



# 2019 Tshwane Blou Bul Tournament

## Open Chess Tournament

Date: 16 February 2019

Venue: NG Gemeente Doornpoort, 841 Boabab St, Doornpoort, Pretoria

Right of admission reserved

This is an Official Tshwane Chess Tournament for Etienne Lewis qualification

Online Entries: [www.tshwanechess.com](http://www.tshwanechess.com)

- ✓ Entries close 13:00 on Friday 15 February 2019.
- ✓ Players list published by 22:00 Friday 15 February 2019 on [www.chess-results.com](http://www.chess-results.com)
- ✓ Only online entries will be accepted (no telephone, Whatsapp or SMS entries will be accepted)
- ✓ Please make payments to: Tshwane Chess Region, Absa Bank, Acc No: 4086953485, Branch Code 632005 – NO CASH PAYMENTS ON THE DAY
- ✓ Email proof of payment to: [finance@tshwanechess.co.za](mailto:finance@tshwanechess.co.za). Payment reference: **Surname +Initial+ BB**
- ✓ By entering the tournament, you unconditionally agree to all the rules and regulations in the Tshwane Chess Handbook.
- ✓ The player/guardian gives consent for its name, surname, gender, race, date of birth to be submitted to the rating agencies for the purposes of rating the tournament and the rating agencies displaying it on their respective websites.
- ✓ The player and parent/ guardian of the player gives consent that photographs of their child in connection with all Tshwane Chess Events and Tournaments may be taken. I authorise, Tshwane Chess, its assigns and transferees to copyright, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically. The use such photographs of my child with or without her/his name and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and Web content. I understand that Tshwane Chess cannot control unauthorized use of the images by persons not associated with any of the above associations or institutions once it has been published.
- ✓ The Tshwane Chess Handbook can be accessed at [www.tshwanechess.co.za](http://www.tshwanechess.co.za)
- ✓ Latest FIDE rules of 1 January 2018 will apply.
- ✓ It is the responsibility of the player to ensure that he/she is entered the correct section. The organiser reserves the right to move a player to the appropriate section in accordance with the latest national rating.
- ✓ Only players with confirmed payments will be added to the draw and published on [www.chess-results.com](http://www.chess-results.com)
- ✓ Players must attend prize giving to qualify for prizes. Prize giving is approximately 20 minutes after the last round
- ✓ No items may be sold, traded or displayed without the prior written consent of the organizers
- ✓ A tuckshop will be open on Saturday for purchases of food, snacks and cool-drinks
- ✓ NO alcohol may be used or brought onto the premises.
- ✓ The Organizers has the right to move unrated players between sections at his/her own discretion and to combine or split sections to maintain the integrity of the tournament.
- ✓ No cell phones except for the TD, Chief Arbiter, Arbiters and PC personnel will be allowed in the playing area
- ✓ Rating agencies: URS & Chess SA

TOURNAMENT	A Section CHESSA Rating >= 1490		Section B: CHESSA rating 1190 – 1510 Section C: CHESSA rating 790 – 1210 Section D: CHESSA rating 500 – 810		Section E: Born 2010 and after and rating less than 851 or less than 5 tournaments Section F Born 2012 and after and rating less than 651 or less than 5 tournaments	
FEE	R230 per player (Free for 2000+ rated players)		R230 per player		R160 per player	
PRIZES	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize R1500 2 <sup>nd</sup> R600 3 <sup>rd</sup> R450 4 <sup>th</sup> R350		To be announced after round 3		Medals	
TIME	5 x Rounds 60/60		5 x Rounds 60/60		5 x Rounds 60/60	
PROGRAM	Sat: 26/01	Round 1: 08:00 Round 2-5 start 15 min after previous round	Sat: 26/01	Round 1: 08:00 Round 2-5 start 15 min after previous round	Sat 26/01	Round 1: 08:00 Round 2 – 5: start 15 min after previous round
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