

Štiavnica's chess festival, 2nd -10th July 2016, Banská Štiavnica



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Propositions for foreign chess players

Place: School (Školský internát pri SOŠ služieb a lesníctva), Street: Kolpašská 1586/9, Banská Štiavnica (ca 2,5 km from town center, ca 300 m from LIDL), **Tournament hall, accommodation and catering are in the same building.**

Tournament Director: IO Milan Maroš; maros@livechess.sk

Accommodation:

► School (Školský internát pri SOŠ služieb a lesníctva), Street: Kolpašská 1586/9, Banská Štiavnica, double-bedded rooms, WC and shower common for 2 rooms. Prize is 8,50 €/person/night, but there is possibility to special discount for 8 nights – see packages hereinafter. Rooms, WC and showers are after reconstruction. Free wifi connection. Attention! There are **NO** toilet-paper, soap, towel and fridge at rooms.

Note: Players in the accommodation must comply with accommodation rules and the night peace. In case these rules are broken a player can be punished by expulsion from the tournament, including the forfeiture of payment for accommodation and tournament entry fee.

Catering:

► School (Školský internát pri SOŠ služieb a lesníctva), Street: Kolpašská 1586/9, Banská Štiavnica.

Breakfast 2,00 €, Lunch 3,50 €, Dinner 3,00 €. Lunch and Dinner are menu with 2 choices. Ordering food can only be done through the application. **Ordering during tournament is not possible.**

V4 OPEN ŠTIAVNICA

System: 9 round Swiss system, International OPEN tournament, also SVK-ch women and SVK-ch qualification, results will be reported to FIDE for rating and norm inclusion.

Play tempo: 90 minutes for 40 moves + 30 seconds bonus per move, then 30 minutes for game + 30 seconds (per move)

Program:	Saturday	2.7.	10 ⁰⁰ – 14 ⁰⁰ Registration	14 ⁴⁵ Opening	15 ⁰⁰ 1. Round Open + GM
	Sunday	3.7.			15 ⁰⁰ 2. Round Open + GM
	Monday	4.7.	9 ³⁰ – 12 ⁰⁰ Football tournament		15 ⁰⁰ 3. Round Open + GM
	Tuesday	5.7.	9 ³⁰ – 12 ⁰⁰ Football tournament		15 ⁰⁰ 4. Round Open + GM
	Wednesday	6.7.			15 ⁰⁰ 5. Round Open + GM
	Thursday	7.7.			15 ⁰⁰ 6. Round Open + GM
	Friday	8.7.	9 ⁰⁰ Blitz tournament		15 ⁰⁰ 7. Round Open + GM
	Saturday	9.7.	9 ⁰⁰ 8. Round Open + GM		17 ⁰⁰ simultaneous game 21 ⁰⁰ Live Chess
	Sunday	10.7.	9 ⁰⁰ 9. Round Open + GM	ca 15 ⁰⁰ Closing ceremony, program change possible!	

Prizes: Total prize fund 3.750,- €

1. 350 € 2. 300 € 3. 250 € 4. 200 € 5. 150 € 6. 140 € 7. 130 € 8. 120 € 9. 110 € 10. 100 € (1850 €)

Categories: 1. 40 € 2. 30 € 3. 20 € (together 270 €) – Seniors born 1956 and before, Juniors born 1998 and later, Women

Categories: Best player with rating 1701-1999 prize 40 €; Best player with rating under 1700 prize 40 €.

Bonus for players from V4 countries (Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia): 1. 300 € 2. 200 € 3. 100 € (together 600 €)

Bonus for Slovak players (together 950 €):

Qualification to SVK-ch 2017: 1. 200 € 2. 150 € 3. 100 €

Women (Slovak Championship): 1. 250 € 2. 150 € 3. 100 €

Prizes are indivisible, parallel prizes are possible. Prizes are only for player, who are participate at closing ceremony.

Entry fee: GM, IM – conditions on agreement with the tournament director
For entry fee is important Fide rating list on the date 1st May 2016

Without accommodation and catering:

FIDE > 2349 or FM **10,-€**; FIDE 2349 – 2200 **25,-€**; FIDE 2199 – 2000 **32,-€**; FIDE < 2000; without FIDE **40,-€**

Entry fee - discount packages	FIDE rating >2349 or FM	FIDE rating 2349-2200	FIDE rating 2000-2199	FIDE rating <2000 or without FIDE rating
Package STANDARD	55 €	70 €	77 €	85 €
Package HALF	95 €	110 €	117 €	125 €
Package FULL	126 €	141 €	148 €	156 €

Package STANDARD include Entry fee and Accommodation for 8 nights from 2nd July till 10th July 2016

Package HALF include Entry fee, Accommodation for 8 nights from 2nd July till 10th July 2016 and Half board (8x Breakfast and 8x Dinner)

Package FULL include Entry fee, Accommodation for 8 nights from 2nd July till 10th July 2016 and Full board (8x Breakfast, 9x Lunch and 8x Dinner)

Extra pay: Single room (Wc and shower common with next room) – only limited number of rooms, Extra pay 20 €.

Discount: Seniors born 1956 and before, Juniors born 1998 a later, Women, **discount 10 €** for entry fee;

Applications: Milan Maroš, E-mail: maros@livechess.sk

Applications should be send no later then **7th June 2016**. After this deadline the payment will be increased by 5 € and the organizer will not be able to guarantee acceptance. In the Application, it is necessary to state: name, surname, birth date and rating.

Note: Applications are accepted after payment by bank transfer.

Bank account: VUB Bank, Slovakia, Account owner: Sachovy klub Banska Stiavnica, variable symbol: birthdate (DDMMYYYY)
IBAN: SK78 0200 0000 0020 9958 8957 SWIFT/BIC: SUBASKBX

Other Information: Waiting period is 1 Hour (FIDE rules 6.7 a). When points are equal, ranking is decided by:

1. Modified Buchholz (only real points, without lowest ranked opponent), **2.** Rating performance **3.** Full Buchholz **4.** More wins **5.** Lot

Leisure time: Points of interest/ tourist hotspots: beautiful countryside surrounding Štiavnické vrchy, swimming in lakes, many historic landmarks, football tournament for chess players (hall), room with TV, fitness centrum, table tennis.

GM STIAVNICA

System: Championship of Slovakia. Round robin grandmasters tournament, 10 players (only SVK). Time schedule is identical as in OPEN tournament.



V4 BLITZ OPEN

Date and time: 08.07.2016 (Friday) at 9:00 **Registration:** 8:15 – 8:45 **System:** 11 rounds, Swiss system, no rated games
Play tempo: 3 min. + 2 sec. **Entry fee:** 5 € for every player, payment in cash by registration
Prizes: Total prize fund 250 €: 1. 70 € + cup 2. 60 € 3. 50 € 4. 40 € 5. 30 €, prizes are indivisible.

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Saturday 9th July 2016.

► Simultaneous game with grandmasters at 5:00 p.m. at town square. Entry fee for tournament players is 8 € by payment before. By payment at town square is entry fee 10 €.

► Blindfold game with live chessmen at 9:00 p.m.

► Rich accompanying program at town square. Warning! Program change possible! (in case of bad weather).

