

2019 Arizona Scholastic State Chess Championships Tucson, Arizona, April 13-14

LOCATION: The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa, 3800 E. Sunrise Drive, Tucson, AZ 85718, 520-742-6000.

Hotel: Special \$129 **by March 22**, resort fee waived. Reserve Early, Free Cancellation until 5 days before arrival. Reservations via the Southern Arizona Chess Association website – www.sazchess.org.

INFORMATION: Contact: Martha Underwood, Phone: (520) 990-6765. Wheelchair accessible.

TEAM ROOMS/TABLES: Email: information@sazchess.org.

REGISTRATION: Online at www.events4chess.com by Friday, April 12 at 4pm.

On-site registration Friday 5pm-8pm. Saturday registration may receive a ½ point bye for round 1. Maximum of two ½ point byes per player. All byes in the last round will be zero point byes.

SIDE EVENTS: Blitz tournament 7pm Friday. Bughouse tournament 6pm Saturday. Details to be posted soon.

MAIN TOURNAMENT & RESERVE TOURNAMENT - REGISTRATION FEES:

Early Advanced Entry - \$45 prior March 20

Advanced Entry - \$55 March 20 through April 9

Late Entry - \$60 after April 9

CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT / SATURDAY & SUNDAY APRIL 13th - 14th

ELIGIBILY: Players and teams must meet the qualification requirements as specified on the ACFI website at www.arizonachess.org.

SECTIONS: K-1 K-3 K-5 K-6 K-8 9-12

SCHEDULE: K-1 through K-8

Saturday, April 13 G-45 RD1 9:00 RD2 11:15 RD3 1:30 RD4 3:30 Sunday, April 14 G-60 RD5 9:00 RD6 12:00 RD7 3:00

9-12 /9-12 (U1200)

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Delay capable clocks—set at appropriate time control with 5 second delay

AWARDS: <u>Individual</u> (Top 4 scoring players in a section)

K-1 & K-3 Top 25 Places K-5, K-6, K-8 Top 20 Places K-5, K-6, K-8 Top 8 Places K-5, K-6, K-8 Top 10 Places K-5, K-6, K-8 Top 10 Places F-12 Top 8 Places F-12 Top 4 Places F-12 Top 4 Places

Plagues will be awarded to the top 3 teams in each section.

Medallions awarded to players scoring 4.5 points or more that do not win a top place award. Participation trophies for all Kindergarten participants not receiving a top place award.

RESERVE SECTIONS & 9-12 (U1200) / SATURDAY & SUNDAY APRIL 13th - 14th

ELIGIBILTY: RESERVE SECTIONS: You must have participated in a qualifier (playing one game is sufficient.)

SECTIONS: Reserve K-3 Reserve K-6 Reserve K-8 9-12 (U1200)

SCHEDULE: Same as above.

AWARDS: All Sections: Individual—Top 3 places, Team—None (Does not combine with main section for team points.)

AWARDS CEREMONY IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE TOURNAMENT

Top 9-12 finisher in the High School section will be the AZ Denker Representative.

Top K-8 finisher in the Junior High School section will be the AZ Barber Representative.

Top 9-12 female finisher in High School will be the AZ Nat'l Girls Tournament of Champions Representative.