

2nd Annual Bob Rieves Memorial Chess Tournament

Date: Saturday, December 02, 2017

Place: Samford University, Dwight Beeson Hall, 800 Lakeshore Drive, Birmingham, AL 35229

Open & Reserve Championship	Open (Rating 1600+) 4SS @ G/60; d5 EF: \$40 – PF: \$\$b/15	Reserve U1600 4SS @ G/60; d5 EF: \$40 – PF: \$\$b/15
	First Place	\$150
	Second Place	\$125
		U/1800 - \$100
Scholastic Division		
Sections / Prizes <u>Trophies</u> Top 3 Individuals in each section. <u>Medals</u> 4 th – 6 th in each section.	5 Round Swiss G/30. USCF Rated and Unrated sections. Four sections, by School Grade. <u>Rated:</u> Primary (K-3), Elementary (K-6), Jr. High (K-9), Open (K-12). <u>Not Rated:</u> Primary (K-3), Elementary (K-6), Jr. High (K-9), Open (K-12). Players are strongly encouraged to play in the lowest section for which they are eligible, but may play in a higher section. Sections may be merged at the TD's discretion. No viewing of games will be permitted.	
Rounds	Check-in between 8:00 am and 8:30 am. Open & Reserve – 9:00 AM, 11:30 AM, 2:00 PM, 4:30 PM Scholastic- 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM, 1:30 PM, & 3:00 PM	
Scholastic Entry Fee	\$25.00 (Rated) / \$20.00(Not Rated) for early registrants if postmarked by November 25th, 2017. After 11/25/17 - Late & On-site registration: Open & Reserve \$50, Scholastic \$40.00 (Rated) / \$30.00(Not Rated).	
Early Registration	EARLY REGISTRATION STRONGLY ENCOURAGED Send entry form and fees to: ChessKidsNation, 4719 McGill Court, Hoover, AL 35226. Make checks payable to “ ChessKidsNation ” All registrants MUST check-in during on-site registration time. ON-SITE REGISTRATION: 8:00am – 8:30am.	
Questions	Balagee Govindan Phone: 205-421-1523 Email: Contact@ChessKidsNation.com www.ChessKidsNation.com	
Food / Beverages	Cafeteria Buffet*. No food can be brought into the tournament hall. * ...This will help the organizer promote future chess events at Samford.	

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Coach: _____ School/Club: _____

USCF ID (if playing in Rated Section): _____ Expiry Date: _____

Section: (Circle one) Rated Not Rated
(Circle One) Open Reserve K – 3rd Grade K- 6th Grade K – 9th Grade K – 12th Grade

Please complete this Registration Form and mail it to ChessKidsNation, 4719 McGill Court, Hoover AL 35226 before the Early Registration date.

US Chess Federation and Alabama Chess Federation memberships required for rated sections.

- US Chess Federation (USCF) and Alabama Chess Federation (ACF) memberships are required for RATED events.
- Obtain USCF memberships/renewals in advance at www.uschess.org; print and bring temporary USCF ID.
- No USCF or ACF memberships will be processed at site.
- Alabama Chess Federation memberships/renewals can be obtained in advance at www.alabamachess.org.

This tournament abides by the US Chess Federation's Official Rules of Chess - SIXTH EDITION