3rd International Brühl Open

Friday, 14.02.2025

until Sunday, 16.02.2025

in Brühl (near Cologne)

Total prize pool: 7,000€

Organizer: Brühler Schachklub 1920 e.V.

Venue: Multipurpose hall of the Clemens-August-Schule,

Clemens-August-Strasse 33, 50321 Brühl

Mode: 5 rounds Swiss system according to FIDE rules.

Time 90 min/40 moves + 30 min/rest + 30 sec. per move

The waiting time is 30 minutes.

Two tournaments, grouping according to tournament rating (TWZ). For players with ELO and DWZ numbers, the higher number is decisive.

A-tournament: TWZ ≥ 1800 (at the time of registration),

B-tournament: TWZ<2000 (at the start of the tournament). No

exceptions. Registered players for the B-tournament who exceed TWZ 1800 between registration and tournament start may participate in the

A-tournament for 10€ extra.

Both tournaments will be rated according to **DWZ** and **ELO**. Pairings in

both tournaments are made based on ELO rating.

Registration: By email to bsk1920.online@googlemail.com stating first and last

name, club, FIDE-ID and tournament. The Open is limited to 320 participants. The order in which the money is received counts.

Entry fee: A-tournament: **60**€ for adults, **50**€ for youths (cut-off date 1.1.2007)

B-tournament: **50€** for adults, **40€** for youths (cut-off date 1.1.2007)

GM/WGM/IM/WIM are exempt from the entry fee

Transfer until 31.01.2025 with name and club to the account of the

Brühler Schachklub: IBAN: DE56 3705 0299 0133 3193 09,

BIC: COKSDE33XXX. If payment is made after 31.01.25, the entry fee

will be increased by 10€.

8th - 10th place: 70€

Main prizes: A-tournament B-tournament

 1^{st} place: 1,200€ 1^{st} place: 500€

 2^{nd} place: 900€ 2^{nd} place: 400€

 3^{rd} place: 700€ 3^{rd} place: 300€

 4^{th} place: 500€ 4^{th} place: 200€

 5^{th} place: 300€ 5^{th} place: 100€

 6^{th} place: 200€ 6^{th} place: 80€

 7^{th} place: 100€ 7^{th} place: 70€

Special prizes: At least 5 participants in the respective category

Rating prizes according to TWZ: 1st place 80€, 2nd place 50€

A-tournament: ≤ TWZ 2200; ≤ TWZ 2000

B-tournament: ≤ TWZ 1900; ≤ TWZ 1700; ≤ TWZ 1500; ≤ TWZ 1300

Best woman: 65€ (In both tournaments)

Best senior (cut-off date 31.12.1964): 65€ (In both tournaments)

Best youth (cut-off date 1.1.2007): 65€ (In both tournaments)

In the event of a tie, the **Buchholz ranking** with one strike result shall apply, followed by the Sonneborn-Berger ranking. If all scores are equal, the prizes shall be shared.

In the case of double prizes, only the higher prize will be paid out. The other prize will go to the next placed person in the respective prize group.

Prize money for foreigners without permanent German residency will be subject to taxation according to the German income tax law (EStG).

Schedule: Friday, 14.02.25: Registration 16:00-18:00 for all players

1st round 18:30

Saturday 15.02.25: 2nd round 09:30

3rd round 16:00

Sunday, 16.02.25: 4th round 09:30

5th round 16:00

FIDE ID: All participants must have a valid **FIDE ID** at the beginning of the

tournament or apply for one from the FIDE rating officer

(elo@schachbund.de) before the start of the tournament, stating their

surname, first name, date of birth and sex (m/f). The format

"Mustermann, Juergen; 1971-04-23;M" must be kept.

Other: By registering, the player declares that he/she agrees to the use of the

data and tournament results collected on the occasion of the

tournament for the determination of the DWZ and ELO by the bodies responsible for this purpose, as well as that photos, tournament data,

match reports and similar may be published.

Main Arbiter: Roland Katz, IA

More info: www.bsk1920.de