



MALAYSIAN CHESS FEDERATION (MCF)

PERSEKUTUAN CATUR MALAYSIA

MALAYSIAN CHESS FEDERATION NATIONAL RAPID & BLITZ CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025

KL Gateway Mall, Jalan Kerinchi, Kuala Lumpur
6th and 7th December 2025

INFORMATION LEAFLET

1. EVENT ORGANIZER

The Malaysian Chess Federation

2. EVENT LOCATION

KL Gateway Mall, Jalan Kerinchi, Kuala Lumpur

3. GENERAL INFORMATION

Event Discipline	Rapid and Blitz
Categories	Open
Time Control	Rapid: 15 mins + 10 sec / Blitz: 3 mins + 2 sec
Event Format	Individual
System of Play	Swiss System
Playing Format	Rapid: 9 Rounds / Blitz: 9 Rounds
Status	FIDE RATED and NATIONAL RATED

4. TIE BREAKS

For Both events

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|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Direct Encounter | 2. Greatest Number of Wins | 3. Buchholz Cut 1 |
| 4. Buchholz | 5. Sonneborn Berger | 6. Cumulative |

5. CONDITION OF ENTRY

1. This event is for **MALAYSIAN CITIZENS only**.
2. Players **COMPULSORY** to have both **FIDE ID** and **MCF ID** to participate.
3. To register FIDE ID, click here <https://malaysiachess.org/fide-id-application/>
4. To register MCF ID, click here <https://malaysiachess.org/mcf-id-registration/>

6. ENTRY FEES

Titled Player GM/WGM/IM/WIM/NM/WNM	Free Entry
<i>Note: Please write in to mcfsecretariat@malaysiachess.org to register</i>	
State Entry (Limit 4 players per state)	RM 100 per player (for both events)
<i>Note: Please contact your respective state association to get the discounted rate</i>	
Open Entry (with Rating)	RM 120 (for both events)
Open Entry (without Rating)	RM 150 (for both events)
OKU Entry (with/without Rating)	RM 60 (for both events)
Blitz Entry Only (With Rating)	RM 60 per player
Blitz Entry Only (Without Rating)	RM 80 per player
<i>Note: Rated means player with FIDE Rating (Standard/Blitz/Rapid)</i>	

7. REGISTRATION LINK

Please register via our Registration Link at <https://forms.gle/a5aKbXtaBW4A3NUG7>
Please include Proof of Payment when registering. Kindly complete all payments to MCF accounts at **PERSEKUTUAN CATUR MALAYSIA (CIMB – 8000649725)**

Registration via other channels or modes such as Emails, Whatsapp, SMS Messages or Verbal confirmation **WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED**. Take note that MCF reserves the right to reject any application without providing any reasons whatsoever.

8. ACCOMMODATION

All players will be responsible for their own traveling arrangements, accommodation, and meals.

For more information, please contact:

Whatsapp: Secretariat: +6016.338.2542 | Information: +6017.564.5183
Email: mcfsecretariat@malaysiachess.org / inquiries@malaysiachess.org



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9. CLOSING DATE

Closing date is set on Monday, 1st December 2025

NOTE: The Organizer may accept late entries provided space and logistics are adequate.
A penalty fee of RM50 shall be enforced if application is accepted.

10. REFUND

No refunds will be entertained after the closing date has lapsed.
Before the closing date, only 50% refund will be entertained.

11. SCHEDULE OF ROUNDS

DATE	DAY	TIME	AGENDA
6-Dec-25	Sat	8:00am	Registration Confirmation (Rapid)
		9:30am	Briefing and Draw of Colors
		9:45am	Opening
		10:00am	Round 1 - Round 3
			LUNCH
7-Dec-25	Sun	2:00pm	Round 4 to Round 7
		10:00am	Round 8 - Round 9
		12:00noon	Confirmation for Blitz
			LUNCH
		2:00pm	Round 1 to Round 3
		3:00pm	Round 4 to Round 6
		4:00pm	Round 7 to Round 9
		5:30pm	Closing/Prize Giving
		6:30pm	Departures

12. PRIZES (Rapid RM 4,000/Blitz RM 2,000)

RAPID EVENT: Champion – RM1,000, 2nd – RM600, 3rd – RM400, 4th – RM150, 5th to 10th – RM100 each, Best Lady – RM250, 2nd Lady – RM150, Best Veteran – RM250, 2nd Veteran – RM150, Best OKU/U12/U1600/Unrated – RM100 each

BLITZ EVENT: Champion – RM400, 2nd – RM200, 3rd – RM100, 4th -10th RM80 each, Best Lady – RM120, 2nd Lady – RM90, Best Veteran – RM120, 2nd Veteran – RM90, Best OKU/U12/U1600/Unrated – RM80 each

13. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Take note that players are allowed to wear a face mask if they feel the need to do so; however, it must be removed if requested by the Arbiter/Official for security or identification purposes.

Arbiters have the rights to perform random searches and inspections on any players at all times. Players who refuses to allow for the inspection to be carried out can and will be expelled from the tournaments without any refunds.

Players who are sick or unwell, will be requested to undergo medical check – at their own cost, before they can be permitted to continue. The organizer will continue to leverage on Online announcements – where necessary, and all pairings will be posted on www.chess-results.com

14. EVENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Directors: Iwan Schani Ibnu MCF / CIO
Chief Arbiter TBA

15. INQUIRES

Tournament Whatsapp Group : <https://chat.whatsapp.com/E6pIoe08hpSKQua4A1JJY8>
For more information, please write to mcfsecretariat@malaysiachess.org.

16. OFFICIAL MCF SOCIAL MEDIA

Website : <https://malaysiachess.org/>
Instagram : Malaysian Chess Federation
FB : <https://www.facebook.com/malaysianchessfederation>

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