

CHALLENGERS CUP SCHOLASTIC

CHESS TOURNAMENT

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2025

HOTEL 116 BELLEVUE

625 116TH AVE NE, BELLEVUE, WA 98004



DUAL FORMAT

Rapid Sections

A 6-round, G/25; +5
Swiss in 2 sections:

K-3 U800

4-6 U1000

Schedule:

Rd. 1 – 9:00am

Rd. 2 – 10:30am

Lunch

Rd. 3 – 12:30pm

Rd. 4 – 1:45pm

Rd. 5 – 3:00pm

Rd. 6 – 4:15pm

Awards ~ 5:30pm

Classical Sections

A 3-round, G/50; +10

Swiss in 2 sections:

K-5 Open

6-12 Open

Schedule:

Rd. 1 – 9:00am

Lunch

Rd. 2 – 12:30pm

Rd. 3 – 3:00pm

Awards ~ 5:30pm

ENTRY FEE

\$50 by 10/5, \$60 after.

Room for 50 players.

AWARDS

Section Prizes: Amazon Gift

Cards awarded in each section:

1st – 4th: \$70–65–60–55.

Special Prizes (per section):

Medals for first-time players,

best female player, best dressed,

and biggest upset win. ***Top***

player (by TPR) in each of the

K-5 Open and 6-12 Open

sections wins free entry into

the 2025 WA Class

Championships!

RATING

Dual NWSRS and US Chess

rated, with **US Chess**

membership required in all

sections. Establish or update

your national rating! Higher of

current NWSRS or US Chess

regular rating will be used to

determine section and pairings.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all students in grades K-12 as of the 2025-26 school year. Out-of-state players welcome!

CLOCKS + NOTATION

Chess clocks will be used from the beginning in all games. Chess notation required in all sections except for K-3 U800. All equipment is provided courtesy of WCF.

REGISTRATION

Register online at

NWchess.com/OnlineRegistration

Pay by SettleKing/Zelle/Cash/Check.

Payment due upon registration; players listed as unpaid for more than 3 days after registering will be withdrawn from the tournament. 100% pre-registered, no on-site entries or payments. Entry + payment deadline Sat October 11 @ 5:00pm. No

registrations accepted or refunds offered after the deadline.

PROCEDURE

Pairings will be posted in the hallway near the parent waiting area.

WA State Scholastic Qualifier!

Questions?

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