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SCHOLARS TOURNAMENT 1ST EDITION

<u>Tournament details</u>	Date: 15 March 2025 Registration fee: R200 5 Rounds Chief Arbiter: CHESSA Rated Tournament
<u>Venue</u>	AW Muller Football Clubhouse. (Bunting Rd, Cottesloe, Johannesburg, 2092)
<u>Programme</u>	Start time: 09:00 Time control: 30:30 Round 2-5 times determined by rate of play
<u>Prizing</u>	First place winner: Gold medals and Trophy Second place winner: Silver medals Third place winner: Bronze medals Best male player: Medal Best female player: Medal

The following tie-break system (in the order as given) will be used:

1) Score; 2) Direct Encounter; 3) Bucholz cut 1; 4) Sonneborn-Berger

Tournament Arrangements

1. Players not seated within 15 minutes after the official start of the round will forfeit the game.
2. No item may be sold or traded by any person other than those given permission by the tournament organizer in writing.
3. By participating, you agree to play by rules and regulations that help make this event fun and fair for all participants.
4. Latest FIDE and Chess SA Tournament rules will apply.
5. The tournament will be hosted in conjunction with the university's policies, access controls & venue.
6. Sections can be merged as per arbiter's discretion.

REGISTRATION LINK: <https://forms.gle/NMVZosAumo2wJooj7>

Registration process

1. Complete the registration form.
2. All payments to: University of Johannesburg, FNB, ACC NO: 62615873149, Branch Code: 210-554.

Ref: 174260 Surname, name / School name

3. If Institutions require an invoice, full invoicing details to be emailed to elizel@uj.ac.za and ujchessclub22@gmail.com to request.
4. **No refunds: If you withdraw or do not show up, you forfeit.**
5. Email the completed **registration form** and **proof of payment** to elizel@uj.ac.za and ujchessclub22@gmail.com
6. Closing date: 13 March 2025 at 1600hrs
7. It will be each player's own responsibility to check the player's list on chess-results.com and refer all queries to **Elize le Roux: 011 559 2543/elizel@uj.ac.za or ujchessclub22@gmail.com**
8. POPIA: By registering for the tournament, participants/parents grant permission for photographs or videos that may be taken at the tournament for use on UJ social media.
9. Entrance is through the main gate and please tell the security guard you are here for chess.

Information on sections.

	Under 19 / Open	Under 15	Under 12	Under 8
	5 Rounds: 30mins	5 Rounds: 30mins	5 Rounds: 30mins	5 Rounds: 30mins
Age	19 and below	15 and below	12 and below	8 and below

PRIZES

	Under 19/Open	Under 15	Under 12	Under 8
1 st Place	Trophy + Medal	Trophy + Medal	Trophy +Medal	Trophy +Medal
2 nd Place	Medal	Medal	Medal	Medal
3 rd Place	Medal	Medal	Medal	Medal

All sections will be **CHESS SA** rated.

Online entries close on 13 March 2025 at 1300. Late entries will be at an additional charge of R50.00. No cash payments will be accepted.



Club Manager: Elize le Roux

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Scholars Chess Tournament Invitation

We are pleased to invite you to participate in our 1st *Scholars Chess Tournament*, an exciting opportunity for students to showcase their strategic skills and intellectual prowess. Whether you're a seasoned player or a rising star, this tournament is the perfect platform to demonstrate your talents and engage in friendly competition.

Starting Date: 15 March 2025

Registration fee: R200

Registration closing date: 13 March 2025

5 rounds

Swiss 30/30

This tournament promises to be an enriching experience, providing participants with the chance to compete against peers, sharpen their chess abilities, and perhaps even earn exciting prizes for top performers. We encourage all chess enthusiasts to join us for this engaging and rewarding event.

Should you have any queries or require further information, please feel free to contact us at either **011 559 2543**, elizel@uj.ac.za or ujchessclub22@gmail.com.

We look forward to your participation and hope to see you making your move on the chessboard.

Warmest regards

UJ Chess Club