

Rules of the XI EEM Active Chess Tournament

Version 1.0

1. **Day and time:** Sunday, May 24, 2026 at 09:30 a.m.
2. **Location:** Sala d'Exposicions de Ca n'Oliveres. Av. de Joaquim Barnola i Bassols, 24 - Martorell.
(adapted for people with functional diversity).
3. The competition system will be Swiss in nine rounds.
 - . Sunday morning 5 rounds (round 1 at 09:30 a.m.).
 - . Sunday afternoon 4 rounds (round 6 at 4:00 p.m.).
4. The pace of play will be **15 minutes per player + 5 seconds increment per play**.
5. Valid for (rapid) fide and catalan ratings. Participants will need to have a valid FIDE license (and feda license for Spanish players).
6. Tournament valid for the **XXII Catalan Circuit of International Chess Opens**.
7. The time to reach the game will be until the player's flag falls.
8. The breaks requested by the participants will be scored with 0 points.
9. Players who do not show up for a round without notice or just cause will be eliminated.
10. The tournament director will be Joaquín Lacasta Palacio.
11. The main referee will be IA Manel Navarro Pérez
12. There will be no Competition Committee. The decisions of the main referee will be final. Complaints about a decision of the main referee will not prevent the development of the competition and will be sent after the tournament to the FCE Competition Committee.
13. **Registration:**
 - General: 28 Euros.
 - With payment until April 30, 2026: 20 Euros.
 - People with functional diversity recognized by the FCE: 20 Euros.
 - Players invited by the organization are exempt from paying the registration fee.
 - Registrations will not be valid until payment of the registration fees has been received for transfer to Triodos Bank account IBAN: **ES18 1491 0001 2721 7799 7620**
 - BIC/SWIFT: TRIOESMMXXX (Holder: Club Escacs Escac Mat),
indicating the name and surname of the player.
 - Deadline for registration:** Wednesday 20 May at 11 pm.
 - WhatsApp: **+34 644.49.34.98**
 - Web: <http://eem.clubescacs.cat/actius2026>
 - The organization reserves the right to admit registrations, for well-founded reasons.
14. The order of the tie-breaker systems will be drawn at the end of the last round between:
 - Recursive Rating performance.
 - Performance.
 - Rating average of the opponents (minus the two worst).

15. Prizes:

<p>Champion: 300 € + Trophy. 2nd place: 200 € + Trophy. 3rd place: 120 € + Trophy. 4th place: 100 € + Medal 5th place: 90 €. + Medal</p> <p>1st stage 2400 – 2250: 60 € + Medal. 2nd stage 2400 – 2250: 40 € + Medal.</p> <p>1st stage 2249 – 2100: 60 € + Medal. 2nd stage 2249 – 2100: 40 € + Medal.</p> <p>1st stage 2099 – 1950: 60 € + Medal. 2nd tram 2099 – 1950: 40 € + Medal</p> <p>1st stage 1949 – 1800: 60 € + Medal. 2nd stage 1949 – 1800: 40 € + Medal.</p> <p>1st stage 1799 – 1650: 60 € + Medal. 2nd section 1799 – 1650: 40 € + Medal.</p> <p>1st section until 1649: 60 € + Medal. 2nd section until 1649: 40 € + Medal.</p>	<p>Best over 60 years old: Medal.</p> <p>Best Under 16: Medal.</p> <p>Best Under 14: Medal.</p> <p>Best Under 12: Medal.</p> <p>Best Sub 10: Medal.</p> <p>Best Sub 8: Medal.</p>
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The awards ceremony will be on the same day, at approximately 7:30 p.m.

The prizes will not be cumulative. The most valuable will be given.

The fast Elo fide will be used, if you don't have one, the standard Elo fide will be used and if you don't have the fast Catalan Elo.

Personal Income Tax withholding will be applied in accordance with current legislation.

The prizes will be paid by **bank transfer** to the account number indicated by the prize winner. In order to collect the prizes, it is essential to present your DNI, NIE or passport. In the case of underage players, the prize will be collected by their legal representatives.

16. Players must have their mobile phones and/or any other electronic means of communication completely switched off. If it is proven that a player is connected or makes use of an electronic communication device, he will automatically lose the game. If the mobile rings the game will be lost.

17. The participants in the tournament, or their legal guardians in the case of minors, authorise the publication of their personal data, photos, sound and filming in the media that the organisation deems appropriate for the dissemination of the event.

18. The tournament has official complaint sheets.

19. In case of cancellation of the tournament, the responsibility of the organizer will be limited to the refund of the registration fees that have been charged.

20. Any point not provided for in these regulations will be resolved by applying the regulations of FIDE, FCE and the Catalan Circuit of International Opens.

21. Participation in the tournament implies the total acceptance of these rules by the player.

22. The final regulations will be written in Catalan that will be hung in the gaming room.

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