

The **THRILL** of **VICTORY**. The **AGONY** of **DEFEAT**.

Test your mettle... at Quads!

What: 3 rounds of competitive chess; 'Quads' are a mini 'round robin' chess tournament, with players ranked by rating, divided into groups of four with each challenging the other players in their 'quad' (four player group, hence three rounds). This offers more equitable competition and practical tournament preparation, are a truer test of one's ability. It's not just for scholastic players, but coaches & parents as well!

Where: Liberty Christian School; 2200 Williams Blvd., Richland

When: 5:00-8:00pm (please show by 4:45 to play) on the following dates:

February 16th, March 23rd, April 13th & 20th

Registration closes **at 3pm** day of Quads. If you register, please honor your commitment and attend **all three rounds**. **IF** a player cannot attend, please notify Gregg as soon as possible (and definitely by 3:00pm!). No-shows without prior notification may be persona non grata for future events...

How Long: the games are G30, or 'game in 30 minutes', just like regular scholastic tournaments (~1 hour per round)

Cost: \$10 per player per event; \$30 for all four dates for one player. Make checks to 'Liberty Chess Team'.

- * Parents and coaches encouraged to play also
- * Games are NWSRS rated
- * Medals will be awarded to all players 18 years old and under winning their quad. Ties are settled by 5 minute blitz-off.
- * Tournament coordinator is NOT responsible for players outside of the room; parent/guardian attendance required for players under 13 years old.
- * Call/text/email Gregg at (425) 221-5886 / spaminovski@gmail.com to notify of attendance, please; **open to first 40 players**.
- * Please bring your own clock if you require one; boards and pieces are provided. Clocks will be used to force the end of games 40 minutes into each round.
- * No food allowed in the tournament rooms. Bring a full stomach, mind, and appetite for full-throttle chess.

