

# Apropos Adult Swiss #1

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USChess RATED!!!



**Open to players age 18+ with established USChess membership.**

**Format:** 4-round Swiss System online tournament. Pairings will be made offline by the TD.

**Entry Fee:** There is no entry fee for the tournament. Players must have current USChess and WCF membership.

**Rounds:** Sat/Sun 10am and 2pm

**Time Control:** G/90 +5

**Prize Fund:** \$500 Guaranteed. 10% added if 30 or more players, 20% added for 50 or more players with all prizes bumped proportionally. 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> \$125-\$50-\$25, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> U2000 \$100-\$50, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> U1800 \$50-\$25, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> U1600 \$50-\$25. Prizes without players will be split among other rating classes.

**Ratings – USChess Rated!** Unrated players welcome.

**Byes:** One ½ point bye available by EOD July 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Zoom:** All players will be required to use Zoom throughout the tournament, no exceptions.

**Memberships and Accounts:** Current USChess and WCF memberships required and must be paid before Round 1. Working chess.com account and Zoom access required.

**Registration:** Register online at <https://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration> by Friday July 10<sup>th</sup> 6pm. Late registrations accepted at TD discretion. ALL memberships must be current before RD1.

**Apropos Chess Events** is hosting this tournament and a series for no-entry free online events to promote online chess, adult and junior chess, and to vigorously advocate for USChess OTB ratings to be used online. Watch for additional A.C.E adult, open, and junior tournaments each month!

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