



15th Hastings Open Junior Chess Tournament

Monday 2nd January 2012
9:45am ~ 5:30pm

Sussex Junior Grand Prix Round 4

First time players welcome

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Magdalen Road, St. Leonards on Sea,
East Sussex. TN37 6EU



www.sussexjuniorchess.org

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Supervision of Children

The organisers and their helpers cannot act 'in loco parentis' for juniors.

Parents/guardians are responsible for their children at all times and in all places during this event.

Children **under the age of 8 years** will not be allowed to participate unless supervised by a parent, guardian or teacher throughout the whole event. Supervising duties may cover more than one child but **please state name of supervising adult on entry form.**

Photographs and database

Entry to this event is on the understanding that results and photographs may be used in the press, on the Internet and by Sussex Junior Chess. Your details will also be held on SJC's database.

Catering

A comprehensive range of hot and cold snacks is provided at all SJC events including sandwiches, confectionary and hot and cold drinks.

Disclaimer

The Organisers and their helpers accept no responsibility for any damage, theft or accident to the person or property of any competitor, trainee or other visitor at this event. Nor are they responsible for the effects of actions of anyone else attending this event.

SJC Bursary Fund

The SJC Bursary fund has been established to assist families in need with expenses. We welcome enquiries in strict confidence to bursary@sussexjuniorchess.org

GP4 HASTINGS ENTRY FORM

Cheques payable to 'Sussex Junior Chess'.
Send with entry form to:

Paula Payne,
SJC Entry Manager,
222 King Edward
Avenue, Worthing,
West Sussex,
BN14 8DL

Child's Name	DOB	School	Section U11/U18 Minor/Major

Entry fee(s) £ _____

Add SJC Membership (optional) £ _____

LESS SJC membership discount (No.:.....) (£ _____)

Total £ _____

Supervising adult: _____

Complete the following
ONLY if you are new to us,
your details have changed,
or you are applying for
membership:-
Parents' names: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Tel: _____

email: _____

Eligibility

Open to anyone aged under 18 years at midnight on August 31st 2011.

Which section should I enter?

Under 18 Major
Under 11 Major

Under 18 Minor
Under 11 Minor

Minor sections are for weaker players and those new to tournament chess.

Anyone who has played for a county team or is aspiring to county standard should enter the major section.

The tournament organisers reserve the right to place a player in the major section if they consider this to be appropriate. A player may 'play up' if they wish.

Sussex Junior Grand Prix

This tournament is round 4 of the Sussex Junior Grand Prix series of six Open tournaments throughout the year.

A player's best four results count towards a Grand Prix final placing at the end of the season.

Silver salvers are awarded to the top three players in each age group. Additionally, special medals are awarded to those competing in at least five of the six events. Full details are available on our website.

Further Information

For enquiries about this event contact

Paula Payne tel. 01903 209415

Email: entrymanager@sussexjuniorchess.org

For more information about SJC and our other events, please see our website:

www.sussexjuniorchess.org

Timetable

Please note **9:45 registration** to ensure a prompt start at **10:00**.

Round 1 10:00 - 11:00	Round 2 11:15 - 12:15
LUNCH	
Round 3 12:45 – 13:45	Round 4 14:00 – 15:00
Round 5 15:15 – 16:15	Round 6 16:30 – 17:30
Prize giving approximately 5:45	

Rate of play

Players will have 30 minutes each, on a chess clock, to make all moves in each round. ECF rapidplay rules will apply. A brief explanation is always given at the start of the competition for those not familiar with chess clocks.

Prizes

- Cash prizes for U18 section.
- Trophies for the top three places in each of the other sections.
- Trophies for the top placed player in each age group from U7 – U10 from either (but not both) of the under 11 sections.
- Trophy for the top girl from either (but not both) of the under 11 sections.
- No player may win more than one trophy.

ECF Grading

All games will be submitted to the ECF for grading.

Helpers

SJC is run by volunteers and help on the day is always appreciated. If you could offer to help for part of the day, please contact the tournament controller.

Entry fees and discounts

Entry Fee	Received in week of competition	Received before week of competition
1 junior	£12.00	£9.00
2 juniors (same family)	£22.00	£16.00
3 juniors (same family)	£30.00	£21.00

Due to the extra work involved with late entries, a reduction of £3.00 per junior is given for entries postmarked at least seven days prior to the event.

SJC Membership discount

If you have SJC family membership, then you can also deduct **£1.00** for each child being entered.

SJC Family Membership

At £9.00 per family per year this is great value.

Membership entitles you to an entry fee reduction of £1.00 per child for most Grand Prix and training events in the year.

Other benefits include regular mailings of events and news via E-mail.

Membership forms are available on our web site, or from any event, or you can add it to your entry to this event.