Società Scacchistica Triestina 1904

Via Trento 16 - 34132 TRIESTE - Cod. Fisc. n° 80018590325

2nd Standard.Zip Chess Tournament

Elo<2400

4-7 december 2026, Via Trento 16, Trieste

Tournament Schedule:

- Friday, 4 December, by 5:00 PM – Accreditation
- Friday, 4 December, 5:30 PM – Round 1
- Saturday, 5 December, 10:00 AM – Round 2
- Saturday, 5 December, 2:30 PM – Round 3
- Sunday, 6 December, 10:00 AM – Round 4
- Sunday, 6 December, 2:30 PM – Round 5
- Monday, 7 December, 10:00 AM – Round 6, award ceremony follows

Pairings will be determined according to the FIDE Swiss system variant, using Swiss-Manager software.

The tournament consists of 6 rounds. The time control is 60 minutes for the game + 15 minutes added at move 40, with a 15-second increment per move starting from move one. In the event of a tie, the following tie-break will be applied in this order: REP, Buchholz, Buchholz Cut1, Sonneborn-Berger, and APRO.

Registration

Entry fee: €55 (€45 for members of the Società Scacchistica Triestina)

Entry fees must be paid via bank transfer to Società Scacchistica Triestina (IBAN IT 92 H 02008 02230 000005435046). After the payment, please contact the Society's secretariat via email at the address sst1904@sst1904.com to finalize the registration. Alternatively, payments will be accepted at the tournament venue. Maximum number of participants: 40.

Prizes

1st place overall: €120

2nd place overall: €90

3rd place overall: €50

1st place (Elo < 1700): €40

Prizes cannot be combined or split. In the event of a tie, the ranking will be determined by a technical tie-break. If a player qualifies for multiple prizes, they will receive the prize of the highest value.

Prizes will be paid via bank transfer; therefore, winners must provide their bank details. It is also necessary to provide the beneficiary's tax code and, for minors, a declaration and the tax code of the person exercising parental responsibility.

Regulations

The tournament is open to all players with an Elo rating under 2400. Italian players holding a current FSI competitive or junior membership card and foreign players holding a FIDE Identification Number (FIN) can participate.

Players may request a half-point bye for one of the rounds, provided the request is made before the tournament begins and does not apply to the final two rounds of play.

Any player failing to appear at their board within 30 minutes of the match start time will forfeit the game. Bringing electronic devices into the playing area is prohibited; offenders will forfeit the match.

Arbiters' decisions are final.

By registering, the player accepts the terms of this notice—the organizers reserve the right to make necessary changes to ensure the event's success—and authorizes, pursuant to Law 675/96, the processing and dissemination of information regarding the tournament (personal data, match details and results, as well as photographs and images). (For minors, acceptance of the notice and authorization for the processing of data and images are provided by the parent or guardian registering for the tournament.)

For matters not covered by this notice or the regulations, the FIDE/FSI technical rules in force at the time of the event shall apply.