London Public Service Chess League TEAM BLITZ OPEN & U-150 TOURNAMENTS



Tuesday 21st May 2019, start time 6.45pm (but please arrive by 6.30pm)

Upper Vestry House, St George's Bloomsbury Little Russell Street, London WC1A 2HR

Format

- Teams of four players. League clubs may enter one or more teams, nominating the players for each team before the start of the first match. If they wish, clubs may combine to form a team. In the U-150 event, all players must be graded below 150ECF.
- Format (all-play-all or Swiss tournament) and number of rounds dependent on entry, but we will finish by 9.30pm approximately. Scoring will be sum of match points; tiebreak on sum of board points.
- Rate of play: each player has 3 minutes plus a 2 second increment per move. FIDE Blitz chess rules apply.

Open winners will hold the Barford Trophy for one year U-150 winners will hold the Roland Smith Trophy for one year

Open Winners 2018: GLCC; U-150 Winners 2018: Rev & Customs 2

Entry

- The tournaments are open to clubs who play in the London Public Service Chess League. Any member of a London Public Service Chess League club may play in a team.
- Clubs should (i) notify the tournament controller how many teams they wish to enter in each section by Monday 20th May at the latest and (ii) provide team player lists by 6.30pm on the day of the tournament.
- Entry fee of £10 per team, payable on the day in cash

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