

## **3RD BANK WINDHOEK NAMIBIA NATIONAL JUNIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2010:**

1. **VENUE:** Windhoek at the David Bezuidenhout High School—School Hall, Paul van Harte Street, Khomasdal, Windhoek.
2. **EVENT DATE:** 26 June 2010
3. **REGISTRATION:** 21 June 2010 - 25 June 2010.

**A) REGISTRATION TIMES:** 24 hours a day, via fax or e-mail or online.

**B) REGISTRATION FEES**

**U/8 & U/10 = N\$30.00**

**U/12, U/14 & U16 = N\$40.00**

**U/18 & U/20 = N\$60.00**

**WHO MAY PARTICIPATE: ONLY CHESS PLAYERS OF PAID UP CHESS CLUBS MAY PARTICIPATE**

**Visit our website <http://namchess.blogspot.com> to register your chess club.**

**4. EVENT SCHEDULE:**

**Welcome and Opening - 26 June 2010:** 8h30 – NCF & Bank Windhoek.

Announcements

Round 1 : 9h00-9h40

Round 2 : 10h00-10h40

Round 3 : 11h00-11h40

Lunch Break:11h40-12h40

Round 4 : 13h00-13h40

Round 5 : 14h00-14h40

Round 6 : 15h00-15h40

Round 7 : 16h00-16h40

**Closing Ceremony and Prize Giving:** 26 June at 17h20.

NB: The winner of the U/20 section will be the overall winner. Should a player wish to play in this open section they may do so. Any player of a younger age group may play in any other age groups above them. Players may not change once they have registered to play under a certain age group. The registration fees will remain as indicated above.

## 5. SYSTEM AND RATE OF PLAY:

The championship format will be a SWISS System tournament played over 7 (Seven Rounds) Rate of play will be 40 minutes for the entire game (20 minutes per player).

## 6. PAIRING AND TIE BREAK SYSTEM:

Swiss Perfect will be used for the pairings. Please note that the breaks between rounds will be used to do the pairings according to the **SWISS SYSTEM**. TIE-BREAK, Direct encounter, Progressive Score and Median Bucholz, will be applied. If players are still tied, then 1 game of Armageddon (5 minutes for black and 6 minutes for white) will be played.

## 7. NATIONAL CHESS RATINGS:

A chess player who does not have a national rating will receive a rating based on his/her performance against rated players.

## 8. WHO MAY PARTICIPATE?

All minors U/20 years of age according to FIDE Standards.

## 9. 3rd BANK WINDHOEK NAMIBIA NATIONAL JUNIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (Closed) 23,24,25 JULY 2010.

The 1st six Namibian winners of all age groups in this event will be invited to the closed championship from 23,24,25 July 2010. The winner of this event will be the Namibian Junior Chess Champion of Namibia.

## 10. SPONSORSHIP AND PRIZE MONIES:

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## INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUP PRIZES:

U/8 1st Prize = N\$ 200.00  
U/8 2nd Prize = N\$ 150.00  
U/8 3rd Prize = N\$ 100.00

U/10 1st Prize = N\$250.00  
U/10 2nd Prize = N\$200.00  
U/10 3rd Prize = N\$150.00

U/12 1st Prize = N\$300.00  
U/12 2nd Prize = N\$250.00  
U/12 3rd Prize = N\$200.00

# **INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUP PRIZES:**

**U/14 1st Prize = N\$400.00**

**U/14 2nd Prize = N\$350.00**

**U/14 3rd Prize = N\$300.00**

**U/16 1st Prize = N\$500.00**

**U/16 2nd Prize = N\$450.00**

**U/16 3rd Prize = N\$400.00**

**U/18 1st Prize = N\$600.00**

**U/18 2nd Prize = N\$550.00**

**U/18 3rd Prize = N\$500.00**

**U/20 1st Prize = N\$1,000.00**

**U/20 2nd Prize = N\$ 800.00**

**U/20 3rd Prize = N\$ 600.00**

**There will be no sharing of prizes. All age group prize winners will also receive medals.**

**N\$ 6,000.00 for the Closed event 23,24 and 25 July 2010.**

General Rules:

1. Silence at all times.
2. Cell phones should be switch off inside the playing hall at all times. If a players cell phone rings he or she will forfeit the game.
3. No assistance to chess players will be allowed during their games.
4. Touch is a move, unless the piece has no legal moves.
5. Any player who make themselves guilty of rude behavior will be disqualified with immediate effect.

Late registration will be any registration which reaches the NCF after 16h00 on Thursday 25 June 2010. Such players will only be paired in the second round and will start with zero points.

The rapid rules of FIDE will apply during this event.

The local organizing committee are Max Nitzborn, Josef Nitzborn and Goodwill Khoa. Teachers from the various schools who intends to participate should nominate a teacher to assist as an Arbiter at the event. All complaints should be directed to the LOC members and their decision is final.

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