

## Nuorisoshakin sähköpostilista 3.7.2008

1. Salon shakkileiri alkaa maanantaina uusissa tiloissa
2. Edustusnuoret valitsivat ulkomaanmatkansa
3. Hollannin avoin kutsuu suomalaisia nuoria
4. Taiteiden yön shakkitapahtumaan tarvitaan työvoimaa
5. Ideakilpailu käynnistyi Shakkiblogissa
6. Kotimaisia ja kansainvälisiä tapahtumia

### 1. Salon shakkileiri pidetään 7.-10.7.

Salon Shakkikerhon nuorten kesäleiri järjestetään 7.-10.7.2008 Leirisalon leirikeskuksessa Kemiössä.

Leirin ohjelma alkaa maanantaina klo 9.00 ja päättyy torstaina klo 16.00.

Aikaisemmista leireistä poiketen on tänä vuonna kaksi tasoryhmää. Ylemmän tasoryhmän valmentajana on KvM Kalle Kiik ja alemman tasoryhmän valmentajina ovat Antti Laato ja Tapio Salo. Alemman tasoryhmän valmennus ja muu päiväohjelma tulee noudattamaan edellisten vuosien ohjelmารunkoa. Ylemmän tasoryhmän valmennus muotoutuu osallistujien toivomusten mukaan.

Hinnat ylempi tasoryhmä: nuoret 35 e/vrk ja aikuiset 45 e/vrk.

Hinnat alempi tasoryhmä: nuoret 20 e/vrk ja aikuiset 25 e/vrk.

Hinnat sisältävät majoituksen, valmennuksen ja ruokailut.

Leirin päärakennukseen mahtuu noin 20 henkeä, uuteen majoitusrakennukseen 50 henkeä ja lisäksi on vielä perhetelttoja. Muista ottaa mukaan makuupussi, jalkapallotossut ja uintivälineet. Leirimaksut voit maksaa suoraan leirin isännälle paikan päällä.

Lisätietoja ja ilmoittautumiset Tomi Tocklin 0400-536290 tai Erkki Haanila, [erkki.haanila@pp.inet.fi](mailto:erkki.haanila@pp.inet.fi), 040-7374329.

Leirikertomuksia ja kuvia aikaisemmilta leireiltä löytyy SalSK:n kotisivuilta kohdasta leirit.

### Leirin ohjelma

Klo	MA	TI	KE	TO	
9	Majoittuminen	Aamiainen	Aamiainen	Aamiainen	
10	A- ja B-ryhmä Tasotesti, loppu- ja keskipeli,	A-ryhmä	B-ryhmä	A-ryhmä	B-ryhmä
11	sommitelmat TS	Valmennus KK	Valmennus TS ja HP	Valmennus KK	Valmennus TS, HP ja AL
12	12.30 Leirin avaus EH				
13	Ruokailu	Ruokailu	Ruokailu	Ruokailu	
14	A-ryhmä	B-ryhmä			
15	Valmennus KK	Valmennus, testin palautus	A-ryhmä Valmennus KK		
16		TS		A- ja B-ryhmä valmennus HP ja AL	
17	Simultaani	A-ryhmä		Leiri päättyy	

		Harjoituksia	AP		EH
19	Jalkapalloa, sauna ja uintia,	Jalkapalloa, sauna ja uintia,		Jalkapalloa, sauna ja uintia,	
20	harjoituspelejä, grillausta	harjoituspelejä, grillausta		harjoituspelejä, grillausta	

KK Kalle Kiik  
 AP Antti Pihlajasalo  
 HP Hannu Pihlajasalo  
 AL Antti Laato  
 TS Tapio Salo  
 EH Erkki Haanila

Ajo-ohje Leirisaloon: Salosta vanhaa ykköstietä Turkuun päin 7 km, käännetään vasemmalle Angelniemi 10 viitan kohdalta. Kokkilan lossilta jatketaan matkaa n. 17 km Kemiöön päin. Käännetään oikealle Lillvik/Leirisalo-kytlin kohdalta, jatketaan matkaa valkeahiekkaisista hiekkatietä n. 3 km ja saavutaan Leirisaloon.

Leirikertomuksia ja kuvia aikaisemmilta leireiltä sekä ajo-ohjeet Leirisaloon löytyy SalSK:n kotisivuilta:  
[www.shakki.net/kerhot/salsk](http://www.shakki.net/kerhot/salsk)

## 2. Nuorten SM:n pelaajat ovat valinneet edustuspaikkansa

### Vietnam 8-18-vuotiaiden MM-kisa 19.-31.10.

Valmentaja/matkanjohtaja Mika Ebeling  
 U18 Frans Valli,  
 U16 Roope Kiuttu,  
 G16 Laura Savola,  
 U14 Erik Rönkä,  
 U12 Daniel Ebeling,  
 G10 Gabriela Ebeling,  
 G8 Qiyu Zhou.

### Montenegro 10-18-vuotiaiden EM-kisa 14.-26.9.

U18 Aleks Wallin  
 U16 Henri Pohjala,  
 U16 Lari Linden ylimääräisenä,  
 G16 Erika Uusitupa,  
 U14 Tero Savola,  
 G14 Maria Larionova  
 U12 Dennis Liu  
 U12 Antti Uusitupa ylimääräisenä  
 G12 Irina Tumanova  
 U10 Dmitri Tumanov  
 G10 Katariina Larionova

### Itävalta Mureck EU:n 8-14v mestaruuskisa 5.-14.8.

matkanjohtaja KvT Kari Rauramaa  
 U14 Joonas Nordman,  
 U12 Jere Huovinen,  
 U12 Julius Rauramaa ylimääräisenä,  
 U10 Matias Lappalainen,  
 U8 Jan Demidov  
 U8 Qiyu Zhou ylimääräisenä

### 2.-16.8. Turkki Ankara U20 World Junior Chess Championship 2008

Mikko Niemi.

Ylimääräisiä pelaajia voi lähteä näihin kisoihin, kunhan maksavat omat kustannuksensa. Halukkaat ottakoot yhteyttä toiminnanjohtaja Jorma Paavilaiseen [sksl@kolumbus.fi](mailto:sksl@kolumbus.fi).

### 3. Hollannin avoin nuorten mestaruuskisa

(jonka Stork Young Masters kisan aikoinaan Tomi Nybäck voitti) pidetään 4.-9.8. Kisa on esimerkiksi majoitukseltaan hyvin edullinen, ja se on avoin kaikille alle 21-vuotiaille. Kutsu on viestin lopussa.

### 4. Taiteiden yön shakkitapahtumaan tarvitaan työvoimaa

Taiteiden yö täyttää 20 vuotta perjantaina 22.8. Shakkiliiton suunnitelmissa on viimevuotiseen tapaan järjestää sopivassa paikassa vuoden suurin shakkitapahtuma (yleisön osalta).

Tästä kuvasta (ja muistakin siinä vierellä) näet, mikä tunnelma oli viime vuonna:

[http://shakki08.lg.fi/kuvat/Taiteiden+y%F6+2007/2007\\_0824\\_194305AA.JPG](http://shakki08.lg.fi/kuvat/Taiteiden+y%F6+2007/2007_0824_194305AA.JPG)

Tunnelmaa voi katsoa ja kuunnella Youtubessa osoitteessa:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JNDND83dGEQ>

Joka tapauksessa: merkitkää kalenteriinne 22.8. Emme voi tapahtumaa ihan muutaman hengen porukalla järjestää, joten etukäteen ilmoittautuneet vapaaehtoiset ovat kullannarvoisia. Toivo Pudas 040-5707400.

### 5. Ideakilpailu käynnistyi Shakkiblogissa

Suomalaisen shakkielämän suuri haaste on, miten pelaajamäärän käy tulevaisuudessa. Kehityssuunta on ollut jo pitkään laskeva, ja monista yrityksistä huolimatta trendiä ei ole saatu käännettyä. Myös tänä vuonna on käynnistetty useita projekteja (mm. Shakki kouluihin ja Kerhotoimintaprojekti), joiden avulla uusia pelaajia tulee pitkällä aikavälillä liiton toiminnan piiriin. Sitä ennen on kuitenkin vaarana, että nykyinen pelaajasukupolvi kuihtuu monien eri syiden vuoksi.

Niinpä liiton hallitus on päättänyt julistaa avoimen ideakilpailun, jossa etsitään konkreettisia keinoja pelaajamäärän lisäämiseksi. Mitä voisimme tehdä pelaajamäärän ja lisenssipelaajien määrän lisäämiseksi, jos meillä olisi esimerkiksi 3 000 euron ylimääräinen resurssi käytettävissämme ensi vuoden budjetissa?

Ideat kehittyvät yhteisessä keskustelussa, joten kaikenlaisia mieleen juolahtavia aatoksia voi kirjoitella tänne. Toki niitä voi lähettää myös sähköpostitse minulle. Parhaat ja toteuttamiskelpoisimmat uudet ideat palkitaan. Kilpailuaikaa on heinäkuun loppuun.

Tuomo Halmeenmäki, Shakkiliiton puheenjohtaja

### 6. Kalenteria

6.7. Kuninkaan ja keisarin kaksintaistelu shakkilaudalla Loviisassa

7.-10.7. Salon shakkileiri

12.-18.7. Heart of Finland Jyväskylä

20.7. Puistoshakin HM Kaivopuisto Helsinki

21.7. Pikashakin avoin Tampereen mestaruus

**2.-16.8. Turkki Ankara U20 World Junior Chess Championship 2008**

**2.-3.8. Joukkuepikashakin SM Raahe**

<http://www.kolumbus.fi/shakkiliitto/turn2008/jbl08k.htm>

**5.-14.8. Itävalta Mureck U10-U14 EU:n mestaruuskilpailu**

15.-24.8. Turkki Ankara World Youth U-16 Chess Olympiad 2008

16.8. Nappulaturnaus Shakkikoti Helsinki

**22.8. Taiteiden yön shakkitapahtuma Helsinki**

9.9. Shakkiliiton hallitus

**12.-14.9. Koulujoukkueiden PM-kilpailut (ala-aste Suomi, yläaste Norja, lukio Islanti)**

**13.9. Suomi-Ruotsi maaottelu Ahvenanmaalla**

14.-26.9. Hercec Novi Montenegro European Youth **[Championship U10 – U18](#)**

16.-24.10. Seurajoukkueiden EM Kallithea Kreikka

19.-31.10. Vietnam Vung Tau U8-U18 World Youth Championship 2008

25.10. Nappulaturnaus Shakkikoti Helsinki

**15.-16.11. Tampere U10-U20 Koululaisten SM (henkilökohtainen)**

**22.11. Lahti Nuorten pikashakin SM-turnaukset (joukkue- ja henkilökohtainen)**  
 29.11. Nappulaturnaus Shakkikoti Helsinki

[FIDE:n turnauskalenteri.](#)

[Euroopan Shakkiliiton kalenteri 2008.](#)

[Pohjoismaiden Shakkiliiton kalenteri.](#)

[Keskusshakkiliiton kilpailukalenteri loppuvuodeksi.](#)

[Kesän shakkikalenteria Shakkiblogissa:](#)

[Nuorison kv-kalenteri 2008](#)

[Valokuvia ja videoita eri shakkitapahtumista](#)

**6th EUROPEAN UNION  
 YOUTH CHESS  
 CHAMPIONSHIP 8 - 14**

under the patronage of the European Chess Union  
 Mureck August 5 –14, 2008

General regulations

1. Invitation

The Austrian Chess Federation has the honour of inviting your Chess Federation to participate in the European Union Youth Chess Championship 2008 at Mureck.

2. Participation

Each Federation can enter one player, boy or girl in any of the categories of under 8, 10, 12 and 14 as of January 1st, 2008.

Boys and girls will play in the same tournament, but with two separate scores. So we will have two European Union Youth Champions, one for the girls and one for the boys. Additional (extra) players can also be registered.

3. Registration - Conditions of participation

Entry forms must be sent back not later than  
 July 2nd, 2008 by telefax or email.

Registration must mention the surname/s, first name/s, FIDE ID number, FIDE or National rating of each player. We also need the telephone, email/fax number of the delegation chief and of the person in charge of the federation. Please use the registration form enclosed. All travel expenses must be paid by the participants or their National Federation. Each player (invited or extra) has to pay the amount of Euros 60,- to the Organizing Committee when registering or on arrival at Mureck. Transport from Graz and Maribor airport or Graz central station to Mureck and back will be free of charge.

4. Accommodation and meals

Board and lodging will be provided at Mureck or in its close surroundings. The Organising Committee can accommodate invited participants and a coach in double, or triple rooms or in apartments. Free board and lodging is offered to players as well as to one coach per federation from Tuesday 5 (dinner) to Thursday 14 August (lunch).

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Payments (Euros only) for all extra players and accompanying persons must be made in advance or in cash on arrival at Mureck.

The cost of lodging for additional (extra) players and accompanying persons for full board per day is the following:

in double and triple rooms: 39 Euros per person  
 in single rooms: 48 Euros per person

Bank Account:

Bank: Steiermärkische Bank & Sparkassen AG

IBAN: AT792081507500187997

BIC/SWIFT: STSPAT2G

BANK CODE: 20815

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 07500187997

BANK ADDRESS: 8480 Mureck, Hauptplatz 2

ACCOUNT HOLDER: Österreichischer Schachbund, Landesverband Steiermark

5. Tournament hall and meeting point on arrival

A-8480 Mureck, Kulturzentrum,

50 km south of Graz on the Austrian-Slovenian boarder

6. Schedule

Tuesday 05 August afternoon arrival of delegations

Wednesday 06 August 14:30 opening ceremony

15:00 1st round

Thursday 07 August 15:00 2nd round

Friday 08 August 15:00 3rd round

Saturday 09 August 15:00 4th round

Sunday 10 August 15:00 5th round

Monday 11 August 15:00 6th round

Tuesday 12 August 15:00 7th round

Wednesday 13 August 15:00 8th round

Thursday 14 August 08:30 9th round

13:45 closing ceremony,

departure

7. Rules and regulations

The tournament will be played according to the Swiss System in 9 rounds. National ratings will not be taken into consideration for the pairings. The rate of play will be according to FIDE regulations 90 min for the whole game + 30 sec increase for each move played.

8. Chief arbiters

Grete KATHOLNIG International Arbiter

Manfred MUSSNIG National Arbiter

9. Organizing Committee

Chairman Tournament director

Prof. Kurt JUNGWIRTH FM Erich GIGERL

Honorary Vice President of FIDE

President of the Austrian Chess Federation

10. Prizes

The first three players of each group will be awarded trophies.

The best girls will be awarded trophies separately.

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## AUSTRIAN CHESS FEDERATION

Styrian Association

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15th International Open

### **STYRIAN YOUTH CHESS**

#### **TOURNAMENT 10 - 16**

Mureck 5 – 14 August 2008

General regulations

1. Invitation

The Styrian Chess Federation in the Austrian Chess Federation has the honour of inviting your Chess Federation to participate in the 15th International Styrian Open Youth Chess Tournament 2008 at Mureck.

2. Participation

Each Federation can enter one player, boy or girl in any of the categories of under 10, 12, 14, and 16 as of January 1st, 2008.

Additional (extra) players can also be registered.

### 3. Registration - Conditions of participation

Entry forms must be sent back not later than July 2nd, 2008 by telefax or email.

Registration must mention the surname/s, first name/s, FIDE ID number, FIDE or National rating of each player. We also need the telephone, email/fax number of the delegation chief and of the person in charge of the federation. Please use the registration form enclosed.

All travel expenses must be paid by the participants or their National Federation.

Invited players are free of registration fee.

Extra players has to pay the amount of Euros 40,- to the Organizing Committee when registering or on arrival at Mureck.

Transport from Graz airport or Graz central station to Mureck and back will be free of charge.

### 4. Accommodation and meals

Board and lodging will be provided at Mureck or in its close surroundings.

The Organising Committee can accommodate invited participants and a coach in double, or triple rooms or in apartments.

Free board and lodging is offered to players as well as to one coach per federation

from Tuesday 5 (dinner) to Thursday 14 August (lunch).

Payments (Euros only) for all extra players and accompanying persons must be made in advance or in cash on arrival at Mureck.

The cost of lodging for additional (extra) players and accompanying persons for full board per day is the following:

in double and triple rooms: 39 Euros per person

in single rooms: 48 Euros per person

Bank Account:

Bank: Steiermärkische Bank & Sparkassen AG

IBAN: AT79 2081 5075 0018 7997

BIC/SWIFT: STSPAT2G

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ACCOUNT NUMBER: 07500187997

BANK ADDRESS: 8480 Mureck, Hauptplatz 2

ACCOUNT HOLDER: Österreichischer Schachbund, Landesverband Steiermark

### 5. Tournament hall and meeting point on arrival

A-8480 Mureck, Kulturzentrum 50 km south of Graz on the Austrian-Slovenian boarder

### 6. Schedule

Tuesday 5 August afternoon arrival of delegations

Wednesday 6 August 14.30 opening ceremony

15.00 1st round

Thursday 7 August 15.00 2nd round

Friday 8 August 15.00 3rd round

Saturday 9 August 15.00 4th round

Sunday 10 August 15.00 5th round

Monday 11 August 15.00 6th round

Tuesday 12 August 15.00 7th round

Wednesday 13 August 15.00 8th round

Thursday 14 August 08.30 9th round

13.45 PM closing ceremony,

departure

### 7. Rules and regulations

The tournament will be played according to the Swiss System in 9 rounds. National ratings will not be taken into consideration for the pairings. The rate of play will be according to FIDE regulations 90 min for the whole game + 30 sec increase for each move played.

### 8. Chief arbiters

Grete KATHOLNIG International Arbiter

Manfred MUSSNIG National Arbiter

### 9. Organizing Committee

Chairman Tournament director

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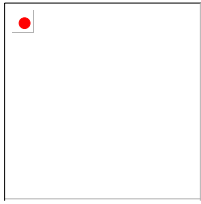
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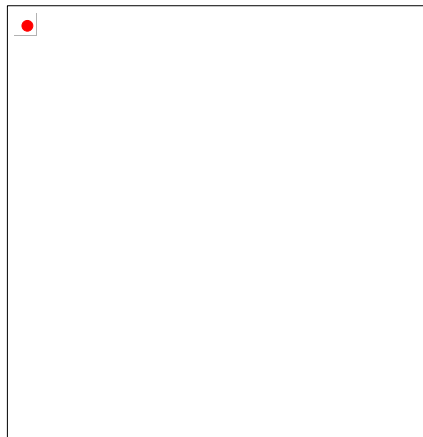
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The best girls will be awarded trophies separately.  
A lot of special prizes are waiting for the winners!

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## **VIETNAM CHESS FEDERATION**

# **2008 WORLD YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

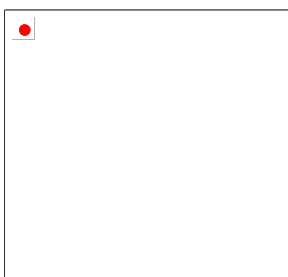


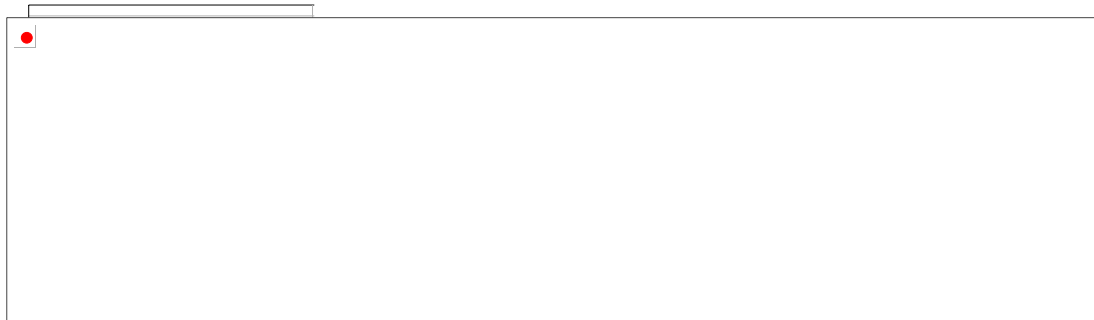
**19<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> October**

**VUNG TAU, VIETNAM**

**INVITATION & REGULATIONS**

**<http://wycc2008.vietnamchess.com>**





## 1. INVITATION

The Government of Vietnam, the People's Committee of Ba Ria – Vung Tau Province and the Vietn. Chess Federation (VCF), have the honour to invite all the FIDE member federations to participate in World Youth Chess Championships 2008 (***under 8, under 10, under 12, under 14, under 16 and under 18 years old – open and girls***) which will take place in Vung Tau, Vietnam, between October 19<sup>th</sup> (arrival) and October 31<sup>st</sup> 2008 (departure).

## 2. PARTICIPATION

2.1  
All participants including parents, coaches and accompanying persons are obliged to stay in official hotels. They must be accredited by the Organisers and shall have access to playing venues, the hotels and to activities in the programme.

2.2  
Every National Federation can register one player in each category (under 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 years old, open and girls). This total of twelve (12) Official Players plus one Accompanying Official shall be hosted by the Organisers. A player must not have reached his 8th, 10th, 12th, 14th, 16th, or 18th birthday, respectively, on January 1st of the year 2008.

2.3  
The players placed 1-3 in the previous World Youth Championships, and the respective Champions of the Continental Youth Championships, shall have the personal right to participate in the World Championships of the corresponding age-category or a higher age-category if the stipulation of Art. above is met. Such players shall also be classified as Official Players.

2.4  
Other than Official Players, other players shall be classified as Additional Players. All other persons other than players or the Accompanying Official shall be classified as Accompanying Persons. A Federation may register any number of Additional Players and Accompanying Persons but they shall be responsible for their costs of board and lodging.

2.5  
The official Registration Form (attached) must be completed and sent to the Organisers **before August 15<sup>th</sup> 2008.**

### 3. FIDE ENTRY FEES

3.1 In accordance with the FIDE regulations, an entry fee of **70 €** (Euros) is payable for every Official Player and must be sent directly to FIDE by the National Federation **before the event**.

3.2 In accordance with the FIDE regulations, an entry fee of **140 €** (Euros) is payable for every Additional Player and must be sent directly to FIDE by the National Federation **before the event**.

### 4. REGISTRATION AND TRAVEL

4.1 The deadline for registration is **August 15<sup>th</sup> 2008**. After this date a penalty of 100 € (Euros) for each late registration will be charged to participants. However, organisers reserve the right to decline late registrations.

4.2 The Registration Form must include the 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 head of the delegation. An identity photo (2x3 cm) must also be sent for each participant (All players, coaches, accompanying persons) before **August 15<sup>th</sup> 2008**. The photo can also be taken on arrival at the Hotel at the cost of 3 € (Euros).

4.3 All players, coaches and accompanying persons must pay to the Organisers the amount of **100 € (Euros)** at the moment of their registration (**before August 15<sup>th</sup> 2008**). This Organisation Fee, which covers transportation from and to Airport, identification badge and organisation costs, is compulsory and represents a confirmation of participation.

4.4 By August 15<sup>th</sup>, the participating National Federation must advise the Organisers on the list of Official Players, Additional Players and one Accompanying Official. If a person pays deposit and does not participate the amount is not refundable.

4.5 A player registered in an age-category lower than his/her own, due to a mistake in specifying his/her birthday will see his/her registration suspended until rectification.

4.6 Airport Transfers: Vung Tau is a touristic city and its nearest airport is in Ho Chi Minh City. From Vung Tau to Ho Chi Minh City by ferry takes 75 minutes or by land transport in less than 3 hours. Participants will be taken to Vung Tau by air-conditioned coaches from the Airport. Participants choosing to land in Hanoi City should take the domestic flight to Ho Chi Minh City which is about 2 hours flight.

4.7 All the travel expenses are the responsibility of the participating National Federation. The Organisers inform Federations concerning special discount tickets if such arrangement could be successfully finalised.

### 5. INFORMATION ABOUT VISAS

5.1 Those who need assistance with their visas must return the VISA FORM **before August 15<sup>th</sup> 2008**.

5.2 The Organisers will supply official letters of invitation only after all the payments are effected (Organisation Fees and Costs of Board & Lodging for every member of the delegation). Accreditation Card will be sent to the participating Federation and this shall be used as identification at the airport whereupon Visa shall be issued. The cost of Visa is 23 € (Euros)

### 6. PAYMENT

6.1

**BANK TRANSFERS.** When registering, the above mentioned Organisation Fee of 100 € (Euros) and costs of board and lodging must be transferred to the following account:

<b>Account Name:</b>	<b>Intchess Asia Pte Ltd</b>
<b>Bank Name:</b>	<b>DBS Bank</b>
Address:	6 Shenton Way, DBS Building, Singapore 068809
Account Holder:	Intchess Asia Pte Ltd
Account Number:	070 – 900154 – 8
IBAN Number:	GB56 BARC 2032 5355 9063 33
SWIFT Address:	DBSSSGSG

All bank commissions must be paid by sender; although even if these are paid by the sender, there usually a transfer cost on receiving side (15 €uros) for each transfer - this will also be charged to sender.

6.2 CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS may be made to Intchess Asia Pte Ltd.

6.3 As soon as the payment transfer is confirmed, the Organisers will send to the participating Federation the confirmation of the hotel reservations. Also all confirmed registrations will be declared on the official website, where Federations may check their participants' status on a daily basis.

6.4 Players will not be paired until all the payments are effected to the organisers.

## 7. HOTELS - BOARD & LODGING

7.1 The Organisers have booked 24 hotels (all fully air-conditioned) in Vung Tau. Attached is the Hotels List – providing details like; the hotel category, number and type of rooms available and the rates. A map Vung Tau showing all Official Hotels and the Playing Venue is also provided. These hotels are situated within a radius of maximum travel time of 10 minutes to the main playing venue, the Vung Tau Sp Stadium. If necessary, Palace Hotel will be the secondary Playing Venue for older age-groups.

7.2 The organisers provide free board and lodging inclusive of three meals to all Official Players Accompanying Official for each Federation from October 19<sup>th</sup> (including dinner) to October 31<sup>st</sup> (including breakfast) in twin/triple rooms in 3-star hotels. These 3-star hotels are spacious and clean. Free wireless connection is available in most of the hotel guest rooms.

7.3 Federations who wish to upgrade must pay the price difference according to the Hotels List. arrangements can be made for those accepting 2-star hotels.

7.4 Additional Players and Additional Accompanying Persons must pay for their costs of board and lodging in advance. The payment will be done only in Euros.

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

7.6 Costs for Board & Lodging. Although the deadline for registration is August 15<sup>th</sup>, if a Federation pays the entire cost of board and lodging and the Organisation Fees before July 15<sup>th</sup>, they will be given a 5% discount only on hotel costs.

7.7 Rooms will be booked on the principle of FCFS (First Come First Serve Basis). We advise Federation when choosing the hotel of their choice to name 3 hotels in order of priority.

## 8. TECHNICAL REGULATIONS

The tournament will be played using the Swiss System with 11 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. Official tie-break rules of FIDE will be adopted.

## 9. TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Sunday	19 October	12:00	Arrival of Delegations
		19:00	Opening Ceremony
Monday	20 October	09:00	Technical Meeting
		15:00	1 <sup>st</sup> round
Tuesday	21 October	15:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> round
Wednesday	22 October	10:00	3 <sup>rd</sup> round
		17:00	4 <sup>th</sup> round
Thursday	23 October	15:00	5 <sup>th</sup> round
Friday	24 October	15:00	6 <sup>th</sup> round and Social Talent Nite
Saturday	25 October		Free day
Sunday	26 October	15:00	7 <sup>th</sup> round
Monday	27 October	15:00	8 <sup>th</sup> round
Tuesday	28 October	15:00	9 <sup>th</sup> round
Wednesday	29 October	15:00	10 <sup>th</sup> round
Thursday	30 October	10:00	11 <sup>th</sup> round
		18:00	Closing Ceremony
Friday	31 October	12:00	Departure of Delegations

## 10. PRIZES

### 10.1

In every category, the top three players, after tie-break, will be awarded with trophies, medals and following gifts:-

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Laptop Computer
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Ipod Video
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place -- Wooden Chess Set

10.2 Prizes will also be awarded to those who finish 4<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> places.

10.3 For each category, the top 3 players of the 3 top Federations will be awarded team medals based on the total score of these 3 players. Federations with less than 3 players will not be eligible for team award. In case of any tie, the tie-break scores of each player shall be considered.

### 10.4

The best 3 Federations will receive additional prizes based on the overall ranking in the Champion Ranking is by number of gold medals, followed by the number of silver medals and then the number bronze medals. If a tie cannot be broken, then the total points of medallists will be taken for tie-break.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Federation – 30 Clocks
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Federation – 20 Clocks
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Federation – 10 Clocks

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

## 11. APPEALS COMMITTEE

The Appeals Committee will consist of 5 members and 2 reserves chosen from among the pa

delegations.

## 12. TOURNAMENT BULLETIN

Daily Bulletins will be given free to all players and the Accompanying Officials. Additional bulletins will be sold.

## 13. SOCIAL TALENT NITE

All participating Federations are encouraged to nominate at most one performing group or single to perform on Social Talent Nite – it could either be singing, dancing or a short act - and may be in language. This is a traditional activity in the ASEAN Age-Group Chess Championships in the past 9 years.

Depending on the number of performances, at least 5 attractive prizes will be awarded.

## 14. JOURNALISTS

All journalists who wish to participate in the event should contact the Organisers and should be accredited. The press room will have ADSL internet connection as well as other facilities.

## 15. STANDS

Anyone who wishes to rent a promotional stand on location should contact the Organisers for re conditions. No one will be allowed any promotional space (except FIDE) to have a stand for merchandise or other services, without approval of the Organisers.

## 16. SEMINARS

During playing sessions, seminars will be conducted for Trainers and Arbiters simultaneously. Full details will be announced on the FIDE website in July.

## 17. WEATHER CONDITIONS

In October, the weather of Vung Tau is warm and around 30° C. There may be rain showers.

## 18. ELECTRICITY

The standard voltage in Vietnam is 220 Volts. The plugs used for appliances are twin round plug.

## 19. CURRENCY & EXCHANGE

The local currency is the Vietnamese Dong. The exchange rates as of April 2008:-

1€ (Euro)	= 24,600 Vietnamese Dong (VND)
1USD (American Dollar)	= 16,200 Vietnamese Dong (VND)

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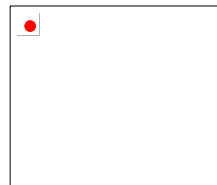
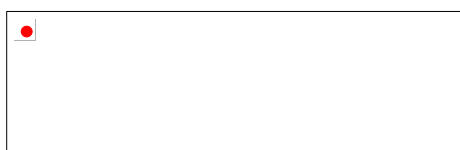
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**EUROPEAN YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP  
UNDER 10/12/14/16/18  
2008**



**GENERAL REGULATIONS**

**1. Invitation**

The Montenegro Chess Federation (from now on MCF) has the pleasure to invite all European Chess Federations affiliated to FIDE and ECU to participate at the European Youth Chess Championship for 2008, *and the 2008 European under-16 and under-18 Chess Championship* in Herceg Novi, Montenegro (located on Adriatic approximately 110 km southwest from capital Podgorica) from the 14th September (arrival) to 25th September 2008. (departure).

**2. Participation**

- 2.1. Each federation can register one (1) player in each of the under 10, 12, 14, 16 and 18 (boys and girls) categories, totaling a maximum of ten (10) players (“invited players”).
- 2.2. The players placed 1-3 in the previous European Youth Championship will have the personal right to participate in the tournament of the corresponding age-category or a higher age-category if they fulfill the conditions that they didn’t reached the age of 10, 12, 14, 16 or 18 years, respectively, by January 1st of the year which the tournament will commence. This privilege may be exercised once exclusively in the subsequent year following the year of qualification.
- 2.3. According to the tournament rules one player from each of the following ten federations have the extra participate due to their place in the previous championship. These Federations are:  
*1) Russia ; 2) Poland; 3) Ukraine ; 4) France ; 5) Spain ; 6) Azerbaijan ; 7) Armenia ; 8) Georgia ; 9) Turkey ; 10) Germany*
- 2.4 In order to ensure proper tournament standards, all invited players and extra players must submit their registrations through their national federations in order to reach MCF before August 10, 2008 (registration deadline). Entry form is attached. It should be filled and sent back to organization.
- 2.5 Any Federation can register additional players as well.
- 2.6 All participants including parents, coaches, observers and relatives are obliged to stay in official hotels. Access to playing areas, venues and the hotels will be allowed only to people accredited by the organization.

**3. ECU Fees**

- 3.1. In accordance with ECU regulations, a 65 € entry fee is required for each invited player, and 130 € for each extra player (those who play as “open” participants).
- 3.2. According to the new ECU regulations, federations are obliged to make payment of ECU fees (article 3.1) before the start of the second round.

#### **4. Registration**

4.1 Entry forms must be filled in and returned to the MCF not later than August 10, by fax or mail stamped Federation, also by official E Mail. This date is the registration deadline.

4.2 The complete registration form must include surname/s, first name/s, ID number, FIDE rating and title, a passport number of each player. It must also state clearly the precise category in which each player will participate i.e. open or girls. It must also include the name and telephone / e-mail / fax number of the Chief of Delegation and of the person in charge of the Federation.

4.3 Players will not be paired until all their registration details have been fulfilled.

#### **5. Travel details**

5.1 Travel expenses for transfers must be paid by all participants as follows

a) Podgorica airport – Herceg Novi (by bus approximately 2 hours), price 60 Euro two ways

b) Tivat airport – Herceg Novi (by bus), price 30 Euro, two ways.

c) Cilipi (Dubrovnik) airport – Herceg Novi (by bus), price 35 Euro, two ways.

d) Organizer can provide transfer from Belgrade by plane or by bus to hotels in Herceg Novi. Price will depend on number of persons.

e) All payments mentioned above in respect of (5.1.d) are non refundable if the reservation is cancelled.

5.2 These transport services will be available on September 14 2008 (arrival) and on September 25th . 2008 (departure). If it will be necessary the organizer can accept special request of Federations.

5.3 Players who make private transport arrangements and clearly indicate this in writing at the time of registration will be fully responsible for any problems they experience during arrival or departure. The participants, who pay the expenses of organized transport till August 10, will have organizers help in getting the visa under the most conditions.

5.4 Organizer is recommending to participants and guests of the Championship to use the services of “Mon Airlines” from Frankfurt, Zurich, Paris, Ljubljana, Budapest, Belgrade and Vienna to Podgorica or Tivat.

Flight schedules and all information’s regarding reservation and ticket purchase can be found on following web site: <http://www.montenegroairlines.com/>

#### **6. Payment**

##### **6.1 BANK TRANSFERS**

At the time of registration the amount mentioned above must be transferred to the following account,

INTERMEDIARY BANK:	DEUTSCHE BANK AG FRANKFURT SWIFT CODE: DEUTDEFF
ACC.WITH INSTITUTION:	PRVA BANKA CRNE GORE PODGORICA SWIFT CODE: PRVAMEPG
BENEFICIARY:	ME25535005120000094786 “ŠAHOVSKI SAVEZ CRNE GORE” 8 MARTA BB, PODGORICA

6.2 All bank commissions must be paid by sender, if it is not paid, the organizers will produce an invoice which must be paid before the start of the second round.

#### **7. Lodging and meals**

7.1 Accommodation is full board and will be provided in the part A (180 places) and B&C (270 places) of hotel “Plaza”, hotel “Igalo” (450 places), and hotel “Centar Igalo” (200 places) in Herceg Novi. Reservations and payments for these hotels must be made not later than August 10.

7.2 Players who have free board and accommodations are obliged to pay compensation of:

-130 Euros for accommodation in hotel “Plaza” (part B&C)

- 100 Euro for accommodation in hotel “Igalo” and in hotel “Centar Igalo”,

not later than August 10. Reservation is considered to be made when this compensation is paid. Hotels will be reserved according to the order of payment.

**Invited players and players nominated by personal right who register after August 10 will pay an extra charge of 100 Euro each.**

All payments mention above in respect of (7.2) are non refundable if the reservation is cancelled.

7.3 Free board and room will be provided for nominated players and players with personal rights from the September 14, (dinner) to September 25 (lunch).

7.4 Chiefs of delegations will have following discount (no matter of hotel and room type)

- 20%, if from his federation participate at least 15 players

- 30%, if from his federation participate at least 20 players

- 50%, if from his federation participate at least 30 players

- free accommodation with full board, if from his federation participate at least 60 players

7.5. Hotel payments must be paid in Euro. The MCF will not accept any promise for payment of Hotel bills at a future date.

7.6 Accommodation and meals for extra players and accompanying persons will be in the official hotels: hotel "Plaza", hotel "Igallo", and in hotel "Centar igalo":

Lodging will cost per person FB (include breakfast & lunch & diner):

	<b>PLAZA (PART A)</b>	<b>PLAZA (PART B &amp; C)</b>		<b>"IGALO" &amp; "CENTAR IGALO"</b>	
	ACC. PERSONS	EXTRA PLAYERS	ACC. PERSONS	EXTRA PLAYERS	ACC. PERSONS
<b>SINGLE</b>	65 EUR	55 EUR		47EUR	
<b>DOUBLE</b>	49 EUR	39 EUR	44 EUR	35 EUR	39 EUR

Accommodation in part "A" of hotel "Plaza" is possible for accompanies persons and for extra-players if they prefer. In case that nominated players want to be accommodate in that part they are obligate to pay surcharge amount of 100 EUR (130 Euro + 100 Euro = 230 Euro).

7.7 Payments in advance for accompanying persons and extra players must be transferred to the account as in article 6.1.

### **7.8 IMPORTANT NOTICES!**

7.8.1. Organizer can guaranty accommodation for specific hotel only when reservation and payment of accommodation has been made on time. From July, 1. on official tournament site we will publish accommodation disposal. Regarding this we are asking all Federations-participants to make all necessary reservations and payment on time.

7.8.2. If the number of participants will be more than 1100, the organizer will provide an additional hotel. If it will be necessary this information will be published on time on official web site.

## **8. Tournament hall**

**Tournament hall will be sport hall "Igallo".**

This hall is 2000m<sup>2</sup> and can accommodate a total of 1000 players.

**Distance of playing hall from hotels:**

Hotel "Centar Igallo": 400 m

Hotel "Igallo": 800 m

Hotel "Plaza": 3 km

**Organizer will provide bus transfer to the playing hall as following:**

- before the start of each round starting from 2.15 p.m.

- the return to hotel circuit will be every 30 minutes starting from 5 p.m.

## **9. Schedule**

Sunday	September 14th		Arrival of Delegations
.		8.00 PM	Opening ceremony
Monday	September 15th	11.00 AM	Delegates Meeting
		3.00 PM	1st Round
Tuesday	September 16th	3.00 PM	2nd Round
Wednesday	September 17th	3.00 PM	3rd Round
Thursday	September 18th	3.00 PM	4th Round
Friday	September 19th	3.00 PM	5th Round
Saturday	September 20th	Free day	
Sunday	September 21st	3.00 PM	6th Round

Monday	September 22nd	3.00 PM	7th Round
Tuesday	September 23rd	3.00 PM	8th Round
Wednesday	September 24th	1.00 PM	9th Round
		8.00 PM	Closing ceremony
Thursday	September 25th		Departure

Players of Federation's who are not represented at the delegates meeting will not be paired according to the decision of ECU Board.

### **10. Rules and regulations**

The tournament will be played by a 9-round Swiss System. National ratings will not be taken into consideration for the pairings. Playing rates will be according to FIDE regulations: 90 minutes for 40 moves + 30 minutes until the end of the game plus an additional 30 sec per move started from move one.

### **11. Arbiters and Appeals committee**

Chief Arbiter will be Vladimir Sakotic, IA (Montenegro)

Chairman of the Appeal Committee will be Mr. Gerry Walsh, Deputy President of ECU. There shall be two members, who are not members of Montenegro Chess Federation.

### **12. Information**

Tournament bulletin will be on CD and it will be free for all Federations. For each 15 players Federation will receive one CD.

Before the tournament, information will be available on the Internet at <http://www.euroyouth2008.com>

On this site will be entry forms for registration participants, accompanying persons and journalists.

### **13. Information about visas**

The Federations or players who need assistance with their visas are asked to contact the tournament officer by August 10, 2008 in order that the organizers can help. If applications for visas are made late there may be a difficulty.

### **14. Prizes**

13.1 The first three players of each group will be awarded with medals. The first five will be awarded with trophies and the first ten players in each group and categories will be awarded with diplomas.

13.2 The first five players of each group will be awarded with special awards (mobile phones, digital cameras, DVD players, MP3 players same as chess equipment) in total amount for all prizes 10.000 euros.

13.3 Each participant will receive presents, in total amount for all presents 10.000 euros.

### **15. Currency & exchange**

The local currency is the Euro (€).

### **16. Tournament office**

All necessary information's participants can get by official tournament web-site <http://www.euroyouth2008.com> or by mail: [euroyouth2008@yahoo.com](mailto:euroyouth2008@yahoo.com)

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**Hollanti kutsuu alle 21-vuotiaita nuoria avoimeen Hollannin nuorten mestaruusturnaukseen** Enschedessä (Open Dutch Youth Championships) 4.-9.8.2008. Samassa paikassa pelataan kutsukilpailu Young Masters 1.-9.8.

<http://www.onjk.nl/>

The age categories are as follows:

Group A U21 (born in 1988, or later)

Group B U17 (born in 1992, or later)

Group C U15 (born in 1994, or later)

Group D U13 (born in 1996, or later)

Group E U11 (born in 1998, or later)

In all groups it is played according to the Swiss system with 'Fischer' time system. The groups D and E will play 13 rounds. All other groups play 9 rounds.

The groups A, B and C play 1:30 hour per person per game, with - as from the first moves addition of 30 seconds per move.

The group D plays 40 minutes per person per game, with - as from the first moves addition of 30 seconds per move.

The group E plays 25 minutes per person per game, with - as from the first moves addition of 10 seconds per move.

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Every participant of the Euro Chess Tournament will receive at registration one DGT960 chess clock (see <http://www.mamut.net/rodeloper/subdet63.htm> ) with a retail value of 29,95 Euro as a present.

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