

Directions:

The Sports Centre,
Cophthorne Prep School, Effingham Lane,
Cophthorne, West Sussex, RH10 3HR

From Junction 10 of the M23, take the A264 Eastbound signposted to East Grinstead. After about 2 miles, turn left at The Duke's Head roundabout on to the B2028 Northbound. Then take the 2nd turning on the left (Mill Lane leading in to Effingham Lane) and the entrance is about 300 yards along on the left. There is ample car parking on site.

Nearest railway station is Three Bridges (4 miles) - trains from London Victoria, London Bridge and St. Pancras).

Refreshments

Hot and cold snacks, freshly made sandwiches, drinks and confectionery will be on sale throughout the event. There will also be a BBQ throughout the day.

Sussex U14 & U18 Titles 2019

The Weald Congress incorporates the Sussex U18 title (George Self Cup), the Sussex U14 title (Brian Denman Cup), and the Sussex U18 Girls title (Anne Gammans Cup).

Disclaimer

The Organisers and their officials accept no responsibility for any damage, theft or accident to the person or property of anyone attending this event.

Congress information, news, and results

Your details will be held on our database solely to inform you about future events. Entries will be listed on our website.

Results, grades and photos will be published on our website and may be used in the Press.

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THE 13th WEALD CHESS CONGRESS

13th—14th July 2019

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Cophthorne, West Sussex, RH10 3HR

*** £1,750 prize fund ***

	Entry Fee	Prize fund
Open	£30	£560
Major (U175)	£28	£460
Intermediate (U140)	£26	£400
Minor (U110)	£24	£330

£5 discount for early entry before 4th July 2019



Enter online—wealdchesscongress.org.uk
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WEALD ENTRY FORM

Online entry is available on our website <https://wealdchesscongress.org.uk/enter-online/>

Alternatively send cheques payable to **Sussex Junior Chess** to: Carol Graham, 93 Upper Brighton Road, Worthing, West Sussex, BN14 9HZ.

Forename:.....Surname:.....

Address:.....

Postcode:.....Telephone:.....

Email:.....

Club:.....ECF Memb. No:.....

Date of Birth (U18s):.....School (U18s):.....

Bye (Circle round) 1 2 3 4

Open - £30 (GMs Free) £

Major - £28 £

Intermediate - £26 £

Minor - £24 £

ECF Fee - £7.50 £ *(payable if NOT a member of the ECF at Silver level or above)*

Donation (thank you!) £

LESS £5 Early Entry Discount £ *(if received before 4th July)*

Last minute fee £ *(£10 for entries on Sat 13th)*

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED £

Entry will only be acknowledged where we have your legible email address, or, an sae is enclosed. Entries will be listed on our website.

A ½ point bye is available in rounds 1 – 4 if requested on the entry form

ECF fee: Entrants to the Congress who are not ECF members at Silver level (or above) are required to pay an extra £7.50 ECF 'pay to play' fee. If you are an ECF member at Bronze level, the fee will convert your membership to Silver for the current year.

Last minute fee: Entries on the day will be accepted at the organisers' discretion and subject to a £10 additional fee.

Section transfers requested after the 1st round draw has been made: £10 each.

Refunds will attract an admin fee of £3 to cover payment processing costs. No refunds after July 11th.

Donations: This tournament is not sponsored; donations are most welcome and will be used by Sussex Junior Chess to invest in junior chess in Sussex.

By entering this event, you agree to be bound by all terms and conditions.

Playing Schedule

Opening Announcements	Sat 9:45	Round 3	Sat 17:00
Round 1	Sat 10:00	Round 4	Sun 9:30
Round 2	Sat 13:30	Round 5	Sun 13:00

Time Control

All moves in 80 mins plus a 10 secs increment per move from move 1.

Default time is 30 mins after the scheduled start time of the round. Players without an opponent after this time must expect to be re-paired.

Sections and Prize Fund

If there are insufficient entries in a section, the organisers may combine sections.

All prizes are subject to the number of entries.

In a tie, prizes will be split. No player may receive more than one cash prize.

**** £5 early entry discount for entries received before 4th July 2019 ****

	Entry Fee	1st	2nd	3rd	Grading Prizes
Open	£30 GMs—free	£250	£130	£80	£100
Major (U175)	£28	£210	£100	£60	£90
Intermediate (U140)	£26	£170	£90	£60	£80
Minor (U110)	£24	£140	£70	£40	£80

Notices

If a player has no ECF grade but has a FIDE grade, the ECF conversion may be used.

If a player has no FIDE or ECF standardplay grade, then ECF Rapidplay grades will be accepted as the player's strength..

Players with estimated grades or participating in less than 4 rounds are not eligible to win a grading prize.

If ungraded, please provide an estimate and details of recent results.

The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry without giving a reason; or to transfer players to a higher section at any point during the event.

See our website wealdchesscongress.org.uk for full terms and conditions.