

The 2nd Martlesham Heath Thematic Chess Tournament
Nimzo-Indian Defence 1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 Bb4

Saturday 21st October 2017

**St Michael & All Angels Church, The Drift, Martlesham Heath,
Suffolk, IP5 3PL**



Six round Swiss Tournament

Two sections: Open and Minor (U75 grade)

Free entry to GMs and IMs

A special invitation to parents of playing juniors to join the fun by entering the tournament

Tournament Director, Secretary and Arbiter Assistant – Dagne Ciuksyte

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Queries about the entries to the tournament should be emailed to **Dagne Ciuksyte** at mjchessclub@gmail.com

TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEES AND PRIZES

	Entry Fees	
	OPEN	MINOR
GM/IM	Free	-
Adult	£15	£15
Parent of a playing junior	£10	£10
Junior	£10	£10
Siblings	£7	£7
Prize Money		
The prize fund will be subject to the number of entries 3 cash prizes plus female prize in each category		

HOURS OF PLAY

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(Doors open at 9.00)

Registration starts at 9.30, finishes at 10.00

Round 1: 10.10- 10.50

Round 2: 11.00- 11.40

Round 3: 11.50- 12.30

Round 4: 12.40- 13.20

Round 5: 13.30- 14.10

Round 6: 14.20- 15.00

Prize Giving: No later than 30 min. after the last round finishes.

THE SPECIFICS OF THIS TOURNAMENT

- All games start from the position after 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 (The opening called Nimzo-Indian Defence)
- Playing the same opening/ position as White and Black you will be deepening your understanding of it.
- Start preparing before the tournament!

RATE OF PLAY

Time Control: 20 minutes for each player per game.

ENTRIES AND ENQUIRIES

Please enter by emailing **Dagne Ciuksyte** at **mjchessclub@gmail.com** with the following information by the 20th October. The entries received after that will be subject to a £3 surcharge.

First Name _____

Surname _____

Town _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

Date of birth (juniors only) _____

Chess Club _____

School _____

Grade: Rapid play _____

Normal play _____

Chess Title _____

ECF (English Chess Federation) Grading Reference number _____

Section entered _____

Entry Fee (Paid by cash on the day) £ _____

OTHER INFORMATION

RIGHT OF PLAY

No age limits.

Basic knowledge of chess rules required.

GRADING

The event is not ECF-graded.

PARENTAL SUPERVISION

The parents of the young players should supervise (or arrange supervision with other parents) their children throughout the event.

PRIZES

All place prize money will be shared equally amongst tied players.

DISPUTES

In all matters the tournament Director's or Chief Arbiter's decision is final.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The organizers accept no responsibility for any loss, theft or accident during the tournament.

RIGHT TO REFUSE ENTRY

The tournament director reserves the right to refuse entry without being required to state a reason.

MOBILE PHONES

Mobile phones should not be used in the Main Hall.

REFRESHMENTS

Light refreshments will be available on the day. Competitors are advised to bring a packed lunch.

THE DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

The directions to the venue can be found here
<http://www.martleshamcofe.org.uk/st-michael-s/finding-us>