



Inland Chess Academy ~ 2017 CHESS Summer Camps and Tournaments

June 26, 27, 28 and July 17, 18, 19
8:45 am to noon ~ Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

BEGINNER & NOVICE LEVEL for all ages – students and adults

For everyone wanting to learn the basics of chess in order to play the game.
Learn the rules, moves, captures and checkmates.

INTERMEDIATE and ADVANCED SESSIONS – See reverse side for session topics.

Two study sessions each day. **9 to 9:50 am and 10 to 10:50 am**

Each session includes relevant exercises to instill learning.

Coaches Maki, Stripes, and Dill will be presenting content packed study sessions.

MINI TOURNAMENT – Play and apply what you have learned. 11:00 am to noon

Three day G/30 Swiss Tournament – Sections based on rating level. Awards.

ALL DAY TOURNAMENTS

Thursdays: June 29 and July 20

Format exactly as WA State Tournament. G/30, Swiss. NW Rating.

Check-in by 9:30 am first round 10:00 am with four rounds following.

Finish before 4:00 pm. Awards to top winners in all divisions.

Location: **St. John Vianney Elementary School**, 501 N Walnut Rd, Spokane Valley

Cost: *Three half days AND tournament:* \$90

Camp only: \$80

Tournament only: \$15

Details: *Camp no charge for St John Vianney students.*

SIGN UP NOW

Send name, grade, school, parent contact information

reg@inlandchess.org or phone or text: 509-822-9800

Scholarships are available.

Make final choice of topics prior to the beginning of each session.

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Chess Camp Session Topics

Coach Jim Maki FM

When do I trade pieces?
A Pawn is hanging. Should I capture the Pawn?
Why do I lose in winning positions?
How to play endings?
How important is intuition in chess?
 Can I make moves that "feel" right?
Who wants to be a chess master? Here's is how
Coach Jim did it !

Coach James Stripes

Endgame – Know your Pawns
Endgame – Minor Pieces
Endgame – Rooks and Queens
Best Game Ever Played
Trapping the King
Secrets of Chess Tactics

Coach John Dill

SCAN – Visualize Energy Patterns
Combinations - Win in the Middle Game
Find Best Move in the Middle Game
Find the Best Plan in the End Game
Three Moves Ahead

MONDAY 9:15 to 10 am

When to trade pieces - JM
Endgame – Know your Pawns - JS
SCAN – Visualize Energy Patterns - JD

MONDAY 10:15 to 11 am

When to capture hanging Pawns - JM
Secrets of Chess Tactics - JS
Find Best Move in the Middle Game - JD

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Why do I lose in winning positions? - JM  
Endgame – Minor Pieces - JS  
Combinations – Win in the Middle Game - JD

### **TUESDAY 10:15 to 11 am**

How to play endings - JM  
Trapping the King - JS  
Three Moves Ahead - JD

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WEDNESDAY 9:15 to 10 am

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