

International chess festival "Liepajas Rokade 2012"

REGULATIONS

Dates and Venue

02.08.2012 – 05.08.2012, LIEPAJA, Hotel Fontaine Royal, 1 Sturmanu street

"Open" tournament

Open tournament with teams classification.

FIDE rules. Swiss system. 13 rounds.

Time limit- 25 min. + 5 sec. per move starting from move 1.

Prizes are not shared. Each participant may receive only 1 prize.

In case of tie brakes the following criteria are used:

1)Mini Bukholc 2)Bukholc 3) FIDE Tie Brake

Both individual results and team results are evaluated. Teams of four participants and 3 best results count for team's result.

Komandā 4.dalībnieki ieskaitē trīs labākie

Blitz tournament

FIDE rules. Swiss system. 13 rounds.

ENTRY FEES

GM,IM,WGM,WIM, – free entry

Latvian players-10ls Foreign players-20 EUR, players from Liepaja-5ls

Only for blitz tournament – Ls 2

SCHEDULE

August 2 (Thursday)

15.00-17.00 Registration of participants

17.00 Opening ceremony

17.30-21.00 "Open" tournament, 1st -2nd rounds

August 3 (Friday)

11.00-19.00 "Open" tournament, 3rd -7th rounds

August 4 (Saturday)

10.00-12.30 "Open" tournament, 8th -9th rounds

14.00-.16.00 Match Latvia-Lithuania on 100 boards

17.30-21.00 blitz tournament

August 5 (Sunday)

11.00-13.30 "Open" tournament, 11th -12th rounds 14.00 – Closing and prize giving

PRIZE FUND:

"Open" tournament 1st-300LVL, 2nd-200LVL, 3rd-100LVL ,4th-50LVL, 5th-30LVL, 6nd-20LVL

Teams in Open Tournament: 1st – 150LVL, 2nd – 100LVL, 3rd – 50LVL

Blitz tournament 1st-50LVL, 2nd-30LVL, 3rd-25LVL, 4th-15LVL, 5th-10LVL, 6th-5LVL

rating prizes, special prizes (for best seniors, women,juniors (boys and girls), player from Liepaja)

Free accommodation for GMs with ELO above 2550.

Cheap (3LVL/night) accomodation in dormitories of Maritim school (3 Cietoksna street) available.

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APPLICATIONS

Applications should be sent by e-mail either to the tournament director or chief arbiter before July 25. The entry fees should be paid during the registration on August 2.