



1st ASIAN CHESSBOXING CHAMPIONSHIP 2023 2nd WCBO INDIAN OPEN CHESSBOXING WORLD CUP 2023

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REPORT

India hosted the WCBO Indian Open World Cup for as its second edition and Asian Chessboxing Championship for the first time in Kolkata, India from 4th to 7th June 2023, where foreign delegates from Russia, Kazakhstan and Turkey participated along with team India. The zeal and enthusiasm of Chessboxers could be seen as ingrained.

On 4th June 2023 all the teams were welcomed heartwarmingly and by the evening the registration process also came to an end.

On June 5, 2023, the inauguration ceremony of this International Chessboxing Championship began at 12 p.m. by felicitating our special guests, the Chief Jury, and our honorable President of WCBO, whose words encouraged our chessboxers, after which chessboxing matches for WCBO Indian Open World Cup commenced where players from Russia and Turkey participated and the results by the end of the day were astonishing.

On 6th June 2023 the chessboxing matches for Asian Chessboxing Championship began. The first time in Asian continent, Asian countries were competing against each other. It motivated us to plan more such events in the long run.

Decathlon being our sports partner for this mega event, conducted a fun game for all our Chessboxers – with soft Archery. Mr. Marat the coach of team Russia has won a special prize from decathlon for winning the archery round. Prize distribution and medal ceremony commenced by 3pm on 7th June 2023.

The evening of 7th June 2023 gave all of us a wonderful experience where the selected chessboxers got an opportunity to participate in **Asian Chessboxing Gala Night** as **ASIAN TITLE BELT** the preeminent show of our event.

The winners from gala fights of the evening are:

1. **CHAMPION in -85Kg. Mr. Sergei Shvedchikov (Russia)**
2. **CHAMPION in Master Men Heavy Weight
Mr. Sayan Shayakhmetov (Kazakhstan)**
3. **CHAMPION in -58Kg. Ms. Oksana Komissarova (Russia)**
4. **CHAMPION in -80Kg. Mr. Dogukan Cinar (Turkey)**
5. **CHAMPION in -60Kg. Mr. Kingshuk Saha (India)**

The winner from all these categories were rewarded with a cash award of Rs. 3000/- and a Title belt as Asian Champion. The GALA NIGHT hence proved successful & glamorous the players entered by wearing a gown with a true feeling of professional of gala fights.

The result of 1st, 2nd & 3rd Position Country (Medal Tally) of 2nd WCBO Indian Open Chessboxing World Cup 2023 is as follows: -

1. **INDIA - 1st**
2. **KAZAKHSTAN - 2nd**
2. **RUSSIA - 3rd**
4. **TURKEY - 4th**

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We wish to work hard on amateur & professional events and provide an amazing platform to the promising chessboxers not only in Asia as well as in Worldwide.