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## 20<sup>th</sup> MALAYSIAN CHESS FESTIVAL 2025 - SCHEDULE

Event 1	12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup> Sep	SMS DEEN MERDEKA OPEN RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 2	12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup> Sep	DTCN MERDEKA JUNIOR (UNDER-12) TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 3	13 <sup>th</sup> Sep	MERDEKA BLITZ CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 4	14 <sup>th</sup> Sep	DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (UNDER 06/08/10/12/14/16)
Event 5	15 <sup>th</sup> – 21st Sep	20 <sup>th</sup> DATO ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 6		DANIEL YONG CHEN-I MEMORIAL MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE
Event 7		DTCN INTERNATIONAL SENIORS' OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 8	16 <sup>th</sup> Sep	DTCN MALAYSIA DAY AGE GROUP (OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 & 18)
Event 9	21st Sep	FESTIVAL BLITZ CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

The venue for all events this year will be KL Gateway Mall,  
 Lot L3.01 & 02, 2, Jalan Kerinchi, Kampung Kerinchi,  
 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan  
 Train: LRT Kelana Jaya Line-(KJ19) KL Gateway, Universiti



ONLINE REGISTRATION CODE



<http://register-datchesscentre.com/>

Early Bird Entry Fees (Before 1 Aug 2025) :  
 10% Discount ONLY for Event 5, 6 & 7



**EVENT 1**  
**SMS DEEN MERDEKA OPEN RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

**DUE TO SPACE CONSTRAINTS ONLY THE FIRST 50 PAID TEAMS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!**

The DAT Chess Centre will organize the SMS Deen Merdeka Rapid Open Team Chess Championship 2025 in KL Gateway Mall, A team will consist of 4 players. The time control is 20 mins + 5 seconds to finish.

Date	Program	Time	
12 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Fri)	Team Manager's Meeting	14:45	
	Round 1	15:00 - 16:00	
	Round 2	16:15 - 17:15	
	Round 3	17:30 - 18:30	
13 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sat)	Round 4	09:00 - 10:00	
	Round 5	10:15 - 11:15	
	Round 6	11:30 - 12:30	
	Lunch		
	Round 7	13:30 - 14:30	
	Round 8	14:45 - 15:45	
	Round 9	16:00 - 17:00	
	Prize Giving	17:30	
	<b>Merdeka Blitz</b>	<b>18:30</b>	
12 & 13 <sup>th</sup> Sep	DTCN MERDEKA JUNIOR (UNDER 12) TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP		
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sun)	DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (6,8,10,12,14 &16)	0900 - 18:00	
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Arrival) - 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sep (Departure)	20 <sup>th</sup> DATO ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP DATO TAN CHIN NAM SENIORS INTERNATIONAL OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP DANIEL YONG CHEN-I MEMORIAL MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE		

**OPEN SECTION - (MERDEKA Challenge Trophy)**

Champion:	Challenge Trophy + 4 Medals + RM 3,000	Best Malaysian Team	Trophy + Medal + RM 2,000
Second:	4 Medals + RM 2,000	2 Malaysian Team	RM 1,500
Third:	4 Medals + RM 1,000	3 Malaysian Team	RM 1,200
Fourth:	RM 750	*# Best State Team:	Trophy + Medal + RM 1,000
Fifth	RM 500	*Best Jr Team (U 16)	4 Gold Medals + RM 500
Sixth - Tenth	RM 400	*Best Ladies Team	4 Gold Medals + RM 500
Best Board Prizes	Medals for Board 1 - 4 (Gold / Silver & Bronze)		
*Best Government / *IPT / *School (+ IGB Secondary School Trophy) / *Family / *Veteran (>50) Team:			RM 400 each
* Subject to at least 3 teams playing & 50 % result.		# Malaysian Citizens - Born, Residing, Schooling or Working in the State and MCF State Registration	
* Government Team must be certified by the department /			
* School Team must be certified by the school. /* IPT must be certified by IPT			

Entry Fee – OPEN – RM 450	Entry Fee - JUNIOR (Under 16) – 350
Bank Account: DAT Chess Centre - Maybank Current A/C No: 5145 9822 0396, Jalan Bunus, 50100 K L, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL	

# Conditions for Participation

The average rating of the players in a team should not exceed 2250.

Example: Player A: 2500 - Player B: 2300 - Player C: 2200 - Player D: 2000 = 9000 ÷ 4 = 2250

Foreign Unrated players (in all 3 types of ratings) will be considered as 2000 and Local players (in all 3 types of ratings) as 1800 for calculation purposes. Sequence of Type of Ratings will be as follows:

1) FIDE Rapid Rtg, followed by 2) FIDE Standard Rtg, followed by 3) FIDE Blitz Rtg (FIDE September 2025 Rating List)

## SMS DEEN MERDEKA OPEN RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

Players should be registered as per board order upon submission. Changes in board order, change of names etc. will be surcharged @ RM 50 per change. Entry forms will not be accepted without the entry fees.

**CLOSING DATE: 1<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 BY 12:00 PM.**

**REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES AFTER THIS DATE WILL BE SURCHARGED RM 100**

**CHANGE OF BOARD ORDER, CHANGE OF NAMES ETC. WILL BE SURCHARGED RM 50 PER CHANGE**

**REGISTRATION WITHOUT NAMES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

TEAM NAME			
SPECIAL CATEGORY (E.g. – IPT, School, U 16, etc.)			
<b>PLAYERS (Full Name)</b> Players should be registered as per board order upon submission. Changes in board order, change of names etc. will be surcharged @ RM 50 per change.	BOARD 1		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 2		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 3		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 4		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
Team Captain Name			
ADDRESS			
TELEPHONE:		MOBILE:	
EMAIL			

\* Rapid / Standard / Blitz = Cross Out Rating that is not applicable

**Entry Fee – OPEN – RM 450**

**Entry Fee - JUNIOR (Under 16) - 350**

Bank Account: DAT Chess Centre - Maybank Current A/C No: 5145 9822 0396,  
Jalan Bunus, 50100 K L, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL

WE AGREE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CHAMPIONSHIP AND TO ABIDE BY ITS RULES AND REGULATIONS.

NAME OF CAPTAIN/MANAGER & SIGNATURE: -----

**CROSSED CHEQUE TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO: DAT CHESS CENTRE**

**DAT CHESS CENTRE - Official Receipt - Being payment for  
SMS DEEN MERDEKA OPEN RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

ONCE REGISTERED NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE

Received From (Team Name)			
Entry Fee – OPEN – RM 450	Entry Fee - JUNIOR (Under 16) – RM 350		

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Cash / Cheque No:

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DAT CHESS CENTRE

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Date



**EVENT 2**  
**DTCN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM JUNIOR (UNDER-12) CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

**DUE TO SPACE CONSTRAINTS ONLY THE FIRST 50 PAID TEAMS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!**

DAT Chess Centre will organize the DTCN Merdeka Rapid Open Team Chess Championship (Under-12) in KL Gateway Mall in Lot L3.01 & 02, 2, Jalan Kerinchi, Kampung Kerinchi, 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Wilayah Persekutuan. A team will consist of 4 players. The time control is 20 mins + 5 seconds to finish.

Date	Program	Time
12 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Fri)	Team Manager's Meeting	14:45
	Round 1	15:00 - 16:00
	Round 2	16:15 - 17:15
	Round 3	17:30 - 18:30
13 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sat)	Round 4	09:00 - 10:00
	Round 5	10:15 - 11:15
	Round 6	11:30 - 12:30
	Lunch	
	Round 7	13:30 - 14:30
	Round 8	14:45 - 15:45
	Round 9	16:00 - 17:00
	Prize Giving	17:30
	<b>Merdeka Blitz</b>	<b>18:30</b>
12 <sup>th</sup> - 13 <sup>th</sup> Sep	SMS Deen MERDEKA OPEN RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025	
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sun)	DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (6,8,10,12,14&16)	0900 - 18:00
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Arrival) - 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sep (Departure)	20 <sup>th</sup> DATO' ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP DATO TAN CHIN NAM SENIORS INTERNATIONAL OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP DANIEL YONG CHEN-I MEMORIAL MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE	

<b>EVENT 2 - DTCN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM JUNIOR (UNDER-12) CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP</b>			
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Medal Given as token to Coach, Teacher or Accompanying Parent!! - ONLY 4 PLAYERS TO BE REGISTERED</b>			
Champion:	Challenge Trophy + 5 Medals + RM 2,000	Best Board Prizes	Medal for Board 1 - 4 (G,S &B)
Second:	5 Medals + RM 1,500	*Best Girls Team	5 Gold Medals + RM 500
Third:	5 Medals + RM 1,000	*2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Girls Team	5 Gold Medals + RM 400
Fourth:	5 Medals + RM 750	*3 <sup>rd</sup> Best Girls Team	5 Gold Medals + RM 300
Fifth	5 Medals + RM 500	*Best Private School	5 Gold Medals + RM 300
Sixth - Tenth	X 4 Medals	*Best Govt School	5 Gold Medals + RM 300
<b>Special Medals x 4 &amp; Certificates for Best All U6, U8, U10 Teams !!</b>			
Best State	Challenge Trophy + 5 Medals + RM 1,000	*Family	4 Gold Medals = RM 300
<b>*Best School will be awarded the IGB JUNIOR CHALLENGE TROPHY</b>			
* Subject to at least 3 teams playing & 50 % result. * School Team must be certified by the school.			

Entry Fee - JUNIOR (Under 12) - RM 350

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## EVENT 2

### DTCN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM JUNIOR (UNDER-12) CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

Players should be registered as per board order upon submission. Changes in board order, change of names etc. will be surcharged @ RM 50 per change. Entries will not be accepted without the entry fees.

**CLOSING DATE: 1<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 BY 12:00 PM.**

**ENTRIES AFTER THIS WILL BE SURCHARGED RM 100**

**CHANGE OF BOARD ORDER, CHANGE OF NAMES ETC. WILL BE SURCHARGED RM 50 PER CHANGE**

**REGISTRATION WITHOUT NAMES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

TEAM NAME			
SPECIAL CATEGORY (E.g. – School, Family, Girls)			
<b>PLAYERS (Full Name)</b> Players should be registered as per board order upon submission. Changes in board order, change of names etc. will be surcharged @ RM 50 per change.	BOARD 1		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 2		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 3		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
	BOARD 4		FIDE Rating: (R/S/B) * = FIDE ID:
Team Captain Name:			
ADDRESS			
TELEPHONE:		MOBILE:	
EMAIL			

\* Rapid / Standard / Blitz = Cross Out Rating that is not applicable

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NAME OF CAPTAIN/MANAGER & SIGNATURE: .....

**CROSSED CHEQUE TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO: DAT CHESS CENTRE**

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Received From  
(Team Name)

Entry Fee - JUNIOR (Under 12) – RM 350

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Cash / Cheque No:

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DAT CHESS CENTRE

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Date



# EVENT 3

## Malaysian Chess Festival

### MERDEKA BLITZ 2025



Date: 13 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 (Saturday)	Venue: KL Gateway Mall
Format: 7-9 Rounds Swiss	Time: 18:30
Time Control: <b>3 min + 2 sec (increment)</b>	Entrance Fee: <b>RM 60</b>

Name	
Nationality	
FIDE ID	
FIDE Blitz Rating	
FIDE Rapid Rating	
FIDE Standard Rating	

PRIZES			
1	500	7 - 8	100
2	300	9	90
3	250	10 - 11	80
4	200	12 - 16	60
5 - 6	150	17 - 20	50



**RECEIPT FOR MERDEKA BLITZ 2025**

Received From: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Received As Above: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature



**EVENT 4**  
**DTCN OPEN RAPID AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

THE DAT CHESS CENTRE WILL ORGANIZE THIS EVENT ON: 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 (SUN) IN KL GATEWAY MALL,

**DUE TO SPACE CONSTRAINT ONLY THE FIRST 200 ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**TOURNAMENT: 6 Age Groups (Prizes will be Given for Boys & Girls)**  
**6 rounds SWISS, Time Control: 20 minutes + 5 seconds increment to finish**  
**ALL PLAYERS MUST PLAY IN THEIR OWN AGE-GROUPS!!**

U-06	Date of Birth	On or after 2019	U-12	Date of Birth	On or after 2013
U-08	Date of Birth	On or after 2017	U-14	Date of Birth	On or after 2011
U-10	Date of Birth	On or after 2015	U-16	Date of Birth	On or after 2009

**Participants are requested to bring along their I/C or B/C for verification.**

DATE	TIME	PROGRAMME
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2025 (Sun)	09:00 - 12:00	Round 1 - 3
	<b>12:00 - 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch-Time Chess Lecture</b>
	13:30 - 16:30	Round 4 - 6
	17:00	Prize Giving

**ENTRY FEES: RM 70.00 for all Age Groups. (Registration after closing date on 1<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 shall be RM140.00). ENTRIES AFTER 1<sup>st</sup> SEP 2025 WILL BE ACCEPTED ONLY AT THE DISCRETION OF THE ORGANIZERS.**

CATEGORY	PRIZES	BOYS (15 Medals)	GIRLS (10 MEDALS)
All Categories	Champion	Gold Medal	Gold Medal
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Silver Medal	Silver Medal
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bronze Medal	Bronze Medal
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	6 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	7 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	8 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	9 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	10 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	Medal
	11 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	
	13 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	
	14 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	
	15 <sup>th</sup>	Medal	

**Prize Winners in all Age Groups will also receive Certificates of Achievement.**

**Certificate of Participation will be given to all players**

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**Jalan Bonus, 50100 K L, Malaysia - SWIFT : MBBEMYKL**

**DTCN OPEN RAPID AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

**ENTRY FORM (CLOSING DATE: 1 SEP 2025)**

ENTRY FEE: RM 70.00 – LATE ENTRY (AFTER 1 SEP 2025) = RM 140.00)

**PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY IN BLOCK LETTERS**

NAME :  
(Follow I/C)


RATING:

FIDE ID (if available): ↓	FIDE RATING (if available): ↓

CATEGORY  
Please tick

MALE		AGE GROUP	UNDER -
FEMALE			

I.C NO / . :  
B.C NO.


AGE: ----- DATE OF BIRTH: -----

ADDRESS: -----

----- POSTCODE: -----

TEL.NO: ----- E-MAIL: -----

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: -----

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DAT Chess Centre – Official Receipt

**DTCN OPEN RAPID AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

ONCE REGISTERED NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE

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Jalan Bunus, 50100 K L, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: -----

Received by: ----- Date: -----



**EVENT 5 – 20<sup>th</sup> DATO ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025**

This 9 Round individual tournament is open to all players. FIDE rules and regulations will apply. The tournament will be FIDE rated. The Swiss Manager Program will be used for pairings. The games will be played according to the schedule below. Time Control is 90 minutes + 30 seconds increment from move 1. All mobile phones & electronic devices are banned in the tournament hall. **PLAYERS WITHOUT A FIDE ID. NO WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**

All officials & players should be smartly attired in the playing hall. The Organizer reserves the right to reject entries.

12 – 13 Sep (Fri & Sat)	SMS DEEN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025 DTCN MERDEKA RAPID JUNIOR (U-12) TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sun)	13 <sup>th</sup> DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

**THE SCHEDULE – 20<sup>th</sup> DATO ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

15 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Mon)	Arrival Players Meeting Round 1	1300 1500
16 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Tue)	<b>MALAYSIA DAY!! FREE DAY!!</b> <b>DTCN MALAYSIA DAY AGE GROUP (OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 &amp; 18)</b>	12:00 - 1800
17 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Wed)	Round 2 & Round 3	09:00 & 15:00
18 Sep (Thu)	Round 4 & Round 5	09:00 & 15:00
19 Sep (Fri)	Round 6	15:00
20 Sep (Sat)	Round 7 & Round 8	09:00 & 1500
21 Sep (Sun)	Round 9 Festival Blitz Prize Giving	09:00 14:00 17:00
22 Sep (Mon)	Departure	

Prizes & Entry Fees in US \$ Open Section (FIXED EXCHANGE RATE: US \$ 1 = RM 4.25)							Malaysians		Special Prizes		
1	3,000	6	300	11	200	16	150	1	450	Best Lady	200
2	2,000	7	300	12	200	17	150	2	350	2 Best Lady	150
3	1,000	8	250	13	200	18	150	3	250	Best Malaysian Lady	100
4	700	9	250	14	200	19	150	4	200	Best U 16	200
5	500	10	250	15	200	20	150	5	100	Best U 12	200

Medals & certificates will be given to winners. Champion's name will be engraved on the Dato' Arthur Tan Challenge Trophy.

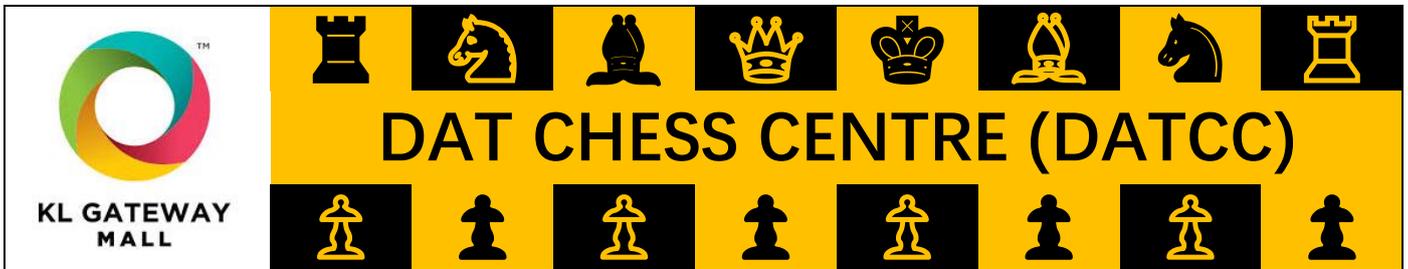
Participants are entitled to only one prize (the larger). Where prizes are the same value, the Open Section will take precedence over the Malaysian/Special Prizes. The US\$ 1.00 = RM 4.25

**ENTRY FEES IN US\$: (FOR PURPOSES OF CALCULATION US\$ = RM 4.25. WE WILL RECEIVE & PAY BASED ON THIS RATE (RM Round Up Figure))**

2400 - 2499	US\$ 125 (RM 532)	2200 - 2299	US\$ 175 (RM 744)	Below 1999	US\$ 225 (RM 957)
2300 - 2399	US\$ 150 (RM 638)	2000 - 2199	US\$ 200 (RM 850)	unrated	US\$ 275 (RM 1170)
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Jalan Bunus, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL					

Accommodation: All players are required to budget for their own board and lodging as well as transportation needs. First 10 GMs to register will be provided accommodation on a twin-sharing basis. Conditions for Titled Players: No tournament entry fee for GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs and players rated above 2500 on the Sep 2025 FIDE Rating List. Room rates are US \$ 55 per room per day. **Tournament Entry Fees: In US \$ - There will be 10 % discount if entry fees are paid on or before 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2025.** Tournament Entry Fees must be paid before the **Closing date on: 01 Sep 2025. Entries after this date will be charged double.** Paid Entry Fees will not be refunded.

20 <sup>th</sup> DATO ARTHUR TAN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025					
Name*			Date of Birth*		
Country*	FIDE ID*		FIDE Rating*		
Address					
Tel No*	Email*				



**EVENT 6 - DANIEL YONG CHEN-I MEMORIAL - MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE 2025**

This 9 Round individual tournament is open to all players rated below FIDE Rtg 2000 (Sep 2025). **Any player who has crossed the 2000 Rating Barrier at any time after 2024 will not be allowed to play in this section.** FIDE rules and regulations will apply. The tournament will be FIDE rated. The Swiss Manager Program will be used for pairings. The games will be played according to the schedule below. Time Control is 90 minutes + 30 seconds increment from move 1. All mobile phones & electronic devices are banned in the tournament hall. **PLAYERS WITHOUT A FIDE ID. NO WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!** Venue: *KL Gateway Mall.*

All officials & players should be smartly attired in the playing hall. The Organizer reserves the right to reject entries.

12 – 13 Sep (Fri & Sat)	SMS DEEN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025 DTCN MERDEKA RAPID JUNIOR (U-12) TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sun)	DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
DANIEL YONG CHEN-I – MEMORIAL MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE 2025	
15 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Mon)	Arrival Players Meeting Round 1
16 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Tue)	<b>MALAYSIA DAY!! FREE DAY!!</b> <b>DTCN MALAYSIA DAY AGE GROUP (OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 &amp; 18)</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Wed)	Round 2 & Round 3
18 Sep (Thu)	Round 4 & Round 5
19 Sep (Fri)	Round 6
20 Sep (Sat)	Round 7 & Round 8
21 Sep (Sun)	Round 9 Festival Blitz Prize Giving
22 Sep (Mon)	Departure

Prizes: Open Section All cash prizes in RM		FIDE Rating Prizes (Malaysian citizens only)		
		1800 - 1600	1599 - 1400	Unrated
1	2,500 + Challenge Trophy	800	600	300
2	2,000	500	400	200
3	1,500	300	200	100
4	800	150	100	50
5	600	Participants are entitled to only one prize (the larger). Where prizes are the same value, the Open Prizes will take precedence over the Special Prizes.		
6 - 7	300			
8 - 10	200			
		All prize winners will get medals & certificates		
<b>FIDE Rtg Below 2000</b>	<b>RM 250</b>	<b>FIDE Unrated</b>	<b>RM 300</b>	
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Jalan Bunus, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL				

All players are required to budget for their own board and lodging as well as transportation needs. Room rates are US\$ 55 per room per day on a twin-sharing. **Tournament Entry Fees: In RM - There will be 10 % discount if entry fees are paid on or before 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2025.** Tournament Entry Fees must be paid before the **Closing date on: 01 Sep 2025.** Entries after this date will be charged double.

DANIEL YONG CHEN-I MEMORIAL - MALAYSIA CHESS CHALLENGE 2025				
ONCE PAID NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE				
Name*			Date of Birth*	Sex
Country*	FIDE ID*		FIDE Rating*	
Address				
Tel No		Email*		



## EVENT 7 - DATO TAN CHIN NAM SENIORS OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025

This 9 Round individual tournament is open to all players 50 years and above (Date of Birth 1975 and women 45 years (DOB 1980). FIDE rules and regulations will apply. The tournament will be FIDE rated. The Swiss Manager Program will be used for pairings. The games will be played according to the schedule below. Time Control is 90 minutes + 30 seconds increment from move 1. All mobile phones & electronic devices are banned in the tournament hall. **PLAYERS WITHOUT A FIDE ID. NO WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!** All officials & players should be smartly attired in the playing hall. The Organizer reserves the right to reject entries. Venue: KL Gateway, KL. **IF TOTAL ENTRIES IS LESS THAN 20 PLAYERS, THAN THE SENIORS WILL BE INCORPORATED WITH THE MAIN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.**

12 – 13 Sep (Fri & Sat)	SMS DEEN MERDEKA RAPID TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025 DTCN MERDEKA RAPID JUNIOR (U-12) TEAM CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025
14 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Sun)	DTCN AGE-GROUP CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

### THE SCHEDULE – DATO TAN CHIN NAM SENIORS OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

15 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Mon)	Arrival Players Meeting Round 1	1300 1500
16 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Tue)	<b>MALAYSIA DAY!! FREE DAY!!</b> <b>DTCN MALAYSIA DAY AGE GROUP (OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 &amp; 18)</b>	12:00 - 1800
17 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Wed)	Round 2 & Round 3	09:00 & 15:00
18 Sep (Thu)	Round 4 & Round 5	09:00 & 15:00
19 Sep (Fri)	Round 6	15:00
20 Sep (Sat)	Round 7 & Round 8	09:00 & 1500
21 Sep (Sun)	Round 9 Festival Blitz Prize Giving	09:00 14:00 17:00
22 Sep (Mon)	Departure	

Prizes: Seniors Open Section All prizes are in Ringgit Malaysia {RM}		Seniors Age Group Category (Special) Prizes		
		Seniors 65 – 74 years	Above 75 years	Best Malaysian
1 <sup>st</sup>	2,000 + Challenge Trophy	1,000	1,000	1,000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1,500	800	800	800
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1,000			500
4 <sup>th</sup>	800	Participants are entitled to only one prize (the larger). Where prizes are the same value, the Open Prizes will take precedence over the Special Prizes. All prize winners will get medals & certificates		
5 <sup>th</sup>	500			

FREE ENTRY FOR PLAYERS ABOVE 2301 – ENTRY FEES IN RM							
<b>FIDE Rtg 2201-2300</b>	200	<b>FIDE Rtg 2101-2200</b>	250	<b>FIDE 1800-2100</b>	300	<b>Below 1799</b>	350
<b>Bank Account: DAT CHESS CENTRE - Maybank Current Account: 5145 9822 0396</b> <b>Jalan Bunus, 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL</b>							

Accommodation: All players are required to budget for their own board and lodging as well as transportation needs. First 10 GMs to register will be provided accommodation on a twin-sharing basis. Conditions for Titled Players: No tournament entry fee for GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs and players rated above 2500 on the Sep 2025 FIDE Rating List. Room rates are US\$55 per room per day on a twin-sharing. **Tournament Entry Fees: In RM - There will be 10 % discount if entry fees are paid on or before 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2025.** Tournament Entry Fees must be paid before the **Closing date on: 01 September 2025. Entries after this date will be charged double.** Paid Entry Fees will not be refunded.

### DATO TAN CHIN NAM INTERNATIONAL SENIORS' OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

**IF TOTAL ENTRIES IS LESS THAN 20 PLAYERS, THAN THE SENIORS WILL BE INCORPORATED WITH THE MAIN MALAYSIAN OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP. ONCE REGISTERED, NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE**

Name*				Date of Birth*			Sex*	
Country*		FIDE ID*		FIDE Rating*				
Address								
Tel No*				Email*				



**EVENT 8**  
**DTCN MALAYSIA DAY RAPID AGE GROUP (OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 & 18) EVENT**  
**DUE TO SPACE CONSTRAINTS ONLY THE FIRST 200 PLAYERS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!**

The DATCC will organize the DTCN MALAYSIA DAY AGE GROUP RAPID

**OPEN, UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 & 18 Championship 2025**

RM 2,000 in Cash Prizes! Hampers! Medals! Other Prizes in Kind!

Certificates of Participation for all & Certificates of Achievement for Winners

Dates	Time
16 <sup>th</sup> Sep (Tuesday)	12:00 – 18:00 (6 or 7 Rounds Depending on Response) 15 Mins + 5 sec increment
Only the First 200 entries will be accepted.	

PRIZES	OPEN	PRIZES	Age Group (8,10,12,14 & 18)
Champion	500 + Medal + Cert	Champion	Gold Medal + Cert
Second	400+ Medal + Cert	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Silver Medal + Cert
Third	300+ Medal + Cert	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bronze Medal + Cert
Fourth	200+ Medal + Cert	4 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
Fifth	100+ Medal + Cert	5 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
Sixth - Tenth	50+ Medal + Cert	6 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
Best Girl	Hamper + Cert	7 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Girl	Hamper + Cert	8 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
		9 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
		10 <sup>th</sup>	Medal + Cert
		Best Girl	Gold Medal + Cert
		2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Girl	Silver Medal + Cert
		3 <sup>rd</sup> Best Girl	Bronze Medal + Cert

TIME CONTROL – 15 mins + 5 sec increment

**Bank Account: DAT Chess Centre - Maybank Current A/C No: 5145 9822 0396,**

**Jalan Bunus, 50100 KL, Malaysia - SWIFT: MBBEMYKL**

<b>ENTRY FEE:</b>	<b>OPEN - RM 70</b>	<b>AGE GROUP – RM 60</b>
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**CLOSING DATE: 01 September 2025**

**ENTRIES AFTER CLOSING DATE / WALK-IN ENTRIES WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE**

**DTCN MALAYSIA DAY INDIVIDUAL RAPID CHESS**  
**(OPEN & AGE GROUP Under 8,10,12,14,18)**  
**ONCE REGISTERED NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE**

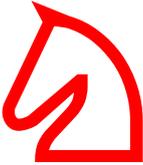
Name*		Date of Birth*		Sex	
Country*	FIDE ID*	FIDE Rating*		Nat Rating	
Address					
Tel No		Email			

Official Receipt – DTCN MALAYSIA DAY INDIVIDUAL RAPID CHESS (OPEN/ AGE GROUP UNDER 8, 10, 12, 14 & 18)

Received RM: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>EVENT 9</b> <b>Malaysian Chess Festival</b> <b>FESTIVAL BLITZ 2025</b>	
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Date: 21<sup>st</sup> September 2025  
Format: 7-9 Rounds Swiss  
Time Control: **3 min + 2 sec (increment)**

Venue: KL Gateway Mall  
Time: 14:00 (2:00pm)  
Entrance Fee: **RM 60**

Name	
Nationality	
FIDE ID	
FIDE Blitz Rating	
FIDE Rapid Rating	
FIDE Standard Rating	

PRIZES			
1	500	7 - 8	100
2	300	9	90
3	250	10 - 11	80
4	200	12 - 16	60
5 - 6	150	17 - 20	50

							
<b>DAT CHESS CENTRE (DATCC)</b>							
							

RECEIPT FOR FESTIVAL BLITZ 2025

Received From: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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