THE 2018-19 CSCA CONNECTICUT SCHOLASTIC CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES 2018-19 NATIONAL NOMINATIONS GRAND PRIX

FINAL STANDINGS -- March 16, 2019 --

Denker Tournament of High School Champions

*Daniel Zhou, Smith High School (Mansfield)	16 (7.0/7)
*Jithu Sajeevan, Bristol Central High School	9 (6.5/6)
*Sharvil Trifale, Simsbury High School	8 (7.0/6)
+Zachary Tanenbaum, Greenwich High School	(/)
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Benjamin Foxman, Hall High School (W. Hartford)	5 (8.0/7)
^Nathan Chang, Smith High School (Mansfield)	4 (3.5/3)
Evan Wood, Pathway Acad. of Tech. & Design (E. Hartford)	3 (6.5/6)

Barber Tournament of K-8 Champions

*Peter Wolfe, homeschool (N. Milford) *Samuel Lumelsky, King Philip Middle (W. Hartford) m+Nakul Ramaswamy, Henry James Middle (Simsbury) e+Erik Nebylovich, Westover Magnet Elementary (Stamford)	12 (7.5/7) 9 (6.5/6) 8 (2.5/2) (/)
Beatrice Low, Greenwich Academy	8 (5.5/5)
Ethan Striff-Cave, King Philip Middle School (W. Hartford)	4 (6.0/6)
m^Nathaniel Moor, Saxe Middle School (New Canaan)	2 (3.0/3)
Punyavrat Upadhyay, W. Woods Upper Elem (Farmington)	1 (4.0/2)
Shaina Mezheritskiy, Thompson Brook School (Avon)	1 (3.0/3)
e^Jack Clayton, Webster Hill Elementary (W. Hartford)	0 (1.0/0)

National Girls' Tournament of Champions

+Beatrice Low, Greenwich Academy	16 (5.5/5)
*Shaina Mezheritskiy, Thompson Brook School (Avon)	8 (3.0/3)
*Shesh Budhabhatti, IAR Middle School (Farmington)	4 (1.5/1)
*Nitya Nair, King Philip Middle School (W. Hartford)	2 (0.0/0)
^Serena Evans, Greenwich Academy	(/)

^{*} Clinched selection for Candidates' Tournament on March 30, 2019.

+ Receives automatic selection for Candidates' Tournament as State Champion: Girls', High, Middle and Elementary.

^ State Championship Runner Up. Receives selection if Champion declines or otherwise unable to participate.

Candidates may only participate in one of the three national categories.

<u>Tie break format</u>: If there is a tie in Grand Prix points for one or more Candidate slots, the following tie breaks will be applied in the following order:

- (1) Most total NNGP game wins scored;
- (2) Most total NNGP game points scored;
- (3) Highest average rating of NNGP opponents over 12 (8) NNGP matches, exempting involuntary byes;
- (4) Highest rating at the conclusion of Leg 3 of NNGP.

<u>Format</u>: "NNGP points (points scored/wins scored)". Players receiving NNGP points who did not participate in NNGP K-12 open section cannot apply their points and wins to tie breaks.

Top three finishers in Denker and NGTC and top two in Barber qualify for Connecticut National Nominations Candidates Tournament on March 30, 2019 at the Raymond Library (East Hartford).