



Saturday Morning Knights Chess Club

For beginning
Chess Players

at The Roving ChessNuts Training Facility
#203, 12013 76 Street, Edmonton

Winter 2010 Club Meetings/Classes

12 Saturdays, January 9 through end of March or into early April, 9:30 to 12 Noon

(Due to occasional chess competitions on Saturdays, a date or two may have to be cancelled, but any missed sessions will be made up until a total of 12 sessions are held.)

Instructors for the Knights Chess Club are Bruce Thomas, Derek Thomas and Andy Hess
Depending on enrollment one or more other instructors will be on hand to help beginners

Requirements for Enrollment:

1. Your Chess'n Math rating should be below 900 or you are a brand new player with little or no chess knowledge and over the age of 6. (Children ages 6 thru 8 are accepted on the provision they prove themselves to be mature enough to work within a group and can handle the competition.)
2. You should enroll for the entire 12-week session or portion of meetings remaining. Some drop-in spots may be available, but if enrollment limit is reached, drop-ins will not be allowed unless specifically invited. There will be no private one-on-one lessons for beginning players offered on Saturdays. Evaluations of brand new students will be held during these sessions.
3. You must sign and abide by the Roving ChessNuts Code of Conduct. Failure to follow the Code could lead to suspension or removal from the Club.
4. Arrival time at the Roving ChessNuts training facility should not be prior to 9:20 a.m. and departure or parental pick-up must be by 12:05 p.m. sharp. Club members may come when they want and leave when they want ... although we advise that younger players may wish to limit themselves to 90 minutes.

Contents of Each Session:

1. Different lessons at 9:45, 10:45 and, 11:45 a.m., followed by exercises
2. Quizzes and Chess Problems, including possible homework and chess tip sheets
3. Coaching Tips throughout the session and Analysis of some of participants' games
4. Chess'n Math nationally-rated games
5. A juice, veggie tray and/or snack will be provided to each participant

Enrollment will be limited. Preference given to students who were enrolled in fall program if they were showing progress. If the Knights Club is oversubscribed, there may be a Saturday afternoon, 1 to 3:30, Rooks Club started.

Knights Club Fees: \$15 ^{+GST} (\$15.75) per Meeting Drop In Fee

\$140 ^{+GST} = \$147.00 for all 12 **20% for 2nd student from same family for either fee**
Savings of \$42 over drop in fees

Enrollment fees must be prepaid, however, if you attend first few meetings at drop-in fee, the drop-in fees paid will be credited towards enrollment if 8 or more meetings remain. We prefer payment by cheque payable to Roving ChessNuts - payments above \$150 can be divided into two payments with the second cheque postdated by one month.

TO ENROLL, PLEASE APPLY BY E-MAIL:
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