



# 2023 South West Open Margaret River



*Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July and Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July*

An ACF rated CAWA Grand Prix event presented by Chess Association of Western Australia Inc. <http://www.cawa.org.au>

An ACF-rated CAWA Grand Prix event which incorporates the WA Country Championship (awarded to the highest-scoring WA player residing outside the Perth Metropolitan Area) and is open to Perth and country players alike. This year's tournament will be held in the beautiful town of Margaret River (277km south of Perth), world-famous for its beaches, scenery, vineyards, and dining.

## Tournament Details

**Venue:** Margaret River Community Centre, 33 Tunbridge Street, Margret River, WA 6285

**Format:** Swiss (Dutch variant), with 6 rounds, to be rated on the June 2023 ACF Classic list. Vega software (JaVaFo engine) for pairings. FIDE Laws of Chess apply.

**Time Control:** 60 minutes with 10 second increment

**Playing Times:**

	Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> July		Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> July
Round 1	10:00 am	Round 4	9:30 am
Lunch	12:30 pm	Lunch	12:00 pm
Round 2	1:00 pm	Round 5	12:30 pm
Round 3	3:30 pm	Round 6	3:00 pm

**Entry Closing Date:** 9:00pm, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July. Late entries accepted until 9:30am on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July.

**Entry Fee:** Standard entry \$40. Late entry \$50.

**Entries / enquiries:** Ian McAteer (email: [cawa.gp@outlook.com](mailto:cawa.gp@outlook.com) , phone: 0403 776 220)  
Please email/text your entry. Include date of birth if you do not have an ACF rating.

**Arbiter:** Ian McAteer

**Prizes:** Cash prizes: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and rating prizes, depending on entries.

**Payment:** Entries by Trybooking are preferred: <https://www.trybooking.com/CHETM>  
You can also enter by email or text with entry fees paid by Bank Transfer or cash on the day.

**Information:** This tournament will be held in the Margaret River Community Centre in central Margaret River. Website: [Home - Margaret River Community Centre \(mrc.com.au\)](http://mrc.com.au)

Margaret River is a little under 3 hours from Perth CBD, a little over 1 hour from central Bunbury and about 4 hours from Albany.

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