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## "Lake Sevan-2017" International Chess Tournament

## **REGULATIONS**

The Chess Academy of Armenia is organizing an International Chess Tournament "Lake Sevan-2017" from the 13<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup> of July, 2017 in Martuni, Armenia. The tournament is held in a 10-player round-robin format and is a FIDE category 16 event.

**Time control:** 90 minutes for the first 40 moves + 30 minutes for the rest of the game (with 30 seconds increment starting from move one).

The total prize fund is \$9200.

1<sup>st</sup> place - \$4000 2<sup>nd</sup> place - \$2500 3<sup>rd</sup> place - \$1700 4<sup>th</sup> place - \$1000

Tie breaks will be carried out according to the following rules.

- a) Sonneborn Berger,
- b) colour,
- c) personal game,
- d) number of victories,
- e) If still a tie, an Armageddon game will be played with 6 min. for white against 5 min. for black (this is for 1-3 places)

In case of a tie the monetary prizes are distributed equally.

## Schedule:

13 July – Arrival Day	
13 July - Opening Ceremony	17:00
14 July – Round 1	15:00
15 July – Round 2	15:00
16 July – Round 3	15:00
17 July – Round 4	15:00
18 July – Round 5	15:00
19 July – Round 6	15:00
20 July – Round 7	15:00
21 July – Round 8	15:00
22 July – Round 9	11:00
22 July - Closing Ceremony	18:00
23 July – Departure Day	