TOURIST ORGANIZATION

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TOURNAMENT ORGANIZATION

CHESS PROJECTS ASD

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TRANSFERS

Caroli Hotels coordinates transfers by private shuttle bus on daily request there is a shuttle that connects the two affiliated hotels of Caroli Hotels and also allows you to reach the center of Gallipoli.

Discounted rates are per trip/per person. All transfers must be booked with at least 72 hours in advance by contacting the Caroli Hotels reservation office at Ecoresort Le Sirenè.

FROM BRINDISI (airport or railway station)

 Single transfer by shuttle 	€120,00
 Transfer from 2 people on the shuttle 	€ 65,00
 Transfer from 3 people on the shuttle 	€ 50,00
 Transfer from 4 to 5 people on the shuttle 	€ 30,00
• Transfer from 6 to 7 people on the shuttle	€ 25,00

FROM LECCE (railway station)

 Single transfer by shuttle 	€ 60,00
 Transfer from 2 people on the shuttle 	€ 30,00
 Transfer from 3 people on the shuttle 	€ 25,00
• Transfer from 4 to 5 people on the shuttle	€ 20,00
• Transfer from 6 to 7 people on the shuttle	€ 15.00

Hotels hotels, during the event, from 16th al 26th May 2025

These conventions are valid only for players and visitors staying at the facilities of Caroli

SALENTO INTERNATIONAL CHESS OPEN 2025

Gallipoli (Le), Italy 17th - 24th May 2025













Dates: 17th – 25th May 2025

Tournaments Master, Main, Rising: 17th – 24th May 2025

Youth Open U16: 22nd – 25th May 2025

Prizemoney: € 4.200

Master Open: Players with ELO FIDE >= 1900
Main Open: Players with ELO FIDE 1400 < 2000
Rising Open: Players with ELO FIDE 0 < 1500
Youth Open: Under 16 (born later than 01.01.2009)

Tournament Rounds Master – Principale - Rising: 9 (1 double rounds)

Tournament Rounds Youth: 8 (4 double rounds)

Time control Master - Principale - Rising: 90'x40 moves +20min+30" increment from 1st move

Time control Youth: 60min + 10" increment from 1st move

Pairing System: Swiss FIDE

Invitees: Grand Masters and other titled or relevant players for the event

Wildcard: 6 for Masters and Main tournaments







SCHEDULE

MASTER, MAIN, RISING OPEN

(valid	for	updating	ELO	FIDE)	

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• 17 th May 2025	Last check at 2.00 pm; 1st round at 4.00 pm;
• 18 th May 2025	2 nd round at 4.00 pm;
• 19 th May 2025	3 rd round at 9.30 am; 4 th round at 4.00 pm;
• 20 th May 2025	5 th round at 4.00 pm;
• 21st May 2025	6 th round at 4.00 pm;
• 22 nd May 2025	7 th round at 4.00 pm;
• 23 rd May 2025	8 th round at 4.00 pm;
• 24th May 2025	9th round at 9.30 am;
	Final Celebration at 3.30 pm;

YOUTH OPEN (valid for ELO FIDE)

• 22 nd May 2025	Last check at 2.00 pm; 1 st round at 3.30 pm; 2 nd round at 6.00 pm;
• 23 rd May 2025	3 rd round at 3.30 pm; 4 th round at 6.30 pm;
• 24 th May 2025	5 th round at 4.00 pm; 6 th round at 6.30 pm;
• 25 th May 2025	7 th round at 09.00 am; 8 th round at 11.30 am; Final Celebration at 1.00 pm;

Sport and tourism side activities

- Evening lessons of GM, WGM, IM, WIM
 Titled players, invited to the tournament, share the secrets of their chess wisdom!
- Tourist Trips (one every morning!)
- Morning soccer challenges (the now classic Italy vs. Rest of the World!)
- Tennis matches (singles and doubles)







Bedroom Ecoresort - Le Sirenè

Swimming pool Ecoresort - Le Sirenè



- In order to participate in the tournament, players must have their FIDE ID as required by the FIDE regulations in use at FSI tournaments.
- All ITALIAN players on the FIDE list must be registered with the FSI for the year 2025 with a competitive or under 18 membership. If necessary, it will be possible to make the membership at the playing venue but it is strongly recommended to make it in time through your chess association of reference.
- The pairing system adopted is the Swiss
- Any player arriving at the chessboard more than 60 minutes later than the scheduled time will forfeit the game.
- Players are required to arrive at the playing venue in clothing appropriate to the international profile of the event (no swimming costumes, tank tops, flip-flops).
- It is forbidden to bring electronic devices into the competition area. The reception desk at Ecoresort Le Sirenè is available to collect the mobile phones of players not resident at the hotel, and to return them upon presentation of the owner's identity document.
- The Referee is appointed by the FSI. The Referee's decisions are final.
- The organisation reserves the right to grant 6 wild cards in the Master's and Main tournaments to guarantee access to the higher tournament to players who are close to the scoring threshold or deserving for particular sporting merit or titles achieved.
- In accordance with the FSI RTF article 7.5.1, players participating in the Master, Main and Rising and Youth tournaments may request a bye, corresponding to ½ point, only once, except for the last 3 (three) rounds of play and for the Youth in the last two (2) rounds of play. Whoever is interested, before the tournament starts, must make the request by e-mail by writing to info@chesspro.it with referee direction addressee, indicating the round for which the bye is requested.
- Prizes are listed in the announcement of competition gross but will be paid to the winners net of the deduction required by the regulations for sporting events held in Italy
- Electronic chessboards and video cameras may be present in the Master tournament and possibly in the Main tournament, and the games played there may thus be streamed live with commentary, for the benefit of the Italian and international chess community
- For all matters not covered by this notice rules of the event and the supplementary information on the website www.salentochessopen.it the rules of the FIDE International Rules in force at the time of registration shall apply. Registration implies acceptance of and compliance with the provisions set out herein and any amendments made for the success of the event



Registration takes place by registering on the tournament website www.salentochessopen.it and proceeding with payment of the registration fee by bank transfer. Failure to complete both required operations renders the registration for the tournament null and void.

REGISTRATION FEES

MASTER AND MAIN TOURNAMENTS

Latest by 28 th February, 2025	Adults € 85,00	Under 16 € 55,00
Latest by 01st May, 2025	Adults € 95,00	Under 16 € 65,00

RISING TOURNAMENT

Latest by 28th February, 2025	Adults € 75,00	Under 16 € 50,00
Latest by 01st May, 2025	Adults € 85,00	Under 16 € 60,00

YOUTH U16 TOURNAMENTS

Latest by 01st	May, 2025	€20,00
From 01st May	/ 2025	€30,00

GM, WGM and IM: € 10,00 all tournaments

FM, Seniores (over 60) and members of Chess Projects and chess clubs in the province of Lecce: € 10,00 discount on the registration fee (discounts cannot be combined)

ATTENTION: from 01st May 2025 - All registration fees will be increased by € 10.00

TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

Payments for entries to all scheduled tournaments must be made to the current account in the name of Chess Projects ASD with the indication '14th Salento International Open 2025', one's own name and the tournament to which one belongs:

IBAN: IT57H050340161000000009316. Foreign countries - BIC: BAPPIT21B31
Banco BPM Banca Popolare di Novara - Agenzia 10 - via Alberto da Giussano 1N06 20145 Milano

We recommend that you do not make any payment to this account concerning HOTEL STAY

ATTENTION: for Master, Main and Rising tournaments, it is also mandatory to confirm your presence in the game room by 2 pm on 25th May 2025. Failure to comply with this obligation may alternatively be resolved by written communication by email to info@chesspro.it guaranteeing attendance in the first round. Should one of the two conditions not be fulfilled, the player will not be included in the pairings for the 1st round of play.

TOURISTIC ACCOMODATIONS

The payment of the deposit, equal to 50 % of the total amount of the stay, shall be made by bank transfer payable to Caroli Hotels s.r.l. Banca Popolare Pugliese - Filiale di Gallipoli- Causale '14th Salento International Chess Open 2025 + Tournament + Name/Surname'.

IBAN: IT51J0526279671CC0661200189 - Foreign countries - BIC/SWIFT: BPPUIT33

We recommend that you do not make any payments to this account concerning TOURNAMENT REGISTRATIONS

PRIZEMONEY €4.200

MASTER TOURNAMENT - €2.500

2nd PLACE €600 + Cup

3rd **PLACE** €299 + Cup

1* WOMAN PLACE €101 + Cup or Medallion 1st SENIORES PLACE €101 + Cup or Medallion 1st CLASS RANGE 2000 - 2200 €100 + Cup or Medallion

MAIN TOURNAMENT - €1.700

1st PLACE €500 + Trophy

1500 - 1600

1st CLASS. RANGE

€299 or Free Stay*

1st ITALIAN PLACE

€299 or Free Stay'

2nd PLACE €299 or Free Stay*

1* CLASS. RANGE 1600 - 1700 €100 + Medallion 1st CLASS. RANGE 1700 - 1800 €100 + Medallion

3rd PLACE

€200 + Cup

1st CLASS. RANGE 1800 - 1900 €101 + Medallion 1st CLASS. RANGE 1900 - 2000 €101 + Medallion

1st CLASS. UNDER 16

Medallion

RISING TOURNAMENT

1st PLACE Trophy **2nd PLACE** Cup 3rd PLACE

3rd PLACE

YOUTH TOURNAMENT - CUP & E MEDALLION

1st PLACE

Medallion

1st CLASS. UNDER 8

2nd PLACE Cup

Cup

1st CLASS. UNDER 10

1st CLASS. UNDER 12 Medallion 1st CLASS. UNDER 14 Medallion 1st CLASS. WOMAN Medallion



Hotel Ecoresort Le Sirenè by Caroli Hotels, located in a green oasis about 10 km from Gallipoli

ACCOMODATION RATES AT ECORESORT LE SIRENE'

Application period from 16th to 26th May 2025

Ecoresort Le Sirenè ***3S

(about 10 km from Gallipoli)

Full board

Double room: € 100,00 Single room: € 120,00

Full package 8 nights double room: € 800,00 Full package 8 nights single room: € 960,00

Half board

Double room: € 90,00

Single room: € 110,00

Full package 8 nights double room: € 720,00 Full package 8 nights single room: € 880,00

Bed & Breakfasts

Double room: € 80,00

Single room: € 100,00

Full package 8 nights double room: € 640,00 Full package 8 nights single room: € 800,00

Joli Park Hotel ***

(in the centre of Gallipoli)

Full board

Double room: € 90,00 Single room: € 110,00

Mezza pensione

Double room: € 80,00 Single room: € 100,00

Bed & Breakfast

Double room: € 70,00 Single room: € 90,00

Valid for both hotels

- All rates are per person per night of stay
- Full board in a triple room**: 20% discount on the third occupant's rate
- Agreed meal extra or additional to 1/2 board: € 20
- Children from 4 to 12 years in a room with paying adults: 20% discount
- Children from 0 to 3 years: Free

^{*}Free tourist stay, at Ecoresort Le Sirenè, in the 2026 edition of the 7-day event in full board (double room) + cup
All cash prizes are indicated gross and will be paid to the winning player by bank transfer net, with the deduction of the Italian tax law.

^{**}Discounts applied for triple rooms cannot be combined with other discounts granted.