

Washington Challenger's Cup

October 26-27, 2019

Highest finishing Washington resident in the Open Section seeded into the 2020 Washington State Championship

Site: Seattle Chess Club, 2150 North 107th Street, Seattle, WA 98133.

Format: 5 Round Swiss. Two Sections. Open and Reserve (U1800). Open Rounds 2-5 FIDE Rated.

Time Control: Round 1 G/60, d10, Rounds 2-5 40/120, SD/30, d10.

US Chess October 2019 rating supplement will be used to determine pairings and prizes. Foreign ratings used for players with no US Chess rating. Higher of US Chess or foreign ratings used at TD discretion.

Prize Fund: \$2,100 (based on 60 paid entries).

Open: 1st \$500, 2nd \$350, 1st U2100 \$175, 1st U1900 \$175.

Reserve: 1st \$350, 2nd \$175, 1st U1600 \$125, 1st U1400 \$125, 1st U1200/Unrated \$125.

Entry Fee: \$60 if postmarked or online by 10/20, \$70 after 10/20 or at site. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs. \$40 play up fee if U1800 playing in Open section.

Registration: Saturday 9:00 - 9:45 AM.

Rounds: Saturday 10:00 AM, 12:30 PM, 6:00 PM; Sunday 11:00 AM, 4:30 PM.

Byes: Two half-point byes available, request before end of round 2. US Chess and WCF/OCF/ICA memberships required, other states accepted. Northwest Chess Grand Prix event.

Info/Entries: Make checks payable to Washington Chess Federation.

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