

FIRST MEMORIAL RAPID CHESS TOURNAMENT - "MIŠKO MIŠKOSKI"

ANNOUNCEMENT

1. Date of play **October 31, 2026**
2. Venue and location **Hotel Continental - Skopje**
3. Organizer **Chess Club "Karpoš" - Skopje and the Miškoski family**
4. Sistem of play **Swiss system of 11 rounds, according FIDE rules for rapid chess (with the implementation of article A.5)**
5. Playing tempo **10 minutes with a 5-second increment starting from move number 1**
6. Rating **The tournament is registered in FIDE and will be rated**
7. Right to participation **All players who possess a FIDE ID code have the right to participate.** The maximum number of participants is limited by the capacity of the playing hall. The organizer reserves the right to reject certain applications.
8. Registration fee **600 denars.** International OTB (Over the Board) title holders of Grandmaster and Intermaster (WM, IM, WGM, IGM) and invited participants are exempt from the registration fee.
9. Registration for participation **By email to glavinacgoran@yahoo.com and ismvahid@yahoo.com or write to us on Viber at +38975426723 (Goran) and +38977650954 (Vahid) no later than October 30, 2026.** In addition to the name and surname, it is desirable to add the chess player's ID code. No registrations will be accepted on-site!
10. Registration deadline **Each of the registered players in the tournament confirm their participation with **attendance in the playing hall on October 31, 2026 between 09:00-09:30.****
11. Playing time schedule **The planned round schedule is as follows:**

10:00 – 14:30	Rounds I - VI
14:30 – 15:30	Break
15:30 – until the end	Rounds VII –XI

The organizer reserves the right to make any changes to the round schedule, including the time of the break between rounds!
12. Prize fund **The total prize fund of the tournament is 100,000 denars, of which:**

I) Regular prizes: (86.000 denars)

1) 20.000 denars + Trophy	6) 6.000 denars
2) 16.000 denars	7) 5.000 denars
3) 12.000 denars	8) 4.000 denars
4) 10.000 denars	9) 3.000 denars
5) 8.000 denars	10) 2.000 denars.

II) Special prizes for the best placed - not awarded: (14.000 denars)

a) Woman (female chess player).....	2.000 denars
b) Veteran S65 (born 1961 and older).....	2.000 denars
c) Junior U18 (born 2008 and younger).....	2.000 denars
d) Member of Chess Club "Karpoš".....	2.000 denars
e) Player with rapid chess rating < 2.100.....	2.000 denars
f) Player with rapid chess rating < 1.900.....	2.000 denars
g) Player with rapid chess rating < 1.700.....	2.000 denars

The prizes are not shared. Each player can win only one prize – the higher one, and in the order of priority listed.
13. When sharing a place, decide:
 1. Buchholz-1 (without the lowest ranked opponent);
 2. Buchholz (of all the opponents);
 3. Greater number of wins;
 4. Progressive score.