

CHERRY CREEK DISTRICT CHESS TOURNAMENT

Saturday, February 22, 2025

Enroll early...tournament will be limited to the first 200 students who sign up

DIVISIONS: Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Middle School (6-8), and High School (9-12). Similar age groups may be combined. Students must attend a school in the Cherry Creek School District to play. This is a non-rated tournament. USCF rules will apply.

ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 per child. Money and registration **MUST** be received by Saturday, February 15, 2025. There will be no on-site registration. **No confirmation letters will be sent.**

TIMES: Check in is 8:00 to 8:30 a.m. The Players Meeting is at 8:30 a.m. (All competitors must attend). Round 1 begins at 9:00 am. Each round will take approximately one hour. There will be no scheduled lunch break and no food will be provided. Players should bring their own sack lunch and snacks to eat in between rounds. This is a 5-round, non-elimination tournament - players should plan to participate in all five rounds. The tournament should end around 3:00-3:30.

TIME CONTROL: Time control is G/30 (30 minutes, per player, per game). A clock may be placed on games still in progress 40 minutes after the round start time, with each player getting 10 minutes. Most of the children are not experienced with chess clocks. We will explain how to use the clock to the children, as needed.

PRIZES: In each division, the top finishers will be awarded trophies. Participation awards will be given to non-trophy winners. Awards ceremony will follow the final round and will occur mid-late afternoon, after Round 5 is completed. Ties for trophies will be broken with the following tie-break systems: 1. Modified Median 2. Solkoff 3. Cumulative.

LOCATION: Overland High School, 12400 E. Jewel Ave; Aurora (Enter west side of Overland High School off Jewel Ave. (just east of Peoria St.), go south to the rear of Overland HS and park. Enter Overland HS from the south entrance.

SUPERVISION: Good behavior of all participants is expected. All players 12 years old and younger must have a parent/guardian present for the entire tournament. While parents are not allowed in the competition area once a round begins, parents are required to supervise their children between each round. If it becomes clear a child does not have supervision between rounds, he/she will forfeit the opportunity to compete further and will be asked to leave.

QUESTIONS: Todd Bardwick, 303-770-6696, tbardwick@yahoo.com

Mail checks and the attached entry form to:
Cherry Creek Chess
1 Red Fox Lane
Englewood, CO 80111

Lunch will not be provided. Bring snacks, beverages, and lunch for your child. Every child needs adult supervision for the entire tournament. Parents are not to drop off their children for the day and leave them unattended.

No confirmation letters will be sent. If your registration arrives after 200 players are registered, you will be notified at the phone number listed on your entry form. Checks will be deposited after the tournament.

For any last minute tournament updates, please refer to the Cherry Creek District Website > Programs and Services > Gifted and Talented Services > Chess Tournament

**If the district cancels activities/events on February 22 due to inclement weather,
the Tournament will take place on Sunday, February 23rd (same times).**

PLEASE SAVE THIS PAGE FOR YOUR OWN INFORMATION

2025 CHERRY CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT CHESS TOURNAMENT

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE _____ ALTERNATE PHONE _____

SCHOOL _____ GRADE _____ MALE ___ FEMALE ___

PARENT'S NAME _____

EMAIL ADDRESS (PRINT CLEARLY) _____

USCF RATING _____

(For pairing purposes only. If you do not have a rating or don't know what a rating is, leave blank.)

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Please attach a check for **\$30.00** made out to **Cherry Creek School District** and mail with this entry form to:

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Entries must be received by February 15, 2025

PAIRING NO. _____				RATING _____	
Round No.	COLOR		Opponent No.	SCORE	
	W	B		GAME	TOTAL
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

SIGN UP EARLY!
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Photos will be taken at this event for potential coverage on the Cherry Creek School District website. If you do not want your child's photo published, please contact Todd Bardwick on tournament day.