

## Nordic Women OPEN Championship 2013

The Icelandic Chess Federation hereby invites you to the Nordic Women Championship in Reykjavik 17th-23rd September.

The tournament is open to all female players (regardless of nationality)

**Playing venue:** Norræna húsið (The Nordic House) in downtown Reykjavik. <http://www.nordice.is/>

**Time limits:** 90 minutes + 30 sec. increment per move

**Registration:** <https://chess-results.com/anmeldung.aspx?lan=1&ggid=104065>

### Entry fees

WGM/WIM	Free
WFM	ISK 5.000
Other	ISK 10.000
Juniors (born 1997 or later)	ISK 5.000

### Schedule:

Rounds	Weekday	Dates	Time
Opening Ceremony	Thursday	17. September	15:45-16:00
Round 1	Tuesday	17. September	16:00-21:00
Round 2	Wednesday	18. September	10:00-15:00
Round 3	Wednesday	18. September	16:00-21:00
Round 4	Thursday	19. September	16:00-21:00
Round 5	Friday	20. September	10:00-15:00
Round 6	Friday	20. September	16:00-21:00
Round 7	Saturday	21. September	13:00-18:00
Round 8	Sunday	22. September	13:00-18:00
Round 9	Monday	23. September	11:00-16:00
Tie break (if needed)	Monday	23. September	17:00-19:00
Closing Ceremony	Monday	23. September	After the tournament

**Minor changes to the schedule are possible.**

### Prizes

Total prizes are 250.000 ISK. In case of equal points then Bucholz-points will decide how prizes will be divided with Hort-system among equally ranked players. All prizes will be paid with electronic wire transfer.

**The Nordic Champion will receive 50.000 ISK.**

Prizes (regardless of nationality)

1. 75.000 ISK
2. 60.000 ISK
3. 30.000 ISK
4. 20.000 ISK
5. 15.000 ISK

## Accommodation

**Hotel Plaza** (<http://www.centerhotels.com/our-hotels/hotel-plaza>)

Recommended by the Organizing Committee

- Single or double rooms: 125€
- Booking: E-mail: [plaza@centerhotels.com](mailto:plaza@centerhotels.com)
- Please send following information in the e-mail
  - Full name
  - Nationality
  - Arrival and departure dates
  - Group name: Nordic Women 2013
  - Res number: 23631
  - Credit card number and expiration date

**Fosshótel Barón** (<http://www.fosshotel.is/hotels/fosshotel-in-reykjavik/fosshotel-baron/>)

- Single room: 13.400 ISK per night.
- Double room: 15.000 ISK per night.
- Apartment (with 2 rooms) 27.400 ISK per night
- Booking through the ICF-office ([skaksamband@skaksamband.is](mailto:skaksamband@skaksamband.is)).

Other options: <http://is.hotels.com/> or <http://www.booking.com>

## Organizing Committee

Ingibjorg Edda Birgisdottir (Chairman), Andrea Margret Gunnarsdottir, David Olafsson, Gunnar Bjornsson, Lenka Ptacnikova, Robert Lagerman and Stefan Bergsson.

## Arbiters:

Chief Arbiter: IA Gunnar Bjornsson, Deputy Chief Arbiter: FA Robert Lagerman and David Olafsson.

**Website:** [www.nordicwomen2013.com](http://www.nordicwomen2013.com).

## Tie Break

If two or more Nordic women players are equal in first place then the two highest according to Buchols-system shall play a match for the Nordic Women Championship title.

The system of the match is: The games shall be played using the electronic clock starting with 25 minutes for each player with an addition of 10 seconds after each move. If still equal a new match of 2 games shall be played to determine the winner with a time control of 10 minutes plus 10 seconds increment after each move. In case of a level score, another match of 2 games shall be played with a time control of 5 minutes plus 3 seconds increment after each move.

If still there is no winner, one sudden-death game will be played. The players shall play a single decisive sudden death game. The player who wins the drawing of lots may choose the colour. The player with the white pieces shall receive 5 minutes; the opponent with the black pieces shall receive 4 minutes whereupon, after the 60th move, both players shall receive an increment of 3 seconds for each move from move 61. In case of a draw the player with the black pieces is declared the winner.