A NORTHWEST CHESS GRAND PRIX EVENT



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

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Registration: Online at nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration. Registration deadline Fri. 6/17 @ 5pm. Unpaid players will receive a zero-point bye for round 1.

RUSTY MILLER MEMORIAL CHESS TOURNAMENT In Memory of Rusty

JUNE 18-19, 2022



Dual Format: A Swiss-style tournament in two sections. Co-hosted by Northwest Chess and WCF. Dual US Chess Online and NWSRS Rated.

Open section: A 6-Round Swiss. Time Control: G/75: +15 sec increment.

Reserve U1500 section: A 6-Round Double Swiss - Play 12 games - one as white and one as black vs each opponent. Time Control: G/30; +5 sec increment.

Rating: Dual NWSRS and US Chess Online Rated, US Chess membership required.

Entry Fee: \$45. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, or US Chess 2400+.

Rounds: Sat./Sun. @ 10 AM, 2 PM, 6 PM.

Byes: Two half-point byes available. If interested, request by end of round 2.

Prize Fund: 60% of paid entries returned as prizes.

Open: 1st 23%, 2nd 17%, 1st U2000/U1800 5% each Best NW Player (by TPR) 2.5%, Best Dad Player (by TPR) 2.5%

Reserve: 1st 15%, 2nd 10%, 1st U1400/U1200/U1000 5% each, 1st Unrated 2.5%, Best Dad Player (by TPR) 2.5%

Memberships: Current US Chess + WCF/OCF/ICA membership required. Other states accepted. Memberships must be current as of the time of the event. A Chess.com and Zoom account are required.

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Rating: Highest of current US Chess, US Chess Online, or NWSRS rating will be used to determine section, pairings, and prizes.

Procedure: Pairings will be released prior to the start of each round. Games will be launched by the TD in the Live Chess area. Second game in each round of the Reserve section will start immediately after the first game ends using the "rematch" button.

Fair Play Policy: All players are required to sign the WCF Fair Play Agreement prior to the start of the tournament. WCF's Fair Play Committee will review any suspicious games on a case-by-case basis. Fair play standards will be strictly enforced.