

BUDAPEST SPRING FESTIVAL 2020

INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT AND FESTIVAL LASZLO SZABO MEMORIAL

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Budapest Spring Festival 21-29 April 2020

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Aim of the tournament: According to the traditions reintroduce chess into the Spring Festival cultural event

Date of the tournament: 21st April - 29th April 2020

Opening ceremony: 21st April 2020 3.30 PM at the tournament hall

Venue of the tournament: EIFFEL workshop house, Budapest, district No 10, Kőbányai str 30.

Access by public transport: Tram No 28 or 62 or bus No 9 until the Eiffel workshop house station. Tram No 1 until the Kőbányai Str station, then 300 m by foot or one station by tram or bus.

Main Patron of the tournament: Karácsony Gergely, Lord Mayor of Budapest

Patron of the tournament: Ókovács Szilveszter, the chief director of the State Opera House, Mariusz Revesz, Government Commissioner for Active Hungary,

Organiser of the tournament: Budapest Chess Federation,

Chief arbiter: IA Gyömbér Tamás

Participants of the event: For players who have valid 2020 year licence to play.
Playing licence in Hungary costs 1500 HUF for 365 days.

In group "B" we can accept entries between 1800-2199 ELO rating, in group "C" players under 1800 ELO rating.

Rounds start at 4.30 PM, except the last round at 10.00 AM

Maximal accepted delay time is 60 minutes

System: 9 rounds Swiss system in three groups "A", "B" and "C"

Time control: 90 minutes / 40 moves + 30 minutes with 30 sec increment from move 1

Judging of ties: 1. Buchholz, 2. progressive score, 3. TPR

Prize fund: 5.000.000 HUF (ca. 15 500 euros)

Registration: springfestivalbp@gmail.com

Additional information: Foreign affairs manager: IO Laszlo Nagy (whatsapp, viber +36/30 230-1914)

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<u>Program:</u>	21st April 2020	12:00-15:30	Registration
		15:30	Opening ceremony
		16:30	1 st round
	22-28 April 2020	16:30	2-8 th rounds
	29 April 2019	10:00	9 th round
		16:00	Closing ceremony

Web: <http://www.firstsaturday.hu>

The venue can be seen in the internet video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=736WKGW33Pc>

Additional programs:

26 April 2020 09:00-14:00 Youth Rapid Tournament (not rated)

A group: born 2012 and after,

B-group: born 2010-2011,

C-group: born 2008-2009.

Entry fee: 2000 HUF

Prizes: medals and gift prizes

We reserve the rights to modify the program or the venue of the tournament if necessary.

Entry fees:

Group "A" for players above 2200 ELO rating:

For players over 2500 and GM	free
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2351-2499 and IM, WGM	10.000 HUF
2200-2350 and FM, WIM	12.000 HUF
2000-2199 (only with special permission of the organizers)	18.000 HUF

The first 15 Grandmasters to register rated over 2600 will be provided with free accommodation

Group “B” (especially 1800-2199):

2000-2199	8.000 HUF
1800-1999	10.000 HUF
1600-1799	12.000 HUF

Group “C” (under 1800):

0-1799	6.000 HUF
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PRIZES:

Group “A”:

- 1. 1.200.000 HUF 2. 800.000 HUF 3. 600.000 HUF 4. 400.000 HUF
5. 300.000 HUF 6. 250.000 HUF 7. 200.000 HUF 8. 150.000 HUF
9. 150.000 HUF 10. 100.000 HUF**

Special prizes:

Best player born after 1 January 2002 (U18)	50.000 HUF
Best player born after 1 January 2006 (U14)	30.000 HUF
3 best women players	100/60/40.000 HUF
Best senior player (S60)	50.000 HUF
3 best players under 2350 rating	100/60/40.000 HUF

Group “B”:

- 1. 100.000 HUF 2. 70.000 HUF 3. 50.000 HUF 4. 40.000 HUF
5. 25.000 HUF 6. 15.000 HUF**

Special prizes:

Best player born after 1 January 2001 (U18)	10.000 HUF
Best woman player	10.000 HUF

Best senior player (S60)	10.000 HUF
Best player under 2000 rating	10.000 HUF

Group “C”:

1-6th place: prizes in goods

We do not share the prizes, prizes are taxable!

Everybody may win only one prize, which will be given only at the closing ceremony

Venue of the tournament



EIFFEL Workshop House, Budapest, District No 10, Kőbányai Str 30.

The nephew of IGM Szabó László, Mr Szabó András offered 1 000 000 HUF to distribute amongst the best young players U-18 according to the decision of the Presidential Board of the Budapest Chess Federation.

The prize fund of the A-group is guaranteed in case of minimally 125 participants.

The list of prize winners will be published in the website of the Budapest Chess Federation after the tournament.

There is a buffet operating at the tournament!

Parking is possible in the car park of the venue, the Eiffel workshop house.

We respectfully await every player and guest to our tournament!

We wish you a pleasant time in Budapest!

The Organizers: IO Zsolt Korpics, Zsolt Lovas (Budapest Chess Federation president)