

Bull Run Chess Club 2011 - 2012

TIME TO SIGN UP!

The Bull Run Chess Club looks forward to another wonderful year of Chess with an exciting format designed to encourage players to improve their chess skills.

THE CLUB MEETS MONDAYS FROM 6:30PM TO 8:00PM.

Students will be placed into one of the following five groups:

- **Oak Division:** Our most accomplished players
- **Maple Division:** Players who are just one step from the top
- **Elm Division:** Players of medium strength
- **Birch Division:** 6th graders and improving players from all grades
- **Poplar Division:** Most players start here and earn promotions to the higher divisions

Accolades

- 1st Place Primary School Team 2011 Mid-Atlantic Scholastic Chess Championship
- 1st Place Elementary School Team 2011 Mid-Atlantic Scholastic Chess Championship
- All-grades Individual Co-Champion 2011 Fairfax County Scholastic Chess Championship
- 2nd Place K-3 Team 2011 Virginia Scholastic Chess Championship
- 2nd Place Individual 2011 Virginia Scholastic Chess Championship

Tournaments:

- Each club meeting is one round in a tournament except for award days
- Three tournaments over the school year allows players to earn promotion to the next division
- The Bull Run Club Championship offers prizes for every grade level
- An End-of-Year Quad tournament where the players are arranged in groups of four

Coaching:

- Coach Connors (four Virginia coach-of-the-year awards) will coach our most accomplished players
- Coaches Caijun, Sri, Rob, Tina and Balu have plenty of experience with beginning and intermediate players

Bull Run Chess Club Registration Form

Child's Name: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____ Teacher (if Bull Run student): _____

Member of a Chess Club before: Yes / No How many years: _____

Played in chess tournament before: Yes / No USCF Rated / Unrated / Both

Attended a Chess Camp before: Yes/No List Camps/Years:

Other Chess Accomplishments/Awards/Certificates (If any):

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY BELOW:

Parent/Guardian 1 Name: _____ Mobile #: _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Name: _____ Mobile #: _____

Home #: _____ E-mail(s): _____

Available to Volunteer: Yes / No

For Office Use:

Paid: _____

Cash: _____

Check #: _____

I understand that the school does not provide transportation. We are responsible to pick our child after the club meetings by 8.00PM on Monday. If we fail to pick up our child on time, our child may be removed from the club.

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Fees and club details:

- **Kids from Bull Run ES, Center Ridge ES, Cub Run ES, London Towne ES, Virginia Run ES, Deer Park ES:**
 - For Grades 3 – 6, the fee for registration is \$30.00 for the school year
 - For Grades K – 2, the fee for registration is \$10.00 for the school year
- **Kids from schools other than what is listed above:**
 - For Grades 2 – 6, the fee for registration is \$40.00 for the school year
- Chess Club will start on October 3 and end in June 2012
- The first tournament starts on October 10. The club chair needs your registration by September 30 to play in the first round of this tournament
- Chess Club is open to all the students from Grades 2nd - 6th; experience is not required but students must know the basics and the movement of the chess pieces. On an exception basis, students from below 2nd grade may be accepted if he/she shows extraordinary achievements and if there is availability
- Any experience that the student has with tournaments or previous chess camps when listed in the attached form will help us placing your child at the right level
- Transportation is NOT provided after the club. Parents are responsible for picking up their child/children on time at 8:00 PM on Mondays. Any recurring late pick-ups will involve a termination from Club

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact the BRCC at br_chessclub@yahoo.com. You do not need to know chess to volunteer. **Please make checks payable to Bull Run Chess Club.**