



CITY CHESS FEDERATION OF NIS

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City Chess Federation of Nis in cooperation with Hotel „Zeleni Vir“ is organizing

The 5th International Chess Festival

„OPEN NIS 2019“

Hotel “Zeleni Vir”, June 25th – July 4th 2019.

OPEN A, B, C and blitz tournament

OPEN „A” tournament

OPEN tournament for players **rated higher than 2100 ELO**. The organizer has the right to include players with lower rating. The Open “A” will be played according to FIDE rules of 9 rounds of Swiss system.

Tournament is valid for FIDE rating and international title norms.

Time control is 90 minutes plus 30 seconds increment for each move starting from the first move.

Prize fund: 397.000,00 RSD (app. 3.340,00 €)

Regular prizes: 355.000,00 RSD (app. 3.000,00 €)

1.) 100.000,00	2.) 70.000,00	3.) 50.000,00	4.) 35.000,00	5.) 25.000,00
6.) 20.000,00	7.) 18.000,00	8.) 15.000,00	9.) 12.000,00	10.) 10.000,00

Special prizes: 42.000,00 RSD (app. 340,00 €)

- best placed woman 6.000,00 RSD (50,00 €)
- best placed veteran over 60 6.000,00 RSD (50,00 €)
- best placed junior U18 6.000,00 RSD (50,00 €)
- best placed player from Nis, member of Nis’s chess club 6.000,00 RSD (50,00 €)
- best placed IM 5.000,00 RSD (40,00 €)
- best placed FM 5.000,00 RSD (40,00 €)
- best placed player rated 1951-2099 ELO 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)
- best placed player rated 0-1950 ELO 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)

The prizes are not divided and cannot be cumulated.

The winner receives a trophy and the top three players receive medals.

ENTRY FEE	
GM, IM, WGM, elo \geq 2400	No entry fee
Female players Players born in 1959. and older (>2100) Players born in 2001. and younger (>2100)	30 €
All players rated 2100 – 2399	35 €
All players rated 1950 – 2099	50 €
All players rated 0 – 1949	70 €

** Entry fees are valid for all players who are not on SRB rating list*

OPEN “B” tournament

OPEN tournament for players **rated lower or equal to 2100 ELO**. The Open “B” will be played according to FIDE rules of 9 rounds of Swiss system. The organizer has the right to include players with lower rating.

The tournament is valid for FIDE rating.

Time control is 90 minutes plus 30 seconds increment for each move starting from the first move.

Prize fund: 188.000,00 RSD (app. 1.560,00 €)

Regular prizes: 163.000,00 RSD (app. 1.360,00 €)

1.) 50.000,00 2.) 30.000,00 3.) 20.000,00 4.) 15.000,00 5.) 12.000,00
6.) 10.000,00 7.) 8.000,00 8.) 7.000,00 9.) 6.000,00 10.) 5.000,00

Special prizes: 25.000,00 RSD (app. 200,00 €)

- best placed woman 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)
- best placed veteran over 60 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)
- best placed junior U18 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)
- best placed player from Nis,
member of Nis’s chess club 4.000,00 RSD (30,00 €)
- best placed player rated 1701-1900 ELO 3.000,00 RSD (25,00 €)
- best placed player rated 1501-1700 ELO 3.000,00 RSD (25,00 €)
- best placed player rated 0-1500 ELO 3.000,00 RSD (25,00 €)

The prizes are not divided and cannot be cumulated. A player cannot receive two rewards.

The winner receives a trophy and the top three players receive medals.

ENTRY FEE	
Female players Players born in 1959. and older Players born in 2001. and younger	25 €
All other players	30 €

** Entry fees are valid for all players who are not on SRB rating list*

Schedule for Open “A” and Open “B”

Round 1	Tuesday, 25.06.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 2	Wednesday, 26.06.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 3	Thursday, 27.06.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 4	Friday, 28.06.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 5	Saturday, 29.06.2019.	5:00 pm
Blitz tournament	Sunday, 30.06.2019.	4:00 pm
Round 6	Monday, 01.07.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 7	Tuesday, 02.07.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 8	Wednesday, 03.07.2019.	5:00 pm
Round 9	Thursday, 04.07.2019.	10:00 am

Open “C” – cadets’ tournament

27. 06. - 01. 07. 2019.

OPEN tournament for players rated **lower or equal to 1500 ELO and born in 2005 and younger**. The Open “C” will be played according to FIDE rules of 10 rounds of Swiss system.

The tournament will not be rated with FIDE.

The time control is 60 minutes per player.

Prize fund: 30.000,00 RSD (app. 250,00 €)

1.) 8.000,00	2.) 6.000,00	3.) 5.000,00	4.) 4.000,00
5.) 3.000,00	6.) 2.000,00	7.) 1.000,00	8.) 1.000,00

The winner receives a trophy and the top three players receive medals (girls and boys separated). In the category of U06, U08-10 and U12-14 there will be medals for unrewarded (girls and boys separated).

Entry fee: 10 €

Schedule of the Open "C": Official Opening and 1st round is at 12:00 am, 27.06.2019. The schedule for the Open "C" will be announced at the beginning of the Festival.

Blitz rated tournament

Sunday, 30.06.2019. at 4:00 pm

The tournament format is 11 round Swiss, computer pairings. The tournament is FIDE rated. The time control is 3 min. plus 2 sec. per player.

Prize fund: 35.000 RSD (app. 300,00 €)

Regular prizes: 29.000,00 RSD (app. 245,00 €)

1.) 10.000,00 2.) 7.000,00 3.) 5.000,00 4.) 4.000,00 5.) 3.000,00

Special prizes: 6.000,00 RSD (app. 50,00 €)

- best placed woman 2.000,00 RSD (15,00 €)
- best placed veteran over 60 2.000,00 RSD (15,00 €)
- best placed junior U18 2.000,00 RSD (15,00 €)

The prizes will be divided according to Hort system. The special prizes are not divided and cannot be cumulated.

Entry fee for all players is 5 EUR.

Grandmasters, Woman Grandmasters and player with ELO>2500 do not pay entry fee.

Technical details

Organizer will provide chess equipment for all events.

Tournament application: You can apply via E-mail – gradskissnis@gmail.com or through the application form on our website www.gradskissnis.rs

Application deadline for "A" and "B": 25.06.2019. – 3:00 pm

Application deadline for "C": 27.06.2019. – 11:00 am

Entry fee: You can pay the entry fee via bank account of GSS Nis or on the day of the start of the tournament „A“ and „B“ until 3:00 pm. Participants who apply after that deadline will be pared from the second round and the entry fee will be raised for 10€.

Accommodation and meals: For the participants out of town accommodation is available in hotel “Zeleni Vir” (www.hotelzelenivir.com), the price of **full board** (bed, breakfast, lunch and dinner) is **25€** per night / per person in double and triple rooms and taxes are included.

The accommodation should be paid before the 3rd round.

Number of rooms in the hotel is limited and it is necessary to make an early reservation of accommodation.

For participants it will be provided, for a small fee, transfer from Silver Lake or Belgrade-Skopje-Sofia airport to Nis. It is also possible to organize individual transfers. For detailed information, please contact tournament director.

Organizer offers to foreign Grandmasters special conditions regarding to accommodation. The amount for those special conditions is limited, so hurry up and do not miss the chance! For detailed information please contact tournament director.

For all further information about Chess Festival and for accommodation reservation, please contact the tournament director IA Lukic Igor M, +381 (0)65 2419206 or via E-mail igorlukic79@gmail.com or gradskissnis@gmail.com

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