Washington Senior Championship



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Registration: Online at <u>nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration</u>.
Registration deadline Thu. 4/13 @
5pm. No payments accepted or refunds offered after the deadline.

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Highest finishing Washington resident receives the title of Washington State Senior Champion, a seed into the Invitational Section of the 2024 Washington State Championship, and a \$750 travel stipend from the WCF to attend the <u>2023 National Tournament of Senior State</u> <u>Champions</u>, which is held concurrently with the U.S. Open in early August.

Site: Orlov Chess Academy: 4174 148th Ave NE Bld. I, Ste. M, Redmond, WA 98052.

Format: A 5-Round, G/90; +30 Swiss. Open to Seniors age 50+ (or reaching age 50 by or before August 1, 2023). Playoff round if needed to break tie for 1st place will be resolved later in the year by a G/90 playoff game.

Entry Fee: \$50 by 4/7, \$60 after. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, or US Chess 2400+.

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

Prize Fund: \$500 (based on 20 paid entries). 1st - \$150, 2nd - \$125 1st U2000/U1700/U1400 - \$75 **Byes:** Two half-point byes available. If interested, request before end of round 2.

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

Rating: US Chess Rated. April 2023 US Chess Regular supplement will be used to determine pairings and prizes.

Health/Safety Protocols: Face masks optional for players and spectators. If interested, please bring your own mask.