

Presidential Scholastic Chess Tournament

Mon Feb 19, 2018

Hamilton Middle School

1610 North 41 St, Seattle, WA 98103

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

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

100% pre-registered, **no on-site entries, entry deadline Feb 18th @ 5:00pm**. No registrations accepted after the deadline.

Entry fee: \$25 if registered by Feb 12th, \$30 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 0-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.

There are trophies for individuals with a 3.0 score or higher, and for the top 5 teams, and medals for first timers that don't earn a trophy, and for the highest upset (beating an opponent rated higher) per round per section.

This tournament is a WA State 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 <http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration> – pay by Credit/Debit/PayPal.

Questions?

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