**WA State Girls Championship**

**Chess Tournament**

Sat Mar 23, 2013 : Medina Elementary 8001 NE 8th St, Medina WA 98039

in conjunction with the Medina Queens Quest All-Girls Tournament

Sun Mar 24th: Redmond Library, 15990 N.E. 85th, Redmond, 98052

A 4 round G/90 Swiss in 1 section over 2 days.

Open to all junior girls in WA State with a NWSRS rating >=1000 as of Mar 22, 2013.

Players must be under 19 as of Aug 15, 2013.

USCF and WCF membership required.

Dual rated, both USCF and NWSRS – clocks and notation required – bring chess clocks.

Round times: Sat: 9:00am, 12:30pm, Sun: 12:15pm, 3:45pm.

Trophies for 1st-5th Places.

In case of a tie for 1st, a playoff round with G/15 white, G/12 black with draw odds will determine winner.

Entry fee: $20 before Mar 16th, $25 after or paying at the door. Online registration at <http://nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration>. Must pre-register.

Registration Deadline is Mar 22nd at 5:00pm (no registrations accepted after the deadline).

Winner can attend any 2013 national or international tournament of your choosing. $500 travel expenses for the winner donated by the Washington Chess Federation! Possible Tournaments:

* 2013 All Girls National Championship April
* 2013 National Open Jun Las Vegas, NV
* Susan Polgar Girls Invitational July 20-25, St Louis Missouri - <http://susanpolgar.blogspot.com/2013/01/rules-and-conditions-for-10th-annual.htm>.
* 2013 National Girls Invitational Tournament July 27-30 Madison WI
* US Open Jul 27 - Aug 4-12 Middleton WI

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