

# ST. ANNE CELTIC CHALLENGE FALL 2024

*In Memory of Coach Chris Hurley, 1965-2020.*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024

ST. ANNE SCHOOL

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## *FORMAT*

A 5-Round Swiss tournament in five sections:

- ♙ K-1 U700
- ♙ 2-3 U700
- ♙ K-3 Open
- ♙ 4-8 U900
- ♙ 4-12 Open

## *ROUNDS*

Rd. 1 - 12:00pm  
Rd. 2 - 1:10pm  
Rd. 3 - 2:20pm  
Rd. 4 - 3:30pm  
Rd. 5 - 4:40pm  
Awards Ceremony ~  
6pm

## *TIME CONTROL*

G/25; +5 sec. increment

**WA State  
Elementary  
Qualifier!**

## *ENTRY FEE*

\$25. Maximum of 150 players. Please register early to guarantee your spot!

## *AWARDS*

Trophies awarded to the top-scoring players in each section. Trophies awarded to the top 5 finishing teams (top 4 scores from same school count for team score) across all sections. Medals for first-time tournament players who do not earn a trophy.

## *RATING*

NWSRS Rated. Open sections also US Chess Rated. Higher of current NWSRS or Nov US Chess rating will be used to determine section and pairings. US Chess membership required only for Open sections.

## *ELIGIBILITY*

Open to all students in grades K-12 as of the 2024-25 school year. Out-of-state players welcome!

## *REGISTRATION*

**Online registration and payment deadline Sat 11/23 @ 5:00 PM at [nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration](https://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration)** (pay by credit/debit/PayPal/SettleKing) No registrations accepted or refunds offered after the deadline.

## *PROCEDURE*

Pairings and standings will be posted near the playing area before each round.

## *CONCESSIONS*

Available for purchase on site.

## *CLOCKS*

Chess clocks will be used from the beginning in the Open sections. Clocks not required for the other sections, until a judge places one set for G/10 minutes + 5 sec increment into unfinished games after 35 minutes of play. All equipment is provided by St. Anne Chess Club.

## *QUESTIONS?*

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