

First CSA Sunset Chess Blitz Tournament



29 chess friends found their way to beautiful Oberägeri in the Swiss canton Zug on July 9th. Directly at the lake the CSA organized in cooperation with the local club ChessMates Zugerland the 1st Sunset Blitz Tournament at the Lake.

After the welcome by Harald Schneider-Zinner and organizer Annette Waaijenberg the first round started with a time limit of 5 minutes per player and game. 7 juniors and 2 ladies fought for 9 rounds for nice material prizes and winner's cups.

After the 5th round there was a big break and everyone had a snack in the Seebeizli Studenhütte. Shortly after 8 p.m. the last round was played and afterwards there was the award ceremony with a lot of applause for the winners Harald Schneider-Zinner, Andrin Wüest and Raphael Gut. The 13-year-old Raphael also won the special prize for the best junior and the 11-year-old Maria Speerli secured the prize for the best lady with the 16th overall place.

Afterwards, everyone chatted happily over a glass of wine or a cool beer and enjoyed the last rays of sunshine over Lake Aegeri.

The participants were so enthusiastic about the tournament that some have already registered for the next edition... The 2nd sunset blitz tournament at Lake Aegeri is already in planning!

Ranking list: <http://chess-results.com/tnr654734.aspx?lan=0&art=1&rd=9&fed=SU>

To the photos: <https://www.chesssport.eu/en/sunset-chess-blitz-tournament/>