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– ORGANIZATION

THE III INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT "MAIA CHESS FESTIVAL" 2019 TAKES PLACE SEPTEMBER 8 2019 AND IS ORGANIZED BY PORTO CHESS ASSOCIATION WITH SUPPORT FROM MAIA CHESS ACADEMY AND MAIA CITY COUNCIL (CÂMARA MUNICIPAL DA MAIA E JUNTA DE FREGUESIA DA CIDADE DA MAIA).

– PLACE AND TIMETABLE

THE TOURNAMENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT "ESCOLA PRÍNCIPE DA BEIRA" R. DR. ANTÓNIO JOSÉ DE ALMEIDA, ([HTTPS://GOO.GL/MAPS/54DPMRMHTKY](https://goo.gl/maps/54DPMRMHTKY)) AT MAIA (GUEIFÃES).

10H30	WELCOME CEREMONY
11H00	1ST ROUND
11H45	2ND ROUND
14H30	3RD ROUND
15H15	4TH ROUND
16H00	5TH ROUND
16H45	6TH ROUND
17H45	7TH ROUND
18H30	8TH ROUND

– PARTICIPANTS

THE III INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT "MAIA CHESS FESTIVAL" 2019 IS OPEN TO ALL PLAYERS REGISTERED IN THE PORTUGUESE CHESS FEDERATION. REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN PLAYERS CAN BE ARRANGED, WITH COSTS SUPPORTED BY THE PLAYERS.

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– SYSTEM OF PLAY

THE III INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT "MAIA CHESS FESTIVAL" WILL BE AN 8-ROUND SWISS TOURNAMENT. SWISS MANAGER SOFTWARE WILL BE USED FOR PAIRING.. DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS, THE NUMBER OF ROUNDS MAY BE ADJUSTED. EACH PLAYER WILL HAVE 15 MINUTES WITH A 5-SECOND INCREMENT FROM THE START OF THE GAME. THE TOURNAMENT WILL BE VALID TO ELO FIDE. IF LESS THAN 70 PLAYERS ARE PRESENT, ONLY 7 ROUNDS WILL BE PLAYED.

THE FIDE CHESS GAME LAWS, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018, WILL BE FOLLOWED. APPENDIX A.4 APPLIES.

A PLAYER WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM THE TOURNAMENT IN THE EVENT OF TWO NO-SHOWS.

– REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION IS TO BE SENT TO: GERAL.AXP@GMAIL.COM WITH THE FOLLOWING DATA:

NAME, BIRTH DATE, CLUB (IF PLAYER IS PART OF A CLUB) AND PROOF OF PAYMENT BY BANK TRANSFER TO:

ASSOCIAÇÃO DE XADREZ DO PORTO, IBAN PT50 0010 0000 3315 6620 0018 1.
INVOICE WILL BE PROVIDED IF A FISCAL NUMBER (NIF) IS SENT.

ONCE THE VENUE MAXIMUM CAPACITY IS REACHED, NO MORE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED. THE ORGANIZERS RETAIN THE RIGHT OF REFUSING A REGISTRATION.

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REGISTRATION FEES ARE ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING TABLE:

	UNTIL JULY 31 2019	UNTIL SEPTEMBER 1 2019	UNTIL SEPTEMBER 7 2019
GERAL	10€	12€	15€
U16, VET. +65, NM, FM	5€	6€	10€
GM, IM	0€	0€	10€

LATE REGISTRATION (PRIOR TO FIRST PAIRING) HAS A 20 EURO FEE TO ALL PLAYERS.

– TIE-BREAK CRITERIA

IF TWO OR MORE PLAYERS GET THE SAME NUMBER OF POINTS THEN THEIR FINAL PLACEMENT WILL BE DETERMINED BY SUCCESSIVE APPLICATION OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

A) RESULT BETWEEN TIED PLAYERS, PROVIDED THEY HAVE PLAYED AGAINST EACH OTHER [11];

B) CORRECTED BUCHHOLZ [37] (1,0,N,N,0,N);

C) COMPLETE BUCHHOLZ [37] (0,0,N,N,0,N);

D) JONNEBORN-BERGER [52] (0,0,N,N,0,N,N);

E) HIGHER NUMBER OF WINS [68];

F) HIGHER NUMBER OF GAMES WITH BLACK [53];

G) RANDOM DRAW.

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– **DIRECTORS AND REFEREES**

DIRECTION AND REFEREE TEAMS WILL BE APPOINTED BY PORTO CHESS ASSOCIATION.

– **PRIZES AND PARTICIPATION SUPPORT**

THE FOLLOWING SUPPORT WILL BE OFFERED TO THE PLAYERS

GENERAL PRIZES		SPECIAL PRIZES	
1ST GENERAL	250 (+TROPHY)	1ST ^O AND 2ND AX	20€ E 15€
2ND GENERAL	150 (+ TROPHY)		
3RD GENERAL	100 (+TROPHY)	1ST AND 2ND WO-	20€ E 15€
4TH GENERAL	70€		
5TH GENERAL	40€	1ST AND 2ND ELO < 2000	20€ E 15€
6TH GENERAL	20€	1ST AND 2ND ELO < 1750	20€ E 15€
7TH GENERAL	20€	1ST AND 2ND ELO < 1500	20€ E 15€
8TH GENERAL	20€	1ST E 2ND ELO < 1250	20€ E 15€
9TH GENERAL	20€		
10TH GERAL	20€	THE PRIZES	ARE NOT CUMULATIVE

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AX PORTO PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO PLAYERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF ASSOCIATION CLUBS AND HAVE PLAYED TWO OR MORE DISTRICT EVENTS.

UNDER 2000 WILL BE AWARDED TO PLAYERS WHOSE SEMI-FAST LINK IS BETWEEN 1750 AND 1999.

UNDER 1750 WILL BE AWARDED TO PLAYERS WHOSE SEMI-FAST LINK IS BETWEEN 1500 AND 1749.

UNDER 1500 WILL BE AWARDED TO PLAYERS WHOSE SEMI-FAST LINK IS BETWEEN 1250 AND 1499.

UNDER 1250 WILL BE AWARDED TO PLAYERS WHOSE SEMI-FAST LINK IS 1249 OR LESS.

IN THE CASE OF PLAYERS WITH CLASSIC BUT NOT RAPID RATINGS, THE CLASSIC RATING WILL BE CONSIDERED IN THE INITIAL ORDER AND IN DETERMINING PRIZES

MONETARY SUPPORT IS NOT CUMULATIVE. IF A PLAYER QUALIFIES FOR MORE THAN ONE SPECIAL MONETARY SUPPORT, HE WILL BE ENTITLED TO THE HIGHER MONETARY VALUE.

AGE AWARDS

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE TOP 3 IN THE UNDER-18, UNDER-16, UNDER-14, UNDER-12 AND UNDER-10 LEVELS.

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SOCCER BALLS WILL BE DRAWN FROM PARTICIPANTS BORN IN 2007 OR LATER.
PARTICIPATION AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN TO ALL PARTICIPANTS BORN IN 2010 OR
AFTER THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED ANY AWARDS OR PARTICIPATION GRANTS.

THE PLAYER WHO IS NOT PRESENT AT THE PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY LOSES THE RIGHT
TO THE PRIZES

– **APPEAL COMMITTEE**

THE CHAIRPERSON AND OTHER APPEALS COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED
BEFORE THE TOURNAMENT STARTS.

– **APPEALS PROCEDURE**

PROTESTS AGAINST THE CHIEF REFEREE'S DECISIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING
TO THE APPEAL COMMITTEE CHAIR WITHIN ONE HOUR AFTER THE END OF THE MATCH.
THE PROTEST MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A DEPOSIT OF 100 €, AS SECURITY. THE BOND
SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE APPEAL COMMITTEE. IF THE APPEAL IS
SUCCESSFUL, THE DEPOSIT WILL BE RETURNED. IF THE APPEAL IS UNSUCCESSFUL, THE
BOND WILL BE DELIVERED TO THE PORTO CHESS ASSOCIATION. THE APPEAL MUST BE
BROUGHT BY THE PLAYER. THE DECISIONS OF THE APPEAL COMMITTEE ARE FINAL.

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– FINAL DISPOSITIONS

PARTICIPATION IN THE TOURNAMENT IMPLIES FULL ACCEPTANCE OF THESE RULES. PARTICIPANTS AUTHORIZE THE ORGANIZATION TO USE THE PERSONAL DATA PROVIDED, AS WELL AS PHOTOS OR VIDEOS, FOR THE PURPOSES RELATED TO THE MANAGEMENT OF THE TOURNAMENT AND ITS DISSEMINATION ON THE INTERNET AND THE MEDIA

ANYTHING NOT PROVIDED FOR IN THIS REGULATION WILL BE RESOLVED BY APPLYING THE FIDE OR FDX REGULATIONS. ANY SITUATIONS THAT STILL REMAIN WILL BE RESOLVED BY THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTORATE, WHO WILL USE YOUR BEST DISCRETION TO DECIDE WHAT IS BEST FOR THE TOURNAMENT.

THE OFFICIAL VERSION OF THE REGULATION IS PORTUGUESE, ENGLISH BEING A TRANSLATION.

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