

# 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Thurston Chess Tournament

## Saturday, February 10, 2018

Thurston Elementary, 2300 Prairie St Ann Arbor, MI 48105



K-8 students in Ann Arbor are invited to play. We have five sections so that less experienced players will have their own sections. **All sections, except section A are unrated. Players in sections A and B must bring tournament board, pieces (and a clock if possible).** Chess Sets will be provided for the afternoon sections (C, D, and E). If you have a tournament board, please bring it.

Chess supplies (sets, clocks, software, etc) will be available for sale.

ORGANIZER: Sharon Weiner ([sweiner72@me.com](mailto:sweiner72@me.com)) CHIEF TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Ray Garrison

**Lunch and snacks will be available on site. Concession profits support the Thurston PTO and Thurston Chess Club.**

----- Cut Here and submit by February 2nd -----

### Thurston Chess Tournament Registration, Saturday, February 10, 2018

Player: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Rating (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION OPTIONS: 1) [www.thurstonchess.com](http://www.thurstonchess.com) (on-line payment); 2) Mail: Please mail this registration form and payment to: Sharon Weiner 2111 Yorktown Dr., Ann Arbor MI 48105 3) Drop box in Office at Thurston. 4) Give to Mr. Garrison during chess class.

**Make checks payable to Thurston PTO.** For more info. Contact: Sharon Weiner ([sweiner72@me.com](mailto:sweiner72@me.com))

	Section A (RATED)	Section B	Section C	Section D	Section E
	<b>FULL DAY</b> <b>Open to all experienced players K-8th grade.</b> USCF membership <i>required</i> and may be purchased at <a href="http://www.arborchess.com">www.arborchess.com</a> or at tournament.	<b>FULL DAY</b> <b>ELEMENTARY OPEN</b> <b>K-5 with experience</b> <b>USCF RATING</b> <b>UNDER 500</b>	<b>HALF DAY (afternoon)</b> <b>NOVICE PLAYER</b> <b>Kindergarten/Grade 1</b> <b>USCF RATING</b> <b>UNDER 300</b>	<b>HALF DAY (afternoon)</b> <b>NOVICE PLAYER</b> <b>Grade 2</b> <b>USCF RATING</b> <b>UNDER 300</b>	<b>HALF DAY (afternoon)</b> <b>NOVICE PLAYER</b> <b>Grades 3-5</b> <b>USCF RATING</b> <b>UNDER 300</b>
Matches	Four matches, 35 minutes/player (G/35)	Five 60 min matches	Two 40 minute, two 50-minute matches*	Two 40 minute, two 50-minute matches*	Two 40 minute, two 50-minute matches*
Rounds	10:00, 11:45, 1:30, 3:00	9:45; 11:00; 12:15; 1:30; 2:40	12:15; 1:15; 2:15; 3:15	12:15; 1:15; 2:15; 3:15	12:15; 1:15; 2:15; 3:15
Check-in	9:00–9:30*	8:45–9:15*	11:00–11:30*	11:00–11:30*	11:00–11:30*
Entry Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> \$22**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$16**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$11**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$11**	<input type="checkbox"/> \$11**

Awards ceremony will be at 5:00 (approximate time). **TROPHIES!** Prizes for all participants. \*Late check-ins will not be paired for the first round. Each new round will start as soon as all previous matches are over and new pairings have been determined.

\*\*Early registration must be received by February 2nd. After FEB 2nd, \$5 added to the entry fee.

**NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION IS ACCEPTED. NO REFUNDS.**