

UTAH STATE CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

December 5-6, 2020

December 5th: Boondocks
75 E Southfork Drive
Draper, UT 84020

December 6th: Marquee IT LLC
1145 S 800 E, #200
Orem, UT 84097

5 Round Swiss – One Section

Rounds: Saturday: 12:00 pm, 2:45 pm, 6:30 pm

Sunday: 10:15 am and 2:15 pm

**Time Control: Round one G/50 +30 second increment;
all other rounds G/70 +30 seconds increment**

Prizes: \$200 (plus trophy)-\$100. U2000 - \$75.

Winner (or highest placed Utah resident) is the Utah 2020 State Champion. Only Utah residents are eligible for title and trophy.

Entry Fee: \$25 if registered and **paid** by Thursday, December 4 (www.utahchess.com), \$40 late/onsite. GM/IM/FM/WGM free.

Advance Registration: Register online via link at utahchess.com.

Onsite Registration: Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. Players who have not pre-registered **and** pre-paid prior to the close of registration will be paired at the TD's discretion, but should expect to receive a half point bye.

This is a Closed Tournament. The eligibility requirements to play in this tournament are:

- Be rated over 1800 at some point during the year or
- Score at least 2.5 points without requested byes in the open section of the Utah Open or
- Be the winner of the 2019 Utah Amateur Championship or
- Be the winner of the 2020 Utah Senior Championship.

Those with questions about eligibility are encouraged to either consult the actual requirements or to email utchess@gmail.com.

Byes: Half-point byes – Players may request half-point byes for up to two (2) rounds but such byes must be requested prior to pairing of Rd 2. Last round bye requests are irrevocable. (See USCF Rule 22C.)

Questions? Send an email to utchess@gmail.com.