @ 8:30 AM

Inauguration followed by  
players meeting

23rd May 2025 @ 9:30 AM

### Prize Distribution

25th May 2025 @ 6:15 PM





# Chess Festival 2025

17<sup>th</sup> LBHM Open FIDE Rapid Rating  
Chess Tournament

TOTAL PRIZES  
**232**

CASH PRIZES  
**86**

## RAPID PRIZE STRUCTURE



TROPHIES  
**73**

MEDALS  
**73**

**WINNER**

**51,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**1st Runner up**

**30,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**2nd Runner up**

**20,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

MAIN		BEST LBHM		RATING CATEGORY PRIZES			
PRIZES	RS.	PRIZES	*LBHM Player	Unrated-1500	1501-1600	1601-1700	1701-1900
4th	15000	1st	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆	10000+ 🏆
5th	10000	2nd	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
6th	5000	3rd	4000+ 🏆	4000+ 🏆	4000+ 🏆	4000+ 🏆	4000+ 🏆
7th	5000	4th	3000	3000	3000	3000	3000
8th	5000	5th	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
9th	5000	6th	2000	2000		* Best LBHM Player Players Required to play Minimum 2 Rapid Tournaments of LBHM Chess festival. (Including This Edition)	
10th	5000						
11th	3000						
12th	3000						
13th	3000						
14th	3000						
15th	3000						
16th-25th	2000						



# Chess Festival 2025



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Youngest Pune  
Oldest  
Oldest Pune  
Best Academy I  
Best Academy II  
Best Academy III



## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	Female (15+)	Veteran (60+)	Specially Aabled
1st	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
2nd	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆	3000+ 🏆
3rd	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆
4th-6th	🏆	🏆	🏆

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	U-07		U-09		U-11		U-13		U-15	
	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls
1st	5000+ 🏆	🏆	5000+ 🏆	🏆	5000+ 🏆	🏆	5000+ 🏆	🏆	5000+ 🏆	🏆
2nd	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆
3rd	2000+ 🏆	🏆	2000+ 🏆	🏆	2000+ 🏆	🏆	2000+ 🏆	🏆	2000+ 🏆	🏆
4th	1500	🏆	1500	🏆	1500	🏆	1500	🏆	1500	🏆
5th	1000	🏆	1000	🏆	1000	🏆	1000	🏆	1000	🏆
6th-10th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
22.5.2025	Thursday	1	09:00 am	2	09:45am
		3	10:30am	4	11:15am
		5	12:00 pm	6	12:45pm
		7	02:00 pm	8	02:45pm
		9	03:30 pm		

### Arrival

23rd May 2025 @ 8:30 AM

Inauguration followed by  
players meeting

23rd May 2025 @ 9:30 AM

**Prize Distribution**

25th May 2025 @ 6:15 PM



# Chess Festival 2025

16<sup>th</sup> LBHM Opne FIDE Blitz Rating  
Chess Tournament

TOTAL PRIZES  
**232**

## BLITZ PRIZE STRUCTURE

TROPHIES  
**73**

CASH PRIZES  
**86**

MEDALS  
**73**



**WINNER**

**21,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**1st Runner up**

**15,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

**2nd Runner up**

**10,000 + 🏆 + 🏅**

MAIN		BEST LBHM		RATING CATEGORY PRIZES			
PRIZES	Rs.	PRIZES	*LBHM Player	Unrated-1500	1501-1600	1601-1700	1701-1900
4th	7000	1st	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆	5000+ 🏆
5th	5000	2nd	2500+ 🏆	2500+ 🏆	2500+ 🏆	2500+ 🏆	2500+ 🏆
6th	2500	3rd	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆
7th	2500	4th	1500	1500	1500	1500	1500
8th	2500	5th	1100	1100	1100	1100	1100
9th	2500	6th	1000	1000	<b>Players are eligible for this year's Best LBHM Prize, who participated in the last year's 13th LBHM Blitz Rating Chess Tournament - 2024</b>		
10th	2500						
11th	2000						
12th	2000						
13th	2000						
14th	2000						
15th	2000						
16th-25th	1000						





# Chess Festival 2025



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Oldest Pune  
Best Academy I  
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## SPECIAL CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	Female (15+)	Veteran (60+)	Specially Abeled
1st	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆	2000+ 🏆
2nd	1500+ 🏆	1500+ 🏆	1500+ 🏆
3rd	1000+ 🏆	1000+ 🏆	1000+ 🏆
4th-6th	🏆	🏆	🏆

## AGE GROUP CATEGORY PRIZES

PRIZES	U-07		U-09		U-11		U-13		U-15	
	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls	Open	Girls
1st	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆	2500+ 🏆	🏆
2nd	1500+ 🏆	🏆	1500+ 🏆	🏆	1500+ 🏆	🏆	1500+ 🏆	🏆	1500+ 🏆	🏆
3rd	1200+ 🏆	🏆	1200+ 🏆	🏆	1200+ 🏆	🏆	1200+ 🏆	🏆	1200+ 🏆	🏆
4th	900	🏆	900	🏆	900	🏆	900	🏆	900	🏆
5th	600	🏆	600	🏆	600	🏆	600	🏆	600	🏆
6th-10th	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆	🏆

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME
21.5.2025	Wednesday	1	02:00 pm	2	02:30pm
		3	03:00pm	4	03:30pm
		5	04:00 pm	6	04:30pm
		7	05:00 pm	8	05:30pm
		9	06:00 pm		

### Arrival

21st May 2025 @ 1:30 PM

Inauguration followed by  
players meeting

21st May 2025 @ 1:45PM

### Prize Distribution

21st May 2025 @ 7:00 PM



# Chess Festival 2025

## AC ACCOMMODATION

### FOR OPEN TOURNAMENT

(Check in at 01 pm on 16th May 2025 to Check out at 10 am on 21st May 2025)

**GMs/WGMs/IMs/WIMs** (Are required to pay rs. 3000/- as a refundable accommodation deposit. Refund will be after playing 1st round)

1. Please select your choice of roommate for **Double Sharing** accommodation **Free of Charges** from confirmed list of players with mutual consent.  
(Confirmation Needed before 20<sup>th</sup> April 2025)
2. If the player wants to stay in **Single** room pay **Rs.5000/-** for entire duration of tournament.

### OTHER PLAYERS

(Check in at 01 pm on 16th May 2025 to Check out at 10 am on 21st May 2025)

1. If the player wants to stay in **Triple Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 3000/-** each for entire duration of tournament.
2. If the player wants to stay with **Guardian** in **Double Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 8000/-** for entire duration of tournament.

### FOR BELOW 1800 TOURNAMENT

(Check in at 01 pm on 22nd May 2025 to Check out at 10 am on 25th May 2025)

1. If the player wants to stay in **Triple Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 1800/-** each for entire duration of tournament.
2. If the player wants to stay with **Guardian** in **Double Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 5000/-** for entire duration of tournament.

### FOR ALL TOURNAMENTS

(Check in at 01 pm on 16th May 2025 to Check out at 10 am on 25th May 2025)

1. If the player wants to stay in **Triple Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 5400/-** each for entire duration of tournament.
2. If the player wants to stay with **Guardian** in **Double Occupancy** need to be paid **Rs 14,500/-** for entire duration of tournament.

**AC ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE WITH FOOD ALSO.**

## NON AC ACCOMMODATION

- Only for outstations players
- Non-AC accommodation is available at the venue.
- Rooms have 4 single beds with ceiling fan.  
(attached separate bathroom & toilet)
- Charges for parents - per day Rs. 300/-
- Charges for players - per day Rs. 150/-
- Contact -  
Mr. Uddhav Patil -  
M. : 7498547600 (Hindi / Marathi)



## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. The rooms with option facilities are limited in number and will be allotted on first cum first serve basis.
2. Players need to pay the amount in advance to the account by NEFT and confirm the same by email.
3. Dormitory accommodation is available on a **first come first serve** base.

**All accommodations available till date 30th April 2025. After that, Please make your own accommodation.**

## ACCOMMODATION PAYMENT

Phone Pay / Gpay No. - 9922834515 (Mahadev Dhole)

**CANTEEN FACILITY AVAILABLE NEAR VENUE @ REASONABLE RATES**



# Chess Festival 2025

## TOURNAMENT RULES & REGULATIONS

- System of Play** : The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess & FIDE Swiss System with 09 rounds.
- Time Control** : **Open Tournament** : 90 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.  
**Below 1800** : 30 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.  
**Rapid Rating** : 10 Minutes plus 05 second increment from move 1 for entire game.  
**Blitz Rating** : 3 Minutes plus 02 second increment from move 1 for entire game.
- Default Time** : The default time will be 30 minutes for Classical Rating Tournaments. (Open & Below 1800)
- (Walk Over Time)** : The default time will be 10 minutes for Rapid Rating Tournaments.
- Draw Offer** : Players can't make an agreed draw before 30th black move. (Only for Open & Below 1800)
- Tie Break** : Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, SB, Direct Encounter, Greater Number of Wins (including forfeit points), Greater Number of Wins with Black.
- AICF Registration** : All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2025-26 before the registration deadline to participate in the tournament. online registration can be done at - [www.aicf.in/players](http://www.aicf.in/players)
- Electronic Devices** : All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall.
- Eligibility** : **Open Tournament** : All rated & Unrated players.  
**Below 1800** : All rated & Unrated players. (Rated players must not have crossed 1799 for last 36 months.)  
Players who finished 1st or 2nd in any Rating Restricted Tournament (Only FIDE Rating) are not eligible to play in any Rating Restricted Tournament for 1 year from the date such achievement.  
**Rapid Rating** : All rated & Unrated players.  
Players who is found guilty (as a above rules) at any stage of the tournament will be removed from the tournament & entry fees shall not be refunded.

## GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

- No request towards waiver of entry fee or late fee will be entertained.
- Entry Fee is NON Transferable.
- **Entry Cancellation Policy**
  - 1) If players withdraw entry before 20th April 2025, Then 25% deduction of entry fee will be applied.
  - 2) If players withdraw entry before 05th May 2025, Then 50% deduction of entry fee will be applied.
  - 3) If players withdraw entry after 05th May 2025, then No refund of entry fee.
- We are requesting players, parents, coaches to claim their prizes & refunds within 3 months (before 25th Aug. 2025) otherwise it will be forfeited.
- Organizers have the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.
- Indian Income Tax Rules will be applied.

### COVID-19 RULES :

- All government rules at that time, will be applicable.





# Chess Festival 2025

## ENTRY FEE (FREE ENTRY FOR GM, WGM, IM & WIM)

No.	TOURNAMENTS	1st Early Bird Till 05/03/2025		2nd Early Bird Till 31/03/2025		Entry Fee Till 30/04/2025	
		Rated/ Unrated	V/H/A/N Players	Rated/ Unrated	V/H/A/N Players	Rated/ Unrated	V/H/A/N Players
1	Blitz	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
2	Rapid	1800	1500	1900	1700	2000	1900
3	Rapid + Blitz	2800	2500	2900	2700	3000	2900
4	Below	5500	4000	5700	4500	6000	5000
5	Open	5600	4100	5800	4600	6100	5100
6	Below + Blitz	6400	5000	6700	5500	7000	6000
7	Open + Blitz	6500	5100	6800	5600	7100	6100
8	Below + Rapid	7200	5500	7400	6200	7900	6900
9	Open + Rapid	7300	5600	7500	6300	7900	7000
10	Below + Rapid + Blitz	8200	6500	8400	7200	8900	7900
11	Open + Rapid + Blitz	8300	6600	8500	7300	8900	8000
12	Open + Below	10700	8000	11300	9000	11700	9600
13	Open + Below + Blitz	11700	9000	12300	10000	12700	10600
14	Open + Below + Rapid	12500	9500	13100	10700	13700	11500
15	Open + Below + Rapid + Blitz	13500	10500	14100	11700	14700	12500

For Pune players Rs. 300/- additional discount for Open & Below-1800 Tournaments (Classical Tournaments)

V/H/A/N (Veteran / Handicap / Armed Force / North-East) Players



Click/Scan QR  
to register through CirclChess

Registration Link: <https://circlechess.com/registration?id=27711>

For Group Entry (More than 20 in anyone tournament) Please contact : Mr. Nagnath Halkude

### Entry Contact

**Yogesh Mahamuni**  
9822067936

**Nagnath Halkude**  
7875984545

**Aryan Halkude**  
9529032510

## Air Cooled Playing Hall - Separate Halls For Parents

5 Prizes More than 1,00,000 | 6 Prizes More than 50,000

8 Prizes More than 25,000 | 8 Prizes More than 15,000

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Pune is a sprawling city in the western Indian state of Maharashtra. It was once the base of the Peshwas (prime ministers) of the Maratha Empire, which lasted from 1674 to 1818. It's known for the grand Aga Khan Palace, built in 1892 and now a memorial to Mahatma Gandhi, whose ashes are preserved in the garden. The 8th-century Pataleshwar Cave Temple is dedicated to the Hindu god Shiva.

Many historical landmarks like Pataleshwar caves, Shaniwarwada, Shinde Chhatra, and Vishrambaug Wada date to this era. Historical sites from different eras are dotted across the city.

### PLACES FOR VISIT IN PUNE FROM VENUE

Shivrushti Historical Theme Park	: 900 M
Rajiv Gandhi Zoo Logical Park	: 05 Km
Saras Baug / Kelkar Musium	: 10 Km
Shaniwar Wada / Lal Mahal / Dagadusheth Ganesh Temple	: 12 Km
Pataleshwar Cave Temple	: 12 Km
Khadakwasla Dam	: 09 Km
Sinhgad Fort	: 24 Km
Aga Khan Palace	: 20 Km
WET N JOY WATER PARK (Biggest Water Park in India)	: 58 Km

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