



BROTNJO
CHESS CLUB



INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT

I. MEĐUGORJE OPEN

MEĐUGORJE, SEPTEMBER 13 – 19, 2026.

ORGANIZER: Chess club "BROTNJO" Čitluk

PATRON: Herzegovina - neretva canton, Government

VENUE: Congress hall "Sport Centar CIRCLE" – Međugorje

Link: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/KaFKaRw9fXPbdEWHA>

ELIGIBILITY: The tournament is open to all registered chess players from Bosnia and Herzegovina and abroad. Foreign players must have a valid **FIDE ID**; otherwise, they will not be eligible to participate.

TIME CONTROL: 90 minutes per player for the entire game, with an increment of **30 seconds per move**, starting from move one.

LIVE BROADCAST: The organizer will provide **live broadcast of games on the first 30 boards**.

FIDE RATING: The tournament is registered with **FIDE** and is valid for **FIDE rating changes and title norms**.

PRIZE FUND: Total prize fund **15.650 BAM (8000 €)**.

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| 1. place 2700 BAM | 6. place 600 BAM |
| 2. place 2000 BAM | 7. place 500 BAM |
| 3. place 1600 BAM | 8. place 450 BAM |
| 4. place 1100 BAM | 9. place 400 BAM |
| 5. place 800 BAM | 10. place 300 BAM |

SPECIAL PRIZES:

	1. mjesto	2. mjesto	3. mjesto
Best junior (<19)	400 BAM	300 BAM	200 BAM
Best cadet (<16)	300 BAM	200 BAM	100 BAM
Best female player	400 BAM	300 BAM	200 BAM
ELO <1800	250 BAM	150 BAM	-
ELO 1801 – 2000	300 BAM	200 BAM	-
ELO 2001 – 2200	300 BAM	200 BAM	-
Best veteran (70+)	300 BAM	200 BAM	100 BAM
Best player of Chess club "Brotnjo"	200 BAM	100 BAM	-
Best player of Chess club "Brotnjo"(<16)	150 BAM	100 BAM	-

Best veteran of Chess club "Brotnjo"(70+)	150 BAM	100 BAM	-
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Prizes are not cumulative

ENTRY FEE: - 100 KM (50 €)

- Cadets (Under 16) 60 KM (30 €)

- Grandmasters (GM) and Women grandmasters (WGM) :

Free of charge.

BANK ACCOUNT CHESS CLUB "BROTNJO" : 3060020000668784, Addiko Bank

For domestic players, prize money will be transferred to their bank accounts. Foreign players will receive their prizes in cash.

All participants must present a valid identification document (ID card, passport or similar) during registration..

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE: Final registration: Sunday, September 13, 2026 until 15:00
Opening ceremony: Sunday, September 13, 2026, at 15:30.

PLAYING SCHEDULE:

I. round	sunday	September,13	17:00
II. round	monday	September,14	10:00
III. round	monday	September,14	17:00
IV. round	tuesday	September,15	17:00
V. round	wednesday	September,16	17:00
VI. round	thursday	September,17	10:00
VII. round	thursday	September,17	17:00
VIII. round	friday	September,18	17:00
IX. round	saturday	September,19	10:00

The prize – giving ceremony and official closing of the tournament will take place approximately 30 minutes after the completion of the final round.

The organizer reserves the right to make changes to there regulations if necessary.

A player may request one half-point bye in one of the first three rounds. Such a request must be submitted in advance, and the player will receive ½ point for the requested bye.

PLAYER REQUIREMENTS: Each player must bring a properly functioning digital chess clock.

REGISTRATION: Tournament entries should be sent by e-mail or message to the **Chief** **arbiter**.

CHIEF ARBITER:

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THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IS LIMITED.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:

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ARBITERS SEMINAR:

An arbiters seminar will be organized during the tournament. The seminar is organized by the **HERZEG – BOSNIA CHESS FEDERATION**, while the technical organizer is **CHESS CLUB “BROTNJO”**

ACCOMODATION: Hotel „**HOTEL GRANDE CASA**“ is official tournament hotel.

Single, double, triple rooms and bungalows for up to five persons are available.

Below you can find the Booking.com link for the official hotel. For any additional information, please contact the hotel directly.

Link: <https://www.booking.com/hotel/ba/grande-casa.hr.html>

email: grande.casa@sport-centar.com

Accommodation at the official hotel is not mandatory.

Guests staying at the hotel have free access to the fitness center and outdoor swimming pools.

A special discounted price for the swimming pools will be available for all other tournament participants.

Hotel “SAN MEĐUGORJE”

The hotel offers modern single, double, triple, and family rooms. All rooms are equipped with air conditioning, free Wi-Fi internet, a TV, and a private bathroom to ensure a comfortable stay for guests.

The hotel features a restaurant, bar, and free private parking. Guests also have access to a spacious terrace and an outdoor relaxation area.

Below the text you can find a link that leads you to the official Booking page of the hotel. For any additional information, you can contact the hotel via email or directly.

Link: <https://www.booking.com/hotel/ba/san-citluk1.hr.html>

E-mail: hotelsanmedjugorje@gmail.com

Guesthouse “QUO VADIS”

The guesthouse offers single, double, triple, and family rooms. All rooms are equipped with air conditioning, free Wi-Fi internet, a TV, and a private bathroom. The property also features its own restaurant and parking area.

Below the text you can find contact details for direct reservations. For any additional information, communication is available via email or phone.

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ARRIVAL:

The nearest airport to Međugorje is **Mostar International Airport (OMO)**, located approximately **25 km** away, which is around **30 minutes by car**.

Mostar Airport offers seasonal and limited direct flights, including routes from:

- Zagreb
- Belgrade

In the wider region, international flights are available through major European hubs (depending on the season and airline). The most commonly used connecting routes are via Zagreb, Belgrade, Istanbul, and other major international airports.

The tournament organizer provides organized transportation from the airports to Međugorje, subject to prior arrival notification from participants.