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President of the Ukrainian  
Chess Federation

\_\_\_\_\_ Victor Kapustin  
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## REGULATIONS

### for holding traditional FIDE tournaments of RAPID and BLITZ Chess «KYIV CHESS CENTER»

The Ukrainian Chess Federation and “Tovarysh” Chess Centre (Kyiv) are organisers of the tournaments.

#### 1. Aims and tasks

The competitions are held to make chess games popular and improve skills, also to find out the strongest chess players of Ukraine.

#### 2. Schedule and venue

These competitions are monthly (except for August) from January, 2019 until December, 2019 inclusive at the room of “Tovarysh” Chess Centre, 15a Dorohozhytska St., Dorohozhychi metro station, Kyiv, tel.: +38 044-458-35-74.

**Registration** takes place on the same day as competitions do (**BLITZ** from 3 p.m.; **RAPID** from 10 a.m). Preliminary registration: SMS to +38 097-473-43-14 with the next text message: **BLITZ or RAPID (indicate month); Surname and Name in English: FIDE ID number; Elo FIDE; country.**

#### Tournament calendar

Tournament name	Date	Day of week (DOW)	Beginning of competitions
<b>BLITZ</b>	January 19, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	January 20, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	February 9, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	February 10, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	March 9, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	March 10, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	April 13, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	April 14, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	May 18, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	May 19, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	June 8, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	June 9, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	July 6, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	July 7, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	September 14, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	September 15, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	October 12, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	October 13, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	November 9, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	November 10, 2019	Sunday	11:00
<b>BLITZ</b>	December 7, 2019	Saturday	16:00
<b>RAPID</b>	December 8, 2019	Sunday	11:00

### **3. Management of competitions**

General management is carried out by the Organising Committee of Kyiv “Chess centre” and judicial panel of the competitions.

### **4. Regulations of competitions**

The competitions consist of two tournaments: **BLITZ** and **RAPID**. According to the programme, tournaments are held once a month since January 19, 2019.

Any volunteers are allowed to participate in the competitions. The number of participants is not more than 80 people in every tournament.

### **5. System for conducting competitions**

Preliminary registration of participants takes place on the day of holding tournaments according to the schedule, affirmed by the Organising Committee.

**RAPID**: the system for conducting is Swiss in 9 tournaments. Time control - 10 minutes for a game for every player and 5 extra seconds for every made move, including the first one.

**BLITZ**: system for conducting is Swiss in 11 tournaments. Time control - 3 minutes for a game for every player and 2 extra seconds for every made move, including the first one.

### **6. Final standings and determination of winners**

Places given to participants in every tournament are determined with the help of given points. If two or more people get equal points, their places are determined according to such performance:

- Buchholz system;
- Buchholz cut (without one worst result);
- Buchholz cut (without two worst results);
- results of individual confrontation;
- number of victories.

### **7. Tournament fees**

Admission fee is 250 UAH for every tournament for both kinds of participants with Elo FIDE or without it. Admission fee is 150 UAH for participants who are under 60 years old.

### **8. Rewarding of winners**

70 % of fees in every tournament go to the prize fund.

Money rewarding is supposed to:

- 1-5 places;
- the best result among women;
- the best result among youth who were born in 2006 and younger.

In addition, sponsors' money rewarding is supposed in **RAPID** tournaments to:

- 2000 UAH for the **1st** place;
- 1000 UAH for the best result **among those who were born in 2006** and younger;
- 500 UAH for the best result **among women**;
- 500 UAH for the best result **among participants who are under 60 years old**;
- 500 UAH for the best result **among those who were born in 2009** and younger.

### **9. Contacts**

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### **10. The Organising Committee reserves the right to amend this regulation.**