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2025

Raymond Open Rapid New England Rapid Championship

\$1,000 in Guaranteed Prizes and Trophy Awards!

20 CSCA CT Grand Prix Points!

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- Date & Time:** Saturday, November 22, 2025; Round 1 at 10:30 AM, then ASAP.
[Online registration](#) thru 9 AM; Onsite registration at TD discretion.
- Location:** East Hartford Public Library, 840 Main Street, East Hartford, CT 06108
- Rds/Sec/TC/Byes:** 10 Rounds SS; Open, U1800 and U1200; G/10+3. USCF rated.
Four ½ point byes in Rounds 1-8 permitted; 0 point byes any Round.
- Grand Prix:** 20 Enhanced [CSCA Grand Prix](#) Points.
- Prizes:** \$300-200, \$100 to Top U2100 in Open; \$200-100, \$100 to Top U1500 in U1800; Plaques to New England Champion and Amateur Champion; Trophies to Top 3 and Top U900, U600, U300 in U1200. Medals to others. Payments via PayPal. Regular ratings used for prizes and pairings.
- Entry Fee:** [Register online](#); \$50 by 11/14, \$60 by 11/18, \$75 by 11/20, \$90 by online end. Onsite \$100 at TD discretion, exact cash only, ½ pt bye R1 and R2. GM/IM FREE by 11/12, then from prizes. Titled and U1200: \$15 less. Sibling/senior/veteran/hardship discounts, email us for discount code.

Notes: This non-profit event is organized and sponsored by the Connecticut State Chess Association for the Connecticut chess community. [1] **Prizes & tax requirements.** All prizes are paid via PayPal. Players winning \$600 or more in a calendar year must submit a W-9 to events.CSCA@gmail.com. [2] **Refunds/Cancellation Policy:** To withdraw and request a refund, players MUST email their request to events.CSCA@gmail.com no later than Nov 19 at 11:59 PM. Refund requests not emailed or received after deadline, will not be honored. Refunds are subject to \$20 administrative fee. [3] **Unauthorized solicitation is prohibited.** CSCA [Promotion Policy at CSCA Tournaments & Events](#) is in effect. Please contact the CSCA for advertising and promotional opportunities.