



2024 Southern Suburbs Open

Tuesday 13th February – Tuesday 2nd April

An ACF- and FIDE-rated chess tournament presented by Southern Suburbs Chess Club (affiliated with CAWA Inc.)

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Tournament Details

- Venue:** Southern Suburbs Chess Club, Leeming Primary School (Meharry Rd, Leeming)
- Format:** Swiss, 7 rounds, open to all CAWA members. ACF- and FIDE-rated.
- Time Control:** 90 minutes, with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from move 1.
- Schedule:**
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| 13th February: Round 1 | 12th March: Rest Day (Perth Chess League) |
| 20th February: Round 2 | 19th March: Round 5 |
| 27th February: Round 3 | 26th March: Round 6 |
| 5th March: Round 4 | 2nd April: Round 7 |
- All rounds will begin at 7:30pm.
The default time will be 30 minutes after the start of the playing session.
Players must contact the organiser if they cannot be present for a particular round.
- Closing Date:** 9:00pm, Monday 12th February.
- Notes:**
- 1. End Date:** All games must be played by Tuesday 2nd April. All scoresheets should be submitted to the arbiters by this date. Any games that are played after the final round date will not be included in the tournament results and will not be rated. Any results that are not known to the arbiters will be entered as double forfeits.
 - 2. Publication of Pairings and Results:** Official pairings for Rounds 2 – 7 will be posted on the club website. Updated results will be emailed to players during the tournament.
 - 3. Half-point byes:** Players may opt to take up to 2 half-point byes, for any of Rounds 1 – 5. Players seeking half-point byes must inform the organiser at least one week in advance, prior to the start of the preceding round.
 - 4. Absences:** Players who are absent from any round, without notifying the Chief Arbiter, will be withdrawn unless a written explanation is provided to the Chief Arbiter before 9:00am the following day.
 - 5. Novice Tournament:** Depending on numbers, a Novice Tournament may be run, with the same schedule and time control as the Open. New players, or players below 1500 ACF, may choose to compete in either the Open or Novice section. If you would opt to compete in the Novice section then please communicate this with your entry.
- Prizes:** 1st, 2nd, 3rd, plus rating division prizes depending on entries.
Prizes will be awarded by bank transfer.
- Entry Fee:** \$25 (SSCC members) \$35 (SSCC non-members)
In order to receive the SSCC membership discount, players must pay their 2024 SSCC membership fee prior to the start of the tournament.
- Arbiters:** NA Ian McAteer (Chief Arbiter), IA Andrew Hardegen (Deputy Chief Arbiter),
NA Dennis Holland, NA Hui Huang
- Enquiries:** Ian McAteer (Chief Organiser)
(email: sscc.perth@gmail.com , phone: 0403 776 220)



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Note: Only tournaments with all participants having FIDE ID numbers are rateable by FIDE. Australian residents who do not yet have FIDE ID numbers will be registered with FIDE through the ACF, and do not need to take any action. Non-residents who do not yet have FIDE ID numbers must ask their appropriate foreign federation to assign them one before they can enter. Players registered under a wrong federation may incur considerable transfer costs later.

Payment Options:

Cash

Pay your entry fee to the Organiser in person, at any reasonable time prior to the start of the tournament.

Bank Transfer

1. Pay your entry fee to Southern Suburbs Chess Club (BSB: 066173, A/C: 10402128)
2. Important: Email a copy of your payment confirmation to the Organiser, no later than Monday 12th February.

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Name: _____

Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy): _____

FIDE ID Number (if registered by a foreign federation): _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____