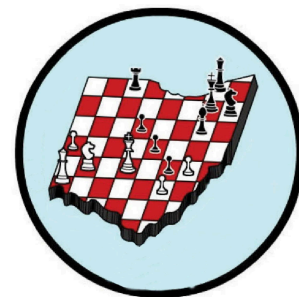


Ohio Online Chess Congress

September 5&6



- Platform: chess.com
- Top Scoring Ohio resident will be crowned 2020 Ohio Champion!
- Not a chess.com member? You may sign up for a free account to participate.
- USCF membership required, provided free for new or expired scholastic members!
- USCF Online Standard Rated! Does not impact over the board ratings.
- 5 Round Swiss. First Round starts promptly at 12PM Saturday Eastern Standard Time.
- Rounds: Eastern Standard Time! Saturday: 12PM-3PM-6PM, Sunday: 12PM-3PM.
- One half point bye available, any round, must commit when registering; irrevocable.
- Entry Fee: \$45 through Sept 3, \$55 after, includes \$5 OCA fee. IM, GM free till Sept 3.
- USCF Standard OTB Supplement Ratings will be used to determine sections.
- Pairings: Done manually strictly following USCF Swiss rules and posted on chess.com/live by Chief TD. Players must be on chess.com/live at the announced round times or face possible forfeit loss.
- Open Section: Players must be on Zoom with side angled camera showing player and screen during all games in order to win prizes. Other Sections: Players must be on Zoom with either a face camera or side angled camera for all games to win prizes.
- Register now at progresswithchess.org/oca until 11pm September 4th.

\$2500 Guaranteed Prize Fund

Open	G/60; Inc 10	Prizes: \$500-\$300, U2200: \$200
Under 2000	G/60; Inc 10	Prizes: \$300-\$150, U1800: \$100
Under 1600	G/60; Inc 10	Prizes: \$300-\$150, U1400: \$100
Under 1200	G/60; Inc 10	Prizes: \$200-\$100, U1000: \$100

- Prizes will not be distributed until 7 days after the tournament is completed in order to allow the chess.com Fair Play team time to review the games.
- Warning Cheaters: This is a USCF event. Cheaters will be reported to the USCF Ethics Committee and face possible membership suspension. Don't do it, not worth it!
- Contact: Mike Joelson, 216-321-7000, mdjoelson@progresswithchess.org