



SLOVAK CHESS FEDERATION

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SLOVAK BLITZ CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

Open tournament with calculation on FIDE blitz rating list

Motto:

„Chess is the mirror of the soul. Watch someone play chess and you will see into his soul.“

Miquel Najdorf

*(*1910 – †1997, author of popular chess defence)*

Term:

15th September 2018 (16th Sept Rapid Tournament 450 € Prizepool)

Announcer:

Slovak Chess Federation

Organizer:

Topolcany Chess Club

Place:

House of Culture, Československej armady Street, **Topolcany**

(<http://bit.ly/DomKulturyMapa>)

The Organizing Committee:

Alexander Riabov – Director (sasariabov@gmail.com)

Vladimir Franc (FIDE ID 14941120) – Main arbiter

Rebeka Nadzamova – Event production

Playing system:

Open tournament, Swiss system, **15 rounds** due to FIDE rules for Blitz chess. Playing time is 2 x **3 min + 2 s/move**.

Tournament will be sent to the **FIDE blitz rating list**. Tournament is opened also for international players.

Prize fund:

1.200 €

1st place 250 €

(thereof 1.010 € finance **prizes for 26 awarded**; prizes can be cumulated – but across categories of rating prizes are not cumulated)

First 7 places:

I. 250 €, II. 150 €, III. 120 €, IV. 110 €, V. 100 €,

VI. 50 €, VII. 40 €

Category: Men – 3 places – Trophy, medals
Category: Women – 1 place – Trophy, medal
Category: Seniors – 3 places (1953 and older) – I. 15 €, II. and III. material prizes
Category: U15 – 3 places (2003 and younger) material prizes
Category: Players with rating 2000 including – 3 places - I. 40 €, II. 30 €, III. 20 €
Category: Players with rating 1700 including – 3 places - I. 40 €, II. 30 €, III. 20 €
Raffle – 3 places – I., II. and III. material prizes



Starting fee:

15 €

13 € - players born in 2003 and younger, born in 1953 and older, women, Sev DP, players with rating 1000 or without rating.

Registration form:

Sent completed registration form (name & surname, date of birth, a request on accommodation & food, phone contact) electronically to sasariabov@gmail.com or by google form: <http://bit.ly/RegistrationSlovakBlitz>.

An updated list of players on chess-results: <http://chess-results.com/tnr370908.aspx?lan=4>

Deadline of registration: 7th September 2018.

Registration after deadline possible (with increased fee of 2,50 EUR).

Another information about registration: +421 911 478 959 (english or russian lang.).

Ranking:

The sum of points obtained from all of games. If there is the same number of points, then ranking will be decided by 1. Buchholz (without the weakest opponent), 2. Buchholz, 3. Progressive points, 4. The number of wins, 5. The result of mutual game or 6. additional blitz game (conditions will be determined by the Organizing Committee).

Accommodation:

Dormitory T. Vansovej – 8,70 € person/night (possibility to buy dinner and breakfast – write me to registration form) → next to the playing hall

Hotel Puk a Hotel Kopacka – 15 € person/night → 300 - 600 meters from a playing hall

Pension Batavya – 15 € pers/night → 300 meters from a playing hall

Pension Koruna – 57 € for 2 pers/night → next to a playing hall

Food:

Beef goulash 3,50 €

Prize fund:

More prizes can be cumulated by one player. Category rating can be cumulated with main prizes. However, across categories of rating prizes are not cumulated.

1.200 € (thereof 1.010 € finance prizes). Together 26 awarded:

	Main prizes		Men	Women
1. place	250 €	1. place	Trophy, medal	Trophy, medal
2. place	150 €	2. place	Medal	
3. place	120 €	3. place	Medal	
4. place	110 €		Rating to 2000	Rating to 1700
5. place	100 €	1. place	40 €	40 €
6. place	50 €	2. place	30 €	30 €
7. place	40 €	3. place	20 €	20 €
			U14	Seniors
		1. place	Material prize	20 €
		2. place	Material prize	Material prize
		3. place	Material prize	Material prize
			Raffle	
		1. place	Material prize	
		2. place	Material prize	
		3. place	Material prize	

Schedule: 15th September 2018 (Saturday)

Presentation	09:15 – 10:45
Opening ceremony	10:50 – 11:00
1. – 7. round	11:00 – 12:45
Lunch	12:45 – 13:30
8. – 15. round	13:30 – 15:30
Evaluation	15:40 – 16:00

16th September 2018 (Sunday)

Presentation	08:30 – 09:35
Opening ceremony	09:45 – 09:55
1. – 5. round	10:00 – 12:50
Lunch	12:50 – 13:30
6. – 9. round	13:30 – 15:40
Evaluation	15:55 – 16:10

**Transportation: 15th September 2018 (Saturday)**

15.9.	Košice		4:07		R 600 MILA SEDITA
	Vrútky		7:04	7:19	Os 7523
	Horná Štubňa		8:07	8:17	Os 5604
	Prievidza		9:11	9:33	Os 5006
	Topolčany		10:36	10:44	
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	Turčianske Teplice		7:37	7:57	Os 7523
	Horná Štubňa		8:07	8:17	Os 5604
	Prievidza		9:11	9:33	Os 5006
	Topolčany		10:36	10:44	
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	Topolčany		9:31	9:33	
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	Topolčany,,AS		9:50	> 4	
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	Topolčany		9:02	9:09	
15.9.	Prievidza		8:27		REx 1722 Vtáčnik
	Topolčany		9:31	9:33	

A car – Free parking in front of playing hall.

A train – The train station is distanced 10 minutes by foot from playing hall.

A bus – The bus station is distanced 8 minutes by foot from playing hall.

REGISTRATION FORM

Slovak Blitz Chess Championship
15th September 2018
(Saturday)

House of Culture, Ceskoslovenskej armady St., Topolcany

Send to 7th September 2018 (Friday)

The name of your club:

Contact on group leader – name & surname (compulsory):
e-mail: mobile, tel. (compulsory):

Number:	Name & Surname:	Date of birth:	Accommodation in Dormitory T. Vansovej*	Accommodation Hotel Puk / Kopačka*	Another accommodation: Batavya, Koruna* (write which one)	Goulash (Saturday lunch)
1.			YES/NO**	YES/NO		YES/NO
2.			YES/NO	YES/NO		YES/NO
3.			YES/NO	YES/NO		YES/NO
4.			YES/NO	YES/NO		YES/NO
5.			YES/NO	YES/NO		YES/NO
6.			YES/NO	YES/NO		YES/NO

* accommodation is meant from Friday to Saturday, if you are interested from Saturday to Sunday, please note in the registratin form

** mark the selected option (delete as appropriate)

Notes to accommodation (sharing room with another player) or anything else (vegetarian diets...):

Date:

Signature:

Please fill in and send it to this e-mail address: sasariabov@gmail.com at the latest to **7th September 2018 (Friday)**. In case of any questions do not hasitate and call +421 911 478 959 (english or russian language).

You can also register by google form: <http://bit.ly/RegistrationSlovakBlitz>