11th Poti International Chess Festival "Nana Aleksandria`s Cup – 2016" Poti, Georgia. July 12-21, 2016

Regulations

Organizers:

- Local Management of Poti.
- Georgian Chess Federation.
- · Chess and Draughts sport school of Poti "Nana"

<u>General Sponsor – "Pasha Bank"</u>

1. Festival Events

- 1.1 Open A (participants: ELO higher than 1801 and Fide title Players)
- **1.2** Open B (participants: ELO lower than 2100)
- **1.3** Open C (participants: ELO lower than 1800)
- 1.4 Open D (participants: ELO lower than 1400)
- **1.5** 1st Open Blitz
- **1.6** 2nd Open Blitz
- 1.7 Boys under 10 (Date of birth 2006 and after)
- **1.8** Girls under 10 (Date of birth 2006 and after)
- **1.9** Boys under 8 (Date of birth 2008 and after)
- 1.10 Girls under 8 (Date of birth 2008 and after)

2. System and Rate of Play

- 2.1 Time Control:
 - Open A Playing time: 90 minutes for 40 moves plus 30 minutes for the rest of the game with an increment of 30 seconds per move, starting from move one.
 - Open B, Open C, Open D, U10, U8 B&G 90 minutes plus 30 seconds per move.
- 2.2 Festival tournaments system: 9 rounds played in the Swiss system.
- 2.3 Pairings will be carried out with the computer program SwissManager.

3. Festival Schedule

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		Open A, B, C & D	U8, U10 B&G
July 12			
	Registration	10:00-20:00	10:00-20:00
	Registration	09:00-14:00	09:00-10:00
July 13	1 st Round	16:00	11:00
July 14	2 nd Round	11:00	11:00
	Blitz	17:00	
	3 rd Round	10:00	10:00
July 15	4 rd Round	16:00	16:00
July 16	5 th Round	11:00	11:00
	6 th Round	11:00	11:00
July 17	Blitz	17:00	
July 18	7 th Round	11:00	11:00
	Football Tournament	17:00	
July 19	8 th Round	11:00	11:00
July 20	9 th Round	11:00	11:00
July 20	Closing Ceremony	18:00	18:00
July 21	Departure Day		

4. Tie-Break System and Trophies

- **4.1** In case of equal points the order of players will be determined by the following tie-break procedures:
- 1. Buchholz cut-1, the highest number wins;
- 2. Buchholz, the highest number wins;
- 3. The greater number of victories;
- 4. Progressive score;
- 4.2 Winners will be awarded cups, Medals, diplomas and money prizes.
- **4.3** In age tournaments: best results U7 and U9 girls and boys will be awarded cups and diplomas.

5. Prize fund – 45 000 GEL (19 600 USD)

Prizes will be distributed in GEL and taxed according to the Georgian Legislation.

Tournament	Categories	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Open A	Man	7000	3500	2500	2000	1500	1200	1000	800	500	200
	Women	1200	700	500							
	ELO 2300<	500									
	Man	2000	1400	900	600	300					
Open B	Women	400									
	ELO 1950<	400									
	Senior	300									
	Man	1000	700	400	200	100					
	Women	300									
Open C	ELO 1600<	300									
	Senior	300									
	U12	300									
	Man	600	300	200							
Open D	Women	200									
	U12	200									
	Man	400	300	200	100						
	Women	100									
1 st Blitz	ELO 2000<	100									
	U16	100									
	U12	50									
	Man	400	300	200	100						
2 nd Blitz	Women	100									
	ELO 2000<	100									
	U16	100									
	U12	50									
Boys under age 10		450	350	250	150	100					
Girls under age 10		450	350	250	150	100					
Boys under age 8		400	300	200	100	50					
Girls under age 8		350	250	150	100	50]				
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5.1 <u>Coaches' contest</u>: By the results of their pupils in the tournaments U8, U10 B&G categories will be rewarded with the following prize money.

- Prizes in each category:

I place	250 GEL		
II place	200 GEL		
III place	160 GEL		
IV place	130 GEL		
V place	110 GEL		

6. Entry fee

Open A, B, C & D					
Fide Rating					
ELO 2501>, GM, WGM, IM, WIM	0				
ELO 2401-2500 (Open A)	30 USD				
ELO 2301-2400 (Open A)	40 USD				
ELO 2201-2300 (Open A)	50 USD				
ELO 2001-2200 (Open A)	60 USD				
ELO 1801-2000 (Open A)	100 USD				
Open B, C & D	50 USD				
Blitz	10 USD				

Tournaments under 8, 10 B&G - 35 USD

7. Accommodation

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	1	2700 +	single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 400 \$
ACCOMMODATION CONDITIONS for GMs and IMs, with ELO Rating (1 st July 2016)	2	2650 - 2699	single room	Breakfast	Travel expenses 300 \$
	3	2600 - 2649	double room	Breakfast	Travel expenses 200 \$
	4	2550 - 2599	double room		Travel expenses 100 \$
	5	2500 - 2549	double room		

ACCOMMODATION CONDITIONS for WGMs and WIMs, with ELO Rating (1 st July 2016)	1	2550 +	single room	Full Board	Travel expenses 400 \$
	2	2500 - 2549	single room	Breakfast	Travel expenses 300 \$
	3	2450 - 2499	double room	Breakfast	Travel expenses 200 \$
	4	2400 - 2449	double room		Travel expenses 100 \$
	5	2350 - 2399	double room		

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Prices Per day	Hotel "Paliastom"	Hotel "Lashtani"	Hotel "Ankori"
DOUBLE (1 person)	15 USD	15 USD	30 USD
SUITE (4 persons)		50 USD	

8. Venue

8.1 Open A - Poti chess school (Chanturia st. 2);

8.2 All other tournaments - Hall "Monopol" (Marjanishvili st.);

8.3 Secretariat of all tournaments - Hall "Monopol" (Marjanishvili st.);

<u>Tournament Director</u> – IO <u>Dato Kodua</u> - Head of the Chess and Draughts sport school of Poti "Nana"

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