International rapid chess tournament Panevezys Rapid'2013

Date: 2013 07 07

Venue: Panevezys, Klaipedos street 143 A, Babilonas

Organizer: Panevezys chess club and IO Baltrūnas Arvydas

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System and rate of play: 8 rounds, played in the Swiss system in accordance with the FIDE Laws of Chess. The playing time will be 15 minutes with an increment of 5 seconds per move, starting from move one.

Prizes: Prize fund - 1200 LTL (1 EURO ~3.45 LTL)

1 prize - 300 LTL and the Cup

II prize – 250 LTL III prize – 200 LTL IV prize – 150 LTL V prize – 100 LTL

VI prize – 50 LTL.

Special prizes in categories:

Best woman – 50 LTL.

Best junior (18 year or younger) – 50 LTL.

Best senior (60 year and older) – 50 LTL.

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. Prize fund is guaranteed if there are no less than 60 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:

GM, WGM, IM, WIM and player with ELO above 2450 – free.

FM and WFM get 50% discount from entry fee.

Everybody else – **20 LTL**.

Applications: should be sent to the tournament director **Arvydas Baltrunas** till 5th of July, 2013. Please indicate the following information: First name, Last name, ELO rating, title, Federation, Birth date (YYYY/MM/DD), e-mail address.So the organizers leave themselves the right to reject late entries, or increase the entry fee **plus 10 LTL.**

On arrival you should come to Panevezys, Klaipedos street 143 A, **Babilonas**, Place 21 Registration of the participants - **07th of July, 2013** from 10.00 till 11.00.

The opening ceremony intended at 11.20. The beginning of the 1st round – 11.30. 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