

# Roving ChessNuts CHESS Teasers

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Grade 2 field of battle at the 2011 Northern Alberta Scholastic Championships.

## Scholastic Chess Schedule

### Society of Alberta Chess Knights & The Roving ChessNuts

To be notified of any changes or updates to this schedule, e-mail: [societyofchessknights@shaw.ca](mailto:societyofchessknights@shaw.ca) and you will be sent updated schedules and details of events by e-mail. ECC in the listings stands for Edmonton Chess Club at 10840 - 124 Street. RC stands for Roving ChessNuts at 12013 76 Street.

**Friday evening, December 2** - The Jr./Sr. High Only Tournament has been switched to an Open Scholastic and Adult Tournament at RC. Cash prizes open to first 16 players registered on line. See notice on this page.

**Sunday, December 11** - Scholastic Christmas Tournament at ECC - usually one of the biggest tournaments of the year with lots of Christmas treats to be won by draws and via the chess board. Register now.

**Saturday Morning, December 31** - End of 2011 Scholastic Tournament at RC. Watch for details.

**Sunday Afternoon, January 1** - First Tournament of 2012 at RC. Watch for details.

**Sunday, January 15** - Welcome 2012 Scholastic Tournament at ECC Usual format of round-robin sections according to chess rating.

**Sunday, January 29** - Elementary School Team Match at ECC.

**Sunday, March 18** - Edmonton Regional Challenge

**Saturday, April 21** - Alberta Chess Challenge in Red Deer (School grade competition leading to National.)

Last Call for Early Bird Registrations ... *Win Motorcycle Show tickets!*

## Scholastic Christmas Tournament, December 11

at Edmonton Chess Club, Pizza Lunch for Chess Families at Noon, Tournament starts after awards ceremonies for Grand Prix and Northern Championships Register at [www.rovingchessnuts@shaw.ca](http://www.rovingchessnuts@shaw.ca) before midnight, November 30, and you will be entered in a draw for two tickets for January 13 to 15 show at Northlands Expo

### Northern Alberta Scholastic Chess Championships Results:

**Grade 1:** 1. Andi Superceanu

**Grade 2:** 1. Daniel Zhang, 2. Adrian Kovac, 3. Jeffrey Ma, 4. Eric Li, 5. John Thomson, 6. Ellis McDougald

**Grade 3 Pro Section:** 1. Lenard Grossmann, 2. Kaixin Wang, 3. Siddhartha Chitrakar

**Grade 3 Amateur Section:** 1. Ada Broughton, 2. Andrew Carlson, 3-4 tied Peter Daye and Olga Cadenillas

**Grade 4:** 1. David Yao, 2. Alvin Wu, 3. Emmett Maxfield, 4. Bryn McDougald

**Grade 5 Pro Section:** 1. Ian McCullough, 2. Adam Mawani, 3. Boris Stevanovic, 4-5 tied Tosin Kuye and Kevin Stanislus

**Grade 5 Amateur Section:** 1. Prayus Shrestha, 2. Remi Hou, 3. Joshua Gamache, 4. Ryan Lupul

**Grade 6 Pro Section:** 1. Mark Nie, 2. Matthew Zita, 3. Ethan Chew, 4. Alex Broughton, 5-6 tied Rayden Lin and Adam Roth

**Grade 6 Amateur Section:** 1. Jessie Zhang, 2. Johnny Burn, 3-4 tied Robert Gibson and Ewan McAlister

**Grade 7:** 1. Noah Hoffner, 2. Filip Stevanovic 3. Collin Harrison, 4. Allan Stanislus, 5. Ryan Nowakowsky

**Grade 8:** 1. David McCullough, Stephen Pavlic, 3. Raghu Manohar, 4. Dennis Situ

**Grade 9:** 1. Prabjeet Bansal, 2. Aren Zita, 3. Henry Song

Grade 10: No Entrants

**Grade 11:** 1. Derek Thomas, 2. Etienne Leclerc

Grade 12: No Entrants

**50/50 Raffle Winner of \$166 - Ticket #122 Trev Ushko** of Edmonton;

**Secondary Chess Set Prize - Ticket #31 Ian Brooks** of Strathcona County

**Players Draw for each Grade Prizes:** Andi Superceanu, Adrian Kovac, Olga Cadenillas, Alvin Wu, Adam Mawani, Ethan Chew, Collin Harrison, Raghu Manohar, Aren Zita, Etienne Leclerc

**General Prize of Tube Travel Chess Set - Joshua Gamache**

All Northern Champs receive a free entry in the 2012 Alberta Challenge, April 21 in Red Deer, compliments of the Society of Alberta Chess Knights.



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## Alberta Recreational Chess League

Open to Chess'n Math Scholastic Players\*  
and Adult Recreational Players\*

### Inaugural Skins Cash Tournament at Roving ChessNuts

12013 76 Street • Friday, December 2, 7:00 p.m.

Register online: [www.rovingchessnuts.com](http://www.rovingchessnuts.com)

Entry Fee: \$10 adult, \$5 scholastic

80% of entry fee go towards prizes

plus Roving ChessNuts is contributing to the prize pool

Each Game won = \$8; Each Game drawn = \$4.00

All Participants, including Adult, rated nationally by Chess'n Math Association  
Time control: 25 minutes per clock face • 2 to 3 games per evening

\* Scholastic Players (Grades 1 to 12) must be rated over 1000 by Chess'nMath

\* Adults with CFC rating must be below 2000; their starting CnM rating will match CFC rating

Limited to 16 to 20 players so please register as soon as possible

A balance of adult and scholastic players will be attempted

Call 780-474-2318 or e-mail [rovingchessnuts@shaw.ca](mailto:rovingchessnuts@shaw.ca) for further details