

CHESS CLUB at Libby

Sign up for Autumn 2024 ~ Grades 4-8

SCHEDULE: After School on Thursdays 2:45 – 3:45 pm Oct 17, 24, 31 Nov 7, 14, 21 Dec 5, 12

Professional Chess Coaches Cecelia Valeriote and John Dill provides lectures, videos, and exercises, then facilitates tournament play. Students compete for club tournament awards. The chess club also competes against other clubs in regional tournaments held on Saturdays. Qualifying students enter the WA State Championship, April 26, 2025 in Tacoma, WA

TUITION - \$90 for 8 weekly sessions. Registration form below.

Tuition provides for: **A.** coaching fees, **B.** coach's supplies, **C.** end of semester awards, **D.** school facility rental, and, **E.** insurance, coach development, and administrative costs.

Note: Inland Chess Academy does not contact children by phone, text, or email. **Parents are encouraged to attend chess club to learn and play (no charge)**

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Student's name:		Grade	New to Chess Club?		
2nd Student's name:		_ Grade	New to Che	ess Club?	
Chess Skill: Beginner Intermed	diate Advanced	Played in tou	urnament?	_YesNo	
Allergies and/or other issues:					
IMPORTANT: As required by school and insurance policies, and best safety practice, parents are required to to pick up students on time and must sign the check-out registry, Coaches have other teaching obligations and must not be delayed. Non-parental pick-up must be confirmed in writing.					
Parent:	Phone:	eMai	il:		
(or Guardian)					
Parent:	Phone:		eMail:		
(or Guardian)					
Address:	City		WA ZIP		
 \$90 Tuition Chess Club for 8 sessions. Installment payments accepted. Scholarships available. \$15 OPTIONAL tournament style chess set for study and play at home. \$18 OPTIONAL Annual subscription to www.chesskid.com a child safe study and play website. \$22 OPTIONAL Annual subscription to Chess Magnet School, a child safe study website. 					
Pay total: \$ Make check payable Mail payment and bring them to first of	registration form, to Ir	,	cademy, or		

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NOTICE to PARENTS: Scientific research proves the study of chess enhances academic performance, increases overall brain functions, and builds positive behavior. In order for students to realize the enormous benefits of chess, daily study is required. Research shows that a minimum of 20 minutes of daily study yields significant academic and behavioral benefits. Inland Chess Academy offers two optional child-safe websites programs for home study: Chess Magnet School and ChessKid, at discounted prices. Also available are home study workbooks. Please support chess study at home. Contact chess@inlandchess.org or phone 509-822-9800

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).

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. *Tournament schedule: www.lnlandChess.org*

The Inland Chess Academy is building a vibrant chess community:

- ~ Regional tournaments for students and parents, twice monthly on Saturdays.
- ~ Camps on holidays, spring break, and during summer.
- ~ Tutoring and special interest study groups.

"Chess is the only activity for our youth where they are expected to sit quietly and think long thoughts." | Inland Chess Academy An insured and licensed 501c3 WA non-profit educational organization.

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