

**A special issue of tournaments coming up****Calendar of the tournaments****Billanook College Chess Championship**

August 13 Saturday
Time registration 9:30
Rounds 7
Time control 15 mins per player

Box Hill Open

August 12, 19, 26.
Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23
All rounds start 7.45 PM start

Canterbury Day Nighter**Friday Dec. 9**

Round 1
start time 7.00 PM

Saturday Dec 10

Round 2 and 3
Start time rd 2 10.00 AM rd 3 3.00 PM

Sunday Dec 11

Round 4 and 5
Start time rd 4 10.00 AM rd 5 3.00 PM

Monday Dec. 12

Round 6
Start time 7.00 PM

2012 Aus Junior

January 2012

2012 Aus Championships

27 December 2011 to 8 January 2012

2011 Box Hill Open

This popular tournament has been in the doldrums for the last couple of years but we are hoping for better things with a new time frame. Full details are now available on the BHCC web site [with on line entry forms] but here is an outline:

Tournament: A 7 round swiss.

Rate of Play: 75 min. per player per game plus 30 sec. per move from move 1

Ratings: ACF rated

Early bird entry fee **\$55** Must be paid by

Tuesday August 9 Full entry fee **\$65**

\$10 disc. for BHCC / CJCC members

Free entry for Grand Masters and International Masters and FIDE masters who are members of the Box Hill Chess Club

Entries: by mail to the address on the entry form or in person at BHCC

Prizes

Total Prize fund **\$1300**

First Prize **\$500**

Second Prize **\$250**

Third prize **\$150**

5 Ratings prizes **\$80**

Playing schedule:

Friday August 12, 19, 26. at 7.45 PM

Friday September 2, 9, 16, 23, at 7.45 PM

2012 Australian Junior

The 2012 Australian Junior Chess Championships is in Melbourne again, in Clifton Hill between 14th and 22nd Jan.

The event is being organised by Melbourne Chess Club and will be held at Spensley Street Primary School (5 minutes walk from Clifton Hill station).

There will be a separate

Open and Girls championships for U8, U10, U12, U14, U16 and U18 age groups (12 Australian junior championship titles to be decided). The

U8/U10 is 3 days, the U12/U14 is 5 days and the U16/U18 is 9 days. There is no qualification to enter, and it is a great opportunity for juniors to improve their chess and see how they are going relative to their peers. For more information see the web-site:

www.2012ausjuniorchamps.com

2011 Canterbury Day-Nighter

A new venture for the Box Hill Chess Club. 6 rounds in early December

ratings

Fide rated ACF rated

FIDE forfeit time 30 minutes

Rate of play 1.5 hour + 30 sec./move 1

Rate of play

90 minutes plus 30 sec. starting from move 40

Schedule

Friday December 9

Round 1

start time 7.00 PM

Saturday December 10

Round 2 and 3 Start time rd 2 10.00 AM

rd 3 3.00 PM

Sunday December 11

Round 4 and 5

Start time rd 4 10.00 AM rd 5 3.00 PM

Monday December 12

Round 6

Start time 7.00 PM

Entry fees

Early bird entry fee \$50 Must be paid by Tuesday December 6. Full entry fee \$60 \$10 discount. for BHCC and CJCC members

Prize fund

First Prize **\$500**

Second Prize **\$250**

Third prize **\$150**

5 Ratings prizes **\$80 each**

This promises to be a crackerjack tournament in a time slot to please young and old.

Exams over

No day sessions on week days for working people

No 3 games a day schedule.

Good weather [we hope]

Tournament control by newly elected Box Hill FIDE arbiters

3 Rochester Road

A venue to remember

Billanook College Chess Championship
Tournament #3 - Saturday August 13th.
Venue - Billanook College, 197 Cardigan Rd., Mooroolbark
Time - registration 9:30
Rounds - 7 Time control 15 mins/player
Cost - \$15 Prizes - cash, medals, trophy
Info - http://www.NorthernStarChess.com/Tourney_Billanook.html

2011 Australasian Masters
At the Box Hill Chess Club venue at 3
Rochester Road Canterbury 3126

Sponsored by Chess Victoria
and Hallsteen PTY LTD Director E.Levi
Tournament organizer

Chess Australia PTY.LTD
www.chesscoaching.com.au

Director Leonid Sandler
DGT Boards and venue provided by the Box
Hill Chess Club

www.boxhillchess.org.au

Time control: 90 minutes for 40 moves plus 30
minutes till the end of the game plus 30 seconds
per move from move one

FIDE forfeit time: 30 minutes.

Prizes: First. **\$1000**
Second. **\$500**
Third. **\$300**

Best Victorian player will get Victorian Master title
plus **\$500**

Playing schedule

Saturday December 10. Starting time 4-30 pm

Sunday December 11. Starting time 4-30 pm.

Monday December 12. Starting time 4-30 pm.

Tuesday December 13. Starting time 4-30 pm.

Wednesday December 14. Starting time 4.30 pm.

Thursday December 15. Starting time 4-30 pm.

Friday December 16. Starting time 4-30 pm

Saturday December 17. Starting time 4-30 pm.

Sunday December 18. Starting time 2-00 pm.

2011 Friday Grades Tournament at BHCC

A 6 round super accelerated Swiss tournament in
October and November

Format: Groups of 8 to 10 players permanently ac-
celerated 2 points apart, This arrangement tested in
2010 ensures most games within each group and
avoids the rigidity of round robin configuration

Visitors welcome.

Clocks start 7:45 pm.

Forfeit time 30 minutes

Rate of play: 75 minutes plus 30 sec. per move from
move 1

ACF rated.

Entry fee \$15.

Visitors fee \$15 for non BHCC or Canterbury Junior
members.

7 rounds Rd 1, October 14, Rd 2, October 21

Rd 3, October 28 Rd 4, November 4

Rd 5, November 11, Rd 6, November 18

Note: Postponed games to be caught up on the
Tuesday nights

Prize fund: \$50 per group [first and second]

Check the website www.boxhillchess.org.au

Seek information from committee members,

Australian Chess Championship 2012

27 December 2011 to 8 January 2012

Geelong

Venue Sphinx Hotel, Function Room,
2 Thompson Road, North Geelong, 3215
(Melway 441, H10; 1.4km from North Geelong rail
station)

Prizes

Championship

Total Pool \$8,000

1st \$ 3,000 5th \$ 500

2nd \$ 2,000 6th \$ 400

3rd \$ 1,000 7th \$ 250

4th \$ 700 8th \$ 150

Plus Commemorative plaques 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Reserves

Total Pool \$ 4,500

1st \$ 1,000

2nd \$ 600

3rd \$ 400

Plus commemorative plaques 1st, 2nd, 3rd

6 x ratings sections 1st \$ 250

Top Female \$ 250

Top Junior \$ 250

Top Senior \$ 250

Best Game \$ 250

Lightning

Total Pool \$ 1,500

1. \$ 725

2. \$ 350

3. \$ 200

4. \$ 150

5. \$ 75

Plus commemorative plaques 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Entry

Entry Free entry for:

GMs, IMs,

WGMs WIMs

Championship & Reserves

\$ 165 less \$ 20 early entry

\$ 125 less \$ 20 early entry concession

Lightning (to be held 5 January 2012)

\$ 25

\$ 18 concession

Early entry: on or before 1 December 2011

Closing date for entries: 13 December 2011

Lightning closing date: 4 January 2012

Entry subject to approval by ACF committee

Rate of Play

40 moves in 90 minutes +30 minutes for remainder

of game +30 seconds per move from move one

Default Time: 30 minutes

All conditions subject to FIDE and ACF regulations.

Accommodation

Mercure Hotel Geelong is offering a special deal for
ACC2012 attendees.

See <http://www.auschess.org.au/> for details.

and

<http://www.visitgeelongbellarine.com>

Early booking is strongly advised, as there are
other major events planned in Geelong in this peak
period.

<http://www.geelongchess.com>

<http://www.auschess.org.au>

<http://www.chessvictoria.org.au>