

2023 Asian Dragons International Invitation Chess Tournament

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**2023 Asian Dragons International Invitation Chess Tournament
to be held in Taipei City, Taiwan, August 7th-13th 2023**

INTRODUCTION

The Asian Dragons Invitational Tournament was firstly held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan in 2007, being the first international chess tournament organized by Chinese Taipei Chess Association. The original purpose of the tournament was to provide opportunity for developing players with ratings below 2200 to compete against players with similar strength, offering them a friendly yet competitive environment. With this purpose in mind, the tournament was played for the Open section and Under 16 section with players coming from Macau, Hong Kong, Japan, Singapore, Korea and the host federation, Chinese Taipei. After many years of success, the host federation had received many requests to participate from countries other than mentioned above. Starting from 2013, we invited other federations if the free quota is not fully used. At the same time, we openly welcome players from all over the world. Thus, the name of the tournament has been changed to Asian Dragons International Chess tournament since 2013. The strength of players from the invited federations have grown substantially since 2007, the upper limit of rating 2200 for open section has been removed since 2016.

Regulations

1. ELIGIBILITY & PARTICIPATION

1.1 Eligible to participate are all players

- 1) with FIDE rating above 1600 for Open Section;
- 2) FIDE rating under 2200 for Youth Under 16 Section.

1.2 The host federation has the right to accept unrated or rating below 1600 local players to a maximum of one fifth of the total players per section.

1.3 To maintain Asian Dragons original spirit, those invited federations have the rights to send some players without FIDE rating or rating below 1600, yet the players shall have approximate strength of the required rating range.

2 SCHEDULE

Date	Details	Time
2023.08.07 (Mon)	Arrival Technical Meeting	08:00 pm
2023.08.08 (Tue)	Opening Ceremony Round 1	10:00am 10:30 am
2023.08.09 (Wed)	Round 2 Round 3	9:00 am 3:00 pm
2023.08.10 (Thu)	Round 4 Round 5	9:00 am 3:00 pm
2023.08.11 (Fri)	Round 6 Round 7	9 am 3 pm
2023.08.12 (Sat)	Round 8 Round 9 Closing Ceremony	9 am 2 pm
2023.08.13 (Sun)	Departure	

3. TOURNAMENT

3.1 Swiss System 9 rounds

3.2 FIDE rated.

4. TOURNAMENT RULES

4.1 System of Play

The tournament is FIDE rated and will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess. The tournament will be conducted as Swiss system of 9 rounds and will be played according to FIDE regulations.

4.2 Time control

The time control is 90 minutes for each player for the entire game with 30 seconds increment per move from move one.

4.3 Tie-breaks

1)Direct Encounter 2)Median Buchholz 3)Buchholz 4) The greater number of victories

4.4 Start of each game

The default time is 15 minutes. Any player who arrives at the chessboard more than 15 minutes after the start of the round shall forfeit their game.

4.5 Miscellaneous

- 1) It is imperative that all players' mobile phones and electronic transmission devices are switched off at all times. If a player's mobile phone or any electronic transmission device is found to be switched on during the games, the player will lose the respective game immediately. This includes mobile phones that are in flight mode or vibration mode.
- 2) If any form of cheating is found, the player will be expelled from the tournament.
- 3) Photo taking is allowed within the first 5 minutes of each round.

5. REGISTRATION AND ENTRY FEE

5.1 Participants must pay entry fee of 100USD, which includes luncheon, dinner and hotel – airport transportation.

5.2 Participants must stay at the official hotel - Taipei Hero House Hotel.

5.3 Hotel-airport transportation service is provided by organizers.

5.4 Players with FIDE rating more than 2000 (according to official FIDE August 2023 rating list) will have entry fees waived and receive 10% discount on accommodation.

5.5 Invited Federations are eligible to have entry fees waived for two (2) players per section and for one (1) official.

5.6 Deadline for Registration is July 01th 2023

In order to provide appropriate tournament conditions, the Federations or players must complete the official registration form and send it back to the organizing committee no later than **July 01th, 2023**. Organizers reserve the right to decline late registrations.

5.7 The complete registration form must include the surname/s, first name/s, FIDE ID number, FIDE rating and title, and passport number of each player and each accompanying person. It must also include the name and telephone / e-mail of the Delegation chief and of the person in charge in the Federation. A copy of the passport of all participants should be sent along with the entry form.

6. VENUE

The tournament will be held at National Taiwan University, Hydrotech Research Institute Building.

7. ACCOMMODATION

7.1 For invited federations, free boarding and lodging for 2 players per section and 1 official per federation are provided to stay in the official hotel on a double room basis from August 7th (arrival) to August 13th (departure). Meals are provided **from August 8th to 12th**. Single occupancy or spouse occupancy will not be covered by the host federation.

7.2 All accompanying persons (including invited federations) and extra player has to pay **50 EUR** per person per day for shared double room at the Taipei Hero House hotel.

7.3 Taipei Hero House Hotel – an official 3-Star hotel:

<http://www.fafaroc.org.tw/eng/fafaroc.asp?menuid=19>

Tel: 02-23319722

(No.20, Sec. 1, Changsha St., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City 100, Taiwan)

- a. Triple rooms: 40 USD per person per day (Bed + breakfast) ,6 nights = 240 USD
- b. Double rooms: 50 USD per person per day (Bed + breakfast) ,6 nights = 300 USD
- c. Single rooms: 70 USD per person per day (Bed + breakfast) , 6 nights = 420 USD

8. PRIZES

The first five players in each section will be awarded Trophies and Certificates.

9. CHIEF ARBITER AND HIS ASSISTANTS

The host federation will appoint the Chief Arbiter, his Deputy and Assistants.

10. APPEALS COMMITTEE

The host federation after consultation with the participating federations and players shall appoint the Appeals Committee comprising three persons from different federations. A protest fee of 100 Euro shall be paid in advance but this amount is refundable if the protest is upheld.

11. Contact the Organizing Committee

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12. Visa Information

Whoever needs assistance for visa application, please contact Chinese Taipei Chess Association as early as possible (at least 4 weeks before departure is advised).

13. Travel and tour information

All of participants arriving by international flights should take plane to **Taoyuan** International Airport or **Taipei Songshan Airport**, Taiwan. The host federation will arrange the transportation from airport to the hotel for arrival and departure during the schedule date. The subway system, bus system and taxis are extremely convenient for foreign visitors. Travel cost is not included for the free day. A friendly free city tour assistant will be available upon request.

If you plan to have prolonged stay in Taiwan, you are welcome to contact us for suggestions and further information.

Taiwan Travel Net: <http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/>

Taipei Travel Net: <http://www.taipeitravel.net/>

Taiwan High Speed Rail: <http://www.thsrc.com.tw/tc/?lc=t>

Registration Form
The 15th Asian Dragons
International Invitation Chess Tournament 2023

Federation: <input type="checkbox"/> Invited Federation		
Name of Participant:		Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Player: <input type="checkbox"/>	Coach <input type="checkbox"/>	Other : <input type="checkbox"/>
Category:	open: <input type="checkbox"/>	U16: <input type="checkbox"/>
FIDE ID No:	FIDE Title:	FIDE Rating:
Nationality :		Passport No:
Expiry Date :		Issued Date :
Date of Birth :		Place of Birth :
Registration Fee : <input type="checkbox"/> Invited player free <input type="checkbox"/> Invited official free <input type="checkbox"/> Participants 100 USD		
Accommodation: <input type="checkbox"/> Invited player free <input type="checkbox"/> Invited official free <input type="checkbox"/> Taipei Hero House : <input type="checkbox"/> Triple 280 USD <input type="checkbox"/> Double 350 USD <input type="checkbox"/> Single 490 USD <input type="checkbox"/> I have arranged my own lodging at _____		
Total amount :		

Flight Details

Arrival Date :	Flight No:	Time:
Departure Date :	Flight No:	Time:
Contact Person:	Email:	Mobile phone:
Federation Signature :		