

Entry Form (or enter on-line)

Entries to: Scarborough Chess Congress

c/o Maggie Butterworth,

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Cheques payable to **Scarborough Chess Congress**

Name.....

Address.....

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.....Postcode.....

Date of Birth.....

(Necessary for grading and Junior & Veteran prizes)

email.....

Phone.....

Grade*.....Club.....

ECF member number.....

(ECF Silver and above members may deduct £7.50. ECF
Bronze members will have their membership upgraded.)

Donation to the Congress £.....

Amount enclosed £..... I request a bye in round.....

I wish to enter the.....Section

Please send a stamped addressed envelope if
acknowledgment of entry is required.

Photocopies of the entry form are accepted.

* This should be your highest British grade unless it is an
ECF F one in which case other national or Yorkshire
grades take precedence.

Ungraded players must supply an estimate of strength
based on previous grade or recent play.

We reserve the right to alter any and all prize money
if entries fall below the expected level.

Entries not accompanied by the appropriate payment may
not be included in the 1st round draw.

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CONGRESS DIRECTOR: LARA BARNES,
(International Arbiter, ECF Chief Arbiter),

ARBITERS:

Alex McFarlane, (I.A. Chess Scotland Senior Arbiter)
+ 3 other qualified arbiters

CONGRESS SECRETARY Maggie Butterworth
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FANTASTIC VENUE

Almost £6000 PRIZE MONEY!!

**Please note that the congress is
slightly later than normal**

SECTIONS

Entry Fee: £38.50 (£43.50 if after 18/10/18)

ECF silver/gold/platinum members £31.00

(£36.00 if after 18/10/18)

ENTRY FEE ON THE DAY if accepted is subject to a £20 late fee (£58.50/£51 respectively).

OPEN (Inc Yorkshire Championship)

No Grading Limit

Prizes: 1st £500 2nd £250

3rd £150 4th £100

+ 2 £50 Grading Prizes

Yorkshire Champion £50+Trophy

MAJOR

For players graded **170 and under**
(1880 Chess Scotland/WCU)

Prizes: 1st £500 2nd £250

3rd £150 4th £100

+ 2 £50 Grading Prizes

INTERMEDIATE

For players graded **150 and under**
(1680 Chess Scotland/WCU)

Entry Fee: £38 (£43 if after 18/10/18)

Prizes: 1st £500 2nd £250

3rd £150 4th £100

+ 2 £50 Grading Prizes

MINOR

For players graded **135 and under**
(1530 Chess Scotland/WCU)

Prizes: 1st £500 2nd £250

3rd £150 4th £100

+ 2 £50 Grading Prizes

FOUNDATION

For players graded **115 and under**
(1330 Chess Scotland/WCU)

Prizes: 1st £500 2nd £250

3rd £150 4th £100

+ 2 £50 Grading Prizes.

Best Junior Prize of £100 (under 18 on 01/01/18)

Best Veteran Prize of £100 (over 65 on 01/01/18)

Best Woman Prize of £100

Best Scarborough Player £20 Book Prize

CONSIDERATION FOR ALL ENTRANTS

Any player who defaults without giving prior warning will be required to place a bond in future years and could face being barred altogether.

RATE OF PLAY

In all sections: All moves in 110 minutes with 10 second increment added with each move.

PLAYING SESSIONS

The congress will be opened at 6.45pm.

Friday October 26 7.00pm to 11.00pm

Saturday Oct 27 9.30am to 1.30pm

2.15pm to 6.15pm

Sunday Oct 28 9.30am to 1.30pm

2.15pm to 6.15pm

Prize giving to follow as soon as possible



Pictures courtesy of Nigel Hepworth, Andy Howie and Brendan O'Gorman

GRADING

This should be your highest British grade unless it is an ECF F one in which case other national or Yorkshire grades take precedence.

The Aug 2018 ECF grading list will be used. Players not in possession of a current grade **must** state their last published grade and the year to which it applied. Players with no official grading must give an estimate of their playing strength with evidence or a reference by a known player. In all matters the Arbiters decision is final. Ungraded players are not eligible for Grading Prizes. Player details will be passed on to the ECF for grading purposes.

WITHDRAWALS AND BYES

Written notice must be received by 18 October 2018. A deduction of £5 will be made to cover administration costs. No refunds will be given for withdrawals after this date

A half-point bye (max 2) will be accepted in any round if requested on the entry form. We reserve the right to move players into other sections should a particular tournament become full (grades permitting) however every effort will be made to honour a player's choice.

PRIZEWINNERS 2017

Open

1 Mathew Webb (£500) 4½

2= Alan Merry, Martin Mitchell, Jim Nicholson, Craig Pritchett (£125 each) 4

Grading 1 Kamil Celinski, Clive Waters (£25 each) 3½

Grading 2 Joel Wagg, John Waterfield (£25 each) 3

Major

1= Stephen McQuillan, Mark Whitehead (£375 each) 4½

3= Charles McAleenan, Peter Tart (£125 each) 4

Grading 1 Robert Dean, Paul Jackson, David Patrick, Matthew Wilson (£12.50 each) 3½

Grading 2 David Shapland, Kevin Simpson (£25 each) 3½

Intermediate

1 Rob Tokeley (£500) 4½

2= Roger Greator, Peter Hoare, Sief Al Din Holi, Dave Paterson, David Wells, Norman Wragg (£83 each) 4

Grading 1 William Clinton, Tom Hil, Neville Pearce (£17 each) 3½

Grading 2 Gary Corcoran, Simon Dixon, Ernest Lazenby (£17 each) 3½

Minor

1= Noel Boustred, Con Carey, Neal Fisher, Garry Hewitt, Steven Watson (£200 each) 4

Grading 1 Peter Owst (£50) 3½

Grading 2 Mark Carter, Paul Doherty, John Smart (£17 each) 3½

Foundation

1 Sajad Dehghan-Afifi (£500) 5

2= Nigel Redmond, Michael Siddle (£200 each) 4½

4= Trevor Blower, John Grasham, Jason Madden, Royce Parker, Anthony Robinson (£20 each) 4

Grading 1 Paul Freeman, David Lowcock (£25 each) 3½

Grading 2 Kevin Randle, John Sugden (£25 each) 3

Special Prizes

Junior: Tom Hill, Jonah Willow (£50 each) 3½

Senior: Treveo Blower, Roger Greator, Craig Pritchett, Anthony Robinson, Norman Wragg (£20 each) 4

Female: Niamh Bridgeman (£100) 3