



MetroWest Chess Club

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Monthly Event:

This month's event is a four week tournament.

Due to the constraints placed upon us by our playing site, all events at our current location will be

G/60; d5 dual-rated

Our on-site registration cut-off remains at 7:20 pm. We will be more strict than usual in applying the deadline due to having to exit the building promptly at 10:00 pm.

Registration closes at 7:20 and if you arrive after that you may not be paired.

[Event Details](#)

Club relocation status:

Great News ! We now know where we're going and approximately when we are going.

With no suitable rental locations in the area, we are **leasing** our own space.

A lease agreement **has not yet been signed** but all the points for an agreement have been worked out. We expect to have the agreement in our hands for review and signed within the next few weeks. Until the agreement is signed **it is possible that**

this site will not be secured for us and our plans would be further delayed.

We would have preferred to have the agreement signed before providing details but we felt it was important to communicate what is going on and the changes that will occur **regardless of this location being secured or not.**

On the club web site on the home page are several new document links:

- Relocation Report
 - This provides reasoning on the decisions we have made
- Location Information
 - Some Details about the location including a map link
- Location Annotated Map
 - An annotated map with route information

Location details for the site under negotiation:

- Is only five miles further West on Rte. 135 towards Framingham from our current location.
- Is the same distance from Rte. 9 as our current location is from Rt. 9.
- Is 3.6 miles from Mass Pike Exit 13 in Natick,
- Is 5.2 miles from Mass Pike Exit 12, Framingham
- Is custom designed for the club
 - Main room: 25 tables / 50 boards / 100 players
 - Skittles room: 5 tables/ 10 boards / 20 players
 - "Lounge" room: 5 tables/ 10 boards / 20 players
 - Separate registration, storage and office areas

Rough estimates put us ready to move in for either July or **August.**

Fee and prize restructure effective with the June 2015 event:

Leasing requires us to make modest adjustments to our fees and prize structure. Explanation of our reasoning is provided in the relocation document.

- Four-week event prize funds will increase to match our current five-week prize fund

- Master and TDs will still play for free and still need to pay membership.
- Membership dues will increase from \$30 to \$50 a year, the first increase in 25 years.
- Member entry fee regardless of the number of weeks will be \$35, which is the going market rate.
- Non-member entry fee will increase to \$10 above the member rate.
- Eliminate special membership rates.

Until the lease is signed and construction of our space begins this is really all the detail that is available.

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Round 1 - Book Vendor on site:

Two new titles will be available for purchase:

- Grandmaster Repertoire 1A - The Catalan by Boris Avrukh (QC)
- Liquidation on the Chess Board: Mastering the Transition into the Pawn Ending (NIC)

There will also be a sale for a lot of titles starting at \$5

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