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Hi everyone,

Welcome to our new subscribers!

October's Thursday series concludes tonight with Round 4. The Wall Chart can be found on our website next to the registration link. There's no weekly game next week so players can enjoy Halloween. November's Series will be played on November 7, 14, 19, and 21. Note that November 19 is a Tuesday. The Thursday series is open to all players rated 900+

Our recent Beginner and over 700 tournament had two sections with 18 players: one for those rated 700+ and one for those rated under 700. Congrats to Davin Huang for winning the U700 section and to Sid Kamalanathan for winning the Over 700 section. With his win, Davin is now rated over 700. The full results can be seen on the USChess [website](#):

Upcoming tournaments at SNVCC:

October Scholastic for kids in grades 2-12: Sunday October 27 @ 1:00pm

November Adults-only tournament for players over age 18: Sunday November 3 @ 1:00pm

November Scholastic for kids in grades 2-12: Sunday November 17 @ 1:00pm

November Beginner and 700+ tournament: November 24 @ 1:00pm

Registration links for all tournaments can be found on our [website](#).

Casual Chess and Socializing: Friday October 25 @ 6-8:30pm. We usually get 10-12 kids and a few adults. Last week, we introduced the kids to a strategic board game called Dvonn. Fees are \$7 but free for all paid members.

From Nevada Chess: Congratulations to Northern Nevada Championship winner Daniil Fedunov and to second place finishers Aastik Grover and Yajur Chandar. The tournament had 25 players competing. Reno Chess Club President Fred Roscher is compiling the list of players who will be available to compete against the winners from Southern Nevada during the weekend of November 8-10. The results for Northern Nevada can be found on the USChess site at: <https://www.uschess.org/msa/XtblMain.php?202410139372>

Competing from Southern Nevada for State Champion will be:

Lance Manalo

Leo Creger

Mike Zaloznyy (substituting for traveling Jarl Bitoon)

Competing from Southern Nevada for State Reserve Champion will be:

Max Castro

Alex Skoczylas

Justin Zhou

Announcement

The Southern Nevada Chess Club is trying a first of its kind (for us) Introduction to Chess Course for kids ages 7-10. This accelerated and ambitious project for students who have little or no knowledge of Chess will be facilitated by one of

students who have little or no knowledge of Chess will be facilitated by one of our members, Ed Pollock, along with myself with assistance from 11-year-old Julia Wang (approximate rating: 1000). The course will run for 90 minutes, including a 10-15 minute break midway through each class, on seven consecutive Saturdays from 12:15pm-1:45pm beginning November 16 and concluding on December 28. The fee of \$210 will include USCF membership and a post-course rated tournament only for the students.

This course is for highly interested kids in the age bracket and students must plan to attend all sessions. For more info, including the expected curriculum, please see the flyer on our website at <https://snvchess.com/intro> Please do refer friends who may be interested. We have a minimum of 6 spots and a maximum of 8 spots available.

Hope to see you soon!

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