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**British Bangla Chess Association (BBCA) are proudly organising an International Chess Tournament on Sunday 4th December 2016. The Tournament is open to all chess players, including school children and pensioners.**

**Mr. Norman Went-FIDE National Arbiter**

**It will be a 7 round Swiss pairing tournament with time control of 15 minutes per player per game.**

**Games will NOT be rated or graded.**

**Categories:**

**Open Group: Open to everyone who wishes to play against stronger opponents. Above FIDE 1800/ECF 147.**

**Major Group: Open to non-rated players or anyone below FIDE 1800 or below ECF 147.**

**Junior Group: for non-rated players under 16 years of age. Please note, a junior player can take part in any events if they wish to.**

**These groupings may depend on the number of participants.**

**Tournament Venue:**

**London Enterprise Academy (LEA)**

**81-91Commercial Road, London E1 1RD**

**Nearest Tube: Aldgate East, Aldgate and Whitechapel. DLR: Shadwell**

**BBCA would like to thank the authority of LEA for providing us with the venue.**

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• **Registration at 10:30 am.**

• **Tournament Starts at 11:00 am.**

• **Complementary refreshments for all.**

• **A lunch of Halal Chicken Biryani**

**or Vegetable Biryani will be provided**

**upon a request in advance.**

**Entry Fee:**

• **Grandmasters, International Masters,**

**WGM’s and WIM’s are free to enter.**

• **Adults: £15, Juniors (under 16): £5**

**Prizes: Open Group: 1stPrize £500**

**2ndPrize £300**

**3rdPrize £200**

**Major Group: 1st Prize £300**

**2nd Prize £200**

**3rd Prize £100**

**Junior Group: 1stPrize £100 worth of**

**chess materials, 2ndPrize £60 worth**

**of chess materials and 3rdPrize £40**

**worth of chess materials.**

**ENTRY: Until the website is functional, please email your completed registration form to BBCA Treasurer Mostaque Choudhury at mostaquechoudhury@hotmail.com and transfer your entry fee to Lloyds Bank sort code: 30-92-90 A/C No:34578668 with your SURNAME as Reference.**

**For any tournament enquiry please contact Mostaque Choudhury preferably by email or on 07903559812 (preferably by SMS)**

**Also contact: Tariq Khan (*President)*: 07930528293 & Kalam Bhuiyan (*General Secretary*):07947543070**

**Web: www.britishbanglachess.com**

**(Under construction)).**

**BBCA meet every Sunday from 3PM at Tower Hamlets Parents Centre**

**1 Links Yard, 29 Spelman Street, London. E1 5LX**

**We express our gratitude to our sponsors:**

BBCA ENTRY CONDITIONS: The Organiser reserves the right to refuse an entry, without assigning a reason, or to cancel or merge sections through lack of numbers. DISPUTES: In all matters the controller’s decision will be final.

TIMETABLE: **Sunday 4th of December 2016** (All round times are approximate!)

10:30 to 10:55: Refreshments (provided) Registration and Pairings.

 Round 1: 11.00 to 11.30

Round 2: 11:45 to 12:15

Round 3: 12:30 to 13:00

Lunch Break: 13:00 to 13:30 a choice of Free Vegetarian Biryani or Halal Chicken Biryani can be provided upon advance request to the organiser. Juniors can play exhibition matches against the international players!

Round 4: 13:45 to 14:15

Round 5: 14:30 to 15:00

Round 6: 15:15 to 15:45

Round 7: 16:00 to 16:30

Prize Giving Ceremony: 17:00 to 18:00

RATE OF PLAY: All Moves are in 15 Minutes Per Player, Per Side. FIDE Rules of Rapid-Play Chess apply with the exception that the first completed illegal move will not automatically lose the game. We will be more lenient in Junior Group.

TOURNAMENT ENQUIRIES: To: Kalam Bhuyan, Tel: 07947543070 e-mail is: kalambn@yahoo.co.uk or, Mostaque Choudhury Tel: 07903559812 e-mail: mostaquechoudhury@hotmail.com

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**Players who have either FIDE Rating 1800 or above or ECF Grading 147 or above must enter for the Open Group.**

Your chosen group (please tick one): Open, Major, Junior.

Player’s Full Name :...........................................................................................ADDRESS:........................................................................................................................................................................COUNTY:..................................POSTCODE:........................MOBILE:.................................................EMAIL:.............................................................................................................. Grade (if any): .......................................CODE....................................

CLUB.................................................................................

DATE OF BIRTH............................................................

FIDE MEMBERSHIP NUMBER (if any) …...................... or ECF Membership Number (If any) :………………………………………………………………………………………

DONATION £....................….................................................................

 TOTAL £.....................…...................................................

**ENTRY FEE Adults: £15.00**

**JUNIOR** (Under 16 years, non-rated):**£5.00**

**Payment Option: for an account transfer please pay to Lloyds Bank sort code: 30-92-90 A/C No:34578668 And write your surname as a Reference.**

**Players can also personally return their completed registration form (in CAPITALS) to the organisers, at Tower Hamlets Parents Centre (1 Links Yard, 29 Spelman Street, London. E1 5LX) on Sunday from 3-7pm with fee.**

**ONLY 120 Places** As we have only 120 spaces to be filled. They will be served as “First Come First Served” basis.

Entry Closing Date: **Friday 2nd December 2016.**  For Online Booking please visit: [www.britishbanglachess.com](http://www.britishbanglachess.com)

VENUE: **London Enterprise Academy (LEA), 81-91 Commercial Road London E1 1RD.**

Nearest DLR/Overground: **Shadwell Station** walk to the Commercial Road turn left at the New Road Junction, walk about 3 minutes towards the city. The school is on your right next to the Metropolitan University. Underground/Overground: Aldgate East, Whitechapel about 15 minutes’ walk

**Bus routes** – D3, 15, 40, 115, 135, 25, 205, 254,100**BY ROAD**: - Approaching from the east; go past the Limehouse Station/ Rotherhithe Tunnel (A13 West/East India Dock Road/Commercial Road), after passing Mulberry School for Girls drive about a minute towards the City/Tower Bridge the LEA should be on your right. From the West: Follow the Commercial Road /East India Dock Road (A13 East) after Aldgate East Roundabout. After Metropolitan University, the LEA should be on your left.