



# Queen's Element Chess Tournament

Saturday, February 10, 2018

**Marie Curie STEM Elementary School**

715 North California Avenue

Pasco, WA 99301

Come join us at for our third annual Queen's Element Chess Tournament. This is a K-6 tournament. Individual trophies and team trophies will be awarded and will be dependent on number of participants per grade level or section with minimum of 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> place presented per grade level or section. There will be U800 and Open divisions per grade level or section, depending on number of participants.

**Each participant will play five rounds** using the Swiss Sys pairing system (O, C, S tiebreaks). It is unfair and disrespectful to all involved (tournament staff and students) if participants are selective of which rounds to compete.

## FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SITE!

PSD student registration is free as this is a PSD chess sponsored event, but still register early through your PSD School's chess club coach as there is limited space!

Entry fee is \$12 postmarked by January 26, 2018.

The entry fee increases to \$15 January 27 - February 2, 2018.

After February 2, the entry fee is \$20/player for late registration.

However, we expect registration will fill and close so please register early and pay timely.

(Note: Online Registration Closes when full (**only 200 K-6 players**) or on February 8, 3:00 pm PST

**PLEASE ATTACH PAYMENT WITH THIS REGISTRATION!!**

**OR**

Go online to [www.chesschampions.org](http://www.chesschampions.org) click on "New Registration" next to the tournament event listing to register online which will also feature **text messaging pairings**.

**The schedule is:** 8:00 a.m. – Check-in Opens 8:30 a.m. – Check-in Closes 8:45 a.m. – Tournament Rules  
9:15 a.m. – 1st round; 10:30 a.m. or earlier – 2nd round; 11:45 a.m. or earlier – 3rd round;  
1:00 p.m. or earlier – Fourth round; 2:15 p.m. or earlier – Fifth round.

Expect the trophy presentations to conclude by 4:00pm, provided there are no delays.

Please contact district co-coordinator for more information:	Edith Lau (Marie Curie STEM ES) <a href="mailto:elau@psd1.org">elau@psd1.org</a> 509-416-7810, ext. 5856
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**Please complete the following information and submit with payment:**

Please visit [www.chesschampions.org](http://www.chesschampions.org) for registration information click on "Registration". **PSD students please register through your school's chess club coach.** If you need to mail in payment, our preference is that you still register online and send your check to the following address:

Curie STEM ASB  
Attn: Chess Club  
715 N. California Ave.  
Pasco WA 99301

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Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_  
School: \_\_\_\_\_ First Tournament: Yes / No  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Chess Rating: \_\_\_\_\_ If chess rating is under 800, is student interested playing in the Open section? Yes / No  
[All students above 800 rating will automatically play in the Open section.]

Are you interested in receiving text message pairings during this tournament? Yes / No If yes, what phone number will be receiving the text? \_\_\_\_\_ Who is the service provider? \_\_\_\_\_