
2016 Victorian Country Chess Championship

Promoted by the Victorian Rural Chess League

Dates	Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 October 2016																					
Venue	Girl Guides Hall, 33 Myers St, Geelong. This is the meeting place of the Geelong Chess Club and is being provided at no charge by that club.																					
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Entry Fees	\$60 Adult \$40 Concession Concession applies to Pensioners, Unemployed and Full-Time Students. Present concession card at the tournament. Payment can be made either at the event or by EFT to the bank account of Ballarat Chess Club Inc BSB 182 512 number 9632 63561.																					
Eligibility	The Victorian Country Chess Championship is open to all Victorian players whose main place of residence is outside a 50 km radius from the Melbourne GPO.																					
Rate of Play	All moves in 60 minutes per player plus an increment of 30 seconds per move from move 1. The moves of all games should be recorded.																					
Prizes	All entry fees will be distributed in prizes after deduction of expenses in conducting the event. There will be prizes awarded for the first three players in the Championship and Reserve sections. If there is a tie for a title then joint champions will be declared and prize money divided equally. All players will compete in a single tournament. The prize pool will be allocated 75% to the Championship and 25% to the Reserve.																					
Reserve Champion	The title of Reserve Champion will be awarded to the leading player(s) in the bottom half of the field based on rating.																					
Entries & Inquiries	Email entries to kevinp@ppt.com.au or n.barrow@latrobe.edu.au Post to VRCL at PO Box 500 Ballarat Vic 3353. Telephone Kevin on 5331 3711, mobile 0418 533 517 or Nigel on 5444 7916, mobile 0421 674 869 for inquiry. Email advice of entry would be appreciated.																					
Accommodation alternatives	There are numerous hotels and motels in Geelong. Two nearby ones include Mercure Hotel Cnr Gheringhap & Myers Streets and Aberdeen Motor Inn at 9 Aberdeen Street. For further information visit the official city website at visitgeelongbellarine.com.au																					
General	All games will be submitted for rating through Chess Victoria. The Arbiter for the event will be Nigel Barrow. A players committee will be elected to review any appeal against a decision by the Arbiter will be elected prior to the start of the tournament.																					

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Rating _____

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