

Jersey International Chess Tournament

Two sections: *The Masters* and *The Holiday*

Venue: Hotel Ambassadeur, St Clement Bay, Jersey JE2 6SB

Date: Wednesday **6th**- Sunday **10th** March 2013

Chief Arbiter: Adam Raof

- GM and IM norms are expected to be possible in the Masters Section
- Organisers will invite 4-6 Grandmasters
- Highest placed players in The Masters not already qualified will qualify for the 2013 British Championship



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The Masters: Open to all

9 Round FIDE rated Swiss tournament

Schedule:

Opening ceremony: 6th March 6.30pm
1st round Wednesday 6th March 7.00pm
2nd round Thursday 7th March 10.00 am
3rd round Thursday 7th March 3.00pm
4th round Friday 8th March 10.00am
5th round Friday 8th March 3.00pm
6th round Saturday 9th March 10.00am
7th round Saturday 9th March 3.00pm
8th round Sunday 10th March 10.00am
9th round Sunday 10th March 3.00pm

Byes: Untitled players can take up to three half-point byes between rounds 1-8 provided they are requested before the end of the previous round.

Closing Prize giving ceremony after Dinner

Rates of play:

All moves in 90 minutes plus 30 seconds per move increments from move 1

Entry Fees: Gala Dinner & Disco available to all and included within entry fee

GM/ IM/ WGM/WIM: Free Entry

FIDE Rating above 2000: £55

Channel Island Player Fide Rating above 1900: £45

Channel Island Player Fide Rating under 1900: £55

Senior Player 60+ Above Fide Rating 1900: £45

FIDE Rating 2000 or Under: £65

No Fide Rating: £75

A late entry fee of £10 will be payable on entries received later than Sunday 1st March 2013

No cheques or credit cards are available at the tournament

Main Prizes:

**£1300: £600: £500: £400: £300:£100: £100 (Best C.I Player):£100 (Best Jersey Player):
£100 (Best Senior Player)**

Trophies and other special prizes available

"No player may win more than one cash prize"

"English players must be Gold ECF members or if Silver ECF members a further fee may be payable"

**The Holiday: Elo Rating 1900 (U160) or less
7 Round FIDE rated Swiss tournament**

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3rd round Friday 8th March 10.00am
4th round Friday 8th March 3.00pm
5th round Saturday 9th March 10.00am
6th round Saturday 9th March 3.00pm
7th round Sunday 10th March 10.00am

Byes: players can take up to two half-point byes between rounds 1-6 provided they are requested before the end of the previous round

Closing ceremony after dinner

Rates of play:

All moves in 90 minutes plus 30 seconds per move increments from move 1

Entry Fees: Gala Dinner & Disco included to all

Fide rating 1900 (U160) or less: £40

Junior under 16: £30

A late entry fee of £10 will be payable on entries received later than Sunday 1st March 2013

No cheques or credit cards are available at the tournament

Main Prizes:

£400: £300: £200: £100; £100(Best junior): £50 (Best Jersey Junior)

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Refreshments:

Discounted rates on food will be available for all chess players., Coffee tea, alcoholic and soft drinks, sandwiches, snacks etc will be available, as well as a fully licensed restaurant, within the tournament venue for the full duration of the event.

Accommodation:

Hotel Ambassadeur, St Clement Bay, Jersey JE2 6SB,
Telephone: +441534 724455

Special rates below have been negotiated with Hotel Ambassadeur, to book a room, include the details on your entry form or contact tournament Director:

tito@jerseychessclub.com or call **+44 1534 607993**

Bed and breakfast rate £30 per person per night based on 2 sharing

Single rooms £36 pre night

Half board supplement £9.00 and must be pre booked

Family rooms are available and children from 2 years to 13 are half price. Children under 2 are free but cots are £4 per day.

Please reserve accommodation by 27/02/2013 to avoid any rate increase.

Transport:

Airport to Hotel Ambassadeur transport will be provided at £10 per person return. Please contact tournament director: tito@jerseychessclub.com or call 0044 1534 607993

Grades, Ratings & Defaults

FIDE Ratings from the February 2013 list will be used for All sections, whilst ECF grades published in the February 2013 list will be used for unrated players.

Notwithstanding the fact that players may be re-paired 30 minutes after the start of the round the default time for all sections will be 1 hour from the scheduled start of the round.

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