

# Washington Women's Championship

September 8 - 10, 2023



*Highest finishing WA resident seeded into the Premier section of the 2024 WA State Championship.*

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

**Mail To:** Washington Chess Federation  
c/o Orlov Chess Academy  
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Redmond, WA 98052

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WCF President, 206-769-3757,  
washingtonchessfederation@gmail.com

**Online Registration:**  
[nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration](http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration)

**Site:** Lakeside Upper School:

14050 1<sup>st</sup> Ave NE, Seattle, WA 98125

**Format:** A 5-round Swiss in one section. Open to all female chess players. Maximum of 50 players, please register early. In case of a tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place, playoff games at a later date will determine the seed for the 2024 Premier.

**Time Control:** G/90; +30. Late default: 60 min.

**Prize Fund:** \$750 (based on 25 paid entries).

1<sup>st</sup> \$200, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$150, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$100

1<sup>st</sup> U1800/U1600/U1400/U1200/U1000: \$60

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

**Entry Fee:** \$50 if postmarked or online by 9/3, \$60 after or at site. Free entry for WGMs, WIMs, and WFM.

**On-site Registration:** Friday 6:00-6:45 PM.

**Rounds:** Friday 7 PM; Saturday 10 AM, 3 PM; Sunday 10 AM, 3 PM.

**Rating:** Tri-Rated: FIDE, US Chess, and NWSRS. Highest of September US Chess, FIDE, or current NWSRS rating will be used to determine pairings and prizes. Higher of US Chess or foreign ratings used at TD discretion.

**Memberships:** US Chess and WCF/OCF/ICA memberships required, other states accepted.

**Procedure and Health/Safety Policy:** Pairings and standings will be posted before each round near the play area. Face masks optional for players and spectators. If interested, please bring your own mask.