

12th Int. Neckar-Open
20th – 24th March 2008
Deizisau (Region Stuttgart – Germany)
Total fund: 13.600 EUR

Venue	Public Hall / Gemeindehalle Deizisau Gymnasium / Hermann-Ertinger-Sporthalle
Time Schedule	Fr. 14th March 2008 Deadline for Pre-Announcement Venue opening 15:00 Deadline of Announcement 17:00 Th. 20th March 2008 1st rd. 18:30 Fr. 21st March 2008 2nd rd. 9:00 Fr. 21st March 2008 3rd rd. 15:00 Sa. 22nd March 2008 4th rd. 9:00 Sa. 22nd March 2008 5th rd. 15:00 Su. 23rd March 2008 6th rd. 9:00 Su. 23rd March 2008 7th rd. 15:00 Mo. 24th March 2008 8th rd. 9:00 Mo. 24th March 2008 9th rd. 14:30 Winners ceremony: After the last round (about 20:00)
Deadline for registration	Deadline for registering is 20th March 2008, 15:00-17:00 at our venue (starting charge +5 EUR). Please note Name, Birthdate, ELO/National rating, Nation, Tournament on your announcement. Every player, even pre-announced player, has to fill out our starting formular!
System of Tournament	Three independent tournaments (A-C -Open), 9 rounds CH-system, 2h for 40 moves + 0,5h for the rest of the game. The tournaments will be DWZ rated. The A-Open will be ELO rated and it is possible to play an IM-norm. The B-Open is also ELO rated. The first prizes are guaranteed. The other prizes will be guaranteed after A-Open 240, B-Open 160, C-Open 60 paying starters. The special prizes will be paid out if there are 5 starters in this special category. No double prizes. If two (or more) players have the same amount of points, the prizes will be divided via the Hort-System. Special prizes will not be divided. It is necessary to take part at our winners ceremony to get the prizes.
Players without DWZ or ELO	Players from a foreign chess federation without ELO/DWZ need a written confirmation from their federation about their playing strength. German players without rating need the permission >from Mr. Noppes.
Pre-announcement	Please transfer the starting charge to our account: IBAN: DE15 6115 0020 0008 0658 03 (What is IBAN?) BIC: ESSLDE66 Bank: Kreissparkasse Esslingen-Nürtingen Please note Name, Birthdate, ELO/National rating, Nation, Tournament (A-C) on your announcement.
Accommodations	Please book your rooms early! Please contact: Sven Noppes (address s. below) There is a free shuttle service for our participants to and from your

	<p>hotel. Single room: 39 EUR per night including breakfast Double room: 56 EUR per night including breakfast</p>
Further Informations	<p>Sven Noppes, Uhlandstrasse 39, GER - 73779 Deizisau Tel. +49 7153 / 82 64 57 Fax +49 7153 / 7 68 92 Cell phone: +49 172 / 7 25 87 38 E-Mail: open@neckar-open.de Internet: www.Neckar-Open.de</p>

Starting Charge				
Pre-announcement (payment until 14th March 2008)		A-Open	B-Open	C-Open
	Adult	55 EUR	40 EUR	20 EUR
	Juvenile (Age group 88 a.y.)	35 EUR	25 EUR	15 EUR
	Juvenile (Age group 94 a.y.)	20 EUR	15 EUR	10 EUR
Announcement (payment after 14th March 2008)		A-Open	B-Open	C-Open
	Adult	60 EUR	45 EUR	25 EUR
	Juvenile (Age group 88 a.y.)	40 EUR	30 EUR	20 EUR
	Juvenile (Age group 94 a.y.)	25 EUR	20 EUR	15 EUR
Starting-charge-free are: GM, WGM, IM, WIM				

A-Open (only NWZ/ELO > 1800) Fund: 10.250 EUR	
Prize	<p>2.250 EUR, 1.600 EUR, 1.200 EUR, 800 EUR, 600 EUR, 400 EUR, 300 EUR, 250 EUR, 200 EUR, 150 EUR, 100 EUR, 90 EUR, 80 EUR, 70 EUR, 60 EUR, 50 EUR</p> <p>Team prizes (4 club players): 200 EUR, 150 EUR, 100 EUR Best juvenile (age group 1988 and younger): 300 EUR Best senior (age group 1948 and older): 200 EUR Best woman: 500 EUR Best ELO/DWZ 2350 - 2201: 150 EUR Best ELO/DWZ 2200 - 2101: 150 EUR Best ELO/DWZ 2100 - 2001: 150 EUR Best ELO/DWZ 2000 - 1801: 150 EUR</p>
Top-Players	We guarantee the start of minimal 8 GMs!

B-Open
(only NWZ/ELO < 2000)
Fund: 2.750 EUR

Price	1.000 EUR, 500 EUR, 250 EUR, 100 EUR, 3 x 50 EUR Best team (4 players): 200 EUR Best juvenile (age group 1988 and younger): 100 EUR Best juvenile (age group 1994 and younger) 100 EUR Best senior (age group 1948 and older): 100 EUR Best woman: 100 EUR Best DWZ 1700 - 1551: 100 EUR Best DWZ 1550 - 1: 50 EUR
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C-Open
(only NWZ/ELO < 1400)
Fund: 600 EUR

Price	250 EUR, 150 EUR, 100 EUR Best DWZ 1100 - 1: 50 EUR Best Player without rating: 50 EUR
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