

The Exciting Canada National Ranking Singles Carrrom Tournament in Markham

RECORD NUMBER OF PLAYERS COMPETE

The Canada National Ranking singles tournament held on the 27th of April 2024 in Markham was incredible! A record number of players signed up to compete for the top honors in the tournament.

9 ROUND SWISS LEAGUE FORMAT

The tournament software, created by Shad Ahmed, received a new and improved look. Now entering scores after each board only requires 2 clicks. Carrrom Canada has been a pioneer in using tablets for scoring games for over a decade, and the new 2-click system has made the process even simpler.

THE DOMINANCE OF AHMER AMMAR IN THE COMPETITION

Ahmer Ammar was the star of the tournament, winning all 9 of his matches. He only allowed Rupkrishna Dangol and Partheepan Ramalingam to score 15 points each against him, while keeping the other 7 players under 8 points.





MAHESH JOSHI'S SURPRISING PERFORMANCE

Mahesh Joshi impressed everyone by consistently defeating strong players and finishing in second place. However, he never got the chance to play against Ahmer, Partheepan, and Ahmad, the top 3 players in the tournament.

PARTHEEPAN AND AHMAD'S EXCELS

Partheepan managed to secure the third place despite losing 3 games, while Ahmad Haris finished fourth with the same number of losses.



TOP FINISHERS

The competition was keenly contested, with 7 players ending with 3 losses each and the score difference placed them from 3rd to 9th place. Rupkrishna Dangol, Nabanita Deka (the only female competitor, who played in Delhi at State level), Shad Ahmed, Jidnesh Sangle, and Yutharshan Selvanayagam finished 5th to the 9th place. Anurag Chanda who represented Canada in Maldives and UK world Cups finished 10th.

Players ranked 10th to 21st all lost 4 games, while those ranked 22nd to 31st lost 5 matches each.



Waseem presenting Francis D'Costa with personalized hoodie.

WASEEM THE GUEST OF HONOR

The special guest at the event was Waseem Ahmed, the Owner of Black Ash Sports, a sports retail store in Scarborough. Originally from Pakistan, Waseem used to play professional cricket in the UK. Black Ash offers a wide range of sports gear including cricket, soccer, ice hockey, field hockey, and carrom boards. Waseem has been supporting Carrom Canada for over 5 years and expressed his commitment to continue supporting future carrom competitions organized by Carrom Canada.



Madhukar receiving his star award

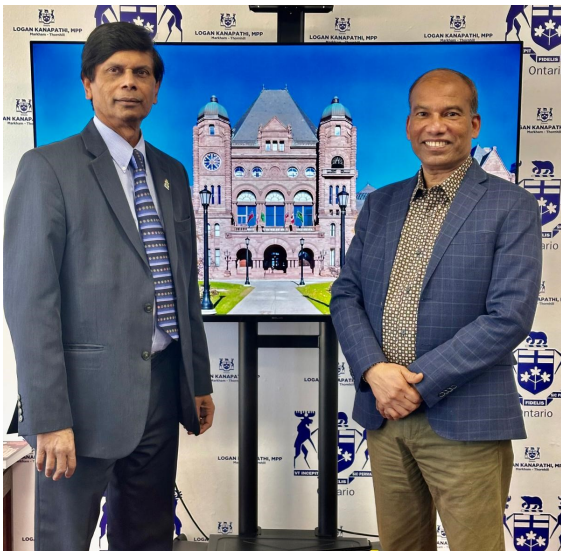
Final Ranking

- 1 Ahmer Ammar
- 2 Mahesh Joshi
- 3 Partheepan Ramalingam
- 4 Ahmad Haris
- 5 Rupkrishna Dangol
- 6 Nabanita Deka
- 7 Shad Ahmed
- 8 Jidnesh Sangle
- 9 Yutharshan Selvanayagam
- 10 Anurag Chanda
- 11 Jatinder Auja
- 12 Derrick Silveira
- 13 Sanjeevan Selladurai
- 14 Sairam Jangli
- 15 Rama Pilla
- 16 Parag Joshi
- 17 Valerian D'Souza
- 18 Yogesh Bhatt
- 19 Krishnarajan Thayalan
- 20 Sylvester D'Souza
- 21 Madhukar Kelkar
- 22 Gautam Panchal
- 23 Dinesh Shetty
- 24 Rehan Nayyer
- 25 Asok Sampath
- 26 Neyan Kogulathasar
- 27 Fabian Gonsalves
- 28 Pavan Rustagi
- 29 Diogo Fernandes
- 30 Hitesh Tavisa
- 31 Joseph Alexander
- 32 Manil Karunaratne
- 33 Manchu Kanaga
- 34 Mohd Faizal
- 35 Mohamed Ali
- 36 Jayesh Rokade
- 37 Kamesh Patel
- 38 Mukesh Suresh
- 39 Peter D'Cunha
- 40 Raj Thakar

ACKNOWLEDGING EXCELLENCE BY MPP LOGAN

MPP Logan Kanapathi, who was unable to attend due to a by-election in Milton on the same day, showed his support for Carrrom Canada by presenting certificates to the four winners and Shad Ahmed for his unwavering support to Carrrom Canada.





T-SHIRTS GAVE THE PLAYERS COMPETITIVE LOOK

T-Shirts for the event were co-sponsored by D'Costa Financial Group and Black Ash, and were given to players based on their contribution, with no obligation.

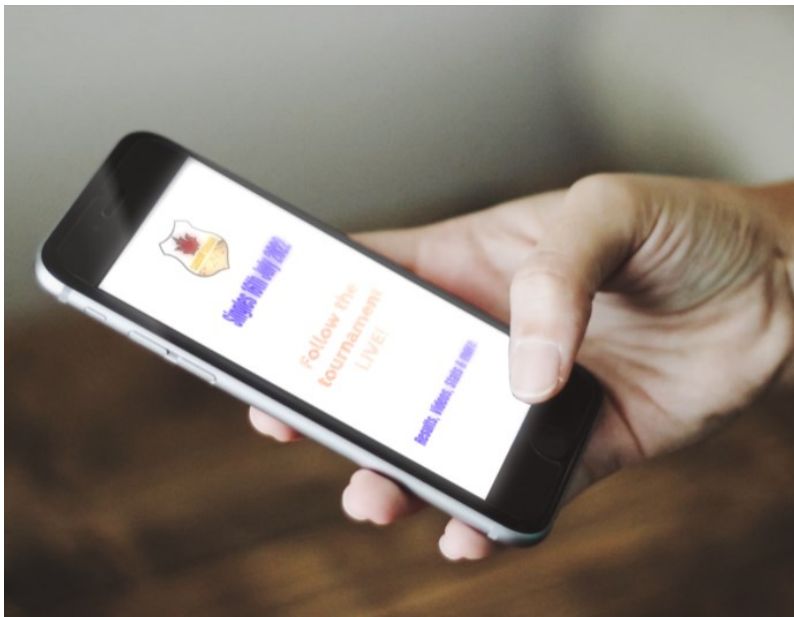


AWARDS

Besides the trophies the top four received cash awards. The winner Ahmer Ammar got a Carrrom Board and cash prize of \$300. He sportingly donated both the carrrom board and cash to Carrrom Canada.



Black Ash presented the board and co-sponsored the cash awards.



Carrrom Canada's one of a kind tournament mobile app.

- Round by round scores
- League Standings
- Game videos
- Photographs
- Players individual performance
 - Easy to use
 - No download required

<https://canada-open-2023.glideapp.io>