

WA Elementary State Championship

April 16, 2016

NOTE : This represents general information. For a more complete description on rules/regulations, visit the tournament website.

Eligibility

- Must Qualify per WSEEC Rules (can be found at www.wsecc.org).

AWARDS

- Trophies provided for all players. Awards for 4.0 or better scores announced from the Stage. Anyone with less than 4.0 can receive their trophy at the Recording Table when their Round 5 score is recorded.
- Team awards provided for Top 25 for Grades 1-3 and 4-6. Top 5 team awards announced from the Stage. All others are available for pickup by their coach at side of stage after main awards.

LOCATION

- Tacoma Convention Center -1500 Broadway, Tacoma, WA 98402 (all sections)

SECTIONS/FORMAT

- Grade Level k,1,2,3,4,5,6
- Love Chess 2 (1-3), (4-6) (9-Adult) — 7-8 may register in Middle School Event

REGISTRATION

- Register at <http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration>
- Entry fees: (MUST BE PAID by the date for the appropriate rate). Please use paypal electronically as checks our process for checks is difficult.
 - \$45 by Feb 1
 - \$55 by March 15
 - \$65 by April 10 (Registration Closes)
 - \$20 Late fee applied to all entries through April 15th - 5pm PDT
 - On Site registration (April 15th - April 16th) are subject to the Event Organizer approval and an additional fee.
- **NO CHECKIN - Your Paid Registration guarantees your place and pairing.**
- Doors open at 7:00am. Pairings posted by 7:15am. Players must be in their seats ready to play at 8:45 or forfeit. Round 1 starts promptly at 9:00am. Players without a partner in Round one may be matched together.

Clock Rules/ Game Times - SEE WEBSITE For more complete description.

- GRADE K,1,2,3 – BOTH PLAYERS must agree to the use of a clock for one to be used (except for the last 20 minutes of the round as provided by the tournament to complete the round on time).
- GRADE 4,5,6 – If ONE Player wishes to use a clock, it must be used. Clocks may be provided for the last 20 minutes of the game
- PLAYER SUPPLIED CLOCKS REQUIRED for UNDEFEATED PLAYERS in Round 5 in Grades 4–6. Grade 1–3 are exempt from this rule.
- Very Limited quantity of clocks and recording instruments available on site to buy. Please buy in advance. We cannot guarantee adequate inventory of clocks on site.

Team Tables

- Team tables will be provided free of charge for all players. Each Paid Player Registration will be assigned 3 seats (the player and 2 extras). Overflow seating will be available for those needing extra space. For Smaller teams, multiple teams may be seated at the same table. Organizer reserves the right to adjust the number of free tables based on the number of entries.
- Assignments for Team Tables closes April 10th. Seating is still free but in the overflow area.

For registration questions, email David Hendricks at DavidCHendricks@comcast.net. For all other questions, Email rick.jorgensen@gmail.com.

ALL TIMES BELOW ARE FIXED - Rounds will start at the scheduled time and not “Start early or “As soon as possible”. This is to provide players predictability during the day so you can properly plan, leave the facility, etc.

After Round 1, Players are allowed to show up on time; however, their clock will be started. If neither player is present, a clock will be started and White’s time will begin.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16th	
G/25 (5 sec delay)	
7:00 am	Doors Open - Round 1 is POSTED
9:00 am	ROUND 1 BEGINS - Players not present are subject to Forfeit
11:00 am	ROUND 2 BEGINS
12:45 pm	ROUND 3 BEGINS
2:30 pm	ROUND 4 BEGINS
4:15 pm	ROUND 5 BEGINS
AWARDS immediately after Round 5	