



Thanksgiving Festival

3rd Annual: 28-30 Nov 2008 | Milpitas, CA

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Milpitas Location: Turquoise St., Ste 2, Milpitas, CA 95035. Restaurants nearby, free parking

Trophies to all players with more wins than losses! Prizes to all participants!
Team trophies for 2+ players from the same school. Ca\$h Prizes in Super\$wiss!

A public service organization
Come see why we are the largest monthly tournament series on the West Coast!

Organizer: Salman Azhar; TDs: Amir Azhar, Tom Langland, David Lee, Leo Lo, David Steiner, Paul Steiner; Volunteers: Iman Abdelmohsien, Doris Wong, Sohail Mallick, others

Step 1: Select and mark the tournaments to enjoy;
Step 2a: Fill out the entry form below and mail/email
OR Step 2b: Register at bayareachess.com/events/

Regular/Adult

Swiss 3-day (11/28-30), 2-day (11/29-30) 6 rounds
3 Sections: Master/Expert(2000+) | A/B(u2000) | C/D(u1600)
Format & Time Control: 3-day rounds 1-6 30/90 G/60 | 2-day rounds 1-3 G/60; rounds 4-6 30/90 G/60.

Onsite registration: 11/28 10-10:30am | 11/29 8:15-9am.

Round Times (3day): All days 11am, 4pm

Round Times (2day): 11/29 9, 11:10am, 1:35, 4pm | 11/30

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Entry Fee: \$59 | Play-up fee (optional): \$19 fee ea. section.

Prize Fund: \$3000 based on 100 paid entries (adjusted based on actual).

Master/Expert #* (2000+)	Class A/B #* (1600-1999)	Class C/D #**+ (u1600)
1 st \$500	1 st \$300	1 st \$200
2 nd \$300	2 nd \$200	2 nd \$100
3 rd \$100	3 rd \$100	3 rd \$75
u2200 1 st \$301	u1800 1 st \$201	u1400 1 st \$101
u2200 2 nd \$151	u1800 2 nd \$101	u1400 2 nd \$60
u2200 3 rd \$75	u1800 3 rd \$60	u1200 1 st \$76

Winners of all sections get a trophy (USCF tiebreaks in case of ties)

* Unrated are eligible for cash prizes in Master/Expert section only; Trophies to top unrated player in ea. section

+ Players rated 1000-1199 can play in Class C/D after paying a play-up fee

Side Events

Swiss (11/28) 5 sections: cutoffs at 500, 800, 1100, and 1400.

Prizes (u1400) Trophy for more wins than losses & teams with 2+ players. Medals to all others. (1400+) Free entry to a later tournament with 3 or 3.5 pts or better and 2 free entries for 4pts/4 (w/ paid entry)

Schedule: Onsite registration 9-9:30am; u500 & 500-799 (10am-4pm) 5xG/30 (each player gets 30 min). 800-1099 & 1100-1399 (10am-4:30pm) 4xG/45. 1400+ (10am-7pm) 4xG/60.

Entry Fee: \$33; \$10 fee for each section playing up.

FunBlitz (11/28) kids only; sections based on entries;

Prizes: Trophies based on score or rating gain! Medals to rest. Team Trophies to Top 3 teams.

Schedule: Onsite reg. 4-5pm Rounds 5:30-7pm; Entry fee \$12

Quads (11/29) (K-12 only) Sections: 4 players with similar ratings (possibly adj. for school/club).

Prizes Trophies to all players with more wins than losses! Medals to all players who don't receive a trophy!

Schedule: Req'd. check-in & onsite reg. 1:40-2pm; 3 games G/30; 2:30-5pm (max ~5:30pm);

Entry Fee: \$25

SuperBlitz (11/30); Prizes & Sections based on entries;

Schedule: Onsite reg. 8-8:30pm Rounds 9-11am; Entry fee \$15

Contact: events-bayareachess.com (replace ~ by @); Send Entries to: BayAreaChess, 1551 Garvey Place, San Jose, CA 95132.

Additional Info.: Please bring chess clocks. TD's discretion may be used in assigning ratings & merging sections. USCF Membership required. December supplement will be used for Swiss and Blitz and latest rating for quads. Max two 1/2-pt byes. 1/2-pt byes must be requested before the start of the previous round. 1/2-pt byes in last 2 rounds must be requested before the start of the 3rd last round. Please check bayareachess.com/events/orientation in November for any changes. Advanced entries & live results at bayareachess.com/entries/

I certify that I (and/or my legal guardian) have understood and agreed to the terms at bayareachess.com/info/indemnification.php

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Name: _____ USCF ID: _____ Exp: _____ Rating: _____ E-mail: _____

Phone:(_____) _____ Address: _____ City/Zip: _____ Birth date: _____

(K-12 players only) Parent/Guardian Name: _____ School/Club: _____ Grade: _____

(Swiss 2-day 11/29-30 or Swiss 3-day 11/28-30): \$59 (IMs/GMs before 10/28 \$0) Swiss 11/28: \$33 SuperBlitz 11/30: \$15 Blitz 5/24: \$12 Quads 5/25: \$25
+ _____ (new/optional) BayAreaChess Membership \$60/yr (new) Annual Pass& Membership \$365/yr (free entry to tournaments w/o cash prizes)
+ _____ Donation I would like to donate Free T-shirt (Members & donors > \$50): Size Adult (XL L M S) / Youth (L M S)
+ _____ Late fee: if onsite or postmarked after last Tue (online Thu): \$16 (non-members); \$8 (members and annual pass holders)
+ _____ Play-up fee (for each section playing up) \$10 (non-members); \$0 (members and annual pass holders); \$19 (for 2 or 3 day events);

DISCOUNTS (max one discount per player/form... may not available with Paypal or Credit Card payments)

- _____ Enter CalChess discount - \$1 off each tournament registered for current CalChess members

- _____ Financial Aid I can't afford to pay and request a discount as stated

= _____ TOTAL Cash Check (Make checks to BayAreaChess, 1551 Garvey Pl., San Jose, CA 95132)

I have already paid via Paypal to contact@bayareachess.com

I am emailing/mailling the entry form to contact@bayareachess.com (replace ~at- with @)

Additional Notes (Play up, byes, etc.): _____