

	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Pacific Northwest Chess Center</u></b>  <b>PNWCC Blitz Marathon</b>  <b>Fund Raising and Summer Party</b>      Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019</p> <p>One section, USCF Blitz Rated 13-round double-swiss (<b>26 games</b>) blitz tournament with time control G3+2. Fresh fruits, beverage, ice cream and pizza/fried rice dinner will be provided. No cash prize as this is PNWCC's annual fund-raising event. Instead, PNWCC will give generous free event entries to top performers.</p>
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Tournament Info	
<b>Schedule</b>	Round 1 will start at 2:00PM. We will take 15-minute break after every 1.5 hours of play time. Beverage, Fruit and Ice Cream will be provided during breaks. Pizza/fried rice will be provided at around 7:00PM. Just-In-Time bye requests are available for players need more rest before each round starts.
<b>Capacity</b>	50
<b>Site</b>	PNWCC - <a href="#">12020 113th Ave NE #C-200, Kirkland, WA 98034</a>
<b>TD</b>	Volunteer Club TD (Xuhao He/Vijay Sankaran/Colin Smith/Nic Velea/Liang Shi)
<b>Rating</b>	USCF Blitz Rated. USCF regular rating will be used for pairing. USCF membership required. Purchase <a href="#">here</a>
<b>Clock and Set</b>	Provided by PNWCC
<b>Check-in</b>	No Check-in needed. Request bye before R1 starts.
<b>Time Control</b>	G3+2. Mode <b>13</b> on DGT North America chess clock
<b>Byes</b>	3 half-point byes available. 1 <sup>st</sup> round bye needs to be requested on registration or 24 hours before 1 <sup>st</sup> round starts. After 3 half-point byes, you can request more 0-point byes if you need break before each round.
<b>Pairing, Results and Broadcast</b>	Pairing and results, and top games broadcast will be published on PNWCC website <a href="https://www.pnwchesscenter.org/">https://www.pnwchesscenter.org/</a>
<b>Contacts</b>	Email <a href="mailto:pnwcctd@gmail.com">pnwcctd@gmail.com</a> for all tournament related questions.
<b>Entry Fee</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Free entries to GM/WGM/IM/WIM.</li> <li>• \$80 entry fee is considered donation to PNWCC as this is an fund raising event and no cash prize will be given.</li> </ul>
<b>Registration</b>	<a href="http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration/">http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration/</a> online registration. To request byes, use the special instructions field in the online registration form: <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="background-color: #90EE90; padding: 2px;">If you want to request byes or send any instructions to the organizers enter them here.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div> </div>

<b>Prize and Awards</b>	
<b>Cash Prize</b>	No cash Prize to be given. All entry fees will be used for the operations of PNWCC.
<b>Awards</b>	Free entries to PNWCC non-invitational tournaments (with free play up!) Standard Tie breakers apply in determining places <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Perfect scorers – Lifetime free entry!</li><li>• 1st – 12-month free entry till 8/3/2020</li><li>• 2nd – Free till 12/31/2019</li><li>• 3rd – Free till 10/31/2019</li><li>• 4th – Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• 5th – Free till 8/30/2019</li><li>• Top Senior player - Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• Top Female player – Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• Top K-3 Player – Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• Top K-5 Player – Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• Top K-8 Player – Free till 9/30/2019</li><li>• Top K-12 Player – Free till 9/30/2019</li></ul>