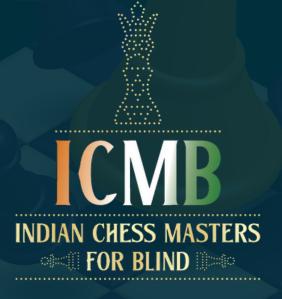








ZONAL PROSPECTUS



INDIAN CHESS MASTERS FOR BLIND - 2024/25

UNDER THE AEGIS OF

INTERNATIONAL MIND SPORTS ASSOCIATION







TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE

SOUTH 1 DEC '24 Karnataka, Kerala, Lakshadweep

ZONAL FINAL: BENGALURU (18-18 December '24)

NORTH & EAST JAN '25 Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Uttarakhand, J&K, Delhi, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Mizoram, Odisha, Arunachal Pradesh, Tripura, Manipur, Ladakh, Chandigarh, Delhi, Jharkhand, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal, Sikkim, Assam, Meghalaya & Nagaland ZONAL FINAL: NCR

WEST FEB '25 Goa, Gujarat, Maharashtra, Daman & Diu, Dadra & Nagar Haveli

ZONAL FINAL: MUMBAI

SOUTH 2 MARCH '25 Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Puducherry, Andaman & Nicobar Islands

ZONAL FINAL: CHENNAI

ICMB
NATIONALS
APRIL '25

DELHI







TOURNAMENT DETAILS

POINTS	DETAILS
Format / Rounds	Classical
Time Control	30 minutes + 30 seconds
Platform	www.tornelo.com
Zone 1 Dates	Online Qualifiers: Held via AICFB
	ICMB Zonal Finals: 18-19 December 2024
Total Prize Pool	INR 3,37,000/-
System of Play	Swiss League
Default Time	Full-Time
Eligibility	Open for all (No age restriction)
Rules	All Latest FIDE and IBCA Rules Shall Apply
Rights to Admission	The Organising Committee reserve the rights of participation & venue.







TOURNAMENT DETAILS

- Only visually challenged players verified by AICFB are allow to participate in the ICMB.
- Sixteen players will be selected from each zonal championship conducted by AICFB in 2024. However, if any of the top 4 players from the previous AICFB National Chess Championship belong to a specific zone, the number of available spots for that zone will be reduced accordingly. This ensures balanced representation across zones while honoring the achievements of top-performing players.

Notes

- Two Players from each zonal final will be selected to play SOG GrandMasters Series Nationals.
- During Zonal Finals, a player is forbidden to carry a mobile phone and/or any other electronic devices (including all type of wrist watch) in the playing venue in his pocket/body. If it is evident that a player had such a device during the game in his pocket even in switch off mode or battery removed, he/she shall lose the game. The opponent shall win. No bags will be allowed inside the tournament hall.
- Indian Chess Masters for Blind is a free registration tournament.
 No registration fees will be applicable.







PRIZE POOL DISTRIBUTION

Leader board Position	Prize Money
1	INR 1, 50, 000
2	INR 75, 000
3	INR 20, 000
4	INR 20, 000
5	INR 10, 000
6	INR 10, 000
7	INR 10, 000
8	INR 10, 000
9	INR 4000
10	INR 4000
11	INR 4000
12	INR 4000
13	INR 4000
14	INR 4000
15	INR 4000
16	INR 4000

^{*}Prize Money distribution will be subject to all applicable government tax forms as may be required to receive the prize.*







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