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 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!**
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