

## Entry Form for the 2019 Ohio Grade Level Championships — November 9, 2019

To enter by mail, complete an entry form for each player and mail to Cincinnati Scholastic Chess, 9180 Pinewood Drive, Loveland, OH 45140-8234. Make check payable to **Cincinnati Scholastic Chess**. Players may also enter online at [www.chesscincinnati.com](http://www.chesscincinnati.com) paying through PayPal by credit card or PayPal account.

**Entries must be received by Cincinnati Scholastic Chess by noon on November 8, 2019.**

CONTACT INFORMATION			
Parent/Guardian Name			
Street Address			Apt
City	State	Zip+4	
Phone with area code (    )	Email		

PLAYER INFORMATION			
Last Name		Suffix (e.g., Jr, III)	
First Name and Middle Name or Initial			
Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male	Date of Birth		Player's Grade
School/Home-School Organization and City ( <i>see other side</i> )			
Bye ( <i>see other side</i> ) — If a bye is desired, indicate for which round here:			
Entry Fee: <input type="checkbox"/> \$35 / <input type="checkbox"/> \$15* through November 1, 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> \$40 / <input type="checkbox"/> \$20* after November 1, 2019			
*Please attach a statement documenting eligibility for this reduced entry fee.			
USCF Membership Information — USCF membership is required for grades 4 through 12 ( <i>see other side</i> )			
<input type="checkbox"/> Current Member <input type="checkbox"/> Renewing Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Purchasing New Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Not required: JTPP (K–3 only)			
For current and renewing members, please provide the following:		For those renewing or purchasing a membership, please select membership type (below) and term (to the right): <input type="checkbox"/> 1 year <input type="checkbox"/> 2 years	
USCF ID #:	<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Young Adult	<input type="checkbox"/> Premium Young Adult	
Exp. Date:	<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Premium Youth	
Rating:	<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Scholastic	<input type="checkbox"/> Premium Scholastic	

PAYMENT INFORMATION		
<b>Make check payable to <i>Cincinnati Scholastic Chess</i>.</b>		
<b>If submitting multiple entry forms together, entry fees and dues for all players may be paid for with a single check.</b>		
Entry Fee:	USCF Dues:	Total due:

I (Parent/Guardian) understand that this chess tournament is not organized or sponsored by the host hotel. I acknowledge that the organizers of this tournament 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 it. I understand that the tournament director(s), tournament organizer(s), hotel staff, and hosting hotel are not to be held responsible in case of accident resulting from participation in this tournament, 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 following telephone number(s) — **Please provide one or both:**

**Mobile # with area code:** (    ) \_\_\_\_\_                      **Other # with area code:** (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_                      **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOOL/HOME-SCHOOL ORGANIZATION AND CITY

To prevent confusion and facilitate the proper designation of teams, please enter the **complete** name of the school and the city where it is located. Entering the school name allows players from the same school who are playing in the same section to compete as a team for a team trophy.

A home-school organization can be either of the following, as applicable: (a) a home-school organization identified by one name, under the supervision of one administrator or administration committee, and providing group instruction in multiple academic subjects; or (b) a family which has notified the local public school district of its decision to home-school its children, and has been excused from public school attendance (in which case, for example, enter "Xyz Family" for school). The school grade is determined by the level of material being studied in a majority of subjects.

## BYES

Players may take one half-point bye for round 1, 2, 3 or 4 only. No half-point byes are permitted in round 5. Players must request a bye in advance, either on the entry form, by email or text to the tournament director (Alan Hodge, 513-600-9915, [a.hodge195@gmail.com](mailto:a.hodge195@gmail.com)), or onsite between 8:30 and 9:15 am.

## USCF MEMBERSHIPS

Individual scholastic membership types and dues are listed below. Players may purchase or renew memberships either in conjunction with this entry or directly through the "Join/Renew" page on the USCF website at [www.uschess.org](http://www.uschess.org).

Membership Type	1 Year	2 Years	Magazine Benefit
Premium Young Adult Membership (Age 24 and Under*)	\$33	\$61	12 issues per year of <i>Chess Life</i>
Regular Young Adult Membership (Age 24 and Under*)	\$26	\$47	Online access only to <i>Chess Life</i>
Premium Youth Membership (Age 15 and Under*)	\$28	\$51	6 issues per year of <i>Chess Life</i>
Regular Youth Membership (Age 15 and Under*)	\$22	\$40	Online access only to <i>Chess Life</i>
Premium Scholastic Membership (Age 12 and Under*)	\$24	\$43	6 issues per year of <i>Chess Life for Kids</i>
Regular Scholastic Membership (Age 12 and Under*)	\$17	\$30	Online access only to <i>Chess Life for Kids</i>

\*Members must be at the indicated age at the *expiration* of the membership term, whether paying for one year or two years.

**Junior Tournament Player Program (JTPP):** USCF membership is optional for players who are in grades K, 1, 2 or 3 only. Players in these grades who are not USCF members may enter the tournament under the JTPP without paying for a USCF membership. The options for players in grades K, 1, 2 or 3, therefore, are (a) to renew a lapsed membership, (b) to purchase a new membership if they have never previously been a USCF member, or (c) to enter under the JTPP and participate without a USCF membership. Although they will not have USCF membership status, players participating under the JTPP will nevertheless earn a rating from playing in this tournament.