

52nd NBCC SUMMER OPEN – AN OPEN-AIR EVENT

Sunday, August 27th, 2017

Rain or Shine - under the Big “WICKHAM” pavilion
SWISS, USCF rated, starts at 10:00

At Manchester CT’s Wickham Park (weekend park entry = \$7 per car)
LUNCH included FOR PLAYERS! (non-players pay \$15 that day, or \$10 in advance).

SECTIONS:

- ❖ **OPEN SECTION: 4 rounds G/45 d5, Trophies to Top 3, Top Under-1916.**
- ❖ **UNDER 1617 SECTION: 5 rounds G/25 d5, Trophies to Top 2, Top Under-1316.**
- ❖ **UNDER 917 SECTION: 5 rounds G/25 d5, Trophies to Top 2, Top Under-516.**

A separate Trophy for the “Biggest Upset” win of the three sections will *also* be awarded.

ENTRY FEE: \$25 in advance, or \$35 (cash) on site:

- Register at [Summer Open Registration & payment link](#) by August 24th,
- or, mail a check payable to “New Britain Chess Club”, specify section, by August 23rd to: G. Hilhorst; 18 The Courtyard; Simsbury, CT; 06070-2214
- or, register on site: 9:30-9:45

Please bring Digital clocks (and sets). One half-point bye permitted.

Wickham Park is a non-profit trust on 250 acres of the Manchester / East Hartford line. A \$7-per-vehicle fee, good for the day, is *SEPARATELY required* at the entrance.

There are adjacent areas for Frisbee and beach volleyball (the kids do this after rounds).

Directions: I-91 to I-84 EAST, Exit 60, Left at end of ramp (Right instead if took I-84 WEST); park entrance is on your right, only a few hundred yards from the I-84 ramps. Once in the park, bear to the right twice, and park in Lot D, between the tennis and beach volleyball courts.

Questions? E-mail Mark Bourque at newbritainchessclub@gmail.com.

Directed by again by **Jan Van De Mortel!**