

The Tournament

The Prestigious MrDodgy Invitational 2.0 (Bigger Better Harder) will take place between 12th-16th May. 16 players will compete in a knockout tournament for a prize fund of one (1) picture of the Organizer on a horse. There may also be some cash prizes but that's not important or interesting.

The Organizer

The organizer (Tournament Dictator) is MrDodgy. From his ice-fortress in Northern Sweden, he controls vast swathes of the chess industry. Known to some as the greatest chess organizer in history, MrDodgy increasingly demonstrates the dangers of giving a guy on Twitter too much power. This is his 2nd super-tournament and he's just as confused as you as to why it's even happening.

The pairings

The pairings are chosen entirely at the whim of the Organizer. Many factors were taken into consideration, including:

Matches the Organizer (and everyone on earth) wishes to see such as Dubov vs Williams.

Bribes, such as the one paid by BLEEP.

How much the player really wants a picture of the Organizer on a horse (you know who).

The Players

The players have been chosen entirely at the whim of the Organizer. Many factors were taken into consideration, for example:

Players the Organizer likes, such as Peter Svidler.

Players who play exciting chess, such as Simon Williams.

Players who were available, such as Laurent Fressinet.

The Time Control

The time control will be 5 minutes for the entire game. This was chosen by GM Jan Gustafsson and any complaints of excessive flaggery should be directed aggressively at him.

The Appeals Committee

Players may lodge an appeal for a non-refundable fee of \$100,000. The committee will then meet to discuss the merits of the appeal and quickly propose a remedy. The Appeals Committee is a group of life's greatest problem solvers:

MrDodgy
Donald J. Trump
Elon Musk
Twitch Chat

Other Regulations

The Organizer can (and will) add (and remove) rules depending entirely on his mood. For now, the extra rules apply:

Crimes Against the Tournament

The following Crimes will be punished by immediate expulsion from the tournament, excommunication from the chess community and an unlimited fine;

- a) Referring to the tournament as "The MrDodgy Memorial"
- b) Playing the Berlin