



2018 Texas Region VI Scholastic Chess Championships
Hosted by San Antonio Scholastic Chess, #H6037957
 And Bob Hope Elementary and Ralph Langley Elementary PTA
 To be held at McAuliffe Middle School
 9390 SW Loop 410
 San Antonio, TX 78242
February 24, 2018



Texas Chess Association (TCA):

The Texas Chess Association, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation, established under Section 501(c) (3) of the IRS code, whose purpose is educational and instructional in promoting interest in chess in the State of Texas.

Sections:

Nineteen sections: High School (9-12) Championship, HS U1000, Middle Sch(5/6-8/9) Championship, MS U1000, MS U650, Elementary School (K-5/6) Championship, ES U1000 (at least 4th grade), ES U800, ES U600, ES U400, ES New, Primary School (K-3) Championship, PS U800, PS U600, PS U400, PS U200, PS New, Sprout (K-1) U600/New, and Adult (or not TX region VI). Uxxx represents ratings "under" the given number. **Sections may be merged** with neighboring grades or ratings if one has under 17 players. **TCA rules are used for this tournament.** All sections are USCF rated. All sections allow previously unrated players. Chess notation required in Elementary and older sections. Please bring clocks.

Time controls and schedule: (if needed, speed game of G/5;d0 will break ties with perfect 5.0 scores after last round)

Championship: G/45;d5 for rounds 1-3 and G/60;d5 for rounds 4-5. Round start times: 8:30am, 10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:30pm, and 5:15pm. **Rounds 4-5 may begin early.** Awards after last round for each section.

Non-Championship (i.e. under or new): G/30;d5 for all 5 rounds. Round start times: 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm, 1:30pm, and 3:00pm. **Rounds 4-5 may begin early.** Awards after last round.

Adult or Not TX region VI: G/45;d5 for rounds 1-2 and G/60;d5 for rounds 3-4. Round start times: 9:15am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, and 3:30pm. **Rounds 3-4 may begin early.** Awards after last round.

Registration:

Entry fee for scholastic sections is \$20 if received/postmarked by Jan 31, \$25 by Feb 22 (PayPal only after Feb 16), and \$30 on site (cash or check). **\$25 for adult** (or not region VI) players before 8:30am on game day. Incomplete entries or entries submitted without payment may be charged a higher fee. **Last day to request a refund is Feb 16.** No player substitutions, but section section changes allowed through Feb 22. Payments after Feb 22 may receive a half-point bye for round 1. USCF membership required of all players. PayPal payments preferred. Don't mail payments after Feb 16.

Web site: homemail.org/chesstournaments/

On-line registration and payment preferred

Contact Info:

Ross Johnson at ross@homemail.org

Mail payments for entries & USCF memberships to:

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 23 Old Fredericksburg Road
 Boerne TX, 78015

Chief TD: Ross Johnson, Senior TD (#12755968)

Chief Assistant TD: Robert Green, Local TD (#12402793)

Food for sale: Bob Hope Elementary Chess Club

Awards:

- * Individual trophies in every scholastic section; score awards for 3 or more points if no trophy
- * School team trophies: separate teams in championship sections; combined teams across other scholastic sections in same grade range (K-1 with K-3); top 4 players counted; minimum 2 players per team; team blocks at TD discretion
- * Adult/child household trophies, counting top adult & child; must have at least one adult and one child
- * Cash awards (50% payout) for adult section only
- * All awards given, even if small sections are combined

----- Register on line or submit this form with proper payment to Ross Johnson -----

Section Placement (Circle one only):	Adult	HS Champ	HS U1000	MS Champ	MS U1000
MS U650/New	ES Champ	ES U1000	ES U800	ES U600	ES U400
PS Champ	PS U800	PS U600	PS U400	PS U200	PS New
					K-1 U600/New

Full Legal Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Home Address: _____ Phone # _____

USCF ID #: _____ Exp: ____/____/____ Rating: _____ (Feb 2018 published ratings to be used)

School Name: _____ Grade: ____ E-mail: _____

Circle requested BYES (First one at 1/2 point, others at 0 points.) Rnd1 Rnd2 Rnd3 Rnd4 Rnd5

Fees enclosed: Payment to: Ross Johnson

Registration: _____ USCF New/renewing: _____ Total: _____

USCF new / renewing fees (with on-line magazine): \$17 ages 12 & under, \$22 ages 13-15, \$26 ages 16-24, \$40 adult