

WOODBRIDGE JUNIOR 2008

This junior championships is now in its eighth year. The competition also includes a tournament for adults and stronger players.

Woodbridge School is now well established as a centre for junior chess. International Master Adam Hunt is the Director of chess and full-time coach at the school, as well as coach to the English junior team.

LONDON JUNIOR QUALIFYING

The London junior championships is one of the most prestigious junior tournaments in the country. A score of 4/6 is needed to reach the U8 final whilst 4.5/6 is needed for U10 and U12 major level. Minor finals of U10 and U12 sections require 3.5/6. No qualifying score is needed for the U14, U16 or U18 events.

ELIGIBILITY

Entrants must play in their own age group unless permission has been obtained from the organiser. This is based on their age on 31 August 2008. Adults are encouraged to take part in the open section along with stronger junior players.

RATE OF PLAY

The rate of play for all sections will be 30 minutes per player per game. Clocks will be used on all boards, assistance will be provided where needed. All games are expected to be completed by 17.00, with the prize-giving taking place as soon after the last round finishes as possible.

TIMETABLE

Doors Open	08.30
Welcome & Pairings	09.15
Round 1	09.30
Round 2	10.45
Round 3	12.00
Round 4	13.30
Round 5	14.45
Round 6	16.00

Please note this is not a knockout event!

SECTIONS

(based on age at start of school year i.e. 31 August 2008)

Under 8 £6.00

Under 10, Under 12, Under 14 £7.50

Under 16, Under 18, Open (may be split according to strength and numbers) £9.50

PRIZES

Prizes in each section will be according to the size of entry. The prize-giving ceremony will take place as soon as possible after the completion of all games. It is likely to be at approximately 17.30.

Trophies will be presented to all section winners and to the highest placed player in each age group who either lives in Woodbridge or presently attends school in the town. The majority of entry fees will be returned as prizes.

REFRESHMENTS

A selection of hot and cold refreshments will be available throughout the day.

BOOKSTALL

A bookstall will be running throughout the event, with chess books for all levels of ability as well as chess equipment.

All queries should be addressed to:

Mr Adam Hunt
Woodbridge School
Burkitt Road
Woodbridge
Suffolk IP12 4JH

Tel: 01394615000
email: ahunt@woodbridge.suffolk.sch.uk

For information on Woodbridge School Chess Scholarships contact

Admissions Officer:
Nicky Clouter

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VISITED OUR WEBSITE?

www.woodbridgechess.com will have all the latest news on the tournament, including a list of entrants as well as news on all chess at the school and in the Suffolk area.



ENTRY FORM

Last name.....

Forename.....

Address.....

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Postcode.....

Tel No.....

D.O.B (Juniors).....

Chess Club.....

School:.....

BCF Rapidplay Grade (if known):.....

Section:.....

Total Fee Enclosed:

[Cheques should be made payable to Woodbridge School. Please detach this entry form and return with full payment by Tuesday 25 November 2008]

DIRECTIONS

- Approaching from Colchester or Bury St Edmunds follow the A14 over the Orwell Bridge then take the 2nd left onto the A12 towards Lowestoft. Cross over 5 roundabouts and at the sixth (by Wyevale garden centre) turn right and continue down to the T junction. Turn right and Woodbridge School is 200yds on left.
- Approaching from Lowestoft on the A12 cross over the roundabout that has Melton signed to the left. Pass the Shell garage and at the next roundabout turn left. Continue down to the T junction. Turn right and Woodbridge School is 200yds on left.



This section of the form should be returned, together with the entry fees, by Tuesday 25 November 2008 to:

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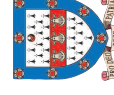


Woodbridge Junior Chess Tournament

Sunday 30 November 2008



Qualifying Tournament for the London Junior Chess Championship
Sections for all age groups and adults



Woodbridge School