

ECF NATIONAL SCHOOLS TEAM

GIRLS' CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016/17



Many thanks to all schools who have entered this year's competition or those who are thinking of entering. Please feel free to send a representative member of staff to either of the semi-finals to see what is going on, assess the standard of competition. Please ask colleagues to make themselves known to the organiser on arrival and come badged appropriately for their School.

Alice Phillips

Mrs Alice Phillips - Headmistress, St Catherine's, Bramley – co-sponsoring School

GIRLS' SEMI FINALS



SOUTH: St Catherine's School Bramley - Sunday 15th Jan 2017
www.stcatherines.info Controller IM Andrew Martin



NORTH: Bridgewater Independent School - Sunday 15th Jan 2017
www.bridgewater-school.co.uk Controller Julian Clissold

Both events will start at 10am and finish at approximately 5pm. All teams will play five rounds against other competing teams. The Swiss pairing system will be used. Players will have 30 minutes each on the chess clock.

Six teams in each age group will qualify for the finals from the southern semi-final and two teams in each age-group from the northern semi-final. The finals will be held over the weekend of 1st/2nd April 2017 at St Catherine's School. The number of points scored will decide qualification and not individual match results. Further details can be found at our website about rules: www.nationalschoolschess.org.uk/Pages/EntertheChampionships.aspx.

Enquiries may be made to the Girls' Tournament Director Andrew Martin : a.martin2007@yahoo.co.uk

St Catherine's Bramley – Girls' Schools' Association – is proud to be a co-sponsor of ECF National Schools Team Chess Championships

SCHEDULE:

9.30 am Welcome
10am -11am ROUND 1
11.15am-12.15pm ROUND 2
12.30pm-1.30pm ROUND 3
LUNCH
2.30pm - 3.30pm ROUND 4
3.45pm - 4.45pm ROUND 5
5pm AWARDS

