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A Day with GM Aleksandr Lenderman*

OTB Arena, Lecture & Simul w/ GM; Top Venue, Lunch Included!

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- Date/Time:** Saturday, August 10, 2024; Check-in starts 9:30 AM, first activity at 10 AM (see below) [Online registration](#) thru Aug 9; **NO** on-site registration; USCF ID not required
- Location:** Sacred Heart University
5151 Park Avenue, Bowman Hall, Theas Abby, Fairfield, CT 06825
- Format:** 10 AM to 12 PM – **Over-the-board Arena Tournament, G/2+2** (USCF ID not required)
ALL players will participate in CSCA’s first OTB [Arena event](#). An Arena is limited by duration rather than number of rounds. Pairings happen on availability of opponents. Precise Arena format and scoring will be available ahead of the event. GM Lenderman will participate in the Arena, not be eligible for prizes, facing as many opponents as practicable. Top three will receive trophies and free entry to fall CSCA event.
- 12 PM – **Lunch Break** (Lunch, snacks and water included in admission)
- 12:15 PM to 12:45 PM – **Lecture by GM Lenderman**
ALL players are invited for a 30-minute lecture by GM Lenderman on an excerpt from his vast chess experience.
- 12:45 PM to 2:45 PM – **Simultaneous Exhibition by GM Lenderman**
20-30 players are invited to a timed Simultaneous Exhibition with G/90/30+10 time controls; exact number decided by Aug 9. GM Lenderman will play with white against all opponents. Those not participating in the Simul are invited to observe or play side games at no fee. Simul registration is first come, first served; waitlist included.
- Entry Fee:** [Register online](#) by Aug 9; **NO** on site; Premium and organizational discounts apply.
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| Arena & Lecture, only: | \$40 by Aug 6, \$50 by Aug 9 |
| Arena, Lecture & Simul: | \$60 by Aug 6, \$70 by Aug 9 (Simul total 20-30 entries) |
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* GM Lenderman’s bio can be viewed [here](#).