Chess Collectors International

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To the Members of Chess Collectors International

Re.: German Chess Collectors Meeting from October 31st – November 2nd, 2025 in Nuremberg

July 29th, 2025

Dear Members and Friends of CCI,

today we cordially invite you and your friends to spend a chess weekend in Nuremberg, from October 31st to November 2nd, 2025. We already had a meeting in Nuremberg in 2010, but many members have not yet seen the chess treasures there and others will be happy to see them again. As always, the members of the "Ken Whyld Association" are cordially invited to attend.

During our meeting we shall visit the permanent exhibition of chess sets and games in the German National Museum in Nuremberg.

As in previous years we will have a chess market open for about 2 hours. It will take place in the conference hotel. Please bring chess items for sale or exchange and let us know if you participate in order to arrange for sufficient space. To cover the room cost a small contribution of ca. EUR 15 per table will be collected.

In the hotel "NOVOTEL", a contingent of rooms will be held for us up to October 2nd, 2025. <u>Please make your own hotel reservations</u> using the key word "**CCI**" and make use of the registration form attached (can also be sent as a photograph by email).

"NOVOTEL"
Bahnhofstrasse 12,
D-90402 Nuremberg, Germany
Telephone +49 911 300350
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email: banquet2@novo-nuernberg.de

Our special rates per night, <u>including breakfast</u> are: Single room € 115.00, double room €139.00. The price includes the use of the wellness facilities, sauna, tee and coffee in the room and access to the internet. This is a very favourable rate for Nuremberg, a city that attracts many tourists.

Parking is available in the parking lot of the hotel at a rate of EUR 21 per day.

In order to ensure a smooth and uncomplicated meeting we have negotiated special rates with the hotel, restaurants, etc.. These we have combined in a participation fee of EUR 195 per person which includes:

- welcome drink and dinner in the hotel on Oct. 31st ,2025
- entry fee for the visit to the museum on Nov. 1st .2025
- beverages and cookies during the coffee break
- lunch on November 1st, 2025 (incl. beverages)
- dinner on November 1st,2025 (incl. beverages)
- all tips

We kindly ask you to transfer this sum beforehand to the following CCI-account, the payment also serves as your registration:

Chess Collectors International

Deutsche Bank

IBAN: DE06500700240471205500

BIC: DEUTDEDBFRA

Should anyone prefer to pay the fee cash during the meeting, please notify us in order to register you (important for the planning of the number of meals). Attendants who do not stay in the conference hotel will be charged EUR 20 to cover the cost of room rents and the like.

We meet on Friday, October 31st, 2025, starting from 6.00 pm, in the lobby of the conference hotel. Following a welcome drink at 7 pm, we shall proceed for dinner at 7.30 pm, please note that this meal is <u>included</u> in the participation fee.

The presentation of papers will start Saturday, November 1st, 2025 at 9.00 a.m. in the conference room of the hotel. After lunch in the hotel (included in the participation fee), we shall walk to the German National Museum to see the permanent games and chess exhibition. From the Museum we will return to the hotel in time for the Chess market.

On Sunday, instead of the usual city tour, we plan a visit to the Special Exhibition "**Nuremberg Global 1300-1600**" in the German National Museum. For the participants still present a Farewell-Lunch in the Café Arte, located in the Museum, is planned (not included in the participation fee).

We hope that you will find the programme attractive and look forward to meeting many of you in Nuremberg.

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Sincerely yours,

Signed: W. Angerstein

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Attachements: Provisional Programme, city map, Hotel brochure, brochure «See&Enjoy» with tourist information, travel info and maps.