

2008 Texas Elementary Championships
March 8-9, 2008. Blitz on March 7.
Hilton Americas, 1600 Lamar, Houston TX 77010

Hotel Rates: \$104-\$104-\$104-\$104, 800-774-1500, mention Dallas Chess Club by 2/19/08 or rate may increase. First Hotel Night deposit is required.

Open to Texas residents and schools. USCF membership required. See www.swchess.com for special TCA rules for participation. 7 Round Swiss System, no elimination. This tournament will use the February Supplement. Entry Fee: \$36 by 2/22/08, \$58 thereafter. Don't mail after 2/25 as entry may not be received. Make Checks Payable to Dallas Chess Club. One check can be sent for multiple entries. Send entries to Barbara Swafford, 2709 Longhorn Trail, Crowley TX 76036

Entries must include name, USCF ID or new/pending (include a copy of the receipt), rating, USCF expiration date & school. All incomplete registrations will be charged the late EF, additionally there will be a \$5 per player surcharge on registration received without payment, these players could possibly not be paired for round 1 and not be paired until payment is received.

Refunds will be given only up to 2/27 with a \$10 surcharge for withdrawing, after 2/27 there will be no refunds. There will be no substitution of team members. There will be a \$10 change fee for changes after 3/1. No registration/changes/or withdrawals after 3/5/08. After that date you must make changes at site (Hilton Americas).

Info: Barbara Swafford, info@dallaschess.com, 214.632.9000. Registration/Check In: Friday 7-9 pm, Saturday 7-7:45 am. Saturday registrants may receive a 1st round 1/2 point Bye. Sections changes after 7:30 am on Saturday may receive 1/2 pt. bye. One 1/2 point bye allowed if requested by the end of round 2.

Three Sections (Note that a player must be in elementary school to play in this section. Most private school 6th graders and all home schooled 6th graders must play in the Middle School Sections. See www.swchess.com for more rules):

Elementary Championship (Grades K-5/6) Rds 1-4 G/45, Rds 5-7 G/60.

Elementary JV (Grades K-5/6 with ratings under 800.) Rds 1-4 G/40, Rds 5-7 G/55.

Elementary Novice (Grades K-5/6 with ratings under 500.) Rds 1-4 G/30, Rds 5-7 G/45.

Round Times / Time Controls							
	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6	Round 7
	Sat 9:30 am	Sat 12:05pm	Sat 2:25pm	Sat 4:40pm	Sun. 9:30 am	Sun 12:35pm	Sun 3:15 pm
Elem Champ	Game/45	Game/45	Game/45	Game/45	Game/60	Game/60	Game/60
Elem J V	Game/40	Game/40	Game/40	Game/40	Game/55	Game/55	Game/55
Elem Novice	Game/30	Game/30	Game/30	Game/30	Game/45	Game/45	Game/45

Each Section: \$\$ Trophies to top 20 individuals, honorable mention awards to plus scores that do not win trophy and medals for those who finish the tournament; Top 20 Teams. (Team scores will consist of the four highest scores from a school. At least two players required on a team to qualify for a team trophy.)

Texas Scholastic Elementary School Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St. TX Zip: _____

School: _____ DOB: _____

School Location: _____ Grade: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

USCF id: _____ Rating: _____

USCF Expiration Date: _____ Ratings from Feb Supplement

Section: Championship JV(U800) Novice (U500)

Circle rd bye is needed, one allowed: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

_____ Entry Fee: (\$36 by 2/22/08, else \$58)

_____ USCF (if nonmember. This is required! U25 = \$25,
U15 = \$19, U12 = \$17.)

_____ Blitz tournament, Friday 3/7 @ 8:35 pm (\$10).
 K-12 Blitz K-6 Blitz

_____ TCA (Student \$8.50 Please Join. Note that a TCA tournament
memberships is included with the Entry Fee.)

_____ Total _____ Make Check to/ Mail to: Dallas Chess Club,
2709 Longhorn Trail, Crowley, TX 76036