

Radisson 

26. - 30. Dezember 2017

27. ERFURTER SCHACHFESTIVAL



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Above the roofs of Erfurt!



Playing chess in classy ambiance, with a breathtaking view from the Radisson Blu panorama floor - the second highest place of Erfurt

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| Host | ESV Lok Sömmerda - in cooperation with the Radisson Blu Hotel Erfurt | |
| Venue | Radisson Blu Hotel Erfurt ✉ Juri-Gagarin-Ring 127, 99084 Erfurt ☎ (0361) 5510-0 ☎ (0361) 5510-210 📧 info.erfurt@radissonblu.com / www.radisson-erfurt.de | |
| Date | 26th to 30th December 2017 | |
| Organisation | Daniel Wanzek, Hartmut Seele | Website - Klaus Steffan |
| Administration | Daniel Wanzek (FA) | IT - Matthias Jakob |
| Arbiters | Gregor Johann (IA), Albrecht Beer (NA), Bernd Mißbach (NA), Wolfgang Gerard (NA) et al. | |
| Masters Tourn. (MT) 26.-30.12.2017 DWZ or ELO > 1900 | Mode: 8 rounds CH-System, 2 h / 40 moves + 30 min for the rest of the game; ELO- & DWZ-assessment; entry fee: 55 €, junior until 18 & women: 40 € / <i>main awarding: Hort (capped)</i> Prizes: 1st Place 1.027 € , 2nd Place 700 €, 3rd Place 500 €, 4th Place 350 €, 5th Place 250 €, 6th Place 200 €, 7th Place 150 €, 8th Place 100 €, 27th Place 50 €, non-cash prizes / exceptional prizes: 100 € for the best woman, senior, junior under 18, DWZ under 2200 and under 2050 / Personal Registration: on the 26 th from 2:00 to 5:00 pm / <i>Special feature: There is the opportunity to start into the tournament in round 2 without a struggle but with a half point for round 1. But then, there is a compulsory attendance on the 27th until 9:15 am.</i> | |
| Main Tourn. (HT) 26.-30.12.2017 DWZ < 2000 | Mode: 8 rounds CH-System, 2 h / 40 moves + 30 min for the rest of the game; ELO- & DWZ-assessment; entry fee: 45 €, junior until 18 & women: 30 € Prizes: 1st Place 350 € , 2nd Place 250 €, 3rd Place 200 €, 4th Place 150 €, 5th Place 120 €, 6th Place 80 €, 27th Place 40 €, non-cash prizes / exceptional prizes : 70 € for the best woman, senior, junior under 18, DWZ under 1850 and under 1650 Personal Registration: on the 26 th from 2:00 to 5:00 pm / <i>Special feature: There is the opportunity to start into the tournament in round 2 without a struggle but with a half point for round 1. But then, there is a compulsory attendance on the 27th until 9:15 am.</i> | |
| Amateur Tourn. (AT) 27.-30.12.2017 DWZ < 1600 | Mode: 7 rounds CH-System, 2 h / 40 moves + 30 min for the rest of the game; DWZ-assessment; entry fee: 35 €, junior until 18 & women: 25 € Prizes: 1st Place 150 € , 2nd Place 100 €, 3rd Place 75 €, 4th Place 50 €, 27th Place 30 €, non-cash prizes / exceptional prizes: non-cash prizes for the best woman, senior, junior under 18, DWZ under 1400 and under 1200 / Personal Registration: on the 27 th from 8:30 to 9:30 | |
| Senior Tourn. (ST) 26.-30.12.2017 Born 1957 older | Mode: 5 rounds CH-System, 2 h / 40 moves + 30 min for the rest of the game; ELO- & DWZ-assessment; entry fee: 30 €, women: 20 € Prizes: 1st Place 150 € , 2nd Place 100 €, 3rd Place 75 €, 4th Place 50 €, 27th Place 30 €, non-cash prizes / Personal Registration: on the 26 th from 2:00 to 5:00 pm | |

☞ Turn me round! ☺

General Information



- GM, IM, WGM, WIM & players with a rating higher than 2400 with no entry fee; FM, WFM & players with a rating 2300-2400 with half of the entry fee.
 - There are special conditions for a restricted number of titulars.
 - The **prize pool of 6.177 € (36 cash prizes)** is guaranteed with at least 200 paying players.
 - In additional non-cash prizes with a value of approx. 4.000 €.
 - The 1st to the 3rd place in each tournament get in additional a trophy of **lead crystal**.
 - **Celebrating prizes** in each round in each tournament.
 - 2nd valuation: Buchholz (one result won't be counted), 3rd valuation: Sonneborn-Berger.
 - Every player is only able to get one prize and has to join the award ceremony to get it.
 - Time tolerance is 1 hour.
 - The entry fee must be transferred until the 15th of December. After: + 5 €. On-Site: + 10 €.
 - With at least 5 participants per chess club: every player gets 5 € back on-site.
 - If announcement & entry fee is payed until 1st of December: You will get a **personal gift**.
 - We will be holding a drawing for a coupon to get a **1.027 €** rebate on the Panama Canal cruise from May 10th to May25th 2018 carried out by Schachreisen Jörg Hickl.
- All interested players of the festival can participate in the drawing.

Timetable



| | MT | HT | AT | ST |
|---------------------------|------------------|----|----|----|
| 26.12. 6:00 pm | Opening ceremony | | | |
| 6:30 pm - 11:30 pm | 1 | 1 | | 1 |
| 27.12. 10:00 am - 3:00 pm | 2 | 2 | 1 | |
| 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| 28.12. 10:00 am - 3:00 pm | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm | 5 | 5 | 4 | |
| 29.12. 10:00 am - 3:00 pm | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 |
| 4:00 pm - 9:00 pm | 7 | 7 | 6 | |
| 30.12. 09:30 am - 2:30 pm | 8 | 8 | 7 | 5 |
| 3:15 pm | Award ceremony | | | |

Registration

Registration should be done at www.erfurter-schachfestival.de. It is also possible to register via e-mail, telephone, post or on-site. The pre-registration is advisable because the number of participants is limited to 444. Last year, we reached that limit with **439 participants!**

Contact

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Bank transfer of the entry fee

Account holder: ESV Lok Sömmerda, Sparkasse Mittelthüringen /
 IBAN: DE21 8205 1000 0163 0588 90, BIC: HELADEF1WEM /
 Application: 27th ESF + participant's name + tournament (MT, HT, AT or ST)

Social Program

Cube-Blitz Chess Tournament & sundry Card Tournaments

Catering



Attractive offer of coffee & other drinks right in front of the tournament hall. Furthermore, the hotel offers specials for chess players in there restaurants and bars. Every evening there will be a happy hour.

Accommodation



Stay at players' hotel, the only hotel of Art in Erfurt, with just a few minutes to go to the historical old town or to the main shopping boulevard "Anger" within spitting distance:
 **** Superior Art-Hotel Radisson Blu in the heart of Erfurt.
 ✉ Juri-Gagarin-Ring 127, 99084 Erfurt ☎ (0361) 55 10-292 resp. -293 (Mo-Fr 8 am-7 pm)
 📞 (0361) 55 10-210 📧 info.erfurt@radissonblu.com / www.radisson-erfurt.de
 There are special conditions for participants. Reservations should be made with the hotel directly with the keyword "Erfurter Schachfestival".
 Special prices (additionally 5 % cultural tax on top of the gross price to the City of Erfurt)
 - economy class: Sgl. B&B 68 €; Dbl. B&B 90 € - superior class: Sgl. B&B 83 €; Dbl. B&B 105 €
 - business class: Sgl. B&B 98 €; Dbl. B&B 120 € - junior suite: Sgl. B&B 113 €; Dbl. B&B 135 €
 The using of fitness room and sauna (above the roofs of Erfurt) is implied for 5 € for the whole stay. / *All participants who make the reservation until 30th of Nov., take part in a prize draw. Prize: 1 weekend at the Radisson Blu Erfurt (2 persons including 2 Bed & Breakfast)*

Arrival



via plane: airport Erfurt-Weimar, 20 minutes with the tram 4 to the station "Anger"
 via car: signposting „Altstadt/Zentrum“, the hotel is in opposite to the "Anger 1"
 via train: approx. 1 km to go from Erfurt main station, 1 station with tram 1,3,4,5,6 to „Anger“