



ChessKid International Children and Youth Online Festival “ChessKid Jets to the Cadets” U-8, U-10, U-12

1. Goals and Tasks

- Popularization of chess among children and youth.
- Development of the intellectual human capital of the younger generation.
- Supporting young chess players to participate in the **FIDE WORLD CADETS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022** in **BATUMI, GEORGIA**

2. Organizers

The event is organized by ChessKid with a support of the Georgian chess federation

3. Platform and Schedule

The tournaments will be played on www.chesskid.com

Once players will be registered, they will receive instructions on how to join the event.

This will take place according to the below schedule:

Event	Date	Age group	Style	Duration	Time
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1.	23 Jul 2022	U 8 (Girls)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC
2.	23 Jul 2022	U 10 (Girls)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC
3.	23 Jul 2022	U 12 (Girls)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC
4.	24 Jul 2022	U 8 (Open)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC
5.	24 Jul 2022	U 10 (Open)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC
6.	24 Jul 2022	U 12 (Open)	Swiss	9 rounds	09:00 UTC

4. Tournament Style

Tournament will be played by online 9-round Swiss System tournament.

Tournament will consist of different age groups:

U 8: Born on or after 1st of January 2014

U 10: Born on or after 1st of January 2012

U 12: Born on or after 1st of January 2010

For participation in the tournament, players must download and install ZOOM. The application can be downloaded at the link: <https://zoom.us/download> Players are required to turn on their webcams and activate the Share My Screen feature in ZOOM during each round. See Fair Play section.

The time control will be 5 minutes + 5 second increment starting from the first move.

Tournaments will be streamed in ChessKid platform. Special guests will be invited as a commentator.

5. TIE-BREAKS

Tie breaks will be based on Chesskid.com tie-break score.

6. FAIR-PLAY RULES

By signing up for this tournament, all players are agreed to the fair play terms set up by ChessKid and Tournament organizers:

- ChessKid will run this event with the highest level of integrity and ethics. All players must play fairly and use good sportsmanship.
- We strictly forbid cheating of all kinds. ChessKid will use its own algorithms to monitor games and also will manually analyse select games at its discretion.
- All of your moves must be your own. You will not get help from anyone or anything else, including coaches, friends, parents, chess engines, or any other software of any kind.
- You will also not have a phone, tablet, or any other electronic device in the same room.

- You are only allowed to have one browser tab open and no other programs running on your computer. Violating this rule is a “technical forfeiture” and you will be disqualified, with no chance at prizes.
- You agree that ChessKid will make the final determination on any fair play issue.
- If you violate the ChessKid Fair Play Policy, then ChessKid will close your account and label it as having violated the Fair Play Policy.
- If you are not willing to agree to the above policies, you will not be allowed to play in the event. Please take time to read this <https://support.chesskid.com/article/589-fair-playon-chesskidcom>

If player have fair play violation in the online event the organizer of the OTB event has the right to cancel your registration without a refund.

7. TECHNICAL DETAILS

- All games will be played on ChessKid.com's live server. No account is needed to play. If you already have a ChessKid account, you won't need that either. Special one-time-use tournament accounts will be created for all players.
- Each section will be open for kids to join the tournament about 30 minutes before the first round. Here's a video on how someone can join a live tournament on ChessKid: <https://www.chesskid.com/learn/articles/video-tutorial-series#JoinFastTournament>. If you try to join after the starting time, you may not be able to play. It is required that you join before the tournament's starting time.
- Tournament should be played on a laptop/desktop computer and not a tablet. WiFi is usually stronger and the site functions better. If you can plug in to an ethernet port, that is best. The reality of online play, even for world champions, is that WiFi failures can impact an online tournament.
- Preferred browsers are Chrome, Firefox, or Safari.
- Clearing your browser's cache before the tournament is another great protective measure.
- If you experience issues in the middle of the game or the tournament, clicking 'refresh' on your browser is the first thing to do. If you 'refresh' in the middle of a game, it will never kick you out of the game, so it can only help.
- Two kids cannot play at the same time on the same device.
- If a family has any issues with logging in, playing, etc, there will be a zoom call that will open one hour before the first round.

8. Entry Process

Registration is open until July 20, 2022 through this link:

https://www.events4chess.com/events/?event_ID=1636&cat=1

For all players who are registered for the FIDE World Cadets Chess Championships 2022 in Batumi, Georgia, **participation is free. Please use the promo code 'CADETS22' to claim your free registration.***

- For all other players, the entry fee is **\$10 USD**.

* If you want to play for free, you must register for the FIDE World Cadets Chess Championships tournament **first**. Otherwise, the participation fee **will not be refunded!** ChessKid reserves the right to ask for confirmation of registration in the FIDE World Cadets Chess Championships.

9. Prizes

Winners (1st place) in each age category (U8,10,12 girls&open) will received certificate for 400 USD that should be used to participate in the **FIDE WORLD CADETS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022** in **BATUMI, GEORGIA**. If winner will not be able to participate in the FIDE WORLD CADETS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022 in BATUMI, GEORGIA second place will receive this certificate, if second place can't participate 3rd place and so on.

All tournament participants will receive electronic certificates of participation. Winners and awardees (1-3 places) will receive electronic diplomas.

10. Side event

All six winners of the online tournament will participate in the friendly match between ChessKid team and Adjarian Chess Federation Team in Batumi during free day of the FIDE WORLD CADETS CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022. This part of side event is obligatory for those kids who will get prizes from ChessKid. This activity will It consist:

1. Team match in Rapid chess 10 minutes + 3 seconds, 6 players from each team U8,10,12 one girl one boy in each category
Captains: ChessKid Team FM Mike Klein (FunMasterMike)
Adjarian Chess Federation IM Salome Melia
2. Match in Giant Chess – each player will play a move one after one.

11. Contacts

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