



النادي مشهر لدى الهيئة العامة لرعاية الشباب والرياضة بموجب القرار الوزاري رقم (27) لسنة 1999 تحت رقم (47) أندية

AL AIN CHESS CLASSICS

18th – 27th December 2014

The Al Ain Chess Club invites all FIDE rated players to participate in ALAIN classics chess championship that is been held for third year in row in the chess city of ALAIN between 18th and 27th of December 2014.

Rules and Regulations

1. Venue

- a. Tournament will take place at ALAIN Rotana Hili Hotel.

2. Tournament System

- 1.1 The tournaments are open to FIDE rated players.
1.2 The tournaments will be played in 9-round Swiss System
1.3 Draws can be offered only after 25 moves played in consistence with FIDE rules
1.4 Forfeit time will be 60 Minutes after scheduled starting time.

3. Schedule

Thursday	Dec 18	Arrival	
Friday	Dec 19	Players' technical Meeting	10:00
		Opening Ceremony	16:30
		Rd. 1	18:00
Saturday	Dec 20	Rd. 2	09:30
		Rd. 3	17:00
Sunday	Dec 21	Rd. 4	17:00
Monday	Dec 22	Rd. 5	17:00
Tuesday	Dec 23	Rd. 6	17:00
Wednesday	Dec 24	Rd. 7	17:00
Thursday	Dec 25	Rd. 8	17:00
Friday	Dec 26	Rd. 9	14:00
		Closing Ceremony	21:00
Saturday	Dec 27	Departure	

4. Time Control

All moves in 90 minutes for 40 moves then players get additional 30 Minutes to complete their games , with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from move 1.



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5. Prizes

Overall

1st	\$11,000.00
2nd	\$8,500.00
3rd	\$6,000.00
4th	\$4,500.00
5th	\$3,000.00
6th	\$2,000.00
7th	\$1,000.00
8th	\$900.00
9 th	\$800.00
10 th	\$750.00
11 th - 15 th (each)	\$700.00
16 th - 20 th (each)	\$600.00

Category Prizes

Best U 2400	\$600.00
Best U 2200	\$500.00
Best U 2000	\$400.00
Best U 1800	\$300.00
Best Woman	\$500.00
Second best Woman	\$450.00
Third best Woman	\$400.00
Best Girl Under 20	\$350.00
Best Arab Player	\$300.00
Best Gulf Countries Council Player	\$250.00
Best Emiraty	\$200.00
Best Emirateyah (female)	\$200.00
Best Einawy	\$100.00
Best Einawyyah	\$ 100.00
Youngest Player	\$ 25.00
Best Score sheet	\$25.00

* There will be no sharing for prizes

**Winners can have one prize only

*** If a player qualifies for more than one prize, he/she will be given the prize with a higher value .

6. Tie Break System for all tournaments:

- Buchholz (Sum of the points of opponents of a tied player)
- Sonneborn-Berger system (sum of scores of opponents a player has defeated and half the scores of players with whom he drawn)
- Average Rating of Opponents
- Most Number of Wins
- Direct Encounter.

7. Hotel Accommodation

No.	Hotel	Single Room	Double Room	Triple Room
1	Official Hotel (Rotana)	135\$	90\$ (each)	65\$ (each)

- Rates are with full board (3 meals a day).
- The rates will be valid if booked and paid by November 13th.

Invitation for limited number of GMs will be done based on first come first serve.



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8. Entry Fees:

- For GMs, IMs, WGMs, >2400 Free
- 2300-2399: \$ 5.00
- 2200-2299: \$10.00
- 2100-2199: \$ 15.00
- 2000-2099: \$ 20.00
- 1800-1999: \$ 25.00
- 1600-1799: \$ 30.00
- 1400-1599: \$ 40.00
- 1200-1399: \$ 50.00
- 1000-1199: \$ 100.00

9. Contacts: Alainclassic2014@gmail.com;

Mr. Qadoomi, Ebrahim for hotel accommodation
+971506810075

Mr. Ahmed Adel for registration to the tournament after scanning the entry fee slip and e mailing it to the above address
+971-50-4374221

MR Rafiq Thengil for VISA process issuance
+9715-9314161

<http://www.alainchess.com>

10. Registration and Visas

Registration fee is 100 USD for entry visa and bus transport from airport and return including accreditation, but is refundable for GMs, WGMs, IMs, WIMs.

All payments should be made before the Technical Meeting.

For registration please send scanned passport copy to Alainclassic2014@gmail.com

with ID photos and upload clear scanned copies of passports valid for at least six months (valid till July 2015). Deadline for registration for visas is 1 December 2014. Visas shall be sent by email.

11. Payments

Entries and registration fees, security deposits may be sent to the following bank account

COUNTRY	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
Beneficiary Name	ALAIN Culture and Chess Club
Bank Name	Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank (ADIB)
Branch Name	Clock Tower Branch – Al-Ain
IBAN Account Number	AE 52 05 000 000 000 15789183
SWIFT CODE	ABDIAEAD

Players who didn't fulfill payments till Technical Meeting will remove from Pairing.

VISA's will not be mailed unless a clear scan of payments transfer, air tickets and hotel confirmation are e mailed to the organizing committee.