



Mullan Road Elementary CHESS CLUB ~ Grades 1-6



WINTER CHESS CLUB meets for 8 weeks, Thursdays 3:15 to 4:15 pm
Jan 11, 18, 25 Feb 1, 8, 15, 22 Mar 1

Professional chess coaches provide lectures, exercises, videos, or game analysis for 20 minutes then direct 40 minutes of tournament play. Students compete in the chess club tournament for awards. The Chess Club also competes against other clubs in regional tournaments on Saturdays. See www.InlandChess.org for tournament schedule.

TUITION - \$65.00 *Registration form below. Periodic payments are accepted.*
Tuition provides for: **A.** coaching fees, **B.** coach's supplies, **C.** end of semester awards, **D.** subscriptions to Chess Magnet School, world known online chess school, and ChessKid.com, a total value of \$79/year. Limited scholarships are available. Follow ICA events on Facebook.com/inlandchess

Parents are encouraged to attend chess club to learn and play (no charge).

Mullan Rd. School Chess Club – Grades 1-6 REGISTRATION for Winter 2018

Student's name: _____ Grade _____ New to Chess Club? _____

2nd Student's name: _____ Grade _____ New to Chess Club? _____

Chess Skill: ___ Beginner ___ Intermediate ___ Advanced Played in tournament? ___ Yes ___ No

Special issues / allergies: YES ___ Please add details. After Chess: PU___ / Walk___ / Express___ / Bus___

Parent: _____ Phone: _____ eMail: _____

(or Guardian)

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Address: _____ City _____ WA ZIP _____

___ \$65 chess club tuition / ___ \$12 **OPTIONAL** tournament style chess set for study and play at home.
Pay total: \$ _____ Make checks payable to Inland Chess Academy. Leave the registration form and payment with the school's secretary. Partial payments and periodic payments are accepted. Limited scholarships are available. Note: Inland Chess Academy does not contact students directly by phone, text, or email.

Inland Chess Academy *A fully insured and licensed WA state non-profit educational organization.*
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INLAND CHESS ACADEMY'S PROGRAM

The Inland Chess Academy's curriculum is built on research proven methods developed by chess masters and educators, and recommended by the United States Chess Federation (USCF). These proven methods are used by many successful chess schools and presented by our trained and experienced coaching staff.

Beginner - Beginners learn and demonstrate the basics of chess play, chess rules, and etiquette.

Intermediate - Students learn algebraic notation, playing with a clock, an understanding of strategies for opening a chess game, major tactical techniques, and basic endgame theory.

Advanced - Students develop advanced competitive strategies including an opening repertoire, positional strategies, tactical combinations, endgame play, and methods of applying sport psychology to their games.

All students gain knowledge of chess history, chess news, and grow their appreciation of chess. Students are encouraged to play in regional and state tournaments for individual and team awards. v169

The scholastic tournament schedule is posted at www.InlandChess.org

WHY CHESS ?

Scientific studies prove that professional chess programs enhance academic performance and generally increase overall brain functions, including positive behavior. "Chess is the only activity for our youth where they are expected to sit quietly and think long thoughts." *John J Dill II, Director, Inland Chess Academy*

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