



CHESTER & DISTRICT CHESS LEAGUE

INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2018/9 **Featuring two sections - Open and Under 130**

A four round Swiss tournament, restricted to members of chess clubs affiliated to the Chester & District Chess League.

NOTE: The organisers reserve the right to request proof from entrants that they are fully paid up members of an affiliated club.

Venue: THE "TOWN CRIER", CHESTER
(Opposite Chester railway station)

1st- 2nd December 2018

Organiser:

Tim Soar

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Email: watt-art@hotmail.co.uk

ENTRY FEES (both sections)

Adults: £15.00
Seniors (60+) and Juniors (under 16 - qualifying date: 1 Sept 2018): £12.50

PLEASE NOTE non-members of the ECF or WCU are subject to a game fee of : £ 8.00

Entries received after Thursday 29th November 2018, INCLUDING ENTRIES ON THE DAY, will be subject to a Late Entry Surcharge of: £ 2.00

TIMETABLE

Access to venue from 9:30am

Morning rounds start: 09:45

Afternoon rounds start: 14:00

Prize Giving Ceremony: As close as possible to the completion of the last game on the Sunday

ENTRIES

Entry forms, together with the correct payment (made out to **T Soar**), may be sent to:

Tim Soar

Flat 6 Clement Court, 4 Clement Avenue, Llandudno, LL30 2ED

Tel: 01492 872178

Mob: 07483 233138

Email: watt-art@hotmail.co.uk

Online Entries. This is to be encouraged as it saves paper and postage. please contact Tim Soar (above) prior to the closing date for instructions should you wish to enter and/or make payment electronically.

Grading: The most recent English Chess Federation Grading List will be used. In the absence of a current E.C.F. grade, the Congress Director will estimate strength, based on other ratings lists and known past performances.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Move Rate: In all sections, the rate of play will be 36 moves in 1 hour and 30 minutes, followed by an additional 15 minutes for the completion of the game.

Sections: If there are not enough entries to run two sections, the organisers will have to merge the sections into one single event.

Bye: Players may take a half-point bye in rounds 1-3, provided it is requested on the entry form.

Prizes: Cash prizes will be awarded to the first and second placed players in each section. There may be a grading prize if there are sufficient entries to support a prize. The value of all cash prizes will depend on the number of entries and will be announced on the day.

Tie-Breaks: If there is a tie for cash prizes, then the winner will be determined from a rapidplay playoff.

Refreshments: Food and drinks (including tea/coffee) may be purchased from the bar.

Recent League Individual Champions

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| 2017 | Colm Buckley | Chester |
| 2016 | Chris Doran | Chester |
| 2015 | Richard Bryant | Malpas & Whitchurch |
| 2014 | Chris Doran | Chester |
| 2013 | Mike McDonagh | Chester |
| 2012 | Bob Clark | Penyffordd |
| 2011 | Chris Doran | Chester |
| 2010 | David Jameson | Colwyn Bay |
| 2009 | Chris Doran | Chester |
| 2008 | John Blore | Colwyn Bay |
| 2007 | Jeff Smith | Capenhurst |
| 2006 | David Jameson | Colwyn Bay |
| 2005 | Haydn Parry | Holywell |
| 2004 | Jeff Smith | Capenhurst |
| 2003 | Graham Bromley | Chester |

**C&D INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2018/9
ENTRY FORM**

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| Name: | | | |
| Grade*: | | Grading Ref. (if known): | |
| Club: | | | |
| Address: | | | |
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| Post Code: | | Section Entered: | Open / U130 |
| E-mail: | | | |
| Date of Birth: | ½ Point Bye in Round: | | |
| | | Requested for all Juniors U16. | |

Please read the information on the previous page about entry fees and discounts carefully.

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| I Enclose: | Entry Fee: | £ |
| | Donation: | £ |
| | Late Entry Surcharge: | £ |
| | TOTAL: | £ |

I accept that the Congress Director's decision is final.

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| Signature: | | Date: | |
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Cheques & Postal Orders must be made payable to T Soar.

*Please provide evidence of current playing strength if you have no E.C.F. Grade