2017 Sacramento Chess Championship
July 1-3, 2017

PLACE: Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 2224 Auburn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA **From Business 80** (eastbound), exit at Howe Avenue; (westbound) exit at Fulton, turn left at the top of the ramp, then right on Auburn Boulevard.

EVENT & SCHEDULE: Three sections: Master/Expert (above 1999, FIDE rated) , Reserve (1600-1999), and Amateur (under 1600) in a 2 or 3-day schedule. USCF rated six-round swiss. July 2016 rating list or CCA minimums. **Registration:** 7/1 – 8:30-9:45 am. 7/2 – 8:00 am - 8:45 am. **Rounds:** 3-day: 7/1 – 10 & 3:30, 7/2 – 10:30 & 4, 7/3 – 10 & 3:30. 2-day: 7/2 – 9, 11:15, 1:30, & 4, 7/3 – 10 & 3:30. (2-day and 3-day events merge in round 4)

TIME CONTROLS: 40/100 G/30 +30 inc, **2-day:** Rounds 1-3, G/50, +10 inc; Rounds 4-6, 40/100 G/30 +30 inc.

ENTRY FEE: $85, postmarked by 6/26/2017; $95 postmarked after 6/26/2017 and on site. IMs/GMs free. USCF membership required. CalChess members receive a $5 discount on their entry fee (excluding reentries). Entrants may play up one section (max 200 points) for $20. **Reentry** after round 2 of the 3-day schedule, $50. **Byes:** ½ point byes available in any round and must be requested before completion of the previous round. ½ point byes for rounds 5 and 6 must be requested prior to the start of round 1 and may not be changed. Maximum two ½ point byes.

PRIZES:

Master/Expert:	1st - $625 & trophy, 2nd - $400, 3rd - $350	*U2200: 1st - $300, 2nd - $225
Reserve:	1st - $550 & trophy, 2nd - $350, 3rd - $275	*U1800: 1st - $250, 2nd - $175
Amateur:	1st - $550 & trophy, 2nd - $350, 3rd - $275	*U1400: 1st - $250, 2nd - $175

Overall prize fund based on 90 full paid entries. Prize fund and/or number of prizes will be increased or decreased based on total entries in each section (with 75 full paid entries the prize fund will be $4,100). **NOTES:** Unrated players ineligible for asterisked (*) prizes. Trophy tie-break information on-site.

HOTEL: Holiday Inn Express & Suites, tournament rate of $95 per night available until 5/30/2017.
Call 1-888-465-4329 or 1-916-923-1100, or on-line at www.hiexpress.com/sacramentone. Use group code SCC.
Reserve early, last year the hotel was sold out over the tournament weekend.

OTHER: Bring clocks!! Boards and sets provided!! Late entries will be given a ½ point bye or paired against another late entry at the TD's discretion. No computer entries accepted. Wheelchair access to site. USCF rated, 7/17 rating list. The Master/Expert FIDE rated using FIDE rules, with modifications (information on-site). Advance entries posted on the Weekend Events page of the Sacramento Chess Club website, http://sacramentochessclub.org

MORE INFO: NTD John McCumiskey, e-mail: sactochess@sbcglobal.net; phone: (916) 524-9479.

2017 Sacramento Chess Championship Entry Form

Name: _____ USCF ID # _____ Rating: _____

Address: _____ Expiration Date: _____

City & State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: (____)_____

E-mail Address: _____ Requested ½ point bye (if any), round(s) _____
(required for Master/Expert entrants)

Circle the section being entered: 3-day Master/Expert 3-day Reserve 3-day Amateur
2-day Master/Expert 2-day Reserve 2-day Amateur

Mark all that apply:

_____ $85 postmarked by 6/26/2017, $95 postmarked after 6/26/2017 & at site

_____ USCF Membership: Adult - Regular $40, Senior - $40; Scholastic (13 & under at exp) - Regular $17; Youth (16 & under at exp) - Regular $22; Young Adult (25 & under at exp) - Regular $26

_____ CalChess membership: $5 year (subject to change by CalChess)

_____ Play up one section (max 200 points) for $20.

_____ **SUBTOTAL**

_____ CalChess discount $5

_____ **TOTAL (Make checks payable to Sacramento Chess Club)**

Mail entries to: Sacramento Chess Club, c/o 6700 50th Street, Sacramento, CA 95823-1306