# REPORT BMC CHESS CLUB 2021-2022

### **Events Organised**

Sl No	Event	Date	Participants
1	Chess Club Inauguration	20/7/2021	85
2	Intra BMC Online Chess	29/12/2021	24
	Tournament – Series 1		
3	Intra BMC Online Chess	01/01/2022	15
	Tournament – Series 2		

### 1.CHESS CLUB INAUGURATION 2021-22

The chess Club inauguration of Bharata Mata college, Thrikkakara was conducted on 20th july 2021, international chess day. The inauguration was conducted through google meet at 10 AM. The chief guest of the inauguration was IM Nisha Mohota, Women Grandmaster and International master from West Bengal.

The event was started with a prayer by Jestin kuzhipalli followed by the welcome speech by Sandra Sivadas. Anchoring was done by Krishna M S.Presidential adress was given by Dr. Shiny Palatty. Then guest introductory speech was given by Dr. Nimmy A George. A video was presented based on the history of chess club. The auspicious inaugration was done by IM Nisha Mohota by moving a chess piece on the chess board. After that we had a wonderful interactive session with the guest. The duration of the program was 2 hours and there were about 85 participants in the event. The program was concluded by vote of thanks delivered by Joywin Vargheese. The inauguration came to an end at 12 pm. The inauguration was so interesting and the club members got an opportunity to have an amazing interactive session with IM Mohota and her talk inspired us all.

### 2. INTRA BMC ONLINE CHESS TOURNAMENT (Selection series 1)

The Chess Club of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara conducted an intra bmc online chess tournament (selection series 1) on 29th december 2021. The tournament was conducted through lichess at 10 AM.

There were 5 rounds and the time format of the tournament was 10 min +2 sec. There were 24 participants. Vishnu from 3rd DC chemistry was the winner of the tournament. The tournament came to an end at 12 pm.

The tournament helped to find more chess players from the college.

#### 3. INTRA BMC ONLINE CHESS TOURNAMENT 2022 (Selection series 2)

The chess Club of Bharata Mata college, Thrikkakara conducted an intra bmc online chess tournament (selection series 2) on 1st January 2022. The tournament was conducted through lichess at 10 AM.

There were 5 rounds and the time format of the tournament was  $10 \min + 2$  sec. There were 15 participants. Vishnu V S from 3rd DC chemistry was the winner of the tournament. The tournament came to an end at 12 pm.Cash prizes were given to the 1st,2nd and 3rd place winners based of different selection series. Aswin Shibu (III B Com Finance and Taxation SF) and Maalavigaa R (I BSc Physics) got  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  place respectively.

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# **Coaching and Practice Session**

- Training on "how to improve chess" in opening , middlegame and endgame were given in different sessions both offline and online .
- The Chess Club of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakkara conducted a coaching session on 22nd January 2022. The coaching session was conducted through google meet at 11 AM.The session was started with a prayer and it was a 2 hour session. Nimmy A George took a class on chess tactics and done game analysis.She taught us special chess moves. There were 11 participants in the meeting.
- The Chess Club of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakkara conducted a coaching session on 26th January 2022. The coaching session was conducted through google meet at 4 PM.The session was started with a prayer and it was a 1:30 hour session.Dr.Nimmy A George took a class on how to improve chess tactics and strategies. There were 12 participants in the meeting.
- The Chess Club of Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakkara conducted a coaching session on 12th February 2022. The coaching session was conducted through google meet at 9 AM.The session was started with a prayer and it was a 1:30 hour session. Dr.Nimmy A George and Prof George John took sessions on game analysis, tactics, openings and endings. There were 12 participants in the meeting.

DATE	TIME	PROGRAM
4-12-2021	6 pm – 7pm	Friendly match online
6-12-2021	2.35 pm	Offline practice
14-12-2021	2.30pm	Offline practice
16-12-2021	2.30pm	Offline practice
22-12-2021	2.30pm	Offline practice
29-12-2021	10.00am	Online tournament (selection)
01-01-2022	10.00am	Online tournament (selection)
04-01-2022	2.35pm	Selection
05-01-2022	2.35pm	Practice session
07-01-2022	2.35pm	Matches
10-01-2022	2 35pm	Practice session
22-01-2022	11am -1 pm	Coaching session
26-01-2022	04-06pm	Coaching session
12-02-2022	09-11am	Coaching session

## **Achievements of Students**

Sl no	Championship	Date	Venue	Prize
1	MG University Men Chess Tournament 2020-21	21/7/2021	St Thomas College, Pala	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize
2	MG University Women Chess Tournament 2020-21	22/7/2021	St Thomas College, Pala	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize
3	MG University Men Chess Tournament 2021-22	16/2/2022	Sacred Heart College, Thevara	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize
4	MG University Women Chess Tournament 2021-22	17/2/2022	Sacred Heart College, Thevara	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize
5	MG University Individual Championship	18/2/2022 & April 1-3	S H Thevara & SRM Institute Of Technology,Tamil Nadu	Malavigaa Selected to MG University Team & Participated in Interuniversity Championship

### 1. MG University Chess Tournament 2020-21

The MG University chess tournament for the academic year 2020-2021 was conducted on 21st July and 22nd July 2021 at St.Thomas College , Pala(Kottayam). On 21st the tournament was for boys and 22nd the tournament was for girls team respectively.

Both teams has secured 3rd prize in the tournament. The participants of Boys team are Visakh P.R, Anandhapadmanabhan (BSc Maths), Vishnu V.S(Bsc Chemistry), Abhijith Ajith( B Com), Naveen R (B Com Marketing) and Vyshnav V.P( B Com Finance and Taxation). The participants of girls team are Krishna M.S ( B Sc Maths), Aleena P Saju (B Sc Maths) , Ann Maria Sajan (B Sc Maths) and Gopika V Nair ( B Com Marketing).

#### 2. MG University Chess Tournament 2021-22

The MG University chess tournament was conducted at Sacred Hearts College, Thevara, Ernakulam from 16th - 18th February 2022. On 16th the tournament was for boys North zone selection, 17th was for boys and girls MG university intercollegiate team championship tournament and 18th there was an individual selection tournament for both boys and girls to represent the MG university team.

In M G University Team Chess Championhip, both BMC Men and BMC Women team secured 2nd prize in the MG University Men Team Chess Championship and Women Team Chess Championship respectively. The participants of Boys team are Joywin Varghese(II BA Economics), Shobin C B(I B Com Computer Application), Vishnu V.S(III B Sc Physics), Abhijith Ajith(II B Com), Aswin Shibu(III BCom Finance and Taxation) and Arjun Shaji Vettiyattil(I BSc Physics). The participants of girls team are Krishna M.S (II B Sc Maths, Devika Supran(I M Com), Ann Maria Sajan (II BSc Maths), Malaviga R (I BSc Physics) , Ann Mary MM (I BSc Maths) and Sandra Sivadas (II Bsc Chemistry).

The duration of the program was 3 day and there were 8 teams for boys and about 16 team for girls respectively.

Malavigaa R of BMC, Thrikkakara has secured 5th position in individual tournament and got selection to represent MG University team.

#### 3. Inter University Player

Malavigaa R (I Bsc Physics) of BMC, Thrikkakara has represented MG university in South Zone Inter University Chess Championship conducted from April 1-3 at SRM INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, TAMIL NADU

### Gallery:













