FMJD World Challenger



Budapest, Hungary 16-22 of March, 2013

- 1. The organization of the World Challenger has been allotted by the FMJD to the Hungarian Draughts Federation and will take place from March 16th (arriving day), till March 23rd (departure day) in Hotel Benczur, Budapest (H-1068 Budapest, Benczúr utca 35.).
- 2. The tournament is open for all members of FMJD which are still below their limit for the qualification for the World Championship 2013. So for each FMJD member without debts apart from: Cameroon, Guinea, Ivory Coast, Mali, Senegal, Mongolia, Uzbekistan, Azerbaijan, Belarus, France, Lithuania, Netherlands, Russia, Ukraine.
- 3. Maximum number of participants from one country → 4 players. Maximum number of qualifying players:
 - 3.1. 2 players from: Belgium, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Czech Republic, Estonia, Germany, Italy, Latvia, Slovenia, Suriname, Switzerland, Trinidad&Tobago, USA
 - 3.2. 1 player for all other countries.
- 4. The tournament will be played following the Swiss-System on rating with 9 rounds. However changes are possible depending on the final number of players. The final decision will be taken by the FMJD-Tournament Director.
- 5. In order of the final results of the Challenger, 5 players will get the right to play in the World Championship-2013. The final order for players with the same score is on the basis of the highest average opponents rating.
- 6. Applications only from National Federations should be send to FMJD-TD (jacek@pcbest.pl). Deadline for applications → January 31st. Data in applications:
 - 6.1. FMJD-ID of player
 - 6.2. name and surname
 - 6.3. birthday
 - 6.4. email contact to player
 - 6.5. room(s) reservation (type of room, arriving and departure day, meals)
 - 6.6. declaration:
 - "We know and accept the rules and conditions of the FMJD World Challenger, Budapest 2013"
- 7. For thus who need visa, please contact Mr. Viktor Penkalo: <u>penkalo@t-online.hu</u> For visa, please send copy of Your passport (page with photo).
- 8. The official rules of the FMJD will be used. Use of clocks and recording games is compulsory during the whole game. The games will be played in the official FMJD time rate of the Fischer system with 1h20 per player plus 1 minute per move.
- 9. Registration fee 60€ or 120€ depending on country status in FMJD. A members pay 60€ and B members pay 120€. Hungarian players are free of the registration fee.

¹ Correction made by FMJD-TD on January 29th

- 10. Payments:
 - 10.1. Registration fee can be transferred to the account of the FMJD treasurer: Bank ABN/AMRO, Account number 51.39.03.682 BIC code: ABN ANL 2A and IBAN: NL09ABNA0513903682
 - 10.2. Hotel/meals can be paid at the hotel reception desk, but can be also paid to the hotel account for those who wish.

11. Cancellation of participation

If participation is cancelled after February 28th – the entry fee and hotel costs must be paid by the federation.

12. Schedule:

- Sat, 16th of march arriving day, 21:00 technical meeting
- Sun, 17th 9:00 1st round

 $15:00 - 2^{nd}$ round

• Mon, 18^{th} 9:00 -3^{rd} round

Lights of the Budapest - evening boat trip with dinner (for those who like $-33 \in pp$)

• Tue, 19th morning – for those who like – visiting famous Széchenyi thermal bath (free)

 $15:00 - 4^{th}$ round

• Wed, 20^{th} 9:00 – 5^{th} round

 $15:00 - 6^{th}$ round

- Thu, 21^{st} 15:00 7^{th} round
- Fri, 22nd 9:00 8th round 15:00 – 9th round

15:00 – 9th round 21:00 – closing ceremony

- Sat, 23rd departure or continue playing European Championship blitz
- Open European Championship blitz:
 - Sat, 23rd 9:30 checking players list

10:00 – blitz

• Sun, 24th

14:00 – Closing ceremony

- 13. Hospitality costs for players/accompanying persons
 - a) Rooms (price per room with breakfasts):
 - *** level rooms

• Single room - 45€

• Double room - 49€

**** level rooms

• Single room - 52€

Double room - 54€

b) Meals:

• dinner - 15€

• supper - 13€

• one of meals is mandatory to get price for hotel room as above!