2011 TEXAS STATE SCHOLASTIC & SOUTHWEST COLLEGIATE CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS

February 12-13, 2011 (Blitz on February 11th) USCF February rating supplement will be used.

Houston Hilton Americas Hotel, 1600 Lamar Street, Houston TX 77010

HR: \$111, Reserve by 1/27/11 to get rate, Mention Dallas Chess to get rate. (713)-739-8000.

One night deposit is required when making reservations. A small portion of the hotel rate is rebated to chess tournament.

State Scholastic 7 SS:	Time controls vary per section in the state scholastic. Check <u>www.swchess.com</u> for exact round times. Play all seven rounds, No Elimination. Collegiate is G/90 + 30 sec inc. Rds Saturday 9 am, 1:30pm, 6 pm. Sun 9 am and 1:45 pm.						
Collegiate (5 SS) Eligibility:							
	One $\frac{1}{2}$ point by if requested before end of Rd 2 and before full-point by eawarded.						
	College section is open to any college student. State Scholastic is open only to Texas Residents or players attending school in Texas. If you go to middle shcool or junior high you must play in one of the middles school sections. If you go to high school you must play in one of the high school sections. Special rules for which sections to play are at <u>www.swchess.com</u> or TCA Bylaws, Article IX, Section 1E. Players cannot play up. Players must be members of the United States Chess Federation. See <u>www.uschess.org/join</u> . Texas Chess Association membership is required, a tournament membership is included in the entry fee.						
Registration:	Friday, $2/11$, $7:00 - 9:00$ p.m. and Saturday, $2/12$, $7:00-7:45$ a.m. Saturday registration may require a $\frac{1}{2}$ point Round 1 bye. On Friday 9 pm through 10 pm, players and coaches may go to the computer room and check that all their information is entered correctly.						

Sections (1 college section and 11 state Scholastic sections):

College (1): High School[grades 9-12] Middle School [6-8/9](3): Elementary [K-5/6] (3): Primary [preK-3] (2): K-1 [preK - 1](1) :						
Scholastic Prizes:	Trophies to top 20 individual and top 15 teams in each section (top 4 players per team compose team score). Plus score awards to players who score 4 or more points and do not otherwise win a trophy. Participation medals to all players who finish the tournament.					
Collegiate Prizes	Collegiate has some cash prizes. See <u>www.swchess.com</u> . Plaques to top 10 individuals and top 5 teams.					
[UT]D	Winner of High School Championship section will receives a 4-year scholarship to The University of Texas at Dallas (contingent on meeting entrance and other requirements). In case of ties, UTD is the judge on who wins the scholarship.					
Scholastic Entry Fee:	by 2/03/11; \$69 after 2/3/11 or at site. Incomplete entries will be charged on-site entry fee. USCF bership required . (TCA tournament membership included in Entry Fee. Checks payable to: LAS CHESS CLUB. <i>Mail entries to Barbara Swafford, 2709 Longhorn Trail, Crowley TX 76036;</i> 632-9000, do not call after 2/9 as we may be traveling. No refunds after 2/10. info@dallaschess.com ted number of Team Rooms available. Contact Barbara Swafford. See <u>www.swchess.com</u> for online tration: Note that Active.com charges a small fee.					
SW Collegiate Entry Fee:	\$49 by 2/3/11, else \$69. See address above (In Crowley TX) to mail checks. No refunds after 2/10.					
Side Events:	K-6 Blitz and K-12 Blitz on Friday 2/11 at 8 pm. EF: \$20. Trophys to top 15 individual in each section. K-6 Bughouse and K-12 Bughouse on Saturday 2/12 at 8:35 pm. EF: \$30 per team. Onsite Registration only. Trophies to top 10 Teams in each section. See <u>www.swchess.com</u> for Blitz and Bughouse rules.					
Registration Form:	See next page.					

2011 Texas Scholastic Championships, February 12-13, 2011. Blitz on 2/11.

Houston Hilton Americas. 1600 Lamar Street, Houston TX 77010. (713)-739-8000. Hotel Rates: \$111-\$111-\$111-\$111. To get rate, mention Dallas Chess by 1/27/11 or rate may increase. First Hotel Night deposit is required.

Open to Texas residents & schools (College section open to non Texans and non Texas colleges). USCF membership required. If you cannot prove you are a USCF member, then please (re)join USCF. Special Texas Chess Association rules for participation. 7 Round Swiss System (College is 5 rounds). No elimination. Trophy prizes. *February Supplement* will be used. For more info, more rules and restrictions (such as players cannot play up grade levels) and for online registration, check http://www.swchess.com Or call 214.632.9000, or email: info@dallaschess.com.

Please make out checks to Dallas Chess Club. Send entries to Barbara Swafford, 2709 Longhorn Trail, Crowley TX 76036

Name:		USCF ID:						uscf exp:	
Address School:		city: location of school					TX, zip:		
							grade:	grade: DOB:	
email:	Phone:	Phone:							
Carefully choose your section. Check one box. Incomplete entries will result in getting charged the late Price fee, and may also result in a half point 1 st round bye. Don't send after 2/7 as entry may not arrive in time								Subtotal	
Southwest Collegiate Championships							\$49 by 2/3 else \$69		
High School (9-12 grades) □ Championship □ JV (Players rated under 1000)						\$41 by 2/3 else \$69			
<i>Middle School</i> (6-8/9 Grades) □ Champ □ JV (Rated	Under 900)	□ Nov	vice (Ra	ted Und	er 600)	\$41 by 2/3	else \$69		
<i>Elementary</i> (K-5/6)	l Under 800)	□ No	vice (Ra	ted Und	ler 500)	\$41 by 2/3	else \$69		
$Primary (preK-3_{except K-1}) \Box Champ \Box JV (Rate)$	ated Under 700)		K-1 (open	to preK-1) S	ection	\$41 by 2/3	else \$69		
Byes (one half point bye is available. This is if you cannot play a certain round.) $\Box 1$		□ 4	□ 5	□ 6	□ 7	n/a	L		
<i>USCF Membership</i> (required if not a member)	Adult (U25, \$24)	□ Youth (U16	5, \$20) 🗆	Scholastic	(U13, \$16)	\$41, \$24, \$20	or \$16		
<i>Blitz</i> (Friday, 2/11, 2011) □ K-12 grades □	K-6 grades					\$2	20		
Chess In Education Conference: None scheduled this year. Koltanowski Chess In Education Conference in December, 2011.									