

ŠACHOVÝ KLUB JESENÍK

hosted by

26th - 31st December 2024

3rd International Chess Festival

XMAS JESENÍK OPEN

The following tournaments will take place during the festival:

A) MAIN TOURNAMENT - 26. to 31.12.2024

B) CHRISTMAS RAPID TOURNAMENT - 25.12.2024

C) NEW YEAR'S EVE BLITZ TOURNAMENT - 31.12.2024

A) MAIN TOURNAMENT

DATE: 26th - 31st December 2024

PLACE: Hotel M - playing hall → meeting room and dining room
Secondary School of Industry Jeseník, Dukelska 1240/27, Jeseník
GPS: [50.2242258N, 17.1918458E](#)

PRESENTATION: Thursday 26.12.2024 12:00 - 16:00 in the playing hall

SYSTEM OF PLAY: Swiss 7 rounds

TIME-CONTROL: 90 minutes with an increment of 30 sec/move

WAITING TIME: 1 hour from the start of the round

CRITERIA FOR RANKING: 1. points, 2. mutual game, 3. Buchholz cut, 4. Buchholz,
5. Sonnenborn-Berger, 6. lot

FORM OF THE TOURNAMENT: One group counted for FIDE ELO.

All players must pay 55 CZK per credit for FIDE list, off the starting fee!

Foreign players must have a FIDE ID.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Koritak Pavel, tel.: +420 775 246 471, e-mail: pav.kor@seznam.cz

MAIN REFEREE: Koritak Pavel

ASSISTANT REFEREE: Valicek Martin

STARTING FEE:	players with FIDE ELO 2200 and above	800 CZK
	players with FIDE ELO 2000 to 2199	1.000 CZK
	players with FIDE ELO 1700 to 1999	1.200 CZK
	players with FIDE ELO up to 1699	1.400 CZK

ACCOMMODATIONS: We provide accommodation in **Hotel M** at 1240/27 Dukelská Street, Jeseník in the same building where the game room is located until the capacity is reached. We offer triple rooms at the price of 600 CZK/person per day + a fee of 40 CZK/person per day. If you require a separate room or a room with its own bathroom and toilet (6 rooms), the price is 740 CZK/person per day + fee of the stay + 40 CZK/person per day. For two rooms there is a common bathroom, i.e. toilet, shower and washbasin. There is a small common kitchen on each floor and Wi-Fi internet is free for guests. There is a **public transport stop** at Hotel M.

PROPOSITION XMAS JESENİK OPEN 2024

METHOD OF PAYMENT: Entry fee and accommodation must be paid by cashless payment to the organizer's account number **IBAN: CZ94 0300 0000 0001 0477 5468**, **BIC (SWIFT): CEKOCZPP** no later than **23.12.2024**. An invoice will be issued for your payment. *Foreign chess players who have participated in one of our open tournaments JESENİK OPEN or XMAS JESENİK OPEN in the last seven years since 2017 can pay the starting fee and accommodation in cash on 26.12.2024 in Jeseník to the organizer!*

DISCOUNTS: **10%** discount will be given to all those who register and pay the starting fee and accommodation by **31.10.2024**
5% discount will be given to all those who register and pay the starting fee and accommodation by **30.11.2024**

PRICE FUND: The total prize fund of the tournament is **26.000 CZK**
1st place - **6.000 CZK**, 2nd place - **5.000 CZK**, 3rd place - **4.000 CZK**,
4th place - **3.000 CZK**, 5th place - **2.000 CZK**, 6th place - **1.000 CZK**
Best players up to 1900 ELO: 1st place - **2.000 CZK**, 2nd place - **1.000 CZK**, 3rd place - **500 CZK**
Best player up to 1700 ELO: **1.000 CZK**, Best player up to 1500 ELO: **500 CZK**

Price overlap is possible!

There are also trophies and prizes for the winners of the categories of boys and girls up to 8, 10, 12, 14 and 18 years, for the best woman, senior citizen born in 1959 and older and the tournament jumper.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE: Presentation 26/12 from 12.00 noon to 4.00 p.m. in the playing room
Opening ceremony 26/12 in 4.15 p.m.

1 st round 26/12 in 4.30 p.m.	5 th round 29/12 in 4.30 p.m.
2 nd round 27/12 in 4.30 p.m.	6 th round 30/12 in 4.30 p.m.
3 rd round 28/12 in 9.00 a.m.	7 th round 31/12 in 9.00 a.m.
4 th round 28/12 in 4.30 p.m.	Closing ceremony 31/12 in 12.30 p.m.

The playing hall will be open at least 1 hours before the start of each round.

Players who do not register in the term presentation can be included up to from the second round!
You only need to confirm your participation in the tournament and your seeding for the first round on the day of presentation 26.12.2024 by 15:00 by SMS to the tournament director at +420 775 246 471.

APPLICATIONS: Please submit binding applications by **23.12.2024** by one of the methods listed below:

- to the tournament director's email **pav.kor@seznam.cz**
- by phone to the Tournament Director **+420 775 246 471**
- electronically at www.xmasjesenikopen.cz/en/application-to-competition/

Each participant who has registered for the tournament will be registered in the entry list on the tournament website www.xmasjesenikopen.cz/en/List-of-registered/

The player who pays the starting fee and, if applicable, accommodation if provided by the organizer at Hotel M will be considered as the registered player.

The tournament will be held with a minimum of 40 registered players by 31.10.2024 otherwise the tournament will be cancelled without refund and the starting fee will be refunded to those who have registered and the payment for accommodation if provided by the organizer in Hotel M.

If the number of registered players reaches 90, due to limited capacity of the playing hall, additional entries will be entered as substitutes only and will be only in the event of a withdrawal of a player who has already registered.

A refreshment buffet will be open for participants and guests at the playing hall during the tournament.

B) CHRISTMAS RAPID TOURNAMENT

- DATE:** 25th December 2024
- PLACE:** Hotel M - playing hall → meeting room and dining room
Secondary School of Industry Jeseník, Dukelska 1240/27, Jeseník
GPS: [50.2242258N, 17.1918458E](#)
- SYSTEM OF PLAY:** Swiss 9 rounds, 12 min. with an increment of 3 sec/move. Waiting time: 12 min.
Auxiliary evaluation in case of equality of points: in case of equality of points, the tie-breaker is the better ranking result in mutual games between the players in question, Buchholz shortened by the result of the opponent with the lowest score, Buchholz, Sonneborn-Berger system, multiple black and moose.
- RULES:** Played according to FIDE Laws of Chess, using Appendix A for rapid chess.
An unacceptable move is punished by adding one minute to the opponent, the game is lost after the same player completes a second illegal move in the same game. Results will be counted for FIDE rapid ELO.
- TIME SCHEDULE:** 10:00 - 10:45 presentation
11:00 - 16:30 rounds 1 to 9
16:45 - 17:00 expected ending with announcement of results
- STARTING FEE:** 150 CZK - participants of the main tournament XMAS JESENÍK OPEN 2024
300 CZK - others
- TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:** Koritak Pavel, tel.: +420 775 246 471, e-mail: pav.kor@seznam.cz
- ARBITRATOR:** Koritak Pavel
- PRIZES:** 1st place - **2.000 CZK**, 2nd place - **1.000 CZK**, 3rd place - **500 CZK**,
best woman - **500 CZK**, best senior (1959 and older) - **500 CZK**,
best player up to 1900 ELO - **500 CZK** and up to 1700 ELO - **500 CZK**
There are also trophies and prizes for the winners including the winners of the categories boys and girls up to 8, 10, 12, 14, 18 years.
Price overlap is possible!
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C) NEW YEAR'S EVE BLITZ TOURNAMENT

- DATE:** 31st December 2024
- PLACE:** Hotel M - playing hall → meeting room and dining room
Secondary School of Industry Jeseník, Dukelska 1240/27, Jeseník
GPS: 50.2242258N, 17.1918458E
- SYSTEM OF PLAY:** Swiss 12 rounds, 3 min. with an increment of 2 sec/move. Waiting time: 3 min.
Auxiliary evaluation in case of equality of points: in case of equality of points, the tie-breaker is the better ranking result in mutual games between the players in question, Buchholz shortened by the result of the opponent with the lowest score, Buchholz, Sonneborn-Berger system, multiple black and moose.
- RULES:** Played according to FIDE Laws of Chess, using Appendix B for blitz chess.
An unacceptable move is punished by adding one minute to the opponent, the game is lost after the same player completes a second illegal move in the same game. Results will be counted for FIDE blitz ELO.
- TIME SCHEDULE:** 19:15 - 20:00 attendance
20:15 - 23:15 Rounds 1 to 12
23:30 - 23:45 expected ending with announcement of results
- STARTING FEE:** 150 CZK - participants of the main tournament XMAS JESENÍK OPEN 2024
300 CZK - others
- TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:** Koritak Pavel, tel.: +420 775 246 471, e-mail: pav.kor@seznam.cz
- ARBITRATOR:** Koritak Pavel
- PRIZES:** 1st place - **2.000 CZK**, 2nd place - **1.000 CZK**, 3rd place - **500 CZK**,
best woman - **500 CZK**, best senior (1959 and older) - **500 CZK**,
best player up to 1900 ELO - **500 CZK** and up to 1700 ELO - **500 CZK**
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- by phone to the Tournament Director **+420 775 246 471**
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The organizer reserves the right to change the regulations or cancel the tournament for serious reasons.