

34th Paul Keres Memorial Chess Tournament



- Dates** Friday, May 15 to Monday, May 18, 2009
- Location** Spratt Shaw Community College
1176 8th Ave, New Westminster BC
- Sections** Open, Under 2000, Under 1600
- Time Control** Game/90 + 60 second increment or game/150
- Rounds** Open: 7 Rounds; U2000, U1600: 6 Rounds
- Round Times** Fri 6:30 (Open Section only); Sat 10:00, 5:00 Sunday 10:00, 3:30 Monday 9:00 ASAP
- Prizes** **\$1,000 first prize guaranteed in the Open. \$500 for second.**
\$600 first place prize in U2000 guaranteed.
\$400 first place prize in U1600 guaranteed.
The rest of prizes are based on entries.
Unrated players may play in any section, but are only eligible for prizes if they play in the Open section. Unrated players who place in the other sections will have their entry fee returned.
- Entry Fees** (Open / U2000 / U1600)
Before or on March 28, 2009 \$110 / \$95 / \$80
Before or on May 1, 2009 \$130 / \$110 / \$90
At site \$150 / \$125 / \$100
- Discounts** Born after May 18, 1989: 50% (proof of date of birth required)
Born before May 18, 1944: 50% (proof of date of birth required)
FIDE rated players w/o Titles 25%
FIDE Titled Players Free entry
- Surcharge** \$25 extra for those players rated under 2000 who wish to play in the Open.
- Registration** Online registration and payment at www.JuniorChess.ca
or by mail to BC Junior Chess, 1689 141a St, Surrey V4A 8K2.
Make cheques payable to Chess for Children
- On-site** Open Section: Friday, May 15, 6:00 to 6:25 pm
U2000 and U1600: Friday, May 15, 6:30 to 7:00 pm
Saturday, May 16, 8:30 to 9:30 am
- Miscellaneous** CFC rated, Open Section also FIDE rated.
CFC/BCCF membership required.
Half-point byes may be requested for all but the last round.
Sets and boards provided, **please bring clocks.**
- The **BCCF Annual General Meeting** will be held between rounds on Saturday, May 16th
- Contact** Ken Jensen ChessBC@shaw.ca (604) 728-7491