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2019**20th Royal Beacon Seniors Congress @ Royal Beacon Hotel, Exmouth, Devon**

Nov 4 @ 1:00 pm – Nov 8 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: RH Jones Email: jones_r53@sky.com Web: <http://keverelchess.com> [MAP]

Seniors Section open to all players aged 65+ on Day 1 of the event. Also "Junior" section for all players aged 50+ up to lower age limit of the Seniors section | Please note final round starts at 10:00am

**Coulsdon Junior Club Championship Rounds 5 – 8 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Nov 4 @ 4:30 pm – 6:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: daniel@ccfworld.com [MAP]

Rounds 5-8 of the CCF Junior Club Championship but all new comers welcome. Fully FIDE-rated



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2019**Hendon 'First Thursday' Blitz @ Golders Green Unitarians Church, 31½ Hoop Lane, Golders Green**

Nov 7 @ 7:30 pm – 10:00 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraof@gmail.com Web: <https://www.hendonchessclub.com/blitz/> [MAP]

One section, Swiss system tournament. 1st prize £20, 2nd prize £10 and £10 prize for the highest Hendon Chess Club member. 10 minutes per player per game, digital clocks. Held on the first Thursday of every month

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2019**Torbay Chess Congress @ Livermead House Hotel, Seafont, Torquay**

Nov 8 @ 7:00 pm – Nov 10 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Phil McConnell Email: secretary@torbaycongress.com Web: <http://www.torbaycongress.com/> [MAP]

Four sections – Open, U170, U140, U120. Five rounds. Doors open 6.30pm Friday 9th November



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2019**4NCL Weekend 1 | Rounds 1-2**

Nov 9 – Nov 10 all-day

Divisions 3 South & 4 South Holiday Inn Maidenhead/Windsor

Division 3 North Holiday Inn Doncaster

PRO University Chess League Group Stage @ TBA, UCL Bloomsbury Campus, London

Nov 9 all-day



Contact: Dylan Mize Email: dylanmize@gmail.com Web: <http://prounichessleague.co.uk>

PUCL is the UK's first intercollegiate team rapid event. Fixtures are played between teams of 4 students from the same uni, in an all-play-all format, once a month during the academic year. All matches will be hosted at a venue on UCL's Bloomsbury campus. All relevant tournament information can be found on our website. To Enter a team from your uni, follow the "signup" link from the homepage – prounichessleague.co.uk | Flyer

Norfolk Junior Championships @ Colman Junior School, South Park Avenue, Norwich

Nov 9 @ 9:30 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Stephen Orton Email: stephen.orton@cantab.net [MAP]

6 rounds rapid. Separate ungraded parents section | [Entry form](#)



Golders Green FIDE Rapid Chess @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Nov 9 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm



Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

Monthly, 6 rounds, 5 sections – Open, Under 170, Under 145, Under 120 plus NEW Improvers Under 105 section, and an ECF Graded Under 80 Section! 25 minutes each plus 5 seconds a move – <http://bit.ly/stlukeschess>



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Oxfordshire LJCC Open Qualifier @ Brighthouse Building Cheney School Cheney Lane Oxford

Nov 10 @ 9:30 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Joseph Conlon Email: joseph.p.conlon@gmail.com [MAP]

Oxfordshire open qualifier (anyone can enter) for London Junior Chess Championships – U8/U10/U12 and additional U18 section | [Entry form](#)



BBCA FIDE Rapidplay 2019 @ London Enterprise Academy 81-91 Commercial Road, London

Nov 10 @ 11:00 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Mostaque Choudhury Email: britishbanglachess@gmail.com [MAP]

An entertaining day of FIDE rated thrilling chess for all abilities. £775 prize fund in three sections – Open – FIDE Open to all players; Major – FIDE 1975 = ECF 170 & under; Minor – FIDE 1600 = ECF 120 & under. All day complimentary tea/coffee for all. Enjoy the traditional, authentic BBCA hospitality with a free lunch of chicken or vegetable biriyani for players upon a request in advance.

Hurry! Only 100 places are available. Read the leaflet for more details. Please complete your entry form online at- <https://form.jotform.com/81766005914963> | [Leaflet](#)

**5th Blitz Chess Tournament @ Chess & Bridge Shop, 44 Baker Street, London W1 7RT****Nov 10 @ 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

Contact: Joao Santos Email: cbstaff.joao@gmail.com Web: <https://shop.chess.co.uk/Casual-Chess-Blitz-Tournament-Entry-p/cb07627.htm> [MAP]

Tournament limited to a maximum of 10 players. Time control is 10 min per game (no increments). £10 entry fee. PRIZES – 1st place £25 gift voucher, 2nd place £15 gift voucher, 3rd place £5 chess bargain book. All participants get a copy of latest Chess mag and a 10% discount with any purchase on the day

**North East League Round 2 @ Lynn Jordison House, 34 Broomside Lane, Belmont, Durham****Nov 10 @ 2:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk> [MAP]

6 teams of 5 players each. The League will be all-play-all. Five rounds, each on a Sunday from October to February. Matches start 2:30pm, finish 6:30pm. Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members) Teams will receive a total of 1 extra bonus game point per match if they include a minimum of a) 1 junior player under 18 years old; and additionally b) one male and one female player. (Each category will give 0.5 bonus points) The winning team will be awarded a trophy and receive medals, and there will be medals for the best individual performances | Entry form



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2019**Coulsdon Junior Club Championship Rounds 5 – 8 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey****Nov 11 @ 4:30 pm – 6:45 pm**

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: daniel@ccfworld.com [MAP]

Rounds 5-8 of the CCF Junior Club Championship but all new comers welcome. Fully FIDE-rated



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2019**Preston Chess Congress @ University of Central Lancashire, Adelphi Street, Preston****Nov 15 @ 6:30 pm – Nov 17 @ 7:30 pm**

Contact: Malcolm Peacock Email: malcolm@popmalc.org.uk Web: <http://chess.popmalc.org.uk/congress> [MAP]

5 round Swiss, FIDE rated open



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4th ECF Academy Weekend 2019 @ TBA

Nov 16 – Nov 17 all-day

Please note – if anyone has a standard play grade of over 80 they can apply for a taster weekend at the Academy
Contact: Alex Holowczak, ECF Junior Director Email: director.juniorchess@englishchess.org.uk

19th Claires Court PTA Chess Festival @ Claires Court Junior Boys School Sports Hall Cannon Lane, Maidenhead

Nov 16 @ 10:45 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <http://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP]
Sections U8, U10 and U12 qualifying for London Junior Championships | Entry form



UK Open Blitz Men's and Women's Finals @ St John's Hotel, 651 Warwick Road, Solihull

Nov 16 @ 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm



Contact: Ed Goodwin Email: edhgoodwin@gmail.com Web: <https://englishchess.org.uk/uk-open-blitz-championships-2019> [MAP]

This tournament is a closed event for qualifiers from the regional blitz tournaments held in September. It is a 15 round all-play-all format. Time limit 3 minutes plus 2 seconds increment per move



Champions' League Chess Kent Zone – 1st Leg @ Unicorn Primary School Creswell Drive Beckenham

Nov 16 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2019-11-16_CLC_K.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 1st Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



Girls' Chess Day @ Queen Margaret's School, Escrick Park, York

Nov 16 @ 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Contact: Peter Cloudsdale Email: cloudsdale_c@hotmail.co.uk Web: <http://www.whiterosejuniorchessacademy> [MAP]
Good chess training at all levels of ability. We are showing various chess tactics and problems, combined with chess games which are recorded and analysed. The main aim is to learn more and have fun | Entry form



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Basildon Junior Chess Congress @ Kingswood Primary School Clay Hill Road Basildon

Nov 17 @ 9:45 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nathanael Lutton Email: chessorganiser@gmail.com [MAP]

A London Junior Chess Championships qualifying event. Under 8, Under 10, Under 12, Under 14, Under 18/Open with guaranteed first prize of £90 for U18 and £130 for the Open section | [Entry form](#)



Basildon Rapidplay Chess Congress @ Kingswood Primary School Clay Hill Road Basildon

Nov 17 @ 9:45 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nathanael Lutton Email: chessorganiser@gmail.com [MAP]

Under 18/Open with guaranteed first prize of £90 for U18 and £130 for the Open section. All moves in 20 minutes plus 10 seconds added per move. Runs alongside the Basildon Junior Chess Congress which is an LJCC qualifying event | [Entry form](#)



South East England Girls & Boys Chess Championships 2019 @ Sandown Racecourse, Portsmouth Road, Esher

Nov 17 @ 9:45 am – 4:00 pm

Contact: Marie Gledhill Email: juniorchessmasters@hotmail.com [MAP]

This will be an individual competition as well as a school team competition; the competition is open to all children in the South East, you can enter both as part of a school team and as an individual. Girls and Boys sections will be played separately | [Entry form](#)



Letchworth FIDE Rapid @ Broadway Hotel, Letchworth Garden City

Nov 17 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.letchworthchess.blogspot.com/> [MAP]



7th Potters Bar Junior Chess Tournament @ Pope Paul RC Primary School, Baker Street, Potters Bar

Nov 17 @ 11:45 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Tony Corfe Email: tony@mrcoffe.co.uk [MAP]

Local coaching event with graded and ungraded sections. For graded players and those new to competitive chess | [Entry form](#)



**Champions' League Chess Middlesex & the Rest Zone – 1st Leg @ Unicorn Primary School Creswell Drive Beckenham**

Nov 17 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2019-11-17_CLC_M.htm [MAP]
 Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 1st Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



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2019**Coulsdon Junior Club Championship Rounds 5 – 8 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Nov 18 @ 4:30 pm – 6:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: daniel@ccfworld.com [MAP]

Rounds 5-8 of the CCF Junior Club Championship but all new comers welcome. Fully FIDE-rated



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2019**East Finchley / Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London**

Nov 19 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm



Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com

Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

We split all entrants into three rated and graded sections on the day – Open / Major and Minor



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2019**Castle Chess 7th Dudley Congress @ The Quality Hotel, Birmingham Road, Dudley**

Nov 22 @ 7:00 pm – Nov 24 @ 6:00 pm

Contact: Tony Corfe Email: tony@mrcorfe.co.uk Web: <http://www.castlechess.co.uk> [MAP]

One of a series of events held around the country. A small, relaxed event. 6 round event, Open including Premier U175, Major U155 including Intermediate U135, Minor U115 including Challengers U95. PRIZES – Expected £180 per section – but not guaranteed, plus at least one grading prize in each section. Prizes are dependent on entries



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2019**Cambridgeshire County Closed Chess Championships @ Peterborough Bridge Club Unit 1, Lincoln Road, Peterborough**

Nov 23 @ 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Francis Bowers Email: chessbower@aol.com Web: <http://www.premierengravinguk.com> [MAP]

Closed event for Cambridgeshire players 32 players seeded Swiss event with junior prizes and Under 140 prizes. County trophy and title for the winner, plus additional prizes maybe added. 5 rounds, 1/2 point bye may be selected in advance in rounds 1-4. Digital clocks will be used and scoring of the game. 70 minutes each on the clock plus 15 seconds increment per move from move one | Entry form



3rd Warwick University Rapidplay Tournament @ Warwick University, Library Road, Warwick

Nov 23 @ 10:30 am

Contact: Simeon Bott Email: warwickunichess@gmail.com [MAP]

7 rounds- each players has 15 minutes + 10 seconds increment per move per round. 3 sections – Open, Major (U140), Minor (U105). Entry £5, all entry fees go to prize fund! Open to the public and University players!



Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, London

Nov 23 @ 10:30 am – Nov 24 @ 5:00 pm



Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP – entrance on Prince Arthur Road]

2 days, 5 games – U2200, U1900 and Under 1700 and must also be U135 ECF sections. 10.30am start Saturday, 11am Sunday. Held a short walk from Hampstead Underground (Northern Line). 60 mins per player + 30 secs a move :: 5 rounds



British Rapidplay Chess 2019 @ Pudsey Civic Hall Dawsons Corner LS28 5TA

Nov 23 @ 11:00 am – Nov 24 @ 4:30 pm

Contact: Brent Kitson Email: kitson453@btinternet.com Web: www.british-rapidplay.org.uk/ [MAP]

Open/Major/Intermediate/Minor

Champions' League Chess Surrey & East Sussex Zone – 1st Leg @ Chipstead Valley Primary School

Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Nov 23 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2019-11-23_CLC_SE.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 1st Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



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Woodbridge Junior Open @ Woodbridge School Burkitt Road Woodbridge

Nov 24 @ 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Adam Hunt Email: ahunt@woodbridgeschool.org.uk Web: <http://woodbridgechess.wordpress.com> [MAP]
LJCC Qualifying event with sections for U8, U10, U12, U14-18 | Entry form



5th Annual Lowestoft Rapidplay @ Parkhill Hotel Oulton NR32 5DQ

Nov 24 @ 9:30 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Andy Hartland Email: andyhartland@btinternet.com [MAP]
6 round Swiss, 2 sections Open and U150 | Entry form

2nd Bristol League Open Blitz Championship @ Bristol Grammar School (BGS) University Road, Bristol

Nov 24 @ 10:00 am – 4:00 pm



Contact: Igor Doklestic Email: chessinbristol@gmail.com Web: <https://www.bristolcongress.co.uk/> [MAP]

Eleven rounds Blitz tournament. All moves to be completed in 5 minutes, plus a 3 second increment after each move | Entry form

Wiltshire Team-Rapidplay Tournament 2019 @ Nationwide House, Pipers Way, Swindon, Wiltshire

Nov 24 @ 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Tony Ranson Email: chesssalsa@aol.com [MAP]

30 minutes per player per game. The entry fee is £3 per player and £1.50p per junior player (CASH ONLY, NO CHEQUES) | Entry form



Wellington College London Junior Chess Qualifier @ Wellington College, Dukes Ride, Crowthorne, Berkshire

Nov 24 @ 10:45 am – 5:15 pm

Contact: Nick Pert Email: fleetchess@gmail.com Web: <https://www.gmchess.co.uk/wellington-college-nov-2019-ljcc.html> [MAP]

This event is part of the Elite Junior Chess 2019 Grand Prix Series, with cash prizes, organised by Nick Pert.

Six sections – ECF graded open U18; ECF graded U12 LJCC qualifying section; ECF graded U10 LJCC qualifying section; ECF graded U8 LJCC qualifying section; Improvers' section; Beginners' section



Champions' League Chess Surrey West & Hampshire Zone – 1st Leg @ Wimbledon Park Primary School Havana Road Wimbledon

Nov 24 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2019-11-24_CLC_SW.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 1st Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



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Coulsdon Junior Club Championship Rounds 5 – 8 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Nov 25 @ 4:30 pm – 6:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: daniel@ccfworld.com [MAP]

Rounds 5-8 of the CCF Junior Club Championship but all new comers welcome. Fully FIDE-rated



2nd Piccadilly Circus Rapidplay Tournament @ Rileys Sports Bar Haymarket 80 Haymarket London

Nov 25 @ 7:00 pm – 10:30 pm

Contact: Madara Orlovska Email: work.madara@gmail.com Web: <https://picadillychess.wufoo.com/forms/z3inz191j77m75/> [MAP]

Open Rapidplay tournament, 6 rounds, Swiss pairings, 10 minutes + 5 seconds increment from move 1. Entry fee £20. Prizes – 1st place £150, 2nd place £100, 3rd place £50

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4th FIDE World Chess Championship for Disabled People @ Wales Millennium Centre, Cardiff Bay CF10 5AL

Nov 26 – Dec 4 all-day

Contact: Jon Luxton Email: jon@worlddisabledchesschampionships.com [MAP]

Details [PDF]

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London Chess Classic FIDE Open @ Kensington Olympia Conference Centre Hammersmith Road London

Nov 29 – Dec 6 all-day

Contact: James Corrigan Email: info@londonchessclassic.com Web: <https://www.londonchessclassic.com/> [MAP]

London Chess Classic FIDE Open | Entry form



**London Chess Classic Weekend Tournament @ Kensington Olympia Conference Centre Hammersmith Road London**

Nov 29 @ 6:30 pm – Dec 1 @ 8:30 pm

Contact: James Corrigan Email: info@londonchessclassic.com Web: <http://www.londonchessclassic.com> [MAP]

London Chess Classic Weekend event with 4 sections – Open, U2050, U1825, U1600



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London Chess Conference @ Irish Cultural Centre, Hammersmith

Nov 30 – Dec 1 all-day

**London Chess Conference**
30 Nov - 1 Dec 2019
Chess and Female Empowerment[MAP] Sponsored by FIDE, ECU, CSC and the ECF. Theme – Chess and Female Empowerment Website: www.londonchessconference.com**Hereford Chess Congress @ The Green Dragon Hotel, Broad Street, Hereford**

Nov 30 @ 9:30 am – Dec 1 @ 6:00 pm

Contact: Rebecca & Colin Gardiner Email: congresssecretary@hotmail.com Web: <http://www.cornwallchess.org.uk/Hereford/info.shtml> [MAP]

Five round seeded Swiss tournament. 3 sections U175, U145 & U120 | Entry form

**Leeds Junior Chess Congress @ Whingate Primary School, Whingate Road, Leeds**

Nov 30 @ 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

Contact: John Hipshon Email: jr.hipshon@ntlworld.com Web: <http://www.yorkshirejuniorchess.org> [MAP]

Major Section, Intermediate Section, Minor Section, Novice Section | Entry form

**Southampton Rapidplay @ Avenue Campus, University of Southampton, Highfield Road, Southampton**

Nov 30 @ 10:00 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: David Nelson Email: dave200979@hotmail.com Web: <http://www.southamptonchess.org.uk/rapidplay/> [MAP]

Six round rapidplay tournament with up to three sections. Time control: 25 minutes plus 5 seconds per move in top two sections, 30 minutes for all moves in lower section | Entry form



**Maidenhead Junior Tournament @ Cox Green Community Centre, 51 Highfield Lane, Cox Green, Maidenhead**

Nov 30 @ 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP]
 Beginners section and other sections for more advanced players. Open to all under the age of 18 | [Entry form](#)



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2019**38th Bolton Rapidplay @ Bolton Ukrainian Club 99 Castle Street Bolton**

Dec 1 @ 10:00 am – 6:45 pm

Contact: Rod Middleton Email: roderickmiddleton@yahoo.co.uk [MAP]
 6 round rapidplay – Open, Major & Minor sections | [Entry form](#)

**6th Plymouth Rapidplay Chess Congress @ Plymouth Bridge Club, 1 Moor View Terrace, Mutley Plain, Plymouth**

Dec 1 @ 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Tony Tatam Email: tony.tatam@blueyonder.co.uk Web: <http://plymouthchess.uk> [MAP]
 6 round Swiss rapidplay (30 mins each – max 1 hour game). Entry fee £14.50 for ECF Silver and above members. Bronze or non ECF members add £7.50 | [Entry form](#)

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2019**Coulsdon Junior Club Championship Round 9 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Dec 2 @ 4:30 pm – 6:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: daniel@ccfworld.com [MAP]
 Round 9 of the CCF Junior Club Championship but all new comers welcome. Fully FIDE-rated

**London Chess Classic Weekday Tournaments @ Kensington Olympia Conference Centre Hammersmith Road London**

Dec 2 @ 4:30 pm – Dec 6 @ 8:30 pm

Contact: James Corrigan Email: info@londonchessclassic.com Web: <http://www.londonchessclassic.com> [MAP]
 London Chess Classic Weekday Tournament. 2 sections – U2050 & U1750



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Hendon 'First Thursday' Blitz @ Golders Green Unitarians Church, 31½ Hoop Lane, Golders Green

Dec 5 @ 7:30 pm – 10:00 pm



Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <https://www.hendonchessclub.com/blitz/> [MAP]

One section, Swiss system tournament. 1st prize £20, 2nd prize £10 and £10 prize for the highest Hendon Chess Club member. 10 minutes per player per game, digital clocks. Held on the first Thursday of every month

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PRO University Chess League Group Stage @ TBA, UCL Bloomsbury Campus, London

Dec 7 all-day



Contact: Dylan Mize Email: dylanmize@gmail.com Web: <http://prounichessleague.co.uk>
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Twickenham Junior Chess Congress @ Orleans Park School, Richmond Road, Twickenham

Dec 7 @ 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Paul McKeown Email: richmond_junior_chess_club@hotmail.com Web: <http://www.rjcc.org.uk/> [MAP]
Qualifying tournament for the London Junior Chess Championships. Under 8, 10 & 12 sections | Entry form



Twickenham Under 18 @ Orleans Park School, Richmond Road, Twickenham

Dec 7 @ 10:00 am – Dec 8 @ 5:00 pm

Contact: Paul McKeown Email: richmond_junior_chess_club@hotmail.com Web: <http://www.rjcc.org.uk/> [MAP]
Under 18 FIDE-rated standard play. Held at the same time as a qualifier for the London Junior Chess Championship



English Open Women and Girls Rapidplay Championship @ Kensington Olympia Conference Centre Hammersmith Road London

Dec 7 @ 11:00 am – 7:00 pm

Contact: James Corrigan Email: info@londonchessclassic.com Web: <http://www.londonchessclassic.com> [MAP]
Held during the London Chess Classic.

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London Chess Classic Super Blitz Open Tournament @ Kensington Olympia Conference Centre Hammersmith Road London

Dec 8 all-day

Contact: James Corrigan Email: info@londonchessclassic.com Web: <https://www.londonchessclassic.com/> [MAP]
London Chess Classic FIDE rated Super Blitz Open consisting of 8 qualifying groups and a knockout stage | Entry form



North London Schools Grand Prix #4 @ Bishop Douglass School Hamilton Road London

Dec 8 @ 9:45 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Angela Eyton Email: angelaeyton@aol.com [MAP]

LJCC qualifying event. 6 rounds. Time control – 20 mins plus 5 sec increment per player. There will be four Grand Prix meetings this term with the best three results counting towards the final scores | Entry form



Coventry and District Chess League 2nd Rapidplay @ Massey Ferguson Social Club, Broad Lane, Coventry

Dec 8 @ 10:30 am – 6:15 pm

Contact: Hok Yin Stephen Chiu Email: coventrydistrictchess@gmail.com Web: <https://covchessleague.blogspot.com/p/2nd-rapidplay.html> [MAP]

6 rounds – each player has 20 minutes + 10 second increment per round. 3 sections – Open, Major (U145), Minor (U110). Entry £15.00 (Juniors £10.00). All players welcome, from both inside and outside the League!



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12th Northwick Park Five Round Congress @ University of Westminster, Harrow Campus, Harrow

Dec 14 @ 8:45 am – Dec 15 @ 9:30 pm

Contact: Arnold Lutton Email: entry@ljcc.co.uk Web: <http://www.ljcc.co.uk> [MAP]

This popular five round event consists of three sections, Open, Major and Minor. The Open and Major are both FIDE rated. The Minor is ECF graded only and entry to it is open to those under 115 ECF and to ungraded players who do not have a FIDE rating above 1600. The Major is restricted to under 1860 FIDE. The Open starts at 9 am on Saturday and 9.30 on Sunday. Major and Minor start at 9.45 both days | Entry form



LJCC Harrow Under 12 @ University of Westminster, Harrow Campus, Harrow

Dec 14 @ 8:45 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Arnold Lutton Email: entry@ljcc.co.uk Web: <http://www.ljcc.co.uk> [MAP]

This is a qualifying event for the London Under 12 finals on 28, 29, 30 December 2018 organised by the London Junior Chess Championship Charitable Trust | [Entry form](#)



London Junior Chess Championships @ University of Westminster, Harrow Campus, Harrow

Dec 14 @ 8:45 am – Dec 15 @ 7:30 pm

Contact: Arnold Lutton Email: entry@ljcc.co.uk Web: <http://www.ljcc.co.uk> [MAP]

This prestigious event has sections for Under 10 and Under 14. The Under 14 Major is FIDE rated. Competitors must gain qualification to play in the Under 10 section. There are also sections for Under 8, Under 12, Under 16 and Under 18/21 on 28th, 29th and 30th December at the same venue | [Entry form](#)



2 Day Weekend FIDE Congress @ South Ribble Borough Council, West Paddock, Leyland, Lancashire

Dec 14 @ 9:30 am – Dec 15 @ 4:45 pm

Contact: David Clayton Email: dgclayton@btinternet.com [MAP]

Major U1900 (ECF U160); Minor U1500 (ECF U106)



Maidenhead Junior Tournament @ Claires Court Junior Boys School, Cannon Lane, Maidenhead, Berkshire

Dec 14 @ 9:30 am – 12:30 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP][Postcode of entrance drive SL6 4QQ]

Beginners section and other sections for more advanced players. Open to all under the age of 18 | [Entry form](#)



Poplar Rapid Chess Tournament @ St. Nicholas Church Centre, Ettrick Street, Poplar, London

Dec 14 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Norman Went Email: DocklandsChess@yahoo.co.uk Web: <http://www.spanglefish.com/docklandschessclub> [MAP]

6 rounds, 2 sections. Major Under 171 and Minor Under 130 | [Entry form](#)



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8th Martlesham Heath Chess Open @ St Michael & All Angels Church, The Drift, Martlesham

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Dec 15 @ 12:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Dagne Ciuksyte Email: mjchessclub@gmail.com [MAP]
6 round Swiss. 2 sections, Open plus U60 (juniors only) | [Entry form](#)



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CCF Christmas Congress 2019 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Dec 21 – Dec 22 all-day

Contact: Scott Freeman Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubSeniorsIndex.htm> [MAP]
FIDE-rated LP Congress across 4 sections



Richmond Blitz Blast @ Orleans Park School Richmond Road Twickenham

Dec 21 @ 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Paul McKeown Email: richmond_blitz@hotmail.com Web: <http://www.rjcc.org.uk/richard/index.htm> [MAP]
Latest in a series of FIDE-rated blitz tournaments run by Richmond Junior Chess Club, with a generous prize fund | [Entry form](#)



Maidenhead Junior Tournament @ Cox Green Community Centre, Cox Green, Maidenhead

Dec 21 @ 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP]
Beginners section and other sections for more advanced players | [Entry form](#)



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London Christmas Chess Congress @ University of Westminster, Harrow Campus, Harrow

Dec 28 @ 9:45 am – Dec 30 @ 8:30 pm

Contact: Arnold Lutton Email: entry@ljcc.co.uk Web: <http://www.ljcc.co.uk> [MAP]
This established three day, six round Congress consists of three sections, OPEN, MAJOR and MINOR. The Open and Major are FIDE rated. The Minor is ECF graded only and is restricted to players under ECF 125 and to ungraded players who do not have a FIDE rating above equivalent ECF 125. The Major is under 1940 FIDE | [Entry form](#)



London Junior Chess Championships @ University of Westminster, Harrow Campus, Harrow

Dec 28 @ 9:45 am – Dec 30 @ 8:30 pm

Contact: Arnold Lutton Email: entry@ljcc.co.uk Web: <http://www.ljcc.co.uk> [MAP]

This prestigious three-day event has sections for Under 8, Under 12, Under 16 and Under 18/21. The Under 18/21 is combined with the LJCC Christmas Open. The Under 8 is held over two days, 29th and 30th December and is rapidplay. The other sections play on all three days. The Under 18/21 and Under 16 are both FIDE rated. The Under 12 attracts a very large entry and is run as Major and Minor sections. Competitors must gain qualification to play in the Under 8 and Under 12 as detailed at www.ljcc.co.uk. There are also sections for Under 10 and Under 14 on 14th and 15th December at the same venue | Booklet

**Caplin Hastings International Masters @ Horntye Sports Centre, Bohemia Road, Hastings**

Dec 28 2019 @ 2:15 pm – Jan 5 2020 @ 9:00 pm

Contact: Marc Bryant Email: HICCchairman@hastingschess.club Web: <http://www.hastingschess.com/> [MAP]

9 round Swiss – FIDE Norms available



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2019**BBCA Monthly Rapidplay 2019 @ The Hason Raja Centre, Spitalfields Housing Association, 117 Vallance Road, London**

Dec 29 @ 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Contact: Mostaque Choudhury Email: britishbanglachess@gmail.com [MAP]

In response to the popular demand BBCA has switched to incremental time control replacing the previous fixed time control system. All rounds of the ECF graded Open & Major sections will be played with 10-minute plus five-second incremental time control. Entry fee is only £20 for adults and £15 for juniors for both sections. However, all players are required to be ECF Silver and above members. All other players, including foreign players with FIDE ID, must pay an additional £7.50 with the entry fee. Discounted entry fee is available for BBCA members. Attractive 1st and 2nd prizes along with several grading prizes are available in Open and Major sections.

Chief Arbiter – Michael Flatt



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Fri
2020**Shropshire Chess Congress @ Wrekin Housing Trust, Colliers Way, Telford**

Jan 3 @ 12:58 pm – Jan 5 @ 1:58 pm

Contact: Steve Rooney Email: steve.rooney@busandcoach.com Web: <http://www.shropshirechesscongress.org.uk> [MAP]

A friendly and well-run event at a lovely venue offering good playing conditions, excellent food and a warm welcome. Fide-rated Open, plus Major, Intermediate and Minor sections



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2020**Hastings Weekend Congress @ Horntye Sports Centre, Bohemia Road, Hastings**

Jan 4 @ 9:30 am – Jan 5 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Marc Bryant Email: Hiccchairman@hastingschess.club Web: <http://www.hastingschess.com> [MAP]
 Open FIDE-rated, Under 160 FIDE 1900, Under 130 FIDE 1675 | Entry form

**Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London**

Jan 4 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
 Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80

**Maidenhead and Earley Junior Tournament @ Radstock Lane Community Centre, Radstock Lane, Earley, Reading**

Jan 4 @ 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP]
 Beginners section and other sections for more advanced players. Open to all under the age of 18 | Entry form



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2020**Hull Rapid 2020 @ Royal Hotel Hull 170 Ferensway Hull**

Jan 5 @ 10:15 am – 5:15 pm

Contact: Douglas Vleeshhouwer Email: douglas.vleeshhouwer@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hullchess.com/Rapid+Play+2020> [MAP]

5 round Swiss rapid tournament – FIDE-rated Open, FIDE-rated U1900, ECF U120

20 mins + 10 secs increment from move 1. In each section – 1st prize £100, 2nd prize £50, one £30 grading prize



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2020**Greater London Chess Club Evening Blitz @ St George's Bloomsbury 6 Little Russell Street London**

Jan 7 @ 6:45 pm – 9:45 pm

Contact: Nigel Blades Email: tournaments@glcc.org.uk Web: https://glcc.org.uk/newyear_blitz2020.html [MAP]
 FIDE rated blitz tournament, single section Swiss, 9 rounds at 3 minutes + 2 sec increments. 40% of entry fees returned as 1st, 2nd, 3rd and rating prizes, remainder to club funds



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CCF Daytime Chess Spring 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jan 8 @ 2:00 pm

Contact: Scott Freeman Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubSeniorsIndex.htm> [MAP]

Wednesday 8th January 2020 to Wednesday 8th April 2020 from 2:00pm to 6:00pm. Results will be submitted monthly to FIDE @ the ECF. An Open FIDE-rated LP competition for any available players, primarily set up to accommodate retired players. It gives a chance to have competitive FIDE-rated chess at a time of day that older players hope to have more energy for!



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4NCL Weekend 2 | Rounds 3-4

Jan 11 – Jan 12 all-day

Divisions 1 & 2 Mercure Daventry Court

Divisions 3 South & 4 South Holiday Inn Maidenhead/Windsor

Division 3 North Mercure Bolton Georgian House

PRO University Chess League Playoff @ TBA, UCL Bloomsbury Campus, London

Jan 11 all-day



Contact: Dylan Mize Email: dylanmize@gmail.com Web: <http://prounichessleague.co.uk>
PUCL is the UK's first intercollegiate team rapid event. Fixtures are played between teams of 4 students from the same uni, in an all-play-all format, once a month during the academic year. All matches will be hosted at a venue on UCL's Bloomsbury campus. All relevant tournament information can be found on our website. To Enter a team from your uni, follow the "signup" link from the homepage – prounichessleague.co.uk | Flyer

4th Somerset New Year Chess Congress @ Walton Park Hotel Wellington Terrace, Clevedon, North Somerset

Jan 11 @ 9:30 am – Jan 12 @ 6:00 pm

Contact: Rebecca and Colin Gardiner Email: congresssecretary@hotmail.com Web: <https://someretchesscongress.webs.com/> [MAP]

Five round seeded Swiss tournament. 3 sections U175, U145 & U120 | Entry form



CCF New Year Rapid Play @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jan 11 @ 10:15 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Adult%20Competitions/Rapidplay_New%20Year.html [MAP]

Rapidplay with an Open section plus as many rated sections as numbers (and the grades and ratings of the players) reasonably allow



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ECF National Schools Girls' Semi Finals – Northern @ Bridgewater School Drywood Hall, Worsley Road, Worsley, Manchester

Jan 12 @ 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Andrew Martin Email: a.martin2007@yahoo.co.uk [MAP]

Schools event, teams of three, girls only, U19 and U11 sections. Entry online via the NSCC website – <https://www.englishchess.org.uk/NSCC/> | Flyer

ECF National Schools Girls' Semi Finals – Southern @ St Catherine's School, Station Road, Bramley

Jan 12 @ 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Andrew Martin Email: a.martin2007@yahoo.co.uk [MAP]

Schools event, teams of three, girls only, U19 and U11 sections. Entry online via the NSCC website – <https://www.englishchess.org.uk/NSCC/> | Flyer

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24th 4NCL FIDE-rated Congress @ Old Swan Hotel, Harrogate

Jan 17 @ 7:00 pm – Jan 19 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Mike Truran Email: mike@truranfamily.co.uk Web: <http://www.4ncl.co.uk>

[/fide/information_24.htm](#) [MAP]

FIDE Open, FIDE U2000 (ECF U175), ECF U135. Five rounds



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Junior 4NCL Weekend 2 @ Holiday Inn South Normanton

Jan 18 – Jan 19 all-day

[MAP] Entry guidelines and further information are here

Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Jan 18 @ 10:30 am – Jan 19 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



JAN

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2020**Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London**

Jan 21 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries

**Maidenhead Junior Tournament @ Cox Green Community Centre, 51 Highfield Lane, Cox Green, Maidenhead**

Jan 21 @ 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://nigelwdennis.wixsite.com/mysite> [MAP]
Beginners section and other sections for more advanced players. Open to all under the age of 18 | Entry form



JAN

24Fri
2020**3rd Simon Bartlett Memorial Congress @ Livermead House Hotel Seafront, Torquay, Devon**

Jan 24 @ 7:00 pm – Jan 26 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: John Constable Email: chess@budechess.co.uk Web: <http://www.budechess.co.uk/simon-bartlett-memorial.php> [MAP]

5 rounds 90 minutes + 30sec move. Open, U170, U140, U120. £2300 guaranteed prize fund, special Simon Bartlett Loudest Shirt prize | Entry form



JAN

25Sat
2020**South of England Junior Chess Congress @ Yateley Manor School 51 Reading Rd Yateley**

Jan 25 @ 9:00 am – Jan 26 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Amy Grieve Email: amy@southofenglandjunior.com Web: <http://www.southofenglandjunior.com> [MAP]

Prestigious junior chess event held over the last weekend in January each year at Yateley Manor School in Hampshire. U11 section is England Junior Squad qualifier.

**Kingston Rapidplay @ Richard Mayo Centre Kingston United Reformed Church Eden Street Kingston**

Jan 25 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Edward Mospan Email: kingstonchessrapidplay@gmail.com Web: <https://www.kingstonchessrapidplay.co.uk> [MAP]

Three sections FIDE-rated and ECF graded. GROUP A – OPEN; GROUP B – ECF UNDER 160 (FIDE 1900); GROUP C – ECF UNDER 120 (FIDE 1600). 25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds a move throughout



**English Chess Challenge Qualifier @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey****Jan 25 @ 10:45 am – 6:00 pm**Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Junior%20Home%20Page/ECC_Qual_info.htm [MAP]

7 round Open tournament for players Under 18 @ 31 August 2019. Qualification event for the later stages of the 2020 English Chess Challenge

**1st Potters Bar Junior Chess Tournament – Series 2 @ Kingshott School, Stevenage Road, Hitchin****Jan 25 @ 11:45 am – 6:00 pm**Contact: Tony Corfe Email: tony@mrcorfe.co.uk [MAP]Local coaching event with graded and ungraded sections. For graded players and those new to competitive chess | [Entry form](#)

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2020**Norfolk Rapidplay Congress 2020 @ Roxley Hall, Yarmouth Road, Thorpe St Andrew, Norwich****Jan 26 @ 9:30 am – 6:15 pm**Contact: John Wickham Email: j.r.wickham@btinternet.com [MAP]6 round Swiss, 3 sections – Championship, Challengers (U140), & U100. Limited to 60 entrants | [Entry form](#)**34th Stockport Rapidplay Congress @ Guildhall, 169 Wellington Road South, Stockport****Jan 26 @ 10:00 am – 6:30 pm**Contact: Gareth Griffiths Email: rapidplay@stockportchessclub.org Web: <http://www.stockportchessclub.org/rapidplay.html> [MAP]6 round Swiss tournament with 4 sections – Open (open to all), Major (U170), Intermediate (U140), Minor (U110). Prizes in each section £140, £90, £40 and £40 grading prizes. Veteran and Junior prizes and Stockport League trophies in Major, Intermediate and Minor sections | [Entry form](#)

Coventry Chess Club Rapidplay @ Massey Ferguson Social Club Broad Lane Coventry

Jan 26 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Ed Goodwin Email: edhgoodwin@gmail.com [MAP]

Rapidplay event – Open, U145 and U110 sections. 6 rounds. All moves in 20 minutes plus 10 second increment

**North East League Round 3 @ Gosforth Empire Club & Institute, 32 Salters Road, Gosforth, Newcastle upon Tyne**

Jan 26 @ 2:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk> [MAP]

6 teams of 5 players each. The League will be all-play-all. Five rounds, each on a Sunday from October to February. Matches start 2:30pm, finish 6:30pm. Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members) Teams will receive a total of 1 extra bonus game point per match if they include a minimum of a) 1 junior player under 18 years old; and additionally b) one male and one female player. (Each category will give 0.5 bonus points) The winning team will be awarded a trophy and receive medals, and there will be medals for the best individual performances | Entry form



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Fri
2020**Frodsham Chess Congress @ Frodsham Community Centre Frodsham**

Jan 31 @ 7:00 pm – Feb 2 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Paul Jones Email: jitsujones@yahoo.co.uk [MAP]

5-round standard play tournament with Minor, Intermediate and Major sections, with Fischer time controls. Each player will have 110 minutes with the addition of 10 seconds for each move made



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2020**43rd Annual Kidlington Chess Tournament @ Exeter Hall, Oxford Road, Kidlington**

Feb 1 @ 9:30 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Gerard O'Reilly Email: gerard@kidlingtonchess.org.uk Web: <https://kidlingtonchess.org.uk/> [MAP]

4 sections – Open, U180, U145, U120. 5 rounds. Prize fund £2200+



1st First Weekend Chess @ St. Stephen's Indian Orthodox Church Brays Road Birmingham

Feb 1 @ 10:00 am – Feb 2 @ 4:30 pm

Contact: Ravi Sandhu Email: firstweekendchess@gmail.com Web: <https://www.firstweekendchess.org.uk/entry-form/> [MAP]
 First Weekend Chess in Birmingham every quarter

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2020**Rothay Manor @ Rothay Manor Hotel Rothay Road Ambleside**

Feb 2 – Feb 7 all-day

Contact: Peter Sinclair Email: peter@rothaymanor.co.uk Web: <http://www.rothaymanor.co.uk> [MAP]

5 night residential chess holiday/course in Ambleside, Cumbria with tutor Winston Williams. The 5 day event will include a combination of seminars, lectures and presentations, as well as simultaneous display, tournament league play and rapid-play. The event is designed for club level players and improving regular players looking to improve their chess knowledge and ability.

Breakfast, afternoon tea and biscuits and dinner are included each day.

Contact hotel direct on 015394 33605 to book your place



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Sat
2020**4NCL Weekend 3 | Rounds 5-6**

Feb 8 – Feb 9 all-day

Divisions 1 & 2 Mercure Daventry Court

Divisions 3 South & 4 South Holiday Inn Maidenhead/Windsor

Division 3 North Mercure Bolton Georgian House

PRO University Chess League Playoff @ TBA, UCL Bloomsbury Campus, London

Feb 8 all-day



Contact: Dylan Mize Email: dylanmize@gmail.com Web: <http://prounichessleague.co.uk>

PUCL is the UK's first intercollegiate team rapid event. Fixtures are played between teams of 4 students from the same uni, in an all-play-all format, once a month during the academic year. All matches will be hosted at a venue on UCL's Bloomsbury campus. All relevant tournament information can be found on our website. To Enter a team from your uni, follow the "signup" link from the homepage – prounichessleague.co.uk | Flyer

EPSCA Rapidplay @ Broadgreen International School Helier Road Liverpool

Feb 8 @ 10:30 am – 5:30 pm

Contact: Julian Clissold Email: julian.clissold@outlook.com Web: <http://www.epzca.org.uk/> [MAP]

Junior tournament, Under 8, 9, 10, 11 – all with A and B sections. Swiss tournament. Rapidplay time controls – all moves in 20 minutes plus 5 second increment. Book stall and refreshments | Entry form



Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Feb 8 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



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Bristol Winter Congress & 88th Bristol League Championship @ Bristol Grammar School (BGS) University Road, Bristol

Feb 14 @ 6:45 pm – Feb 16 @ 8:00 pm

Contact: Igor Dokleštic Email: chessinbristol@gmail.com Web: <http://www.bristolcongress.co.uk> [MAP]

5 round Swiss tournament with three sections – Open (FIDE rated), Major (U160), Minor (U120). Prizes in all sections. Central Bristol venue. Further information and entry form on the Congress website | Entry form



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Junior 4NCL Weekend 3 @ Mercure Daventry Court Hotel and Spa

Feb 15 – Feb 16 all-day

[MAP] Entry guidelines and further information are here

Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Feb 15 @ 10:30 am – Feb 16 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



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Exchange Chess Tournament @ St Michael & All Angels Church, The Drift, Martlesham Heath

Feb 16 @ 12:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Dagne Ciuksyte Email: mjchessclub@gmail.com Web: <http://www.dagnechess.co.uk> [MAP]

6 round Swiss Team (2 players) fun chess tournament | Entry form



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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

Feb 18 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]

2020

Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



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2020**Doncaster Congress 2020 @ Hall Cross School, Thorne Road, Doncaster**

Feb 21 @ 7:00 pm – Feb 23 @ 6:30 pm

Contact: Peter Ackley Email: peterackley@hotmail.com Web: <https://mannchess.org.uk/doncong.htm> [MAP]
4 sections – Open, U171, U146, U125. Prizes each section – 1st £300, 2nd £150, 3rd £100, plus 3 grading prizes of £25.
Open section incorporates Yorkshire Championship. ECF graded

Warwickshire Open Chess Championships @ Alan Higgs Centre Allard Way Coventry

Feb 21 @ 7:00 pm – Feb 23 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Ed Goodwin Email: edhgoodwin@gmail.com Web: <http://congress.warwickshirechess.org/> [MAP]
5 round slowplay. Open, Under 1975, FIDE-rated and ECF graded. Under 140 and U110 sections ECF graded



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2020**4th Newham Community Chess Congress @ TBA**

Feb 22 @ 10:00 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Richard Harding Email: info@chessinschools.co.uk Web: <http://www.chessinschools.co.uk/>
This tournament is held in partnership between Newham Council and Chess in Schools and Communities. The event will have 4 sections – Open (open to all); Major/Under 160; Minor/Under 120; Challengers/Under 80 or for the 'new to chess' player ...

Northern Junior Championship @ Abbey Gate College, Saughton Grange, Saughton, Chester

Feb 22 @ 10:00 am – Feb 23 @ 5:00 pm

Contact: Julian Clissold Email: julian.clissold@outlook.com [MAP]
Northern Junior Championship. Sections from Under 7 to Under 18. Standard play. Prizes for top three male and female players | Entry form



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2020**North East League Round 4 @ Forest Hall Ex-Servicemen's Institute, 26 Crescent Way North, Newcastle upon Tyne**

Feb 23 @ 2:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk> [MAP]
6 teams of 5 players each. The League will be all-play-all. Five rounds, each on a Sunday from October to February. Matches start 2:30pm, finish 6:30pm. Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members) Teams will receive a total of 1 extra bonus game point per match if they include a minimum of a) 1 junior player under 18 years old; and additionally b) one male and one female player. (Each category will give 0.5 bonus points) The winning team will be awarded a trophy and receive

medals, and there will be medals for the best individual performances | [Entry form](#)



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4NCL Weekend 1 | Rounds 1-2

Feb 29 – Mar 1 all-day

Divisions 1 & 2 Mercure Daventry Court

Kingston Rapidplay @ Richard Mayo Centre Kingston United Reformed Church Eden Street Kingston

Feb 29 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Edward Mospan Email: kingstonchessrapidplay@gmail.com Web: <https://www.kingstonchessrapidplay.co.uk> [MAP]

Three sections FIDE-rated and ECF graded. GROUP A – OPEN; GROUP B – ECF UNDER 160 (FIDE 1900); GROUP C – ECF UNDER 120 (FIDE 1600). 25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds a move throughout



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45th East Devon Chess Congress @ Exeter Corn Exchange, Market Street, Exeter

Mar 6 @ 6:45 pm – Mar 8 @ 7:30 pm

Contact: Tim Paulden Email: timpaulden@gmail.com Web: <http://www.eastdevonchesscongress.com> [MAP]

One of the most popular Congresses in the South West, hosted at an excellent venue in Exeter City Centre, close to railway stations, car parks, and accommodation. We are returning to our usual 3-day format! The tournament leaflet and online entry form will be released during Summer 2019, and will be made available via our website



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PRO University Chess League Playoff @ TBA, UCL Bloomsbury Campus, London

Mar 7 all-day



Contact: Dylan Mize Email: dylanmize@gmail.com Web: <http://prounichessleague.co.uk>

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EACU Closed Individual Championships @ Whittlesford Memorial Hall Mill Lane Whittlesford

Mar 7 @ 9:30 am – Mar 8 @ 6:30 pm

Contact: Richard Freeman Email: richard@fcasolutions.co.uk [MAP]

This is a Closed Championship, and only East Anglian Chess Union players are eligible to enter. It will be a five round Swiss tournament with three sections – Open, U170 and U130 – and will include the EACU Junior Championships in each section as well. The winner of the Open section will be the EACU Open Champion, and will qualify for a place in the 2020 British Championship. The entry form will be available in late 2019, but if you have any queries before then, please contact Richard Freeman



Girls' Junior Chess Day @ Wakefield Girl's High School, Mulberry House, Margaret Street, Wakefield

Mar 7 @ 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Contact: Peter Cloudsdale Email: cloudsdale_c@hotmail.co.uk Web: <http://www.whiterosejuniorchessacademy> [MAP]

A mixture of chess training and games for all levels of ability with adult training for parents. We will hold two sections – for beginners and more advanced | Entry form



Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Mar 7 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



English Primary Schools' Chess Association U11 Zones @ TBA

Mar 7 @ 11:45 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://www.epsca.org.uk/>

Three zones qualifying for the final on 28th March 2020 for associations affiliated to EPSCA

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44th Blackpool Chess Conference @ The Imperial Hotel Blackpool North Promenade Blackpool

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Mar 13 @ 6:45 pm – Mar 15 @ 6:15 pm

Contact: Bill O'Rourke Email: blackpoolchessconference@virginmedia.com Web: <http://www.blackpoolchess.org.uk> [MAP]

£6700 in prizes. Five sections – Lancashire Open, The Imperial Major (U181), The Intermediate (U155), The Minor (U135) & The Standard (U115) | Live games at <http://www.blackpoolchess.org.uk>



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Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Mar 14 @ 10:30 am – Mar 15 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



English Primary Schools' Chess Association U9 Zones @ TBA

Mar 14 @ 11:45 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://www.epsca.org.uk/>
Three zones qualifying for the final on 25th April 2020 for associations affiliated to EPSCA

Champions' League Chess Surrey & East Sussex Zone – 2nd Leg @ Chipstead Valley Primary School Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Mar 14 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2020-03-14_CLC_SE.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 2nd Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



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Champions' League Chess Surrey West & Hampshire Zone – 2nd Leg @ Wimbledon Park Primary School Havana Road Wimbledon

Mar 15 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2020-03-15_CLC_SW.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 2nd Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

Mar 17 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



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45th Nottingham Congress @ Nottingham High School, Waverley Mount, Nottingham

Mar 21 @ 10:00 am – Mar 22 @ 5:45 pm

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Contact Robert Richmond Email: Robrchmnd@aol.com Web: <http://NottsChess.org> [MAP]
Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs. OPEN 1st £750, 2nd £400



Kingston Rapidplay @ Richard Mayo Centre Kingston United Reformed Church Eden Street Kingston

Mar 21 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Edward Mospan Email: kingstonchessrapidplay@gmail.com Web: <https://www.kingstonchessrapidplay.co.uk> [MAP]

Three sections FIDE-rated and ECF graded. GROUP A – OPEN; GROUP B – ECF UNDER 160 (FIDE 1900); GROUP C – ECF UNDER 120 (FIDE 1600). 25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds a move throughout



English Primary Schools' Chess Association U11 Girls Final @ Cheney School, Cheney Lane, Oxford

Mar 21 @ 11:45 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://www.epsca.org.uk/> [MAP]

For associations affiliated to EPSCA

MAR

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North East League Round 5 @ Leam Lane WMC, Fewster Square, Leam Lane, Gateshead TBC

Mar 22 @ 2:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk> [MAP]

6 teams of 5 players each. The League will be all-play-all. Five rounds, each on a Sunday from October to February. Matches start 2:30pm, finish 6:30pm. Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members) Teams will receive a total of 1 extra bonus game point per match if they include a minimum of a) 1 junior player under 18 years old; and additionally b) one male and one female player. (Each category will give 0.5 bonus points) The winning team will be awarded a trophy and receive medals, and there will be medals for the best individual performances | [Entry form](#)



MAR

28

Sat
2020

4NCL Weekend 4 | Rounds 7-8

Mar 28 – Mar 29 all-day

Divisions 1 & 2 Mercure Daventry Court

Division 3 North Holiday Inn South Normanton

English Primary Schools' Chess Association U11 Final @ Grace Academy, Chapelhouse Road, Solihull

Mar 28 @ 11:45 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://www.epsca.org.uk/> [MAP]

For associations affiliated to EPSCA qualifying from three zones held 14/3/20

Champions' League Chess Kent Zone – 2nd Leg @ Unicorn Primary School Creswell Drive Beckenham

Mar 28 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2020-03-28_CLC_K.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 2nd Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



MAR

29

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Champions' League Chess Middlesex & the Rest Zone – 2nd Leg @ Unicorn Primary School Creswell Drive Beckenham

Mar 29 @ 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2019-11-17_CLC_M.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE-rated & ECF graded) Team tournament. This is the 2nd Leg of 2 rounds of qualifying for the Summer Term Final



APR

4

Sat
2020

4NCL Weekend 4 | Rounds 7-8

Apr 4 – Apr 5 all-day

Divisions 3 South & 4 South Mercure Daventry Court

ECF National Schools Girls' Finals @ St Catherine's School, Station Road, Bramley

Apr 4 – Apr 5 all-day

Contact: Andrew Martin Email: a.martin2007@yahoo.co.uk [MAP]

Finals – all play all sections of eight teams. U19 and U11 sections



APR

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Fri
2020

CCF Easter LP Congress @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Apr 10 @ 10:00 am – Apr 11 @ 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Adult%20Competitions/Longplays_Easter.htm [MAP]

5 round FIDE rated & ECF graded long play congress over 4 sections



APR

13

Mon

2020

CCF Easter Rapid Play @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Apr 13 @ 10:15 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Adult%20Competitions/Rapidplay_Easter.html [MAP]

Rapidplay with an Open section plus as many rated sections as numbers (and the grades and ratings of the players) reasonably allow



APR

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Wed

2020

3rd Junior Chess Coaching Event @ St Michael & All Angels Church, The Drift, Martlesham Heath

Apr 15 @ 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Contact: Dagne Ciuksyte Email: mjchessclub@gmail.com Web: <http://www.dagnechess.co.uk> [MAP]

Coaching event for juniors. 2 groups – novices and intermediates | Entry form

**CCF Daytime Chess Summer 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Apr 15 @ 2:00 pm

Contact: Scott Freeman Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubSeniorsIndex.htm> [MAP]

Wednesday 15th April 2020 to Wednesday 15th July 2020 from 2:00pm to 6:00pm. Results will be submitted monthly to FIDE @ the ECF. An Open FIDE-rated LP competition for any available players, primarily set up to accommodate retired players. It gives a chance to have competitive FIDE-rated chess at a time of day that older players hope to have more energy for!



APR

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Sat

2020

38th St. Albans Chess Congress @ St.Columba's College, King Harry Lane, St.Albans

Apr 18 @ 10:00 am – Apr 19 @ 6:30 pm

Contact: Terry Douse Email: stalbanscongress@yahoo.co.uk Web: <http://www.stalbanscongress.com> [MAP]

Prize fund £3500. 5 playing sections. Large playing hall. Ample free parking. Hot and cold food available. Close to the M1 + M25



APR
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Sun
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North East Individual Championships @ Forest Hall Ex-Servicemen's Institute, 26 Crescent Way North, Newcastle upon Tyne

Apr 19 @ 10:30 am – 7:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk/> [MAP]

Three 6-round Swiss tournaments – Open, Major (Under 1975 FIDE / 170 ECF), Minor (Under 1700 FIDE / 140 ECF). Open to all players born in, or resident in, Northumberland, Tyne & Wear, Durham and Cleveland. Rounds to be played at the same venue on 3 Sundays in Spring 2020, 2 rounds per day. Round times: 10:30am-2:30pm, 3:30pm-7:30pm.

Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members). There will be a combination of cash and non-cash prizes, to be announced in June 2019.

The winner of each section will additionally be awarded a trophy and receive a medal. There will be additional prizes for Best Rating Performance (compared to published grade/rating), Best Junior (Under 18) and Best Female Player in each tournament | [Entry form](#)



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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

Apr 21 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]

Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



APR
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Sat
2020

Great Yarmouth Chess Congress @ Great Yarmouth Racecourse Jellicoe Road, Great Yarmouth

Apr 25 @ 9:30 am – Apr 26 @ 6:45 pm

Contact: John Wickham Email: j.r.wickham@btinternet.com [MAP]

5 rounds Swiss, 4 sections – Open, U170, U145, U120. Entry form to be released in October



Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Apr 25 @ 10:30 am – Apr 26 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



**English Primary Schools' Chess Association U9 Final @ TBA**

Apr 25 @ 11:45 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Nigel Dennis Email: nigelwdennis@btinternet.com Web: <https://www.epsca.org.uk/>
 For associations affiliated to EPSCA qualifying from three zones held 7/3/20

APR

30Thu
2020**English Seniors Championships @ Holiday Inn 212 Abbey End Kenilworth Warwickshire**

Apr 30 @ 3:00 pm – May 3 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Ed Goodwin Email: edgoodwin@gmail.com Web: <https://www.englishchess.org.uk/english-seniors-championships/> [MAP]

Two sections for players aged 50 or over and 65 or over. 7 rounds. ECF graded and FIDE rated



MAY

1Fri
2020**Durham County Chess Congress @ Mercure Darlington, Kings Hotel, 1 Priestgate, Darlington**

May 1 @ 7:30 pm – May 3 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Mick Riding Email: mickriding@hotmail.co.uk [MAP]

Open, Major and Minor events. £2100 prize money guaranteed. To enter online – <https://durhamchesscongress.co.uk>
 Very accessible location and excellent four star premises – <https://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-8911-mercure-darlington-kings-hotel/index.shtml> | Entry form



MAY

2Sat
2020**1st First Weekend Chess @ St. Stephen's Indian Orthodox Church Brays Road Birmingham**

May 2 @ 10:00 am – May 3 @ 4:30 pm

Contact: Ravi Sandhu Email: firstweekendchess@gmail.com Web: <https://www.firstweekendchess.org.uk/entry-form/> [MAP]

First Weekend Chess in Birmingham every quarter

**Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London**

May 2 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80

SCCU U185 and U150 Jamborees @ London TBC

May 2 @ 2:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Tim Thurstan Email: thurstan33@tiscali.co.uk
A revival of the end of season SCCU jamboree

MAY
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Fri
2020

4NCL Weekend 5 | Rounds 9-11

May 8 – May 10 all-day

Divisions 1 & 2 Telford, The Centre Hotel

Divisions 3 South & 4 South Mercure Daventry Court

Division 3 North Holiday Inn Doncaster

Champions' League Chess Finals @ Chipstead Valley Primary School Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

May 8 @ 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Results/2020-05-08_CLC_Final.htm [MAP]

Primary School (FIDE Rated & ECF Graded) Team Finals



54th Rhyll Congress @ Town Hall Wellington Road Rhyll

May 8 @ 7:00 pm – May 10 @ 6:30 pm

Contact: Stuart Hamilton Email: stuarthamilton41@yahoo.com [MAP]

A 5 round Swiss-style event



MAY
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Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

May 16 @ 10:30 am – May 17 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



MAY
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Sun
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North East Individual Championships @ Forest Hall Ex-Servicemen's Institute, 26 Crescent Way North, Newcastle upon Tyne

May 17 @ 10:30 am – 7:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk/> [MAP]

Three 6-round Swiss tournaments – Open, Major (Under 1975 FIDE / 170 ECF), Minor (Under 1700 FIDE / 140 ECF). Open to all players born in, or resident in, Northumberland, Tyne & Wear, Durham and Cleveland. Rounds to be played at the same venue on 3 Sundays in Spring 2020, 2 rounds per day. Round times: 10:30am-2:30pm, 3:30pm-

7:30pm.

Time limit: All moves in 90 minutes, plus 30 seconds increment per move. All games will be FIDE-rated (Players will need to be ECF Gold members). There will be a combination of cash and non-cash prizes, to be announced in June 2019.

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Entry form



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Tue
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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

May 19 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



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CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jun 1 @ 7:30 pm – 11:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



JUN

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Fri
2020

3rd EACU FIDE-rated Newmarket Congress @ King Edward VII Memorial Hall High Street Newmarket Suffolk

Jun 5 @ 7:00 pm – Jun 7 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Richard Freeman Email: richard@fcasolutions.co.uk [MAP]

Our annual Newmarket Congress, with three sections, two of which (Open and U1975/U170) will be FIDE-rated this year. The entry form will be available in late 2019. Any questions before then, please contact Richard Freeman



JUN

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Sat
2020

Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Jun 6 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



JUN
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Sun
2020

Champions' League Chess – Infants' Event @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jun 7 @ 1:30 pm – 6:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <http://www.championsleaguechess.com>

[/season2019-2020.htm](#) [MAP]

Infant School (ECF Graded) Team Finals



JUN
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2020

CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jun 8 @ 7:30 pm – 11:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

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7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



JUN
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Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Jun 13 @ 10:30 am – Jun 14 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]

5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



JUN
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Sun
2020

North East Individual Championships @ Forest Hall Ex-Servicemen's Institute, 26 Crescent Way North, Newcastle upon Tyne

Jun 14 @ 10:30 am – 7:30 pm

Contact: Tim Wall Email: timpeterwall@gmail.com Web: <http://foresthallchess.org.uk/> [MAP]

Three 6-round Swiss tournaments – Open, Major (Under 1975 FIDE / 170 ECF), Minor (Under 1700 FIDE / 140 ECF). Open to all players born in, or resident in, Northumberland, Tyne & Wear, Durham and Cleveland. Rounds to be played at the same venue on 3 Sundays in Spring 2020, 2 rounds per day. Round times: 10:30am-2:30pm, 3:30pm-7:30pm.

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4 Way Chess Tournament @ St Michael & All Angels Church, The Drift, Martlesham Heath

Jun 14 @ 12:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Dagne Ciuksyte Email: mjchessclub@gmail.com Web: <http://www.dagnechess.co.uk> [MAP]

'4 Way Chess' is a fun version of standard chess played on a special chessboard by four players. Normal chess rules apply | Entry form



JUN

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Mon
2020**CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Jun 15 @ 7:30 pm – 11:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

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JUN

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Tue
2020**Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London**

Jun 16 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]

Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



JUN

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Sat
2020**English Chess Challenge Semi-Final @ Chipstead Valley Primary School Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Jun 20 @ 11:00 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <http://www.englishchesschallenge.co.uk/> [MAP]

Age group (and gender specific) semi-finals for primary school aged players who have qualified from the opening round of the 2020 English Chess Challenge



JUN

22

Mon
2020**CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Jun 22 @ 7:30 pm – 11:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



JUN
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CCF Summer Rapid Play @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

Jun 27 @ 10:15 am – 6:30 pm

Contact: Daniel GLiddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/Adult%20Competitions/Rapidplay_Summer.html [MAP]

Rapidplay with an Open section plus as many rated sections as numbers (and the grades and ratings of the players) reasonably allow



Kingston Rapidplay @ Richard Mayo Centre Kingston United Reformed Church Eden Street Kingston

Jun 27 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Edward Mospan Email: kingstonchessrapidplay@gmail.com Web: <https://www.kingstonchessrapidplay.co.uk> [MAP]

Three sections FIDE-rated and ECF graded. GROUP A – OPEN; GROUP B – ECF UNDER 160 (FIDE 1900); GROUP C – ECF UNDER 120 (FIDE 1600). 25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds a move throughout



JUN
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English Chess Challenge Semi-Final @ Unicorn Primary School Creswell Drive Beckenham

Jun 28 @ 11:00 am – 5:00 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <http://www.englishchesschallenge.co.uk/> [MAP]

Age group (and gender specific) semi-finals for primary school aged players who have qualified from the opening round of the 2020 English Chess Challenge



JUN
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CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey

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Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



JUL

4

Sat
2020**Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London**

Jul 4 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
 Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



JUL

5

Sun
2020**9th Martlesham Heath Chess Open @ St Michael & All Angels Church The Drift Martlesham Heath Suffolk**

Jul 5 @ 12:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Contact: Dagne Ciuksyte Email: mjchessclub@gmail.com [MAP]
 6 round Swiss. Two sections: Open & Junior only U60 | Entry form



JUL

6

Mon
2020**CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

Jul 6 @ 7:30 pm – 11:45 pm

Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



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2020**CCF Cup 2020 @ 84-90 Chipstead Valley Road Coulsdon Surrey**

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Contact: Daniel Gliddon Email: chess@ccfworld.com Web: <https://www.ccfworld.com/Chess/ChessClubHome/ChessClubIndex.htm> [MAP]

7 round FIDE-rated & ECF graded Monday evening club (but open to all) tournaments – players split into 5 rated/graded sections (strict) with 1 game per week over 7 consecutive Mondays from the start of June



JUL

14

Tue
2020**Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London**

Jul 14 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
 Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



JUL
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Fri
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British Chess Championships @ Riviera Centre, Torquay

Jul 17 – Jul 31 all-day

[MAP] Web: <https://www.britishchesschampionships.co.uk/>

JUL
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Kingston Rapidplay @ Richard Mayo Centre Kingston United Reformed Church Eden Street Kingston

Jul 25 @ 10:30 am – 6:00 pm

Contact: Edward Mospan Email: kingstonchessrapidplay@gmail.com Web: <https://www.kingstonchessrapidplay.co.uk> [MAP]

Three sections FIDE-rated and ECF graded. GROUP A – OPEN; GROUP B – ECF UNDER 160 (FIDE 1900); GROUP C – ECF UNDER 120 (FIDE 1600). 25 minutes per player per game, with the addition of 5 seconds a move throughout



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1st First Weekend Chess @ St. Stephen's Indian Orthodox Church Brays Road Birmingham

Aug 1 @ 10:00 am – Aug 2 @ 4:30 pm

Contact: Ravi Sandhu Email: firstweekendchess@gmail.com Web: <https://www.firstweekendchess.org.uk/entry-form/> [MAP]

First Weekend Chess in Birmingham every quarter

AUG
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Sat
2020

Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Aug 8 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



AUG
11
Tue
2020

Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

Aug 11 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



AUG

Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue,

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2020

Hampstead

Aug 15 @ 10:30 am – Aug 16 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



SEP
12
Sat
2020

Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London

Sep 12 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80



SEP
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Fri
2020

Bradford Congress @ Latvian Welfare Club, 5 Clifton Villas, Manningham, Bradford

Sep 18 @ 7:00 pm – Sep 20 @ 6:30 pm



Contact: Bavid Barlow Email: davidbar@blueyonder.co.uk Web: <https://www.bradfordchess.co.uk/> [MAP]
3 sections, 5 rounds – OPEN; MAJOR 170 or below; MINOR 135 or below

SEP
19
Sat
2020

Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Sep 19 @ 10:30 am – Sep 20 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections



SEP
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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

Sep 22 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries





OCT

10Sat
2020**Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London**

Oct 10 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80

OCT

17Sat
2020**Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead**

Oct 17 @ 10:30 am – Oct 18 @ 5:30 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.hampsteadchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections

OCT

20Tue
2020**Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London**

Oct 20 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.muswellhillchess.blogspot.co.uk> [MAP]
Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries

NOV

6Fri
2020**Torbay Chess Congress @ Livermead House Hotel, Seafont, Torquay**

Nov 6 @ 7:00 pm – Nov 8 @ 7:00 pm

Contact: Phil McConnell Email: secretary@torbaycongress.com Web: <http://www.torbaycongress.com> [MAP]
Four sections – Open, U170, U140, U120. Five rounds. Doors open 6.30pm Friday 9th November

NOV

14Sat
2020**Golders Green FIDE Rapid @ St Luke's Church, Kidderpore Avenue, London**

Nov 14 @ 10:30 am – 5:45 pm

Contact: Adam Raoof Email: adamraoof@gmail.com Web: <http://www.goldersgreenchess.blogspot.com> [MAP]
Open; Under 170; Under 145; Under 120; Under 105; Under 80

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Muswell Hill FIDE Rapid @ The Clissold Arms, 105 Fortis Green, London

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Open, Major, Minor sections based on entries



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Hampstead FIDE Chess Congress @ Henderson Court Resource Centre, 102 Fitzjohn's Avenue, Hampstead

Nov 28 @ 10:30 am - Nov 29 @ 5:30 pm

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5 rounds, U2200, U1900 and U1700 sections

