



## FIDE World Cadets Chess Championship 2017

Regulations

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### 1. INVITATION

International Chess Federation (FIDE), Confederation Chess Americas (CCA), Brazilian Chess Federation (CBX), FIDE, Minas Gerais State Chess Federation, the WCCC 2017 Organizing Committee and companies participating, have the honor to invite all the FIDE member Chess Federations around the world to participate in the **FIDE World Cadets Chess Championship 2017** (under 8, under 10 and under 12 years old - open and girls) which will take place in Poços de Caldas –Minas Gerais, Brazil, between August the 21st, 2017 (arrival) and August the 31st, 2017 (departure).

### 2. PARTICIPATION

•2.1 INVITED PERSONS - Each federation can register one (1) invited player in each of the categories - under 8, 10, and 12 (boys and girls). **The total of six (6) invited players and one accompanying official** (captain/trainer with a valid FIDE Trainer license) belonging to the national federation are invited by the Organizers. A player must not have reached his 8<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> birthday, respectively, before January 1<sup>st</sup> of the year 2017.

2.2 PERSONAL RIGHT PLAYERS - The players placed 1-3 in the previous World Cadet Championships and respective Champions of the Continental Youth Championships, shall have the personal right to participate in the World Cadet Championships of the corresponding age – category or a higher age-category if the age stipulation mentioned above is met. Such players shall also be classified as **invited players** and have to be registered by the national federation.

2.3 ADDITIONAL PLAYERS AND ACCOMPANING PERSONS - Other than invited players, players shall be classified as **Additional players**. All persons, besides the players or the Accompanying Officials, shall be classified as **Accompanying Persons**. A federation may register any number of Additional players and Accompanying Persons but only upon confirmation by the Organizing Committee.



The national Federation shall be responsible for the costs of their Additional Players and accompanying persons.

2.4 A player registered in a lower category of age due to a mistake in specifying his/her birthday will have his/her registration suspended until rectification.

2.5 For Security and organizational reasons and in accordance with FIDE tournament regulations all national delegations shall use the official hotel(s) designed by the Organizing Committee and do reservations through the organizers.

•2.5 In order to provide appropriate tournament conditions, the Federations must complete carefully the official registration form (in the website and also send to National Federations) and send it back to the organizing committee by 21<sup>st</sup> June 2017. Any other form will not be accepted.

### 3. FIDE ENTRANCE FEES

3.1 In accordance with the FIDE regulations, an entrance fee of 70 € (Euros) is asked for every guest player (mentioned in 2.2 and 2.3 above) and must be sent directly to FIDE by the national Federation before the event.

3.2 In accordance with the FIDE regulations, an entrance fee of 140 € (Euros) is asked for every additional player and must be sent directly to FIDE by the national Federation before the event.

Account name: Federation International des Echecs (FIDE) Bank:

UBS Address: Case Postale, 1002 Lausanne, Switzerland

Bank SWIFT Code: UBSWCHZH80A

IBAN Account Number: CH540024324334208763Y

### 4. REGISTRATION



4.1 Each player (invited, personal or additional) and each accompanying official/person must pay the amount of 100 EUR at the moment of their registration before 21st June 2017. This registration fee is compulsory and represents a confirmation of participation, otherwise a registration will be invalid and will not be accepted. This payment includes transportation from and to Viracopos (Campinas City) International airport, accreditation, identification, badges and organization costs.

4.2 The deadline for registration is 21st June 2017. After this date a penalty of 100 € (Euros) for each late registration will be charged to participants till 10th August 2017 latest. After this date, organizers reserve the right to refuse or decline late registrations or charge higher hotel costs for participants.

4.3 All guest players should make their application by the above deadline (21st June 2017). After this date no guest player application will be accepted and their application will be treated as if they were an additional player.

4.4 The registration form must include the Federation, FIDE ID, surname, first name, international rating and FIDE title and the passport details of every player and every accompanying person. It must also include the name, details and phone number/ address/ fax/ email of the Chief of the delegation. An identity photo (2x3 cm) must also be sent for each player (guest, additional or qualified) and each accompanying person by 1st August 2017. If the Photo is not sent till this deadline then the photo can also be taken on arrival at the Hotel at the cost of 10 € (Euros).

4.5 All the travel expenses must be paid by the participants or their Federation. Only member Federations of FIDE are entitled to submit registration forms. Individual applications will not be accepted if the national Federation does not confirm such registration.



4.6 If a person pays a deposit and does not participate, then the amount is not refundable.

## 5 TRAVEL:

The venue is the Convention Center of the Golden Park Hotel (300 meters from Thermas World Resort 160 meters from Golden Park Hotel and 120 meters from Village Inn hotel.)

**DEADLINE TO SEND TRAVEL DETAILS IS 21 OF JULY 2017** (otherwise we have not time to provide proper transportation) Please use the forms

The venue is 190 km from Viracopos International Airport in Campinas City, state of São Paulo **(This is the official Airport)**. Campinas is the second largest city in São Paulo State .

The organizer will provide transport services of all participants from and to Official Airport on **August 21st** as well as the departure transfer on **August 31<sup>st</sup>**. If any delegation arrives one or two days before the competition or leaves later the same amount of days service will be provided.

Also you may chose to arrive direct in São Paulo International Airport (the Biggest one in Brasil and destiny of many direct International flights) It is 280 KM from Poços de Caldas. Then go from there to Poços de Caldas, this will be on your own or you can use our transfer from there 2 ways as per request.

Travel from Viracopos International Airport – Campinas-SP (2 ways) to hotels is free of charge (please read above).

Travel price from São Paulo International Guarulhos/Cumbica airport (2 ways) to hotels (280 km) is for each person 75 EUR.

Players who make private transport arrangements and clearly indicate this in the registration form will be fully responsible for any problems they experience during arrival or departure.

## 6. PAYMENT



6.1 BANK TRANSFERS. When registering for any category or as accompanying person, the above mentioned amount of 100 € (Euros) must be transferred to the following account:

**Bank Name: Banco do Brasil**

**Branch Name: Jardim Botânico -RJ**

**Branch Number: 1572-5**

**Account Number: 13707-3**

**Address: Rua Jardim Botânico 74**

**Rio de Janeiro RJ Brasil**

**Account Holder: Stiu Projects C e E LTDA**

**IBAN Euro: 001157250000137073**

**SWIFT CODE: BRASBRRJRJO**

All bank commissions should be paid by sender, .

6.2 As soon as the payment transfer is confirmed, the organizing committee will send to the respective chess Federation the confirmation of the hotel reservations .

6.3 Players will not be paired until all the payments are effected to the organizers.

7. ACCOMMODATION



7.1 Accommodation will be offered in the Official hotels in Poços de Caldas booked by the organizing committee. In the hotel there will be free wireless connection in the lobby to all participants and in most of the rooms. In case the Official Hotel fill others hotels will be provide

7.2 We offer full pension accommodation to the guest players and to one (1) trainer with a valid FIDE License for each Federation from August the 21st (including dinner) to August the 31st (including breakfast) in double and triple rooms.

7.3 The accommodation charges must be paid at least 30% in advance. The payment can be done in Euros, U\$ Dollars or Real (Brazilian Currency). The remaining 70% will be paid at arrival.

7.4 CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS. Payments of the remaining 70% may also be made by credit card at arrival at Organizer's office.

7.5 If a participating Federation does not send a player in any age category, they may not substitute this for another age category.

7.6 Accommodation prices. the deadline for registration is 21st June 2017 we strongly recommend they fulfill this date or might have a surcharge of 5% .

7.7 All accommodation cost will be paid for 10 nights as a total package plus registration cost for whoever will be coming on the 21<sup>st</sup> of August and leaving on the 31<sup>st</sup> of August. If someone, comes later or leaves earlier, they will pay at least this cost as a total cost. If any participants will be arriving earlier or leaving later they will pay the difference of the nights mentioned below.

## Hotels

(FP) Full Pension (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner), (OB) Only Breakfast

### **1- Thermas Resort Water World \*\*\*\***

#### **Hotel Thermas Resort Walter World 4 stars (Full Board) (FP)**

triple room 75 €/ day per person 750€ total minimum per person (10 nights)



double room 77 €/ day per person, 770€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 130 €/ day per person, 1300€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

### **Hotel Thermas Resort Walter World 4 stars (Breakfast only) (OB)**

triple room 65 €/ day per person 650€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

double room 67 €/ day per person, 670€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 120 €/ day per person, 1200€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

## **2- Golden Park \*\*\*\***

### **Hotel Golden Park 4 stars (Full Board) (FP)**

triple room 73 €/ day per person 730€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

double room 75 €/ day per person, 750€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 120 €/ day per person, 1200€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

### **Hotel Golden Park 4 stars (Breakfast only) (OB)**

triple room 63 €/ day per person 630€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

double room 65 €/ day per person, 650€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 110 €/ day per person, 1100€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

## **3- Village Inn \*\*\***

### **Hotel Village Inn 3 stars (Full Board) (FP)**



triple room 61 €/ day per person 610€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

double room 62 €/ day per person, 6200€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 110 €/ day per person, 1100€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

### **Hotel Village Inn 3 stars (Breakfast only) (OB)**

triple room 50 €/ day per person 500€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

double room 52 €/ day per person, 520€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

single room 90 €/ day per person, 900€ total minimum per person (10 nights)

Rooms will be booked on the principle of FCFS (First Come First Served).

### 7.8 IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Deadline for Hotels and registration will be 21st June 2017.

## 8. TECHNICAL REGULATIONS

The tournament will be played using the Swiss system with 9 rounds. The national rankings will not be taken into account for pairings. The rate of play will be in accordance with the FIDE rules: 90 minutes for the first 40 moves followed by 30 minutes for the rest of the game with an addition of 30 seconds per move starting from move one. The Tiebreak criteria:

- 1- Results of direct encounters between the tied players ( applies only if all tied players have played each other),**
- 2- Buccholz Cut 1,**
- 3- Buccholz,**
- 4- The greater number of games played with black,**
- 5- The Greater number of wins.**





## 9. TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Tuesday	21 August	– Arrival of Delegations
Tuesday	21 August	– Technical Meeting
Wednesday	22 August 15h30	– Opening Ceremony
Wednesday	22 August 16h	– 1st round
Thursday	23 August 10h	– 2nd round
Thursday	23 August 17h	– 3rd round
Friday	24 August 15h	– 4th round
Saturday	25 August	FREE DAY
Sunday	26 August 15h	– 5th round
Monday	27 August 15h	– 6th round
Tuesday	28 August 10h	– 7th round
Tuesday	28 August 17h	– 8th round
Wednesday	29 August 15h	– 9th round
Thursday	30 August 15h	– 10th round
Friday	31 August 09:00	11 <sup>th</sup> round
Friday	31 August 14:30h	– Closing Ceremony
Friday	31 August– 16:00h	Departure of Delegations

## 10. STANDS and BANNERS

Anyone who wishes to rent a promotional stand on location or have Banners and other promotional material should contact the organizers for rental conditions. No one will be allowed any promotional space (except FIDE and FIDE Americas) or to have a stand for merchandise or other services, without approval of the Organizing Committee.



## 11. INFORMATION ABOUT VISAS

11.1 The Federations or players who need assistance with their visas are asked to contact the Organizing Committee before 21st June 2017.

11.2 The Tournament Director will supply official letters of invitation only after all the payments are effected (registration and accommodation fees for every member of the delegation).

## 12. WEATHER CONDITIONS

In August, the weather of Poços de Caldas is a little cold at night and around 10° C this time. We propose to all participants to have some protective / warm clothing.

## 13. ELECTRICITY

The standard voltage in Brazil and in Poços de Caldas is 110 Volts but may have some 220 Volts plugs.

## 14. PRIZE FUND

14.1 The best Federation, by ranking of medals collected in all categories, will receive a trophy. For first place the number of gold medals will be taken under consideration, if there is a tie, then the number of silver medals, if there is still a tie, then the number of bronze medals. If finally this is still equal, then the total points of medalists will be taken for tie-break.



14.2 Top three places in each tournament will be awarded also with trophies and medals.

14.3 Medals will be given to the 4th, 5th, 6th places.

14.4 Prize Giving Ceremony will be only for the top 6 players of each category, plus the youngest boy and the youngest girl in the tournament.

14.5 All players and arbiters will be given diplomas for participation.

14.6 There will be special gifts for the players.

## 15. CONTACT INFORMATION

### **15.1 General Information:**

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