PAST WINNERS | 2017 – 2026

2017	IM Bodiroga (SRB)	**2022**	CN Nicolas Perossa (ITA)
2018	GM Drazic (SRB)	**2024**	Doric Nenad (CRO)
2019	GM Naumkin (RUS)	**2025**	CN Nicolas Perossa (ITA)
2020	GM Naumkin (RUS)	**2026**	GM Kenneth T. Solomon (RSA)

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TRIESTE, ITALY

8 – 10 JANUARY 2027

Playing venue: Hotel Savoia Excelsior Palace – Sala Tergeste
Riva del Mandracchio 4 - 34124 Trieste (TS)



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SECTION A

Hotel Savoia Trophy

FIDE standard rating 1800 or above

SECTION B

Rozmann Memorial

FIDE standard rating below 1800

TOURNAMENT RULES

Eligibility. Italian players must hold a 2027 FSI membership. Foreign players must have a FIDE ID. Federation rules apply. Section assignments are based on the January 2027 rating list.

Format. Five rounds using the FIDE Dutch Swiss system. Each player has 90 minutes plus 30 seconds per move from move one. Recording the moves is compulsory.

Check-in. All players, including those registered in advance, must confirm attendance before check-in closes. Late entries are at the discretion of the arbiters.

Late arrival. The default time is 60 minutes from the actual start of the round. A later arrival loses by default unless the arbiter rules otherwise where permitted.

Half-point bye. One half-point bye may be requested in the first three rounds. Email info@triestechess.com before the tournament, specifying the round. The arbiter must confirm. No byes in rounds 4 or 5. A bye does not affect ratings.

Tie-breaks, in order. REP, Buchholz Cut 1, total Buchholz, ARO, drawing of lots. REP is the number of rounds minus requested half-point or zero-point byes and forfeit losses. Unplayed games are treated under FIDE rules.

Wild cards. Up to three places in Section A may be awarded to players close to the rating threshold or promising Under 16 players. Email a reasoned request, including results and titles, before registration closes.

Devices and conduct. Article 11.3 of the FIDE Laws of Chess applies. Players may not carry unauthorised devices. Devices left for safekeeping must be fully switched off and stored as directed by the arbiters. Smoking in the playing area is prohibited.

Accessibility. Please notify the organisers in advance of any accessibility or assistance requirements.

Arbiters' decisions. The arbiter's decisions are final.

General rules. Matters not covered here are governed by the FSI and FIDE rules in force at the time of the event. By entering, players accept those rules, including FIDE anti-cheating controls, consent to publication of their data, images and results, and accept any changes necessary for the smooth running of the tournament.

SCHEDULE | 8 – 10 JANUARY 2027

Friday 8 January	17:00-18:00	Check-in
	18:30	Round 1
Saturday 9 January	09:30	Round 2
	15:30	Round 3
Sunday 10 January	09:30	Round 4
	15:30	Round 5
	After Round 5	Prize ceremony

TOTAL PRIZE FUND €2,000

PRIZE	SECTION A	SECTION B
1st place	**€400**	**€220**
2nd place	€250	€150
3rd place	€150	€100
4th place	€120	€70
5th place	€100	€50
Best Over 65	**€80**	**€50**
Best Under 16	**€80**	**€50**
Best woman	**€80**	**€50**
TOTAL	**€1,260**	**€740**

Cups for the top three in each section and plaques for category winners. Each player receives only their highest cash prize. Other prizes pass down the standings. Prizes are allocated in descending order of value. For equal amounts, overall prizes take priority, then Over 65, Under 16 and women's prizes. Awards reflect actual placings.

Over 65: born on or before 31 December 1962. **Under 16:** born on or after 1 January 2011. Amounts are gross and paid by bank transfer under applicable tax rules. Cups and plaques are additional to the €2,000 prize fund.

REGISTRATION AND CONTACTS

Entry fees: Section A €65, Section B €55, Under 16 €45. GM/WGM free. IM/FM/WIM/WFM €10.

Register by **8 January 2027** at **www.vesus.org**.
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