

2018 Vermont Open Chess Tournament

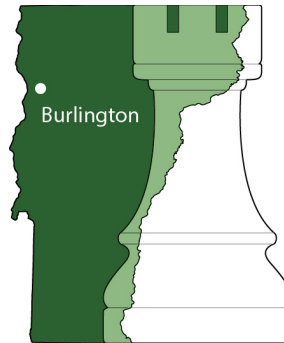
June 9 & 10 (Saturday & Sunday)

Contois Auditorium in City Hall

149 Church Street*

Burlington, Vermont

*at the lower end of the
Church Street Marketplace



4 rounds, Swiss system, in 3 sections ... Time control for all games: 40/90, SD/30 d5

Championship For players who are USCF-rated at least 1700.

ENTRY FEE: \$43 if rec'd by June 7, or \$50 at the site.

GUARANTEED PRIZES: \$260•\$170, Under 2110 \$160, Under 1960 \$150.

State Champion title to top-scoring Vermont resident.

Under 1810 **ENTRY FEE:** \$38 if rec'd by June 7, or \$45 at the site.

GUARANTEED PRIZES: \$210•\$140, U1610 \$130•90.

Under 1410 **ENTRY FEE:** \$33 if rec'd by June 7, or \$40 at the site,
or \$23/\$30 for anyone who is USCF-unrated or USCF-rated under 800.

GUARANTEED PRIZES: \$150•\$100, U1210 \$80, U1010 \$60.

*No unrated player may win more than \$90 in **Under 1810** or \$45 in **Under 1410**.*

All entrants must be members of the United States Chess Federation. USCF dues may be paid with advance entry fee or at the playing site on Saturday morning.

Tournament organizer: Parker "Monty" Montgomery, vermonty64@earthlink.net or 802-349-7739 (mobile). **To enter in advance**, make check payable to Parker Montgomery, and mail it to him at PO Box 831, Middlebury, VT 05753-0831. Or use PayPal.com to send money to vermonty64@earthlink.net

Deadline for advance entry via US Mail: postmarked by Tuesday, June 5. Deadline for entry via PayPal at the advance entry price: Thursday, June 7. *If entering via PayPal on Friday, June 8, please pay \$3 more than the advance entry price (or \$7 more after 6:00 PM).*

Registration period for at-site entry: Saturday, June 9, 9:30 AM to 10:35 AM.

Starting times of the rounds: Saturday 11:00 AM & 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:00 AM & 3:00 PM. Half-point bye OK for any one round except for Round 4 of the Championship section. Deadline for requesting a half-point bye: Saturday 3:30 PM.

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