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Budapest Spring Festival 23-31 May 2024 Hungarian Open Championship

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Aim of the tournament: According to the traditions reintroducing chess into the

Spring Festival cultural event. To decide the Hungarian

Championship title.

Organiser of the tournament: Hungarian Chess Federation, Zsolt Korpics IO

<u>Date of the tournament</u>: 23rd May – 31st May 2024

Opening ceremony: 23rd May 2024 2.30 PM at the tornament hall

Venue of the tournament: Körcsarnok Budapest, XIV. district, Istvánmezei út 3-5.

Access by public transport: Metro line M2, tram line 1, trolley lines 75, 77, 80,

bus line 95 to Puskás Ferenc Stadion

<u>Chief arbiter:</u> Miklos Orso IA

Rounds start at 3.00 PM, except the last round at 10.00 AM Maximum accepted delay is 45 minutes

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

<u>Time control:</u> Group A and B: 90 minutes / 40 moves + 30 minutes

with 30 sec increment from move 1 Group C: 90 minutes for the whole game with 30 sec increment from move 1

<u>Judging of ties:</u> 1. Direct encounter, 2. Buchholz Cut, 3. Progressive score

<u>Prize fund:</u> 9.500.000 HUF (ca. 24.000 euros)

Registration: springfestivalbp@gmail.com

Tournament director: Zsolt Korpics IO Mobile/Whatsapp/Viber: +36-30-9510063

<u>Program:</u>	23rd May 2024	11:00-14:00	Registration
		14:30	Opening ceremony
		15:00	1 st round
	24-30 May 2024	15:00	2-8 th rounds
	31st May 2024	10:00	9 th round
	•	16:00	Closing ceremony

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

Playing licence in Hungary costs 8000 HUF (ca. 20 EUR) for 365 days (except foreign players of Hungarian chess clubs)
In group "B" we can accept entries between 1800-2199 ELO rating, in group "C" players under 1800 ELO rating.

Entry fees: (1 EUR is ca. 400 HUF)

Group "A" for players above 2200 ELO rating:

For players over 2500 and GM free

2351-2499 and IM, WGM
2200-2350 and FM, WIM
2000-2199 (only with special permission of the organizers)
16.000 HUF
20.000 HUF

The first 20 Grandmasters to register rated over 2550 will be provided with free accommodation (full board)

Group "B" (1800-2199):

2000-2199 12.000 HUF 1800-1999 15.000 HUF 1600-1799 18.000 HUF

Group "C" (under 1800):

0-1799 9.000 HUF

PRIZES: (1 EUR is ca. 400 HUF)

Group "A":

1. 1.600.000 HUF 2. 1.200.000 HUF 3. 1.000.000 HUF 4. 800.000 HUF 5. 600.000 HUF 6. 500.000 HUF 7. 400.000 HUF 8. 300.000 HUF 9-10. 200.000 HUF

Special prizes:

Best player born after 1 January 2006 (U18)	100.000 HUF
Best player born after 1 January 2010 (U14)	60.000 HUF
3 best women players	400/300/200.000 HUF
3 best senior players (S60)	200/150/100.000 HUF
3 best players under 2350 rating	160/120/80.000 HUF

Group "B":

- 1. 200.000 HUF 2. 120.000 HUF 3. 100.000 HUF 4. 80.000 HUF
- 5. 70.000 HUF 6. 60.000 HUF

Special prizes:

Best player born after 1 January 2006 (U18)	50.000 HUF
Best woman player	50.000 HUF
Best senior player (S60)	50.000 HUF
Best player under 2000 rating	50.000 HUF

Group "C":

1-6th place: prizes in goods

We do not share the prizes, prizes are netto! Everybody may win only one prize, which will be given only at the closing ceremony

We wish all our chess friends a fair and successful competition and inspiring games!