

The 4th Hawke's Bay Rapid Sunday 7th February 2016

New Zealand Chess Federation



THE POISON PAWN GRAND PRIX

CLASS ONE EVENT

(Fide Rated)

and

HAWKE'S BAY RAPID OPEN

Held at:

Napier War Memorial

Conference Centre

www.napierwmc.co.nz

48 Marine Parade

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Over \$1,400 in prizes

(\$1,200 in cash)

Organised by

Hawke's Bay Chess Inc

Format

6 round Swiss tournaments with a time control of 25 minutes each plus 5 seconds a move from the start of the game.

Timetable

Players' meeting and entries close	9:00 a.m.
Round 1	9:30 a.m.
Round 2	10:35 a.m.
Round 3	11:45 a.m.
Lunch break	12:45 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.
Round 4	1:45 p.m.
Round 5	3:00 p.m.
Round 6	4:15 p.m.

Prize-giving: As soon as possible after the last game. The venue must be cleared and vacated by 6:00 p.m. at latest.

Minimum Guaranteed Prize Fund

'A' Tournament (1800 and above)

1 st	\$400
2 nd	\$250
3 rd	\$100
4 th	\$50

'B' Tournament (under 1800) (Under 1800 may enter A-grade if desired)

1 st	\$150
2 nd	\$80
3 rd	\$50

Juniors tournament: under 15 years on 1 Jan 2016 and unrated/rated<1200

1 st	\$50
2 nd	\$30
3 rd	\$25
4 th	\$15

Trophies

The A Tournament winner will hold the Hawke's Bay Rapid Open trophy for one year, while the highest placed Hawke's Bay player(s) will also receive an annually awarded trophy. All non-Junior place-getters win a gold-medal-winning red wine.

Eligibility

Players can enter a tournament higher than their rating classification, but the organisers reserve the right to move a player to a different tournament if they feel he/she has entered an inappropriate one.

Rating

Tournaments will be FIDE- and NZCF-rated where possible. Non-NZL players **must** have FIDE ID issued by their chess federation.

Entry fees (if paid by 22 January 2016)

A tournament	\$30	\$40 late
B tournament	\$20	\$25 late
Junior Tournament	\$10	

Family discount: Deduct \$5 each for 2 or more members of the same family if one is a Junior. Players not NZCF registered must pay an additional \$20 registration fee to play in the A or B grade (NZCF registration is not required for the Junior tournament). Financial Hawke's Bay Chess Club Inc players will be subsidised \$5 by the Club.

Entries can be paid directly to the Club's **Westpac account 03 0658 0245215 00**. Please state name and tournament choice, and email full details to Cindy Carpenter at csc@slw.co.nz.

Email entries without payment will be treated as late entries and can be paid up to 9:00a.m. on 5th February 2016. New entries will be accepted on the day of play only at the discretion of the organiser.

Entry Form

Please email details to csc@slw.co.nz

Name _____
Surname First Name

Email: _____ DOB: _____

Phone No: _____

Address: _____

FIDE/NZCF #: _____

I wish to enter (circle applicable event)

A / B / Junior

I enclose:

Entry fee: \$30 A, \$20 B, or \$10 Junior
NZCF Registration fee (if applicable): \$20
Total:

Please make cheques payable to **Hawke's Bay Chess Inc**

(Send cheques to The Organiser, Hawke's Bay Rapid Open, C/- PO Box 41, Napier)