

## **SNAPDRAGON OPEN**

\$1500 Online Chess Tournament

\$1,500 in Prizes! Open-U1900-U1500-U1100-U700

## SAT May 29 @ 11AM EDT



**Snapdragon Open** will be conducted online on <u>lichess.org</u> for adult and scholastic players of all levels. Free USCF membership provided for new or expired scholastic members.

Format: 5 Round Swiss. USCF Online Standard Rated.
5 Sections: Open, Under 1900, Under 1500, Under 1100, Under 700.
For determining sections, the higher of a player's USCF Over the Board (OTB) Regular rating and their USCF Online Regular rating will be used.

**Time Limit:** G/40 with 10 second increment. **Entry Fee: \$45** before 11:00pm 5/28, **\$55** after; **IM-GM free.** Registration closes at 11:00pm, May 28th. **Round Times:** Open, U1900, U1500 11:00-1:00-3:00-5:00-7:00. U1100 & U700 paired ASAP.

**Registration:** At **progresswithchess.org/snapdragon** until 11pm, Friday May 28th, \$10 late fee after.

**Prizes (based on 70): Open:** \$200-\$100, U2100 \$ 80. **U1900:** \$160-\$80, U1700 80. **U1500:** \$160-\$80, U1300 \$80. **U1100:** \$150-\$80, U1300 \$80. **U700:** \$ 120-\$60.

**Fair Play:** Players must be on Zoom with side angle camera for all games to be eligible to win prizes, *except U1100 and U700 face camera ok*. Players using chess engine assistance will be flagged by lichess.org, reported to the USCF Ethics Committee and face disciplinary action.

**Instructions:** emailed to you the day before regarding how to access the tournament on lichess.org, login on Zoom and setup cameras.

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