

REGULATION

FIDE Endorsed International Children
and Youth Chess Festival

“RUDAGA – KAISSA 2022”

9 – 14 July 2022



Jūrmala



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1. Goals and tasks

Popularization of chess among children and youth;
Professional development of youth national teams and other participants, incl. ELO rating calculated and title granted;

Increasing the level of sportsmanship and qualifications of the participants, including the calculation of the international FIDE rating and gaining FIDE titles;

Development of the intellectual human capital of the younger generation;

Strengthening of regional and international sports cooperation.

1. Time and venue

The FIDE Endorsed International Children and Youth Chess Festival “Rudaga-Kaissa 2022” will be held from 9 July to 14 July 2022 in Jūrmala, Latvia.

Venue: Jurmala, Latvia “Semarah Hotel Lielupe”, Bulduru pr. 64/68 Lielupe Hall.

2. Organizers

The International Chess Federation (FIDE) endorsed International Children and Youth Chess Festival “Rudaga- Kaissa 2022” is organized by the non-governmental organization “Rudaga Plus” and supported by FIDE, Latvian Chess Federation, Jurmala City Council, Children and Youth School of Education and Creativity “Rudaga” (Jurmala, Latvia), chess club “KAISSA” (Riga, Latvia), “Semarah Hotel Lielupe” (Jurmala, Latvia).

3. Schedule and participants

3.1. Schedule

Day	Date	Time	
RAPID, BLITZ TOURNAMENT			
Saturday	09.07.	10.00 - 11.00	Registration
		11.30	Opening ceremony
		12.00	1 st round
		13.00	2 nd round
		15.00	3 rd round
		16.00	4 th round
Sunday	10.07.	10.00	
		11.00	5 th round
		12.00	6 th round
		13.00	7 th round
		15.00	Simultaneous chess game
		17.00	Blitz: 8 rounds, 5 min. +3 sec.
		19.30	Awarding ceremony
STANDARD TOURNAMENT			
Monday	11.07.	10.30	Registration
		11.00	1 st round
		16.00	2 nd round
Tuesday	12.07.	11.00	3 rd round
		16.00	4 th round
Wednesday	13.07.	11.00	5 th round
		16.00	6 th round
Thursday	14.07.	11.00	7 th round
			Aqua-park or sea
		19.00 (19.30)	Awarding ceremony
			Departure
During the festival creative and intellectual workshops, children friendship tournaments, a dedicated photo-corner and other entertainment activities will be organised.			



3.2. Tournaments

Standard (90'+30'') 11.07.-14.07. at 11:00

Rapid (10'+5'') 9.07-10.07. at 12:00

Blitz (5'+3'') 10.07. at 17:00

Simultaneous chess games 10.05 at 15:00

Tournament groups:

09.-10.07.2022.

A – Rapid OPEN 15'+10'', 09.-10.07.2022 (ELO rated)

B - Blitz OPEN 5'+3'', 10.07.2022 (ELO rated)

C – Classification tournament for III category (without ELO)09.-10.07.2022

D – Classification tournament for IV category (without ELO), 09.-10.07.2022

E – Classification tournament for V category (without ELO), 09.-10.07.2022

F Classification tournament for VI category (without ELO), 09.-10.07.2022

11.-14.07.2022.

G - Open > ELO 1800, 90'+30'', 11.-14.07.2022 (ELO rated)

H – Open < ELO 1800, 90'+30'', 11.-14.07.2022 (ELO rated)

I – Classification tournament for II category 90'+30'', 11.-14.07.2022 (ELO rated)



The Rapid tournaments are held according to the FIDE Laws of Chess, Swiss System, 7 rounds. The draw, scoring and additional indicators will be produced by the Swiss Manager program.

Time control for each player in rapid: 15 minutes + 10 seconds per move, starting from move 1.

Time control for each player in blitz: 5 minutes + 3 seconds per move, starting from move 1.

Time control for each player in standard: 90 minutes + 30 seconds per move, starting from move 1.

Groups A, B, G, H, I will be FIDE ELO rated.

Group C, D, E, F - will not be FIDE ELO rated.

Each player (except players in group D) must have a FIDE ID.

The winner will be the player with highest number of points scored.

In case of any dispute, the decision of the Chief Arbiter is final.

1.1. Standard tournament

The standard tournament is held according to the FIDE Laws of Chess, Swiss System, 7 rounds. Time control: 90 minutes + 30 seconds. The draw, scoring and additional indicators will be produced by the Swiss Manager program.

The tournament is FIDE rated (standard). Each player must have a FIDE ID.

In case of any dispute, the decision of the Chief Arbiter is final.

1.2. Blitz

The Rapid tournament is held according to the FIDE Laws of Chess, Swiss System, 8 rounds. Time control: 5 minutes + 3 seconds. The draw, scoring and additional indicators will be produced by the



Swiss Manager program.

The tournament is FIDE rated. Each player must have a FIDE ID.

In case of any dispute, the decision of the Chief Arbiter is final.

1.3. Rapid

The rapid tournament is held according to the FIDE Laws of Chess, Swiss System, 7 rounds. Time control: 15 minutes + 10 seconds. The draw, scoring and additional indicators will be produced by the Swiss Manager program.

The tournament is FIDE rated (standard). Each player must have a FIDE ID.

In case of any dispute, the decision of the Chief Arbiter is final.

1.4. Tournament director and arbiters

Tournament Director: Inessa Testelecs, +371-29236910 chess.rudaga@gmail.com

Chief Arbiter: IA Toms Kalniņš

Arbiters: Diana Matisone diana.matisone@inbox.lv;
Agapi Ter-Avetisjana

2. Entry fees

The amount of registration fee for participation in tournaments:

Blitz – 15 EUR

Rapid – 35 EUR

Standard – 40 EUR

Simultaneous chess game – 10 EUR

Children with special needs, orphans (upon presentation of a document) and GM, IM, WGM, WIM are exempt from the fee.

In case of refusal to participate in tournaments, fees are not refundable.



Registration and accreditation are considered completed upon filling out the application form, receipt of the tournament fee in the established amount to the current account (applies to players) and receiving confirmation of accreditation.

Organizations or individuals delegating participants bear the costs of their travel to and from the venue of the tournament, accommodation, and meals for the entire period of the tournament. All participants must be insured for the duration of their travel and stay in Latvia. Teams must have an appropriate number of accompanying persons to ensure the safety of the participants.

Expenses for awarding winners and prize-winners, paying for the work of technical staff, local and non-resident judges, renting a playing place and vehicles, manufacturing printed and promotional materials, expenses for awarding diplomas and prizes are borne by the organizers of the tournament.

Bank Account of the Organizer:

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3. Awards

3.1. Rapid tournament

The winner of the rapid tournament among boys and girls in each group will be awarded with a commemorative cup. Winners of the rapid tournament in each group among boys and girls will be awarded with diplomas and medals for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd places, as well as with memorable gifts.



3.2. Standard tournament

The winners of the Standard tournament among boys and girls will be awarded with commemorative cups for 1st , 2nd , 3rd places, diplomas, medals and valuable gifts.

The winner of the tournament among boys and among girls receives a Valuable gift - «Tavex» gold bar made of 999.9 gold.

Additional prizes:

1st, 2nd , 3rd places among boys and girls under 10 years old (born in year 2011 and younger);

Special prizes from sponsors in the category “Chess style”, the prizes for the youngest players, etc.

Each participant of the tournament receives a diploma of participation.

1.1. Blitz

The winner of the blitz tournament among boys and girls in each group will be awarded with a commemorative cup. Winners of the rapid tournament in each group among boys and girls will be awarded with diplomas and medals for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd places, as well as with memorable gifts.

2. Entries

Participation in the tournament is confirmed by an invitation sent by the organizer based on received applications, lists of participants and payment of the registration fee.

Applications for participation are accepted until July 1, 2022, after July 1 - an additional fee. The organizers reserve the right to close or extend the registration.



Application forms:

Registration forms:

<https://forms.gle/NLPJEyGK42gxU3xz8>

3. Accommodation

The Official Hotel of the Festival: Semarah Hotel
“Lielupe”

Forms: <https://forms.gle/px9JBPf2qSyCcV6j6>

<https://lielupe.semarahhotels.com/?lang=en>

Special rates are provided for festival participants
(accommodation + breakfast for one day of stay):

Single room: EUR

Double room (double/twin): EUR

Family room Standard (two adults one child): EUR
(+additional bed 25 EUR)

Booking the official hotel of the festival:

<https://forms.gle/Zo4RtXd98KKP9u3F8>

Participants can stay at any hotel or rent
accommodation.

4. Visa information

Visa support is provided to all foreign chess
players who will apply to the Organizers before July
1 2022. To apply for an invitation, you must fill out a
registration form for each participant of the festival
(player/ accompanying person/ coach/ Organizer,
Representative of the Organizer).

Application form:

<https://forms.gle/exuhJ2JGPY5HzFaF9>

5. Arrivals

Riga Airport is located 16 km from Semarah Hotel
“Lielupe” and 10 km from the city centre (bus No 22,
express bus No 322). Various budget airlines such



as AirBaltic, Norwegian, Ryanair, Wizz Air, as well as Lufthansa, Turkish Airlines, SAS and others currently offer flights to Riga from more than 100 different destinations. For further information check the website: <http://www.riga-airport.com/>

6. Tourist information

Jurmala is the largest resort in the Baltics, located on the shores of the Gulf of Riga and stretching along the coast for 30 km. It consists of 15 villages, the most famous of which are Bulduri, Majori, Dubulti, Dzintari, Jomas, Vaivari and Jaunkemeri. Jūrmala is a unique combination of three recreation areas - sea, forest and culture. Visitors are attracted by the mild climate, the salubrious sea air and the combination of health and entertainment facilities: <https://www.visitjurmala.lv/ru/>

The most active tourist life is in full swing in Majori. This part of the resort attracts guests with old buildings, restaurants, and souvenir shops of Jomas Street. In Dzintari there is a Concert Hall, where significant musical events take place: <https://www.dzintarukonzertzale.lv/?lang=ru>

7. Health measures

The Organizers of the festival draw the participants' attention to the fact that the course of the festival strongly depends on the epidemiological situation in Latvia and in the world. In this regard, all participants of the tournament, including coaches, accompanying persons, arbiters, representatives of the organizers must be accredited.

The actual information on COVID-19 related country conditions and regulations can be found here: <https://covid19.gov.lv/en>



The person or organization applying for participation in the festival is fully responsible for the health of the participants upon arrival at the tournament. While applying for the participation in the festival, all festival participants and / or their legal representatives confirm that during the tournament they undertake to comply with all national restrictions, as well as the organizer's regulations on COVID-19.

8. Privacy

The festival is a public event during which photos and videos will be taken for the purpose of informing the public in accordance with Article 6 (1) (e) of the General Data Protection Regulation. By confirming your participation in the festival, you give permission for audio, photo, and video filming, as well as the use of the received materials made during the tournament (incl. with your participation) in the media, social networks, websites of specialized sports organizations (www.fide.com , www.sahafederacija.lv www.rudaga.lv , etc.), official accounts of tournament organizers, followers in social networks, as well as other public sources. The results of the tournament will be published on the website www.chessresults.com The tournament games will be transmitted online. Rudaga The term for processing and using the data is unlimited.

The Organizers reserve the right to make the necessary changes to these Regulations.

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