

WROCLAW OPEN 2018

during Wroclaw Chess Festival
under the honorary patronage
of the Mayor of Wroclaw Rafał Dutkiewicz

30th July – 4th August 2018

1. Organizer

Adolf Anderssen Foundation

2. Partners

Wroclaw City
Lower Silesian Chess Association
Gymnasium No. 13 in Wroclaw

3. Venue

Sports hall of Gimnasium No. 13 in Wroclaw
Wroclaw, Reja Street 3 (Wrocław, ul. Reja 3)
<https://goo.gl/maps/mCJgoi4DPhr>

4. Participation

OPEN A: players with ELO FIDE \geq 1800
OPEN B: players with ELO FIDE \leq 1900 (or without ELO FIDE)

5. Application

Application should be made by special form (www.chessinwroclaw.pl) or by e-mail (info@chessinwroclaw.pl). **Deadline for applications: 20.07.2018.**

6. Tournament Regulation

Rate of game: 90'/40move + 15' + 30''/move.

Playing mode - 9 rounds, swiss system.

In case of participation of over 100 participants in the group, there will be used „accelerated pairing” - variant of swiss system.

Criteria used for ranking and prizes distribution: 1. number of points, 2. Buchholz CUT-1, 3.

Buchholz, 4. number of victories, 5. progress.

Results will be included into FIDE rating.

7. Entry fee

OPEN A – 40 EUR

OPEN B – 25 EUR

Players with titles GM, IM, WGM, WIM – free of charge

Players with FM title – discount 20%

8. Prizes

Prizes in the general classification

OPEN A		OPEN B	
Place	Prizes	Place	Prizes
1st	2500 PLN	1st	600 PLN
2nd	2000 PLN	2nd	500 PLN
3rd	1500 PLN	3rd	400 PLN

Cash prizes in the general classification for at least 10% of players.

The number and amount of the remaining prizes will be given before the third round.

Additional prizes

OPEN A		OPEN B	
The best woman	600 PLN	The best woman	300 PLN
The best senior 60+	500 PLN	Ranking award (Rprfm – R)	200 PLN
The best junior up to 18 yo	500 PLN	juniors up to 14 yo	Material prizes for 1st-3rd places
Ranking award (Rprfm – R)	400 PLN	juniors up to 14 yo	Material prizes for 1st-3rd places

All prizes are shown before taxes.

According to Polish law, prizes up to 2000 PLN are free of tax. The tax on the other prizes is 10%.

The number and amount of main prizes are guaranteed in the case of participation of min. 100 player in both tournament groups altogether. Additional prizes are guaranteed in the case of participation of at least 5 competitors in classification. In the case of a smaller number of participants, the organizer reserves the right to reduce the amount of prizes proportionally.

A player may receive only one additional prize.

9. Schedule

Monday, 30.07.2018	9:00 – 15:00	Registration
	16:00	Opening ceremony and Round 1
Tuesday, 31.07.2018	10:00	Round 2
	16:00	Round 3
Wednesday, 1.08.2018	10:00	Round 4
	16:00	Round 5
Thursday, 2.08.2018	16:00	Round 6
Friday, 3.08.2018	10:00	Round 7
	16:00	Round 8
Saturday, 4.08.2018	9:00	Round 9
	15:00	Closing ceremony

10. Accommodation

The organizer proposes accommodation in high standard dorms.

Price of accommodation:

13.5 EUR per person per night - double room

22 EUR per night – single room

Reservation should be made by e-mail (info@chessinwroclaw.pl) before 14th July 2018.

11. Free time and accompanying events

The organizer will propose the following attractions organized for the participants of the Wrocław Chess Festival:

- A cruise on the Oder River
- Wrocław sightseeing tour (also in English or German)
- Blitz tournament

Near the festival playing hall there are also: Zoo and unique Afrykanarium, Hydropolis, Centennial Hall, multimedia fountain and many other interesting places.

12. Final remarks

Players insure themselves.

The organizer reserves the right to introduce technical changes in this Regulations.

The final interpretation of Regulations belongs to the organizer.