

BASILDON JUNIOR CHESS CONGRESS

Sunday 18 November 2012

at

The Willows Primary School
Church Road
Basildon
SS14 2EX

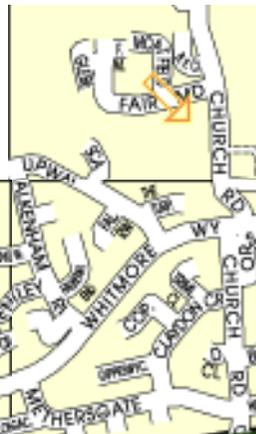
The Big One



How to get to The Willows - SS14 2EX

Basildon can be reached by A127 (from A12 or M25) or A13 (from East London or Dartford river crossing M25). Use the A176 from the A13 or A127. At Basildon Town Centre take the A1321 and turn left into Ghyllgrove at the 4th set of traffic lights. Take the first right into Whitmore Way. At 2nd roundabout turn left into Church Rd. There is car parking in Church Rd and Fair Mead but see note overleaf.

If you are coming from North Essex, East Essex or Suffolk you can use the A130, A127 and A132 and join Whitmore Way at its eastern end opposite the Water Mill (Premier Inn).



By rail Basildon is on the Fenchurch St. to Southend line. Use the No 5 Bus from the bus station to Church Rd. You need to arrive in Basildon by 9.15 to give you time to catch the bus.



London Junior Chess Championships
Founded 1924



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Swiss Tournaments for Under 6, Under 8, Under 10,
Under 12, Under 14, Under 18.

An Official London Junior Qualifier

**An ECF and Essex Grand Prix Event
Organised by Basildon Chess Club
& Basildon Junior Chess Club
in association with Essex Junior Chess Association**

**Entries to Nathanael Lutton, 23 Whitmore Way,
Basildon, Essex SS14 3NT Phone 01268 280932**

SECTIONS

The Congress will be divided into six sections as listed below. All competitors will play in all six rounds. As far as it is possible, people with equal scores will be paired against each other according to the official rules for Swiss Tournaments.

All ages are taken at 31.8.12.

E.g. The **Under 6** is for competitors who were aged under 6 on 31.8.12.

Under 18 for competitors who were aged under 18 on 31.8.12. This is the upper age limit for Junior Competitors. The **Under 18** is run within the **Basildon Open Rapidplay Championship**.

Players may enter for the section for which they are qualified or in any higher age group if preferred.

Parents Room

A room will be set aside for adults as only competitors and officials are allowed in the playing hall during the games. There will also be an area for analysis.

Rate of Play

In all sections players will have thirty minutes to complete all their moves. This ensures that all games are finished in one hour. Players who have not used clocks before will receive instruction in their use before the first round commences.

Entry Fees

Under 6	£5.00
Under 8	£9.00
Under 10	£12.00
Under 12	£12.00
Under 14	£12.00
Under 18	£12.00
Late entry fee	£5.00

(for entries received after 15.11.12)

ECF Members (Silver and above) may deduct £1.50. Please write your Membership number on the entry form

Contact numbers

01268280932

Emergencies only 0751 391 1183

Entry Form

Please write clearly.

Section **U6 U8 U10**
entered. **U12 U14 U18**
Circle one

Surname..... Other names

Address

Post Code..... e-mail..... Phone.....

Date of birth Age on 31.8.12 School

Club Grade or Rating Male/Female
Circle one

ECF Membership Number

Entry Fee.....£

Donation£

Late Entry Fee£ _____

Total£

Send entry form and cheque (payable to Basildon Chess Club) to:

Nathanael Lutton, 23 Whitmore Way,
Basildon, Essex SS14 3NT

Closing date for entries 15.11.12

Late entry fee payable after that date.

Book Stall

There will be a professional book stall in attendance.

Times

Doors will be open from	9.00
Arrive by	9.30
Round 1	9.45
Round 2	11.10
Round 3	12.20
Round 4	1.45
Round 5	3.00
Round 6	4.15
Prize distribution	5.30

PARKING

There is a small cramped car park on the school site and ample parking in Church Road and Fair Mead. Please park with consideration for the residents. Do **not** use the restricted car park in Fair Mead or the church car park. Please note that some of the residents have disabilities and need a clear exit from their drives.

Rating or Grade ?

In some counties junior players are rated according to the ELO system. Others have an ECF grade. All chess playing abilities are welcome from beginners upwards.

Cross tables

A full set of cross tables giving the results of every game and the grading performance of all competitors will be available at www.ejca.co.uk

Refreshments

There will be refreshments available to purchase.

Our caterers are volunteers who produce high quality and good value food whilst all proceeds go to the PAVIS Foundation for Visually Impaired People. Vegetarians and Vegans will be catered for.

Prizes

Prizes will be awarded in each section according to the number of entrants. There will be a minimum of three prizes in each section. The first prize in the under 6 will be books or equipment. The first prizes in the other sections will be as follows:

Under 8	£60	Under 14	£70
Under 10	£70	Under 18	£70
Under 12	£80		

The organisers reserve the right to combine two age groups into one section if, in their opinion, numbers are insufficient for a worthwhile competition.

London Junior Chess Championships

To qualify for the London Junior, competitors in the Under 8 must gain at least 4 points out of their 6 games.

In Under 10 and Under 12 a score of 3.5 or 4 points qualifies for the Minor and 4.5 or more for the Major.

The U6 section is not a London qualifier.

ECF Grading

All sections will be submitted for ECF Grading

Accommodation

For overnight accommodation look on www.BasildonChess.org