Connecticut State Chess Association

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2023

Fairfield County & Norwalk City Championships

\$450 in Prizes and Trophy Awards! NMs and up FREE*! \$20 CSCA Entry Credit for first time USCF Members*!

* See details below.

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Date & Time:	Saturday, September 9, 2023 Round 1 at 11a, then ASAP. <u>Online registration</u> thru 8p on Sept 8; on-site registration available, see below.
Location:	Norwalk Public Library, 1 Belden Avenue, Auditorium, Norwalk, CT 06850
Sections/Rounds/ Time Control:	5 Sections: Open, U1700, U1200, U700, NR (not rated); 4 Rounds SS; G/30 d5. Players rated 300 or higher cannot participate in NR.
Byes:	One ¹ / ₂ point bye in all but final Round; 0 point byes any Round.
Prizes:	\$150-100 in Open; \$125-75 in U1700; Trophies to Top 3 in U1200, U700, NR. Champion Trophies to Open Winner and Top Norwalk Resident Medals to non-placing players in U700 and NR sections
Entry Fee:	Register online by 8 PM on Sept 8 Open/U1700: \$40 by Sept 6; \$50 by 8 PM on Sept 8 U1200/U700/NR: \$30 by Sept 6; \$40 by 8 PM on Sept 8 On-site: Add \$10 by 11 AM, ½ pt Rd 1 bye imposed at 10:30; exact change only
Credits/Discounts:	 *<u>CSCA Entry Credit</u>: First time USCF registrants get \$20 entry credit to a 2023-24 CSCA State Championship event, exp: June 30, 2024. <u>Need-based</u>: Cases of financial hardship and Title I students, please <u>email</u> CSCA. <u>Senior (65+) and Sibling (pK-12)</u>: <u>Email</u> CSCA <u>before</u> entry for 10% discount. <u>Premium and Member Organization Members</u>: CSCA Premium and Member Organizations Members apply 25% discount. Discount code provided. *<u>Masters</u>: Entry fee is waived for NMs and higher, if registering by Sept 6. Deducted from prize thereafter. Please <u>email</u> CSCA to register.

Notes:

This non-profit event is organized and sponsored by the <u>Connecticut State Chess Association</u> and <u>Norwalk Public Library</u> for the benefit of library's chess program and the chess community.

[1] Contact. All questions/inquiries to events.CSCA@gmail.com.

[2] **Tax requirements.** Players receiving total payments of \$600 or more from the CSCA in 2023 must submit a W-9 to the CSCA at events.CSCA@gmail.com in advance of receiving prize.

[3] **Refunds/Cancellation Policy:** To withdraw registration or request a refund, email your request to <u>events.CSCA@gmail.com</u> no later than Sept 6 at 11:59 PM. Refund requests not received by email or received after the above deadline, will not be honored. Refunds are subject to \$15 administrative fee.

[4] **Unauthorized solicitation is prohibited.** This is a nonprofit event for the Connecticut chess community, and the CSCA event <u>Promotion Policy at CSCA Tournaments & Events</u> is in effect. Please contact CSCA at <u>events.CSCA@gmail.com</u> for advertising and promotional opportunities.