

## 29 th International chess tournament Panevezys Open B 2016

**Open B** for all players before ELO rating <2200

Date: 2016 06 09 - 12

**Venue:** Panevezys College Hall, Klaipedos g.3, Panevezys **Organizer:** IO Arvydas Baltrunas and Panevezys chess club

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**Rules and regulation:** The tournament will be played according to the Swiss system in 7 rounds. Pairing made with swissmanager program. The rate of play will be according FIDE Laws of Chess. The playing time will be **60 minutes to end game** with 30 seconds increment for each move starting from first move. Tournament is registered FIDE and classic ELO rating change will be rated. Chief arbiter: IA Donatas Vaznonis.

Prizes: Prize fund - 400 Euro

1 prize - 150 EURO and the Cup; II prize - 100 EURO; III prize - 70 EURO; IV prize - 50 EURO; V prize - 30 EURO;

Special prizes in categories: Best woman; Best junior (18 year, born in 1998 or younger);

Best senior (60 year, born in 1956 and older); Best result in group U12 (born 2004 or younger)

Organizers leave themselves the right to increase the prize fund or add additional prizes.

There are no double prizes. Only the major prize will be given. The minor prize will be given to the player of the same category placed next. The prize will be awarded if in category group will be no less than 5 participants.

Prize fund is guaranteed if there are in tournament no less than 50 participants.

## Ranking and Tie-break system:

In order to break ties among players with the same score the following tie-breaking procedures will be applied:

- 1. Buchholz coefficient (the lowest scoring opponent is discarded).
- 2. Full Buchholz.
- 3. Progress.
- 4. Number of wins.

Entry Fee: For all players - 20 Euro

Schedule: Arrival on Thursday 09 June 2016 and registration will be from 16.00 hour to 17.30 hour at

Panevezys College Hall.

Opening ceremony of the competition at 17.45 hour

2016 06 09 (Thursday) I round will be from **18.00** hour

2016 06 10 (Friday) II round 10.00 hour and III round 16.00 hour;

2016 06 11 (Saturday) IV round 10.00 hour and V round 13.00 hour "Blitz" tournament from 17.00 hour

2016 06 12 (Sunday) VI round 10.00 hour and VI round 12.30 h Closing ceremony will be about 15.30 hour.

For additional information and conditions please contact by the phone or e-mail indicated above.

Organizers leave themselves the right to make all the necessary changes.

**Accommodation:** For other players all travel expenses, accommodation and meals must be covered by the participants themselves or their sponsoring organizations. The hostel costs from 8 or 10 Euro/night.. We offer Special price for players in 4\* Hotel Romantic <a href="www.romantic.lt">www.romantic.lt</a> double room cost from 50 Euro/night./ for room for 2 persons; single room only 30 euro/night in economic class room. The hotel can be booked on request.

For special price you must booking for organizers earlie - please contact us by email. First come – first have this price! **Applications:** should be sent to the tournament director Arvydas Baltrunas till **20 th of May**, **2016**.

Please indicate the following information: First name, Last name, ELO rating, title, Federation, Birth date (YYYY/MM/DD), e-mail address, contact phone and whether you will stay in hostel or hotel. The number of participants is limited. So the organizers leave themselves the right to reject late entries, or increase the entry fee plus 5 Euro.