

INTERNATIONAL DRAUGHTS FEDERATION

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To all Draughts Federations

The International Draughts Federation (IDF) in accordance with the Calendar of the competitions in 2023 holds in Türkiye World Championship in draughts-64 among veterans.

1. Venue and dates

Venue: Beach Club Doğanay Hotel 5*, Alanya Address: Konaklı Mah. Mustafa Kemal Blv. No:289 Alanya/Antalya (Türkiye). Dates: From October 20 (arrival day) to October 29 (departure day), 2023 The credentials committee will work on October 20 from 16.00 to 22.00.

2. Participants

World Championship in draughts-64 among veterans is held in the following age categories: Men 60 years and older (1963 year born and older);

Men 50-59 years old (1973-1963 year born);

Women 50 years and older (1973 year born and older)

Participants must be fulfilled the required number of years on the date of the start of the competition.

3. Requirements for participants

All participants of the corresponding age categories are allowed to participate in the competitions which have timely submitted applications for participation, registered on time and paid the tournament fee. The number of participants representing the country is unlimited. Participants from the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus can only compete in a neutral status.

Participants are required to know and comply with the Rules and Regulations of the competition. Participants are required to comply with the dress code.

Participants must be present at the opening and closing ceremony of the competition.

In case of absence the closing ceremony, participants lose all official awards. Awards will not be sent or transferred.

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

4. Tournament regulations

Competitions are held according the IDF Game and Competition Rules.

Competitions are personal.

Competitions are held according to the international version of draughts-64.

Disciplines: Time controls:

Classic game 30' + 15" for each participant until the end of the game; 5 minutes break between games; record of moves is obligatory until the end of the game, record of the games must be legible

Blitz 3' + 2'' for each participant until the end of the game

Competition system: open-tournament (for men and women), Swiss or round robin, is established by the panel of arbiters depending on the number of participants. All disciplines are held according to the system of micro-matches from two games with a draw of initial moves and positions according to the official IDF table (745 positions), obligatory in both games of micromatch.

5. Determination of the winners

Places of players in each competition are determined by the highest amounts of points. In case of equal points of two or more participants the additional criteria are established by the panel of arbiters according to the regulations of the competition.

In each discipline, winners and prize-winners are determined among men 60 years and older (born in 1963 and older); men 50-59 years (born 1973-1963); women 50 years and older (born 1973 and older) with at least five people in the age category.

6. Awards

Participants who take 1st place in all disciplines in all age categories are awarded cups.

Participants who take 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in all disciplines in all age categories are awarded with medals and diplomas.

The prize fund of the championship is 100% of the collected fees, but not less than 600 euros.

7. Finances

All expenses for the participation in competitions are paid by the sending organization or the participants themselves.

The costs for organizing the competition and paid by the Organizing Committee.

7.1. Tournament fees

Tournament fee for each participant is 40 Euro.

Tournament fee gives the right to participate in two disciplines – Classic game and Blitz.

Tournament fees must be paid in cash on the day of registration October 20, 2023.

Participants who have not paid the tournament fee before the end of registration will not be allowed to compete.

7.2. Accommodation and meals

The Beach Club Doğanay Hotel 5* is the official place for the accommodation of participants, coaches and accompanying.

Accommodation of all participants, coaches and accompanying persons in the official hotel is obligatory.

Booking of accommodation is held only through the organizer of the competition - the International Draughts Federation (IDF). Participants who have not booked accommodation with the organizers will not be allowed to compete.

Detailed information about the accommodation of participants is published on the IDF website <u>www.idf64.org</u>

8. Travel

You can get to the hotel from Antalya and Alanya airports by public transport, taxi or by ordering a transfer.

9. Applications and contacts

For all questions about participation in competition, please contact the IDF office by e-mail: <u>office@idf64.org.</u>

Applications for participation, booking of accommodation, transfer to the venue of the competition and back are sent at the IDF office by e-mail: <u>office@idf64.org</u> no later than September 20, 2023. Late applications will not be considered.

Current information on the organization and conduct of the competition will be posted on the website of the International Draughts Federation <u>www.idf64.org</u>

President International Draughts Federation (IDF)

