

LIBEREC OPEN 2006

7th International Chess Festival

part of CZECH TOUR 2006/2007 Series

11.-18.11. 2006, Liberec, Czech Republic

Place: the Liberec hotel, Saldovo namesti 1345, Liberec

Organizer: AVE-KONTAKT s.r.o.

Festival director: Jiri Petruzalek

Main referee: Otto Gutdeutsch (AUT)

Announced tournaments:

A) 11.-18.11. 2006 LIBEREC OPEN

- open rating tournament with credit for ELO FIDE
- participation of players without age and performance limitations
- Swiss system of 9 rounds, 2 x 1,5h + 30s / move
- financial prizes in CZK*: 10 000, 7 000, 5 000, 3 000, 2 000, 1 000, 500, best woman 500, best senior over 60 years of age 500, best player up to 16 years of age 500 (**30 000 altogether**)
- material prizes for other players, women, seniors over 60 years of age and youngsters up to 16 years of age

- starting fee in EUR:

GM, IM, WGM and WIM	0
ELO FIDE >= 2300	20
ELO FIDE >= 2200	30
ELO FIDE < 2200	35
without ELO FIDE	40

players accommodated through the organizer have 10 EUR discount on all above given prices

other discounts on starting fee (they are counted from the sum of money after deduction from the above given discount):

- 25 % for FM, youth players up to 18 years of age, players over 65 years of age and women
- 20 % at the joint registration of 10 and more players
- players registered after 20.10. 2006 pay extra 8 EUR

B) 12.11. 2006 open tournament in active chess

- participation of players without age and performance limitations
- Swiss system of 7 rounds, 2 x 15 min.
- financial prizes in CZK*: 1 500, 1 000, 500
- material prizes for other players
- starting fee:
 - GM, IM, WGM and WIM have free start
 - youngsters up to 18 years of age, players over 65 years of age and women 2 EUR
 - other players 4 EUR

* *Payment in EUR possible*

Criteria used for ranking and prizes distribution: 1. number of points, 2. Buchholz, 3. middle Buchholz, 4. average ELO of rivals, 5. lot, prizes are distributed according to Hort system among such number of players which corresponds to number of advertised prizes

Accommodation:

Liberec hotel *** (the playing hall is situated here)

2-bed rooms with a shower and WC

price including breakfast 37 EUR/room and night, if only 1 person occupies the room, 26 EUR/room and night is charged

"Kosicka" hostel*(Postovni street, at a distance of 4 km from the playing hall, direct connection by tram to the playing hall)

2,3,4-bed rooms, shower, WC and kitchenette on the floor

price 6,5 EUR/person and night

Board meals: at the Liberec hotel according to your choice

Time schedule:

Saturday	11.11.	10.00 – 14.00	registration A
		16.00	1. round A
Sunday	12.11.	08.00 – 09.00	registration B
		09.30 – 13.30	1.-7. round B
		14.00 – 14.15	results announcement B
		16.00	2. round A
Monday	13.11.	16.00	3. round A
Tuesday	14.11.	16.00	4. round A
Wednesday	15.11.	09.00	5. round A
		16.00	6. round A
Thursday	16.11.	16.00	7. round A
Friday	17.11.	10.00	blitz tournament
		16.00	8. round A
Saturday	18.11.	09.00	9. round A
		14.00	final ceremony

Possibility of spending free time: Liberec is a regional city with nearly 100.000 inhabitants situated at the foot of the Jizerske mountains, there are a lot of historical sights, a botanical garden, ZOO and a modern entertaining centre Babylon with roofed aquapark, cableway to Jested (1 012m) within reach of public transport

Starting fee and accommodation payments will be collected during the registration in cash in EUR, CZK or USD or through debit and credit cards Eurocard/Master Card, Maestro, VISA, VISA Electron, JCB or Diners Club.

Obligatory registrations together with accommodation orders should be sent by 20.10. 2006 to the following address:

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Other festivals arranged by AVE-KONTAKT agency within the frame of CZECH TOUR International Chess Festivals 2006/2007 Series:

13.-21.5. 2006 6th **ZNOJMO OPEN** (European Women's Rapid Chess Championship – Znojemska kralovna ("The Znojmo Queen"), FIDE open, active chess for girls – "The Znojmo Little Queen", Teams Championship of the Czech Republic in blitz chess, Open Local Championship of South Moravian Chess Federation in active chess for individuals, active chess for individuals, blitz tournaments)

- 13.-30.7. 2006 17th **CZECH OPEN** – Pardubice (World School Chess Teams Championship, European Amateurs Championship, GM open taken in ACP-TOUR, 3 FIDE opens, open Championship of the Czech Republic in active chess taken in ACP-TOUR, open Championship of the Czech Republic of 4-member team tournament, Championship of the Czech Republic in blitz marathon, bughouse and Fischerandom chess, blitz tournaments for individuals, pairs and teams, pairs tournament in active chess, youth tournament, problem solving competition etc.)
- 2.-10.8. 2006 9th **OLOMOUC CHESS SUMMER** – Olomouc (closed GM, IM and FIDE tournaments, FIDE open, seniors tournament, active chess, blitz chess tournament)
- 23.9.-1.10. 2006 3rd **HIGHLANDS OPEN** – Havlickuv Brod (final qualification for the Men Championship of the Czech Republic, FIDE open, open Championship of the Czech Republic of regional teams in active chess, active chess for individuals, blitz tournament)
- 11.-18.1. 2007 6th **PRAGUE OPEN** (2 FIDE opens, one of them with IM norm, active chess, blitz tournament)
- 19.-27.1. 2007 6th **MARIENBAD OPEN** (closed IM and GM tournaments, FIDE open, active chess, blitz tournament)

- prize fund of the whole CZECH TOUR 2006/7 Series is 25 000 CZK (7000, 5000, 3000, 2000, 1000, 1000, 500, 500, best seniors from 60 years of age onwards - 2000, 1000, 1000, 500, 500), prizes can be obtained in the form of bonus in the next year of series only, criteria used for ranking: the highest total of points gained in individual tournaments (results from all tournaments for individuals played with rating min. 2 x 1,5h + 30s/move are counted), best place in one of included tournaments, lot - 5% discount on accommodation price and starting fee in 2nd start in the tournament held within the frame of this year CZECH TOUR Series, or 10% in 3rd start, 15% in 4th start, 20% in 5th start, 25% in 6th start and 30% in the 7th start (only starts from all tournaments for individuals played with rating min. 2 x 1,5h + 30s/move are counted)

Obligatory registration form - LIBEREC OPEN 2006

First name: Family name:

Tournament: A B

Address:

State: Team:

Date of birth: Title/EC:

ELO FIDE: ELO national:

Selected accommodation variant (including dates of arrival and departure), accompanying persons:

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Date: Signature: