



Observer report for 16 TH OPEN ITALIAN CHAMPIONSHIP

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Date: November 26th-27th 2022

Place: Milano, Italy

Website or other source(s) of information: All information on the website of FIMJ: registration, program, list of participants

Participants: 80 players, from 8 countries
Italy (47), France (21), Switzerland (5), Spain (3),
and 1 player from Great Britain, Austria, Ukraine and Singapore

Playing schedule: 2 days, 7 rounds (4+3) of 115 minutes

Location: La casa dei Giochi, in 2 separate rooms, large enough for all players

Equipment: We played with good games and tables.

Refereeing: Cédric Aguerre, Alberto Rosi and Marco Montebelli, all players referees.

Complaints: few players complain about noisy children during the games and one about players referees.

Information / communication during the tournament:

Visible clock on the screen of a computer in each room.
Ranking up to date between each session.

Sessions: Excellent playing atmosphere, FFF (Fair-play, Friendly and Fun).

Catering: Lunch in the same place in a different room (Italian dishes), drinks and others. Only one coffee break during all tournament.

Prizes: Trophies for individual ranking (1st to 10th), one more for the best team.
Special prizes for best hands and Italian champions.

Conclusion: Very nice tournament in Milano, as usual, great to be back.