

# Washington Senior Championship

**APRIL 15-17<sup>TH</sup>, 2022**

*Highest finishing Washington resident receives the title of Washington State Senior Champion, a seed into the Invitational Section of the 2023 Washington State Championship, and a \$750 travel stipend from the WCF to attend the [2022 National Tournament of Senior State Champions](#), which is held concurrently with the U.S. Open in early August.*

**Site:** Orlov Chess Academy: 4174 148<sup>th</sup> Ave NE Bld. I, Ste. M, Redmond, WA 98052.

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

**Format:** A 5-Round, G/90; +30 Swiss. Open to Seniors age 50+ (or reaching age 50 by or before August 1, 2022). Playoff round if needed to break tie for 1st place will be resolved later in the year by a G/90 playoff game.

**Memberships:** Current US Chess and WCF membership required, other states accepted. Membership must be paid at time of registration.

**Entry Fee:** \$50 by 4/8, \$60 after. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, or US Chess 2400+.

**Rating:** Dual US Chess and NWSRS Rated. Highest of April 2022 US Chess Regular/Online rating or currently NWSRS will be used to determine pairings and prizes.

**Rounds:** Fri: 6:30 PM. Sat: 10 AM, 3 PM. Sun: 10 AM, 3 PM.

**Health/Safety Protocols:** Face masks required for all players and spectators. Please bring your own mask; a limited number is available. All players and spectators are required to sign the [WCF Health/Safety Protocols & Waiver of Liability](#) form prior to the start of the tournament.

**Prize Fund:** \$500 (based on 20 paid entries).  
1st \$150, 2nd \$125  
1st U2000/U1700/U1400 \$75



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**Registration:** Online at [nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration](http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration).  
Registration **deadline Thu: 4/14 @ 5pm**. \$15 Late Fee for payments accepted after the deadline.  
Unpaid players will receive a zero-point bye for round 1.