

2024 WA Barber + Rockefeller Closed

CHES CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, April 6th, 2024

Orlov Chess Academy - Greenlake

7212 Woodlawn Ave. NE, Seattle, WA 98115



Format

An invitation-only 4-round Swiss in two sections:

K-5 Rockefeller

6-8 Barber

Entry Fee

\$90 by 3/31, \$100 after.

Time Control

G/70; +10.

Rounds

Sat @ 9am, 12:30pm, 3:30pm, 6:30pm. Awards ~ 9pm or asap. Late start available for games that go long. If needed to break ties for 1st place, pairs of G/5; +2 blitz playoff games will be conducted immediately after the last round.

Rating

Dual NWSRS + US Chess rated. Higher of April US Chess or current NWSRS rating used to determine pairings.

Eligibility

Open to the top 12 qualifiers from the Barber + Rockefeller Open Event on March 16. We will take the top 12 qualified players in each section who register and pay by the **deadline of Wed, April 3rd**.

Prizes (Gtd. by WCF)

Overall Prizes: (per section)

1st – 3rd: \$200-150-125.

Special Prizes: (per section)

Biggest Upset Win: \$25, Best Dressed: \$20, Best Female Player (by TPR): \$25, Best Annotated Game: \$25.

Winner's Stipends

The winner of each section will win a \$750 travel stipend (donated by the WCF) and will be WA State representatives at the Rockefeller (K-5) and Barber (6-8) Tournament of Champions, held concurrently at the US Open in early August.

Registration

Online Registration

nwchess.com/onlineregistration

Pay by

Credit/Debit/PayPal/SettleKing.

Registration and payment deadline: Wednesday, April 3rd @ 5:00pm. No registrations accepted or refunds offered after the deadline. Payment via Zelle (ID: WashingtonChessFederation@gmail.com)

or Venmo (ID: @WChess) available.

Membership

US Chess & WCF membership required in both sections, must be paid at time of registration.

Byes

1 half-point bye available if requested before end of round 2.

Questions?

Contact Josh Sinanan, WCF President, WashingtonChessFederation@gmail.com