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## 21st INTERNATIONAL CHESS HOLIDAY 2011 14 st MEMORIAL OF PROF. JAROSLAV PELIKÁN

16. 07. – 23. 07. 2011

23. 07. – 30. 07. 2011

30. 07.– 06. 08. 2011

Arrival and departure on Saturdays

Iris Hotel \*\*\*\*, Praha 10, Vladivostocká 1460

[www.schach-prag.de](http://www.schach-prag.de) [www.hoteliris.cz](http://www.hoteliris.cz)

Programme from Sunday till Friday

International Chess holiday



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Prague 22<sup>th</sup> January 2011

**Dear Chess Friends,**

we are sending you the invitation to the 21<sup>th</sup> International Chess Holiday to Prague – The Memorial of Professor Jaroslav Pelikán.

We invite not only families, but also individual chessplayers, chess groups and children groups with responsible guides. Also holiday-makers who do not play chess and who want to come and see Prague and Bohemia are welcome.

**Jaroslav Pelikan** /\*1927 +1997/ was one of the tireless chess organizers in the Czech Republic who devoted his time and most of his energy mainly to young people. He was living in a small town in Central Bohemia, in Cesky Brod and he was working there. He was a teacher of foreign languages and later he became a headmaster of a grammar school. He participated in the organization of Grand Prizes which were very popular in the 60s and 70s. Under the leadership of Mr. Pelikan the chess team of Cesky Brod won the prize of Zajecice several times since 1964. It was the prize of Czech chess championship. Under his leadership a small town with population of 5,000 people had the team which took part in very important tournaments of chess league. But the best achievement of the last period of his life was the organization of International Chess Holiday where closed tournaments took place. We can say that it is a real world rarity.

**The International Chess Holiday differs from other chess tournaments in some measure:**

- 1.** We do not use Swiss system of playing. We form closed groups and each one consists of 10 players.
- 2.** We live and play chess in the same building, we organize chess holiday under the same roof.
- 3.** We prepare special entertaining programmes for the participants of the tournaments as well as for all the other guests.
- 4.** We are eager to create good relations and friendly environment for our guests.

**C h e s s Tournament Programme:**

**Chessplayers-holidaymakers – Rapid R**

The chessplayers-holidaymakers play only in the mornings /Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday/ ca. 3 hours a day, 1 hour for a whole game /rapid or fast chess/.

**Chessplayers who want to play more chess than to make holiday –**

**M** Master tournaments: DWZ/ELO Rating 2000-2400

**K** Master candidate tournaments: DWZ/ELO Rating 1800-2200

**H** Main tournaments: DWZ/ELO Rating 1600-1900

**Y** Secondary tournaments: DWZ up to 1700 or without ELO

*Master tournaments and Master candidate tournaments are the closed FIDE tournaments. Main tournaments and Secondary tournaments are national tournaments.*

All tournaments (M, K, H, V) – each player 2 hours for a game, altogether 4 hours for a game without adjourned games – 9 rounds. /2 rounds: Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, 1 round: Monday, Wednesday, Friday/ All the tournaments will be divided according to the chessplayers' grade.

***Prize fund: 4150 Euro / 100 000 Czk***

***Prize in Master tournament FIDE:***

- 1. prize 200 Euro***
- 2. prize 120 Euro***
- 3. prize 40 Euro***

***Every chess-player gets a money prize or a souvenir prize.***

### **Accommodation, Board and Price:**

All chess tournaments are realized at the IRIS HOTEL\*\*\*\* in Prague ([www.hoteliris.cz](http://www.hoteliris.cz)). This hotel \*\*\*\* is situated in a quiet area of Prague, next to the sport facilities of Sports Club Slavia such as a swimming pool. It is possible to reach the centre of the city i.e. Wenceslaw Square and Charles Bridge in about 20 minutes by 3 tramlines in the daytime and 2 tramlines at night without changing. In the close vicinity of the hotel there are many shops and restaurants.

The price includes a hotel accommodation – **7x bed and breakfast** (single,twin,double and triple rooms). The rooms are with the bathroom or shower, W.C., a minibar, a TV set with satellite reception, a telephone, Wifi internet (gratis) and a safe (gratis). The rooms are air-conditioned. Apart from it the price includes **the tournament entrance fees, prizes in the chess tournaments, a farewell party on board a cruise boat and all trips for non-chessplayers and chessplayers-holidaymakers** (excursions to Loretto – a pilgrimage place with Treasure Chamber and a tower with carrilon, to Chvaly chateau [www.chvalskyzamek.cz](http://www.chvalskyzamek.cz), to the National Gallery with a new exhibition, to the view-tower of Petrin, all-day trip to Nelahozeves Lobkowicz chateau and the birth-place of Anton Dvorák).

[www.zamek-nelahozeves.cz](http://www.zamek-nelahozeves.cz) [www.zlonice.cz](http://www.zlonice.cz)

### **Price for one week 2011:**

8650 Czk / ca 360 Euro for 1 person

8300 Czk / ca 345 Euro for 1 person students, retired and regular participants

7950 Czk / ca 331 Euro regular participants retired, students

*Above-mentioned prices are calculated in Czech crowns and they will be converted into euros according to the given rate of exchange. At the present rate of exchange is 1 Euro = 24 Czk.*

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If you want to have a single room with your own bathroom, you will pay 1750 Czk / ca 73 Euro a week in addition to the basic price.

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You can order lunch and dinner:

**Lunch:** a daily offer of soup, main dish, dessert cost 100-150 Czk / ca 5-7 Euro.

**Dinner:** soup, main dish and dessert cost 210 Czk / ca 9 Euro.

If you come some days earlier or if you want to stay some days longer, you will pay for 1 person 850 Czk/ca 35 Euro /1 night bed and breakfast/, one single room costs 1100 Czk/ca 45 Euro.

### **Facultative trips:**

- 1 half-day guided sightseeing in Prague (Prague Castle incl.entry)

Monday afternoon 400 Czk / ca 16 Euro (students, retired 300 Czk/ca 12 Euro)

- evening guided sightseeing in Prague (Old Town Square, Charles bridge)

Tuesday evening 400Czk / ca 16 Euro

- 1 half-day trip to Zbiroh chateau

(incl. entry+refreshment in the Middle Ages look-like restaurant)

Wednesday afternoon 600 Czk / ca 25 Euro

[www.zbiroh.com](http://www.zbiroh.com)

*A hotel paid car parking* 120 Czk / ca. 5 Euro 1 night

### **Entries:**

The entry is to be sent off via the enclosed entry form to the following address:

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After receiving your entry form we will confirm your participation and we will inform you about the way of paying for the Chess Holiday. At the beginning of July we will send you the programme and the last instructions for the International Chess Holiday.

If you come by train, by bus or by plane, we can meet you at the railway station, at the bus station or at the airport and transfer to the hotel.

**We are looking forward to your visit. Welcome to Prague!**

Dr. Miloš Vrabec

Jindra Kollerová-Pelikánová

Director of the International Chess Tournaments Holiday and Culture Manager

**ENTRY FORM 2011**

**1. Head of the Family /Chess Group/**

Name and First Name: .....

Date of Birth: ..... Chess Class or Rating if any: .....

I am a student   yes   -   no,   retired    yes   -   no

Full address: .....

E-mail: .....

I wish to play a Chess Tournament:                yes   -   no

If yes, I would prefer the tournament: x/ R   M   K   H   V

I entry myself and my family /my chess group/:  
for the 1<sup>st</sup> term -       Prague 16.07.-23.07.2011  
for the 2<sup>nd</sup> term -      Prague 23.07.-30.07.2011  
for the 3<sup>rd</sup> term -      Prague 30.07.-06.08.2011

I order:   single room.....                              double room .....

I order: sightseeing Prague Castle                     yes   -   no

I order: sightseeing Charles Bridge                   yes   -   no

I order: trip to the Zbiroh chateau                   yes   -   no

I wish: lunch   yes   -   no,   dinner       yes   -   no

I need the parking place:                             yes   -   no

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**2. The second member of the family /of the chess group/**

Name and First Name: .....

Date of Birth: ..... Chess Class or Rating if any: .....

I am a student yes - no, retired yes - no

Full address if another: .....

E-mail: .....

I wish to play a Chess Tournament: yes - no

If yes, I would prefer the tournament: x/ R M K H V

I order: single room ..... double room .....

I order: sightseeing Prague Castle yes - no

I order: sightseeing Charles Bridge yes - no

I order: trip to the Zbiroh chateau yes - no

I wish: lunch yes - no, dinner yes - no

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**Please, use another sheet of paper, if you entry more members.**

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x/ tournaments:

Rapid /fast/ chess tournament:

each player has half an hour for a game – R

serious tournaments –

each player 2 hours for a game, altogether 4 hours – no adjourned games

M – Master tournaments – DWZ or ELO Rating 2000-2400

K – Master Candidate tournaments – DWZ or ELO Rating 1800-2200

M and K Fide tournaments

H – Main Tournament – DWZ or ELO Rating 1600-1900

V – Secondary tournaments – DWZ or ELO Rating up to 1700 or without ELO

H and V national tournaments

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Date: .....

Signature: .....