

Seattle Seafair Open



JULY 13-14, 2024

LAKESIDE UPPER SCHOOL

14050 1ST AVE NE, SEATTLE, WA 98125



Co-hosted by Seattle Chess Club and Washington Chess Federation.

Format: A 5-round, US Chess Rated Swiss in one section.

Schedule: Saturday 9 AM, 1 PM, 5 PM; Sunday 10 AM, 3 PM. Closing Ceremony: Sunday ~ 7 PM or asap. Players whose games run long may request a late start for the next round.

Time Control: G/90; +10. Late default: 60 min.

Prize Fund: \$4,000 (based on 100 paid entries)

1st-6th: \$600-500-400-350-300-250.

1st U2100/U1900/U1700/U1500/U1300/U1100/U900: \$160

1st Unrated: \$160

Special Prizes: **Biggest Upset Win:** \$20/round, **Best Female Player** (by TPR): 1st \$40, 2nd 20, **Best Dressed:** \$20/day, **Best Senior Players** (50+, by TPR): 1st \$40, 2nd \$20, **Best Annotated game:** 1st \$40, 2nd \$20. Minimum of 3 qualifying players required per section in contention for each best female/senior prize to be awarded.

Entry Fee: \$80 by 7/6, \$90 after. \$10 discount for SCC members. Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs & WIMs. Maximum of 150 players – please register early to reserve your spot.

Memberships: Current US Chess and WCF membership/Northwest Chess subscription required. Memberships must be paid at time of registration.

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

Rating: US Chess Rated. US Chess July 2024 rating supplement will be used to determine pairings and prizes. Foreign ratings used for players with no US Chess rating. Higher of US Chess or foreign ratings used at TD discretion.

Registration: Online at nwchess.com/OnlineRegistration
Pay by Credit/Debit/PayPal/SettleKing.

Registration and payment deadline: Fri. 7/12 @ 5pm. No registrations accepted or refunds offered after the deadline.

Payment also available via Zelle (ID: WashingtonChessFederation@gmail.com) or Venmo (ID: @WACHess).

Questions?

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