MCC: Newsletter: June 2025

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News:

This month our event is a **four round event**.

ChessNoteR - 20% off of their new device

The USCF has a very limited list of approved electronic notation devices allowed for tournament play. Two of them appear to no longer be in production, essentially leaving ChessNoteR as the only viable option for those who are interested in no longer having to write down their moves but playing them in visually. When your game is done you can replay it on the device, and you can tell it to email your game to you as a PGN file. After a weekend tournament of five six games, you have the PGNs instantly ready to into your preferred chess engine for analysis.

ChessnoteR is offering a 20% discount on their new deice. Here is a short version of their offering:

We're excited to introduce the ChessNoteR N5X – US Chess Certified Tournament Bundle (32GB). As a thank-you for your continued support since our first certification in 2017, we're offering an exclusive 20% discount with free shipping and handling through July 4.

Highlights:

- US Chess Certified <u>Approved for official tournament use</u>
- Efficient Hexa-Core Design Optimized speed with reduced battery use
- 32GB of Storage Plenty of space for PGNs and updates
- **5.2-inch Touchscreen** Clear, responsive, stylus-free notation
- Lightweight & Portable 26% lighter than the ChessNoteR N6
- Fingerprint Sensor Secure, one-touch access
- USB-C Fast Charging Charger and cable included
- **Preconfigured** Ready to use out of the box

The ChessNoteR N5X ships with the latest ChessNoteR software fully installed and tested for tournament readiness.

To receive **20% off** plus **free shipping and handling**, enter code **2025CERT** at checkout. This offer is available until **July 4**.

Shipping begins **mid-June** and orders will be fulfilled in the order they are received.

Reserve your ChessNoteR 5X

FMCA - Future Masters Chess Academy - House players

FMCA is looking for players who may be available to be a "House player" on Tuesday nights for their monthly G/90; d5 event at their Ashland location. A "House player" is someone who is available to play occasionally when needed to even out a section. If

you are interested in being on a call list to see if you are available to play sometimes on a Tuesday night, send an email to	
Info at FutureChessMasters dot com	
 Put the pieces together into a normal looking email address 	
May Results: Congratulations to our 1st place finishers • Open:	
Doug Reynolds with 3.5/4U1700	
 Adrian Bradley with a perfect score of 4/4 	
Registration for our next event is open and play will begin the night of Wednesday, June 4th, 2025 Register early so you won't forget!	

Registering to play:

The **MCC home page** has links to all the things you need to know to start playing at the club. Please read the materials on the home page carefully.

If you forget the link or name of the online registration site, you can find it quickly by clicking the **Register Now** icon on the club home page.

- Remember to rejoin the **USCF** if you have expired
 - Do not leave it to the last minute as there have been multiple reports of **renewal issues** and needing several **days** to resolve them.

- Remember to join the club before you enter the event to get the member discount.
 - If you forget, you will only be offered the non-member entry fees.

https://www.MetroWestChess.org

Standings and Projected Pairings:

You can follow along each week by looking at the standings and projected pairings on the NAChessHub site.

- Go to <u>NAChessHub.com</u>
- Find the clubs event.
 - For example, The January event is named: MCC 2024-01
- Click on the **Pairing** Button to see the standings and projected pairings for each section.

Generally the standings and projected pairings will be posted on the site at the end of the night; If not, check back later the next day.

Byes: How to Request or Change them

Once you are entered in an event you can Request or alter you Bye requests. Remember, Byes must be made on the site no later than **7:15 pm** on the night of play

- Log into NAChessHub
- Find the event that you need to adjust your Byes for
- Go to the Roster page
- Find your name and click on the link in the Byes column for your name.
 - It will say either "Request" or have the round numbers that you have previously requested Byes for.

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