International Draughts Federation (IDF) and Israeli Draughts Federation in accordance with the Calendar of the competitions in 2016 hold in Haifa (Israel) 6th Stage of World Cup 2016 in draughts-64 - International competition “Israel-2016”.

Place, date

Competitions will be held in the hotel “Sea Plaza” at Haifa, Str. Sderot Bat Galim 6, from November 25 (day of arrival) to December 1, 2016.

Travel: from the airport "Ben Gurion" by train to stop Bat Galim in Haifa and then 10 minutes’ walk to the hotel.

Program of competitions

Following competitions are held:
1. 6th Stage of World Cup. Blitz
2. 6th Stage of World Cup. Classic program

Participants

All participants regardless of gender, age and rating are allowed to participate in the 6th Stage of World Cup, who registered in accordance with this regulation and paid the tournament fee. The number of participants representing the country is not limited.

Participants must comply with the dress code.

Participants must to be on the closing ceremony of the competition, in breach of the item participants lose all official awards. Awards will not be sent or transferred.

All participants must have medical insurance for the period of the competition.

Tournament regulations

Competitions are held according to the official rules of the IDF. System of competition is Swiss in 8-9 rounds depending on the number of participants. All tournaments are held by the system of micro-matches consist of two games.

Blitz is held with the draw of moves (150 positions), in accordance with the table approved 05.05.2016.

Classic program is held with the draw of the initial moves and positions in accordance with the table of approved 14.09.2008.

Time control:
Blitz: 3’ till the end of the game plus 2” on each move;
Classic program: 20’ till the end of the game plus 10” on each move.

Determination of the winners

Places of players are determined by the biggest amounts of points. In case of equal points of two or more participants the additional criteria are established by the panel of judges according to the official rules of the IDF.
Awards
The prize fund of 6th Stage of World Cup is at least $2,000.
Prizes are paid for highest classifications, the best woman, the best veteran (60+), the best junior and other prizes according to organizers decision. Additional awards will be announced by organizers at the opening ceremony.
The winner of 6th Stage of World Cup in classic program automatically receives the international title "International Master". Participants, who took 2nd and 3rd places, receive the international title of "IDF Master".
Participants of 6th Stage of World Cup get points in the overall standing of the World Cup in accordance with the Regulations of the World Cup 2016 in draughts-64.

Finances
All costs of participants are paid by sending organizations or yourself.
The costs for organizing the competition and paid by the Organizing Committee.

Tournament fees
Each participant of the competitions should pay organizational tournament fee at the day of arrival:
- 60 Euro for adult;
- 50 Euro for women, veterans 60+, youth 23 year and younger.
Participants, who have paid the entry fee, are allowed to participate in all programs.

Accommodation and meals
The cost of accommodation is $40 per person per night. Accommodation is in 3-bed and 4-bed rooms, breakfast included.

Application
Applications for participation should be submitted no later than November 15, 2016 to the IDF office on e-mail: office@idf64.org
And to Israeli Draughts Federation office:
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Contacts
For all issues related to the participation in the competition, you need to apply to the IDF office on e-mail: office@idf64.org, vlangin@yandex.ru
For all issues related to booking of accommodation and travel to the place of competition you need to apply to the Israel Draughts Federation office at:
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