

The children's and youth center "Daugmale"

"VI Baltic school chess festival - 2010"



1. The goals.

1. To give an opportunity to strong young chess players of Latvia to take part in competitions of the international level.
2. To develop the international chess attitudes.

2. Organizers.

The Children's and youth center "Daugmale", RD IKSD, sponsors.

3. Time and venue.

The Festival will be held in **5 star Baltic Beach Hotel**, 23/25 Juras street, Majori, Jurmala, Latvia from June 12 (day of arrival) until June 16 (day of departure) 2010. **Opening ceremony takes place on June, 13th at 15.00. The first round is on June 13th at 15.30. The last round is on June 16th at 13.00.**

4. Participants.

Chessplayers from Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Russia, Poland, the Scandinavian countries and visitors from other countries can take part in this event. Each team shall consist of **4 participants = 3 boys+1 girl, born in 1992** or younger. All participants must have category 1 or higher.

5. Tournament.

Swiss system, 7 rounds in accordance with FIDE Rules. The time control is game in 1 hour and 30 minutes.

6. Prizes and awards.

The teams which take 1-3 places will be awarded with cups, diplomas and special prizes. Individual prizes will be awarded to players who take 1-3 place on each board.

7. Conditions.

Teams are responsible for their transportation cost, accommodation and lodging. All chess players will be accommodated in **5 star Baltic Beach Hotel** which is only 20 euro per day per person, breakfast is included. **The entry fee is 50 EUR per team.**

8. Registrations.

All registrations are accepted until **June 5th, 2010**. Please mail them to: Maskavas 218-120, Riga, Latvia, LV-1019; all questions should be addressed to Polina Ni. Tel.+371 29653095; e-mail: polni@inbox.lv.

Dear chess friends!

We are glad to invite you to **the 6th Baltic School Chess Festival**. This year the tournament takes place in the Luxury **5 star Baltic Beach Hotel** in one of the famous Latvian resorts – Jurmala! The place of venue is unique – the hotel was fully renovated in year 2004, it is located on the beach of Riga Gulf. The famous resort is located 25 km away from Riga, the capital of Latvia. Wonderful 32-km long sand beach which is surrounded by 100-year old pines, fresh sea air creates an atmosphere of comfort and peacefulness. The famous concert hall “Dzintary”, where Annual Music festival “New Wave” takes place is located just walking distance from the hotel.

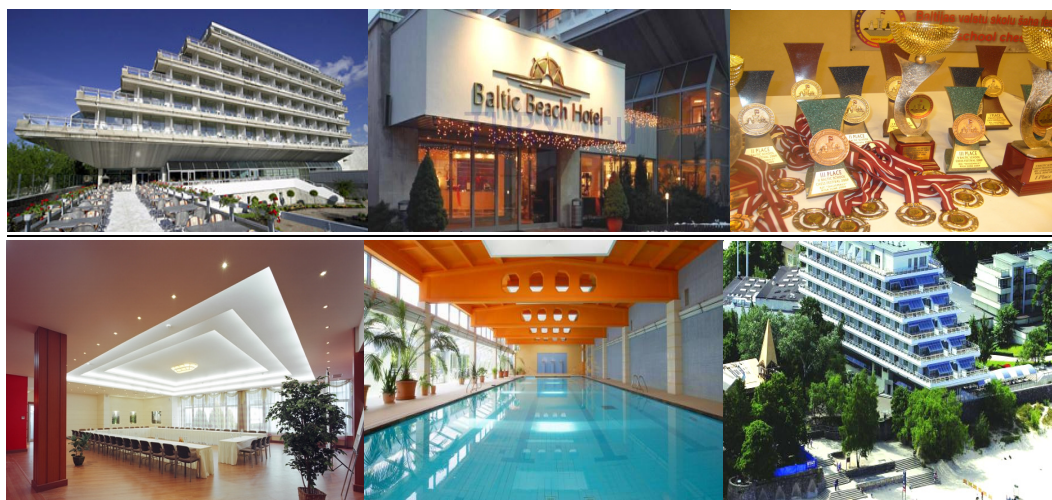
Our participants will be accommodated in comfortable 4-star rooms. Special discount was nicely provided by the hotel. The tournament takes place in conference hall “Jura+Jurmala”.

There are plenty of restaurants in the hotel, our participants can try dishes prepared by Italian chief in one of them.

The rest of **the Baltic Beach Hotel** is biggest in Baltic States relaxation complex **Baltic Beach SPA** (“Salty Cave”, Laser therapy, Magnet capsule, hydro massage, vacuum massage, etc). There are kids’ activities in SPA center as well (special baths, massage, mud baths, etc.). The gym and swimming pool is complimentary to all hotel guests. This is the rear 25-meter long swimming pool which is filled with sea water.

Each room is comfortably equipped with bathrooms, hair dryer, air conditioner, safe, TV, Internet.

More information about the hotel on www.balticbeach.lv



The chess program is full of fun activities – 7-rd team chess tournament, Grandmaster simultaneous exhibition, blitz-tournament and rapid tournament.

We are glad to invite your team to our Baltic Chess Festival!

The organizer of “Baltic School Chess Festival – 2010” Polina Ni.