



# 2024 STASER SCHOLASTIC

SUNDAY DECEMBER 8, 2024

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NON-RATED/CAPTURE THE KING: 9AM – 11:30AM

USCF RATED: 12:30PM - 4PM

<b>NON-RATED/CAPTURE THE KING (K-5)</b>	<b>GRADES K-2</b> (9am-11:30am)	<b>GRADES 3-5</b> (9am-11:30am)	
<b>FORMAT:</b> (All Swiss System)	<p><b>USCF Membership:</b> Not req'd. If you do have one, student can only have played in 1 over the board tournament prior.</p> <p><b>3 Rounds</b> (Play each opponent 2 games each for total of 6 games). Touch move, touch capture rules apply.</p> <p><b>Games decided by:</b> checkmate or capturing the opponent's king.</p> <p><b>Round Times:</b> 9am, 9:50am, 10:40AM (Awards after last game is played)</p> <p><b>Trophies:</b> Top 5 in each section; <b>Entry Fee:</b> \$15 before Nov.18, \$20 from Nov 18-Dec 1, \$25 on December 2 or after.</p>		
<b>USCF RATED SECTIONS (K-12)</b>	<b>OPEN</b> (12:30pm-4pm)	<b>UNDER 1000</b> (12:30pm-4pm)	<b>UNDER 500 &amp; UNR</b> (12:30pm-4pm)
<b>FORMAT:</b> (All Swiss System)	<p><b>USCF membership req'd. 4 Rounds:</b> 12:30pm, 1:45pm, 3pm, 4:15pm. <b>Time Control:</b> G/30; d5. <b>Trophies:</b> Top 5 in each section; <b>Entry Fee:</b> \$35 before Nov.18, \$45 from Nov 18-Dec 1, \$55 on December 2 or after.</p>		
<b>ENTRY FEE, REGISTRATION CANCELLATION POLICY:</b>	<p><b>REGISTRATION:</b> Zelle to: <a href="mailto:hanleychessacademy@gmail.com">hanleychessacademy@gmail.com</a>. Please include Grade or USCF ID#. <b>CANCELLATION POLICY:</b> Cancellation of registration is needed by email to <a href="mailto:hanleychessacademy@gmail.com">hanleychessacademy@gmail.com</a>. All money less \$10 will be refunded back to you. Please allow 2-3 days to process. If cancellation is requested on the day of or after the start of the tournament, no refunds are allowed. <b>Your child's name appearing on this "Master List" is your receipt/acceptance of your registration(s).</b></p>		
<b>FOLLOW TOURNAMENT &amp; ADVANCED ENTRIES:</b>	<p>All Current Standings, Pairings, and a Master List of all Registrants will be online at <a href="http://www.swissys.com">www.swissys.com</a>. Please click on "Events", then click on "2024 Staser Scholastic".</p>		
<b>BEHAVIORAL POLICY:</b>	<p>Any player who engages in disreputable conduct during the tournament is subject to immediate removal from tournament and ejection from the playing site without refund. "Disreputable conduct" includes, but is not limited to, any behavior which unnecessarily risks the safety of self or others, damage to John Muir Middle School or Hanley Chess Academy property or tournament site, disrespect of tournament staff, bullying of any kind, and/or disrespect to event site staff. There are no appeals. All decisions are final. Your registration into the tournament signifies your acceptance to this Behavioral Policy and that you are stating you understand all terms.</p>		
<b>QUESTIONS/INFO:</b>	<p>Joe Hanley 714-925-3195 or <a href="mailto:hanleychessacademy@gmail.com">hanleychessacademy@gmail.com</a> Kevin Bulone 818-489-3163. Thank you and we look forward to seeing you on December 8.</p>		