Monroe Winter Rapid Championship



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2024 MONROE COMMUNITY SENIOR CENTER 276 SKY RIVER PKWY, MONROE, WA 98272

CO-HOSTED BY WASHINGTON CHESS FEDERATION AND MONROE CHESS CLUB

Info/Entries: Rekha Sagar, WCF VP, 425-496-9160,

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Registration: Online at

nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration.

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Debit/Credit/PayPal/SettleKing. Registration and payment deadline

Fri. Dec. 6 @ 5pm or register at-site.

Eligibility: Open to all juniors + adults.

Schedule: At-site registration: Sat. 8:00-8:45am. Rds. @ 9am, 10:30am, Lunch, 12:30pm, 1:45pm, 3pm. Awards ~ 4:30pm

WA State Elementary Qualifier!

Format: A 5-round G/25; +5 Swiss tournament in three sections. Sections with <6 players may be merged.

- Chouchan Airapetian Championship
- Selina Cheng U1300
- Lois Ruff U700

Prizes: \$1,500 for 60 paid entries.

Airapetian: \$200-150-100-75.

Cheng: \$150-100-80-60. Ruff: \$150-100-80-60.

Special Prizes (per section):

Biggest Upset Win: \$5/rd., Best Dressed: \$10, Best Female Player: \$10,

Best Senior Player: \$10,

Kindness/Spreading Joy: \$10.

Entry Fee: \$50 by 11/30, \$60 after. Seniors 65+ receive a \$25 discount. Monroe Chess Club Players receive 50% discount. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs, or US Chess 2000+. Players rated 1200+ & 600+ in both USCF & NWSRS may play up 1 section into the Airapetian & Cheng sections, respectively. Max of 90 players total and 30 players per section, please register early.

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

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

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