

	<p>2012 SINULOG OPEN CHESS TEAM TOURNAMENT organized by the Cebu Executives and Professionals Chess Association SPONSORED BY THE CEBU CITY GOVERNMENT January 7 & 8, 2012 Entertainment Center (Foodcourt), SM City, Cebu</p>	
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Mechanics

1. This tournament is open to all chess teams and shall be a **7-round Swiss System** with **match point scoring system** (Won match = 2 points, drawn match = 1 point, lost match = 0 point)
2. Time Control : 30 minutes with 5 seconds increment; 35 minutes for clocks with no increment.
3. Tiebreakers : 1) Game Points 2) Direct Encounter 3) Bucholz
4. Recording of the games is optional for all players.
5. FIDE Rules on Chess shall govern the tournament.

Team Composition

1. Each team shall be composed of four (4) regular players and one (1) alternate.
2. A team is allowed to field only one titled player and one highly rated player; or two highly rated players in its line-up. All team line-ups will be subject to the approval by our screening committee to ensure a level playing field.
3. All players are required to wear their respective playing uniforms.

Schedule of Games

Saturday January 7 > 3 games

- 10:30am - On-site Registration at the Entertainment Center, SM
(P1,200.00 plus P300 penalty = P1,500.00)
- 11:00am - Opening Ceremonies
 (Round 1 – 12:30nn, Round 2 – 2pm, Round 3 - 4pm)

Sunday January 8 > 4 games

- (Round 4 – 10:30am, Round 5 – 12:30nn, Round 6 – 2pm , Round 7 – 4pm)
- 6:00pm - Awarding Ceremonies

Registration

1. Register early at Colonnade Mall Chess Club, Colon Street to avoid penalty. Register to any of the following authorized CEPCA representatives:
 Mr. Lito Pielago (09463549027) or Marvin Ruelan (09267352951).
2. Registration Period : December 15, 2011 – January 7, 2012
3. Registration Fee : **P 1,200.00** (P 1,500.00 for on-site registrations)

Prizes

Champion	P 25,000.00	plus signature trophy
Runner-up	16,000.00	
3 rd Place	10,000.00	
4 th "	7,000.00	
5 th "	5,000.00	
6 th "	3,000.00	
7 th "	1,500.00	
8 th "	1,500.00	
9 th "	1,500.00	
10 th "	<u>1,500.00</u>	
Total	P 72,000.00	
Add: <u>Special Prizes</u>		
Top Board 1	1,000.00	
Top Board 2	700.00	
Top Board 3	700.00	
Top Board 4	700.00	
Top Board 5	<u>500.00</u>	<u>3,600.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL	<u>P 75,600.00</u>	

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 Or contact Roger Abella - 09102686890/email: rogertoledo_abella@yahoo.com.

A more complete tournament general guideline is available at Colonnade Mall Chess club. It can also be requested by email.