

Connecticut Chess Organization, allClubs Chess and the Farmington Libraries  
*Present*

The 2017-18 CSCA CONNECTICUT SCHOLASTIC CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES  
**CCO NORTHERN CONNECTICUT SCHOLASTIC CHESS  
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Leg 3 of the 2017-18 National Nominations Grand Prix**

(See <http://www.chessct.org/csa/Uploads/NNGP1718.pdf> for NNGP rules and information.)

- Date & Time:** Saturday, January 20, 2018 (snow date: January 27, 2018)  
On-site Registration 9:00 to 9:30 AM\*  
Round 1 at 10:00 AM, subsequent rounds ASAP\*  
(Players not registered by 9:30 AM may receive ½ point bye for Rd 1)\*  
\* **NOTICE:** K-12 Open Round 1 at 9:10 AM. On-site registrants in K-12 Open receive ½ point bye for Round 1.
- Location:** Farmington Main Library  
6 Monteith Drive  
Farmington, Connecticut
- TD:** IM Jan van de Mortel  
University of Connecticut Chess Club
- Rounds/  
Time Control:** K-12 Open: 4 Rounds SS, G/45 d5  
One ½ point bye permitted; must commit by end of registration.  
K-12 U1000 and K-12 UNRATED: 5 Rounds SS, G/30 d5  
½ pt byes permitted for Rds 1 to 4; must commit by end of registration  
F&F Rated and Unrated: 4 Rounds SS, G/30 d5, all ½ pt bye eligible
- Sections:** 3 sections: K-12 OPEN, K-12 U1000 and K-12 UNRATED  
*Plus* “Family and Friends” (F&F) Rated and Unrated Sections
- Prizes:** Grand Prix Point Distribution (OPEN Section):  
Top 4 CT 9-12 players in K-12 share 15 NNGP Denker Points: 8-4-2-1;  
Top 4 CT K-8 players in K-12 share 15 NNGP Barber Points: 8-4-2-1;  
*No NGTC Points available in Leg 3*
- Trophy Distribution:  
Trophies to Top 5 in each scholastic section;  
Team Trophies to Top 3 in K-12 U1000 and K-12 UNRATED only;  
Trophy to Top player in each F&F section.
- Entry price:** \$35 on or before January 10;  
\$50 on or before January 18;  
\$70 on-site – exact change, cash only;  
F&F Sections: \$20 on or before January 18, \$30 on site.
- OPEN, U1000 and F&F Rated are USCF Rated sections  
Non-CT players welcome and trophy eligible, but NNGP point ineligible.

**Notes:**

- (1) Event proceeds will benefit Connecticut scholastic chess development.
- (2) A limited number of **team rooms** are available at this venue. Please contact Alexander Lumelsky at [alexander.lumelsky@gmail.com](mailto:alexander.lumelsky@gmail.com) for pricing and reservations.
- (3) Award ceremony is anticipated by 4:30 PM for lower sections.
- (4) Participation certificates will be distributed to all players.
- (5) Grand Prix point recipients will receive point confirmation from the CSCA Tournaments Coordinator via letter or certificate.
- (6) Post-event NNGP point standings will be published on CSCA website at [www.chessct.org](http://www.chessct.org).
- (7) F&F participants receive CSCA membership with voting rights in Board elections (scholastic players receive membership without voting rights). Membership expires one year from event. Repeat F&F participants extend membership to 1 year from most recent participation.
- (8) CSCA Membership available for non-participants on site (only \$5 per year).

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*E-mail and PayPal Registration Option*

E-mail CCO with “NNGP 3” in the Subject line at [CCO\\_Registration@yahoo.com](mailto:CCO_Registration@yahoo.com) your registration info as follows:

**USCF ID (if any) and USCF expiration date (if any)**

**Name**

**Date of Birth and Age**

**School Name, Town and State**

**Grade**

**Section**

**Bye request, indicating which round(s) (if any)**

**Address**

**Phone No.**

**If donating to CCO, please indicate amount and purpose (donation to CCO or contributing to entry/USCF ID of player in need).** *In 2016-17, CCO donated equipment, provided financial assistance for chess programs and students in need, reduced and waived entry fees to state-level tournaments and funded USCF memberships for players in need. In 2017-18, CCO plans an even greater scholastic outreach campaign with new programs, clubs and support. Thank you for considering a donation.*

Please provide complete information and do not miss/skip items, indicating “N/A” or “none” where appropriate. Please do not forget to indicate “NNGP 3” in the Subject line.

Coaches, team managers and parents with siblings can combine their registration email to include all players in one e-mail, but must complete all information for each player separately in consecutive order (list all info for player 1, then all info for player 2, etc.).

After completing the registration, you can log into your PayPal account and send payment to “CCO\_Registration@yahoo.com”.

Your entry is not accepted until payment is received. If you are attempting to make one of the registration fee deadlines, your email will extend the entry deadline for 24 hours, pending payment. Entries received via email on January 19 will be subject to on-site entry fee and payment.

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*Registration Form (one per player, please)*

**Event:**        **CCO NORTHERN CT SCHOLASTIC CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**2017-18 National Nomination Grand Prix – Leg 3**  
January 20, 2018 @ Farmington Main Library (Farmington)

USCF ID # (for rated sections): \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Rating: \_\_\_\_\_  
If you do not have current ID, please visit [www.uschess.org](http://www.uschess.org) (join tab) to obtain/activate your ID.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Town, State of School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Section (circle one):    OPEN   |   U1000   |   UNRATED   |   F&F R   |   F&F U

Bye in OPEN (circle one Round, if requesting bye):                                  1        2        3        4

Bye in U1000, UNRATED or F&F (circle all applicable Rounds):    1        2        3        4

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (1)  
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\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to donate to Connecticut Chess Organization: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (2)

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to contribute to the entry fee and/or USCF fee of a player in need: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (3)

Total amount enclosed (Items 1+2+3): .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: “Connecticut Chess Organization”

Mail to: Connecticut Chess Organization, P.O. Box 370233, West Hartford, CT 06137