

# Presidential Scholastic Chess Tournament



Sat Feb 16, 2019  
Chinook Middle School  
2001 98th Ave NE  
Bellevue, WA 98004

A 5-round G/30 Swiss in five sections: K-1U800, 2-3U800, K-3Open, 4-7U900, 4-12Open.

All sections will be Northwest rated. In addition, the two Open sections will also be US Chess rated. The Under Sections are the easier sections, the Open Sections are the harder sections. US Chess membership required for the Open sections – purchase this on the registration website.

100% pre-registered, **no on-site entries, entry deadline Feb 15<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00pm**. No registrations accepted after the deadline.

Entry fee: \$30 if registered by Feb 9<sup>th</sup>, \$40 after.

Check-in required only for those that did not pre-pay: 8:15am – 9:00am. Unpaid players not checked in by 9:00am will receive a zero-point bye for any missed rounds. Pre-paid players don't need to check-in; just arrive by 9:15am, ready for round 1 at 9:30am.

Rounds at approximately 9:30am, 10:45am, lunch, 12:15pm, 1:30pm, 2:45pm. Trophy presentation about 4:00pm. Rounds may be pulled up earlier if possible.

Lunch may be purchased on site.

Trophies for top-scoring individuals and teams will be awarded. We will also be handing out medals for first timers that don't earn a trophy, and for the highest upset (winning against a higher-rated opponent) per round per section.

This tournament is a WA State Elementary Qualifier.

Clocks will be used from the beginning in the Open Sections – bring clocks if you have them, and some clocks will be available to borrow. Clocks not required for the other sections, until a judge places one on your board after 40 minutes of play.

Online Registration at [nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration](http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration) – pay by Credit/Debit/PayPal.

## Questions?

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