

**MANHEM
OPEN
2018**

**June
17th - 20th**

SCHACKSÄLLSKAPET MANHEM

invites you to the **thirtyeighth** edition av our international youth tournament (2003-) **MANHEM OPEN**. The competition is held between June 17th and 20th is registered for Elo calculation.

The tournament system is seven rounds Swiss with a time limit of 90 minutes for the whole game with an increment of 30 seconds for each move. The playing site is the Göteborg Chess Centre, Vegagatan 20 (bus 60 from the Central station , bus stop "Vegagatan", tram 1 or 2 from the Central station, tram stop "Olivedalsgatan" or "Prinsgatan", or tram 6 from "Nordstan", tram stop "Prinsgatan"). Cafeteria at the playing site.

The strongest Swedish players are personally invited.

TIME SCHEDULE

Sun June 17	1230 1300- 1900-	Sign up Round 1 Round 2
Mon June 18	1000- 1600-	Round 3 Round 4
Tue June 19	1000- 1600-	Round 5 Round 6
Wed 20	1000- appx 1600	Round 7 Prize ceremony

PRIZES

1. prize: 2 000 SEK + memorial prize
2. prize: 1 000 SEK + memorial prize
3. prize: 500 SEK + memorial prize

Further, one third of the participants are awarded with book prizes, rating prizes included.

Entries by June 12th at the latest to

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Entries shall include name, national rating, Elo, full address, phone number, date of birth, chess club and preferably e-mail.

At the same time, the entry fee of 250 SEK shall be sent to SS Manhem's postal giro account 42 28 22 - 7.

We can offer accommodation of youth hostel standard at the playing site – with beds or foam-rubber mattresses - at a price of 240 SEK for all three nights. Kitchen and shower available. Get in touch at June 12th at the latest!

Manhem Open was held for the first time in 1981 and was at that time open for players born in 1966 or later. All Swedish grandmasters born after this year have participated in Manhem Open at least once. Here, you can see how they and others did early on in the careers of the grandmasters-to-be....:

1981	1. Ferdinand Hellers
1982	
1983	2. Ferdinand Hellers, 3. Slavko Cicak
1984	
1985	9. Tiger Hillarp Persson
1986	12. Sune Berg Hansen, Denmark
1987	
1988	8. Johan Hellsten
1989	3. Johan Hellsten
1990	2. Johan Hellsten
1991	
1992	10. Emanuel Berg
1993	15. Emanuel Berg, 36. Pontus Carlsson
1994	1. Emanuel Berg
1995	1. Heikki Kallio, Finland
1996	
1997	4. Pontus Carlsson
1998	3. Allan Stig Rasmussen, Denmark, 4. Hans Tikkanen
1999	6. Tomi Nybäck, Finland
2000	1. Bartłomiej Heberla, Poland, 16. Daniel Semcesen
2001	8. Daniel Semcesen
2002	1. Jakob Vang Glud, Denmark, 15. Erik Blomqvist
2003	
2004	3. Erik Blomqvist
2005	2. Erik Blomqvist, 4. Nils Grandelius
2006	
2007	1. Dariusz Świercz, Poland
2008	
2009	1. Toms Kantans, Latvia, 2. Nikita Meskovs, Latvia, 3. Ottomar Ladvá, Estonia