



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 2026, holds in Türkiye the World Team Draughts-64 Championship.

1. Venue and dates

Venue: 5* hotel, Manavgat region, Antalya (Türkiye)

Dates: from 4th November (arrival day) to 10th November (departure day) 2026.

The Credentials Committee will work 4th November from 16.00 to 22.00.

2. Participants

One men's and one women's team from each national federation-member of the International Draughts Federation (IDF) are allowed to participate in the competition.

Team composition for men: 3 players+3 reserve players

Team composition for women: 2 players+2 reserve players

Women can compete in a men's team

Boards in the team are not assigned to participants; seating of players on boards for all rounds is carried out according to the application submitted before the round.

3. Requirements for participants

Teams are allowed to participate in the competitions based on applications from national federations, having submitted an application in a timely manner, registered on time and paid the tournament fee.

Participants are required to comply with the Rules, Competition Regulations and Dress Code during the competition and at the opening and closing ceremonies.

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 to the IDF Game and Competition Rules.

The World Team Draughts-64 Championship is held separately among men's and women's teams.

The competitions are held according to the system of micro-matches from two games in three disciplines: Classic game, Blitz and Rapid.

Rapid will be played according to the Brazilian version of draughts-64.

In all disciplines: for men, the initial moves and positions are drawn on all three boards according to the official IDF table (780 positions for Classic game and Blitz or 722 positions for Rapid); for women, the initial moves are drawn on both boards according to the official IDF table (150 positions).

Competition system: Swiss or round robin system is established by the panel of arbiters depending on the number of participating teams.

5. Determination of the winners

The places of the teams are determined by the highest amounts of points scored by all team members. In case of equal points scored by two or more teams, the places of the teams are determined in accordance with the official IDF Rules of the Game and Competition.

6. Awards

In each discipline, teams that take 1st place are awarded cups/awards and official diplomas, team members are awarded official medals and diplomas.

Teams that take 2nd and 3rd place are awarded diplomas, team members are awarded official medals and diplomas.

7. Finances

All costs of participants paid by sending organizations or themselves.

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

7.1. Tournament fees

The tournament fee for each men's team is:

60 Euro – Blitz;

60 Euro – Rapid;

60 Euro – Classic game;

20 Euro – in each discipline for each reserve player.

The tournament fee for each women's team is:

40 Euro – Blitz;

40 Euro – Rapid;

40 Euro – Classic game;

20 Euro – in each discipline for each reserve player.

Tournament fees must be paid in cash on the day of registration on 4th November 2026. Teams that have not paid the tournament fee by the end of registration will not be admitted to the competition.

7.2. Accommodation and meals

Accommodation of all participants: players, coaches and accompanying persons is mandatory in the official hotel where the competition will be held. Applications for booking accommodation are accepted only through the organizer - the International Draughts Federation (IDF). Participants who have not booked accommodation with the organizers will not be admitted to the competition.

Players, coaches and accompanying persons are granted access to the premises allocated for the competitions through the organizer upon agreed and paid applications.

The host organization which deals with accommodation and all matters related to the reservation and payment for the accommodation of players, coaches and accompanying persons, is the organization CHECKIN TURİZM SANAYİ VE TİCARET LİMİTED ŞİRKETİ (Fener mah. Bülent Ecevit bulvarı salih Akar Apt No.19/1 Muratpaşa/Antalya).

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

8. Travel

You can get to the competition venue 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: office@idf64.org.

Applications are accepted at the IDF office by e-mail: office@idf64.org:

- visa support applications and preliminary applications for participation and accommodation booking - no later than July 31, 2026.

- final applications for participation and accommodation booking - no later than August 21, 2026.
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 www.idf64.org

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