ENTRY FORM Section Entered (please tick or circle one): OPEN UNDER 160 **UNDER 120** UNDER 80 Family Name: First Name(s): Date of Birth: Chess Club / School: ECF Membership Number: (must be Silver or Higher) ECF Rapidplay Grade: FIDE id: National Federation(*): (*) MUST BE PROVIDED EVEN IF NOT FIDE RATED **FIDE Rapid Rating:** Email: Tel. no.: Mobile: **PAYMENT DETAILS** Method (please tick or circle one): CHEQUE BANK TRANSFER **PAYPAL** ENTRY FEE (£) DISCOUNT (£) LATE FEE (£) NON-MEMBER CHARGE (£) DONATION (£) TOTAL (£) Would you like to receive our email newsletter: YES 🗆 NO □

ENTRY FEES

All entries must be accompanied by the correct entry fee, which is £25, with a £7.50 discount to members of Richmond Junior Chess Club or one of its affiliated schools, and a £5 discount to other juniors.

All players must be members of the English Chess Federation, at Silver level or better. If you are not a member then, at the discretion of the organisers, a £10.50 surcharge is payable, to cover the ECF grading charge.

Joining the ECF is explained at http://www.englishchess.org.uk/membership/joining/guide-to-joining-the-ecf/ One year's free membership is available for juniors who have not previously been members of the Federation, application to membership@englishchess.org.uk, with name, address, date of birth and club or school.

The organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry.

LATE ENTRIES

Space is limited to 120 entries, so early entry is advised. Entries by Wednesday, 21st February, please. Late entries may be accepted, but will incur a late entry fee of £5. Entries on the day will incur a £10 surcharge.

WITHDRAWAL

A player may withdraw at any point up to the closing of normal entries on 21st February, subject to a £5 administration fee. Withdrawal subsequent to this forfeits the full entry fee.

PAYMENT

Please make cheques payable to "Richmond Junior Chess Club". Bank transfer to Richmond Junior Chess club at Barclays, sort code 20–35–90, a/c 83345351. Paypal via: https://www.paypal.com/uk/webapps/mpp/payonline to paypal@rjcc.org.uk.

117th RICHMOND RAPIDPLAYS

Sunday 25 February 2018

10:00 - 17:30

OPEN & UNDER 160, 120 & 80 SECTIONS
FIDE RATED

AN ECF TRADEWISE GRAND PRIX EVENT



VENUE:

Orleans Park School Richmond Road TWICKENHAM. TW1 3BB.

SECTIONS

Four sections, Open, Under 160, Under 120 and Under 80. The organisers reserve the right to move a player into a higher tournament section.

SCHEDULE

Registration from 09:15, play starts at 10:00.

| 09:15 – 09:45 | Registration | |
|---------------|--------------|--|
| 10:00 – 11:00 | Round 1 | |
| 11:15 – 12:15 | Round 2 | |
| 12:30 – 13:30 | Round 3 | |
| 13:45 – 14:45 | Round 4 | |
| 15:00 – 16:00 | Round 5 | |
| 16:15 – 17:15 | Round 6 | |
| 17:25 – 17:30 | Prize-giving | |

TIME CONTROL

25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds per move throughout.

PAIRINGS

Players will be paired in each section using a computerised Swiss system, which will be posted on http://www.chess-results.com/ as well as at the venue. No discussion will be entered into concerning the pairings.

ARBITERS DECISIONS

All decisions of the arbiters are binding.

RATING & GRADING

All games will be sent for ECF rapidplay grading and all games in the Open, U160 and U120 will be sent for FIDE rapid rating as well.

PRIZES

| SECTION | 1ST | 2ND | GRADING |
|---------|------|-----|------------|
| OPEN | £100 | £50 | (U180) £35 |
| U160 | £100 | £50 | (U135) £35 |
| U120 | £80 | £40 | (U100) £35 |
| U80 | £60 | £40 | (U50) £25 |

Best Richmond Junior's player: £35

Prize money for tied players is shared, not split by tie-break. Prizes are guaranteed. No player can win more than one prize.

VENUE, TRANSPORT & ACCOMMODATION

Orleans Park School, Richmond Road, Twickenham TW1 3BB. There is some limited parking available on-site. Twickenham Station is 10 minute's walk from the venue, St. Margaret's Station is 15 minutes away. A number of buses stop right outside (the stop is called "Orleans Park School"), and a great number stop in Twickenham town centre, close by. The Transport for London Journey Planner should be able to help: https://tfl.gov.uk/plan-a-journey/. If anyone needs hotel accommodation, there is a Travelodge adjacent to Twickenham Station: https://www.travelodge.co.uk/hotels/537/London-Twickenham-hotel.

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REFRESHMENTS

Hot & cold drinks, hot food, sandwiches and snacks will be provided on-site from 11:00 until 15:00. Shops are also 5 minutes' walk away in the town centre.

RICHMOND JUNIOR CHESS CLUB

RJCC, founded in 1975, meets at Orleans Park School, every Saturday during term time. We welcome children who enjoy playing chess at school or at home and would like to take the game further. More details on the club's website: http://www.rjcc.org.uk/. For enquiries, please email richmond junior chess club@hotmail.com.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

RJCC is grateful for the support from Orleans Park School in organising this tournament. We would ask all participants to respect the school's generosity in allowing us the use of their venue, and we would ask everyone to keep it clean.

DISCLAIMER & PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY

The organisers accept no responsibility for any loss, theft or accident during the tournament. Adult supervision will only be provided in the chess playing areas. Parents are responsible for their children during the tournament.

NEWSLETTER

Unless you indicate otherwise on the entry form, we may contact you by email from time to time with our newsletter and to tell you of our forthcoming events.

FUTURE RR EVENTS

2018: Apr. 29, June 10, Aug. 12, Oct. 14.