Entry Form – BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE

Email entries welcome. Please send all details to *sheffieldcongress@rocketmail.com*

Name
Address
Post Code
Phone Club
ECF Membership Number
Grade Source N.B. Ungraded players will not be eligible for grading prizes and MUST give an estimate of their playing strength.

Date of Birth (juniors).....

EV	ENT	ТІСК		
1.	Open		£	
2.	Major (U171)		£	
3.	Intermediate (U146)		£	
4.	Minor (U121)		£	
Lat	e* entry surcharge £2		£	
Optional Donation			£	
½pt bye required in Round number (but NOT Round 5)				
ECF Silver or higher members subtract £6 (£4 Jnrs) £				
то	TAL ENCLOSED	£		

Cheques made payable to *Sheffield Chess Congress* and sent with completed entry form to *Brian Stephenson, Congress Secretary, 9 Roydfield Drive, Sheffield, S20 7ND*

*All entries postmarked on or after Friday 21^{st} June are subject to a £2 late entry fee. Any entries accepted on the day are also subject to a £2 late entry fee.

Timetable for All Sections

Friday June 28th OPENING CEREMONY 6.4 Round 1 7.0

6.45pm 7.00pm – 11.00pm

Saturday June 29th

 Round 2
 9.30 am - 1.30pm

 Round 3
 2.15pm - 6.15pm

Sunday June 30th

Round 4	9.30am – 1.30pm
Round 5	2.15pm – 6.15pm
PRIZEGIVING CEREMONY	6.45pm approx.

Rate of Play, Lateness, Re-pairing, Rules

Each player has 1hr 40 minutes to complete their first 40 moves, followed by a further 20 minutes to complete the game.

Re-pairings will be made 30 minutes after the start of the round. Players not present at this time will be defaulted. A re-paired player will have 1hr 25 minutes to complete their first 34 moves, followed by 20 minutes to complete the game.

FIDE Laws of Chess apply.

Further Information

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SHEFFIELD CHESS CONGRESS 2013

King Edward VII Upper School Glossop Road Sheffield S10 2PW

Friday 28th to Sunday 30th June 2013

Sections: Open Major (U171) Intermediate (U146) and Minor (U121)

ECF Chief Arbiter – David Welch

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SECTIONS

1. OPEN

Open to all players Prizes - £200, £100, £60 plus grading prizes

2. MAJOR

Open to all players graded below 171 Prizes - £200, £100, £60 plus grading prizes

3. INTERMEDIATE

Open to all players graded below 146 Prizes - £200, £100, £60 plus grading prizes

4. MINOR

Open to all players graded below 121 Prizes - £200, £100, £60 plus grading prizes

Details of grading prizes will be announced during the event.

Best Game Prize

A best game prize of £25 will be awarded for each section.

Entry fee (all sections) - £28 (£10 for Juniors*)

*Players born after 31st August 1994 qualify as Juniors

VENUE – LOCATION AND DIRECTIONS



The school is 250 yards west of the Royal Hallamshire Hospital and 500 yards west of the junction between the A57 and the A61 (Sheffield's inner ring road)

Buses

From Sheffield City Centre120 about every 8 minutes from Flat Street30 about every 30 minutes from Church Street51 and 52 from High Street. Get off in Broomhill and theschool is a short walk down the hill.

NOTE: If you are delayed on your way to the Congress, please contact Paul Bailey on 078 12 49 49 57

ACCOMMODATION

The Rutland Hotel (opposite the venue)	0114 266 4411
Westbourne House Hotel (5 minute walk)	0114 266 0109
Premier Inn	0871 527 8972
Kenwood Hall	0114 258 3811

Bookstall

Provided by Chess Direct Ltd, tel. 01709 890 565, web site: <u>www.chessdirect.co.uk</u> email <u>office@chessdirect.co.uk</u>

Refreshments

Hot and cold refreshments will be available at the venue.

Parking

There is parking at the venue and on surrounding streets: Friday after 6.30 pm Saturday on Clarkehouse Road and the streets down the hill Sunday no restrictions

Gradings

ECF Jan 2013 standard-play grades A to D take precedence. However, International, National and Local Gradings may be considered at the organisers' discretion. Players with no grade MUST give a detailed estimate of their strength.

All games will be submitted for ECF grading.

ECF grading queries: http://grading.bcfservices.org.uk/

Special Notes

The organisers reserve the right to decline any entry without liability, or allocate a player to a different section from that requested.

The Chief Arbiter's decision is final in all matters.

SMOKING IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE VENUE AND MOBILE PHONES MUST BE SWITCHED OFF DURING PLAY.