

Cincinnati Scholastic Chess Series 2018-19 Entry Form

Please complete all fields marked with an asterisk (*); others are optional. Complete an entry form for each player. You may pay the entry fees and applicable USCF dues for multiple players with a single check. Make check payable to *Cincinnati Scholastic Chess*. Mail your completed entry form(s) and payment to Cincinnati Scholastic Chess, 9180 Pinewood Drive, Loveland, OH 45140-8234. **See other side for more information.**

CONTACT INFORMATION <i>(If this information applies to multiple entry forms that you are submitting together, you need complete this section only once.)</i>			
*Parent/Guardian Name:			
*Street Address:			
*City:	*State:	*Zip:	
<i>Your contact information enables us to communicate with you about your entry and to advise you of changes regarding the tournament.</i>			
*Phone 1: ()	*Email 1:		
Phone 2: ()	Email 2:		

PLAYER INFORMATION <i>(Complete this section for each player you are entering.)</i>			
*Last Name:	*First Name:	MI:	
Suffix (<i>e.g., Jr., III</i>):	*Date of birth:	*Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male	*Grade:
*USCF ID Number:		<i>Or if you need to purchase a USCF membership, check here:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> .	
*Section: <input type="checkbox"/> Championship <input type="checkbox"/> U1000 <input type="checkbox"/> U700 <input type="checkbox"/> U400 <input type="checkbox"/> K-6 Non-Rated <i>Before the start of any tournament a player may change to any other section in which he or she is eligible to play.</i>			
*Dates: <input type="checkbox"/> Oct 13, 2018 <input type="checkbox"/> Nov 3, 2018 <input type="checkbox"/> Dec 1, 2018 <input type="checkbox"/> Jan 12, 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> Feb 2, 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> Mar 9, 2019 <i>If you miss any date for which you enter, you may transfer that entry to any other future series tournament.</i>			
Byes:			
*Entry Fee: 1, 2, 3 or 4 tournaments @ \$15 each; 5 tournaments @ \$65; 6 tournaments @ \$70.			\$ _____
USCF Dues: <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal for above USCF ID number <input type="checkbox"/> New membership			\$ _____
*Total amount payable: <i>Make check payable to "Cincinnati Scholastic Chess"</i>			\$ _____

I (Parent/Guardian) understand that these chess tournaments are not organized or sponsored by the host school. I acknowledge that the organizers of these tournaments will take all reasonable precautions customary and usual to conducting such tournaments, and beyond this I assume any risk associated with my child's participation in them. I understand that the tournament director(s), tournament organizer(s), school officials, and the Board of Education are not to be held responsible in case of accident, and I agree to hold same harmless in the event of accident. In the event of a medical emergency, I hereby authorize emergency medical treatment for my child (if deemed necessary by a physician) if I am not at the tournament site and cannot be reached at the telephone number(s) shown below.
**Please provide one or both:*

Mobile # with area code: (_____)_____ Other # with area code: (_____)_____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

USCF MEMBERSHIP

A player must be a current member of the US Chess Federation (USCF) to play in any rated section. Use this form to purchase or renew a membership, or go online to www.uschess.org and click on Join/Renew. See membership options below. **USCF dues are not refundable.**

Premium Young Adult: Must be 25 years old or under at expiration, 12 issues/year of <i>Chess Life</i> :	1 year \$35	2 years \$65
Regular Young Adult: Must be 25 years old or under at expiration, online access to <i>Chess Life</i> :	1 year \$26	2 years \$48
Premium Youth: Must be 16 years old or under at expiration, 6 issues/year of <i>Chess Life</i> :	1 year \$30	2 years \$55
Regular Youth: Must be 16 years old or under at expiration, online access to <i>Chess Life</i> :	1 year \$22	2 years \$40
Premium Scholastic: Must be 13 years old or under at expiration, 6 issues/year of <i>Chess Life for Kids</i> :	1 year \$25	2 years \$45
Regular Scholastic: Must be 13 years old or under at expiration, online access to <i>Chess Life for Kids</i> :	1 year \$17	2 years \$30

SECTIONS

Players may play in any section for which they are eligible. Players may change to any other section for which they are eligible in any future tournament.

- **Championship (Rated, USCF membership required):** Open to all K-12 players; players rated above 1000 must play in this section.
- **U1000 (Rated, USCF membership required):** Open to K-12 players rated less than 1000 or unrated.
- **U700 (Rated, USCF membership required):** Open to K-12 players rated less than 700 or unrated.
- **U400 (Rated, USCF membership required):** Open to K-12 players rated less than 400 or unrated.
- **K-6 Non-Rated:** Only players who are (a) in grades K through 6 and (b) unrated may play in this section. Players are not required to be members of the USCF to play in this section and will not earn a rating.

DATES, VENUES AND SCHEDULE

- October 13, 2018 **Princeton High School**, 100 Viking Way, Cincinnati, OH 45246
- November 3, 2018 **Fairfield High School**, 8800 Holden Boulevard, Fairfield, OH 45014
- December 1, 2018 **Lakota West High School**, 8940 Union Centre Boulevard, West Chester, OH 45069
- January 12, 2019 **Walnut Hills High School**, 3250 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45207
- February 2, 2019 **Loveland Middle School**, 801 South Lebanon Road, Loveland, OH 45140
- March 9, 2019 **Sycamore High School**, 7400 Cornell Road, Montgomery, OH 45242

Players must arrive at the tournament and check in no later than 8:45 am. Round 1 will begin at 9:00 am for all sections. Later rounds will begin in each section as soon as possible after the previous round ends. Play in the Championship section typically ends no later than 1:30 pm; lower sections usually finish earlier.

BYES

Players may elect to take one half-point bye in each tournament; however, a player who is not paired in round 1 due to late arrival will be given his or her half-point bye for round 1. To request an elective bye, enter as applicable the tournament date and the round(s) for which a bye is requested (for example, "Jan 13 rd 1").

ENTRY FEES

When using this form to enter one, two, three or four tournaments, the entry fee is \$15 for each tournament. To enter any five tournaments, the total entry fee is \$65 (discounted \$10). To enter all six tournaments, the total entry fee is \$70 (discounted \$20). Make check payable to *Cincinnati Scholastic Chess*. You may pay for the entry fees and any USCF dues for multiple players with a single check. See the *CSC Participant Handbook for 2018-19* or www.chesscincinnati.com for the CSC entry fee refund policy.

For complete information, please visit www.chesscincinnati.com.

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