



Waco Scholastic Fall Chess Exposition

November 13, 2021

5 round Swiss (no elimination)-G/30 with 5 sec delay

A first annual event organized and sponsored by **Innovative Chess Solutions**.

Location: Waco Convention Center, 100 Washington Avenue, Waco, TX, 76701

Sections: **Open, U1000, U600 and Unrated.**

Entry fee: \$15 by 9/30; \$20 by 10/15, \$25 by 10/30 and \$30 thereafter. United States Chess Federation membership is required in all sections.

Any scholastic player whose membership is unexpired may participate, regardless of geographic location.

Registration: Entry fee is refundable.* Advance registration may be processed electronically at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2021-waco-scholastic-fall-chess-exposition-tickets-175060359247>

Byes: One ½ bye is available if requested with sufficient notice. The November Supplement will be used.

Prizes: There will be awarded a number of trophies equal to one quartile (25%) of paid registrations that are received by October 26. Medals to all who complete the tournament. A number of teams will receive sets of four plaques each, with one set issued for every sixteen registrations. Schools, homeschool cooperatives and scholastic chess clubs qualify as teams, with the scores of their four highest scoring players across all sections counted for team prizes. Teammates will not be paired against each other.

Blitz: A five round, blitz side-event (G/5;d0) will be offered, with a \$5 entry fee. Three trophies.

Schedule: Round 1, 8:00-9:00; Round 2, 9:30-10:30; Round 3, 11:00am-12:00pm; lunch break; Blitz, 1:00-2:00; Round 4, 2:30-3:30; Round 5, 4:00-5:00. The awards ceremony will commence around 5:30pm.

Notation is required in the Open and U1000. Sections may be merged in the event of low turnout. To receive additional information, email csbrown.entrepreneur@gmail.com

*Eventbrite charges a commission on entry fees it processes which is additional to, and not included with, the entry fee itself and is non-refundable. Refund requests must be processed via Eventbrite and received within thirty days before the commencement of the tournament.