

Playing Schedule

Opening announcements:	Sat	09:45
Round 1:	Sat	10:00 – 13:00
Round 2:	Sat	13:30 – 16:30
Round 3:	Sat	17:00 – 20:00
Round 4:	Sun	09:30 – 12:30
Round 5:	Sun	13:00 – 16:00
Prizegiving:	Sun	16:30

The organisers would be grateful if players would stay for prizegiving – prizes will not be awarded earlier.

Time Control

The Weald is a 5-round swiss tournament.

35 moves in 75 minutes, then add 15 minutes to each clock.
A ½ point bye is available in rounds 1 – 4 if requested on the entry form.

Default time is 30 mins after the scheduled start time of the round. Players without an opponent after this time must expect to be re-paired.

Notices

The tournament Controller's decision is final.

Your details will be held on our database solely to inform you about future events.

Results, grades and photos will be published on our website and may be used in the Press.

ECF Standardplay grades will be used where possible.
ECF Rapidplay grades will be accepted as the player's strength if a player has no ECF Standardplay grade.

Players with estimated grades are not eligible to win a grading prize.
If ungraded, please provide an estimate and details of recent results.

The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry without giving a reason; or to transfer players to a higher section at any point during the event.

Weald Congress Sections

All adults and juniors are welcome – there are no minimum grading or age limits.

The Weald is part of the ECF Grand Prix and results will be submitted to the ECF for grading.

If there are insufficient entries in a section, the organisers may combine sections.

Prize Fund

Open – Total £425

1st £190, 2nd £95, 3rd £50

Grading Prizes - U200, U190, U180 - £30

Major – U175 - Total £375

1st £170, 2nd £85, 3rd £40

Grading prizes - U165, U155, U145 - £25

Intermediate – U140 - Total £325

1st £155, 2nd £75, 3rd £45

Grading prizes - U130, U120 - £25

Minor – U110 - Total £295

1st £110, 2nd £55, 3rd £30

Grading prizes - U100, U90, U80, U70 - £25

All prizes are subject to the number of entries.
Additional prizes may be available if the level of entries is sufficient.

In a tie, prizes will be split.
No player may receive more than one cash prize.

Sussex U14 & U18 Titles 2011

The Weald Congress incorporates the Sussex U18 title (George Self Cup), the Sussex U14 title (Brian Denman Cup), and the Sussex U18 Girls Anne Gammans Cup.

Congress information, news, and results

Updated information, news, results and photos from the event will be posted on our website:

www.wealdchesscongress.org

WEALD ENTRY FORM

Send to: Paula Payne, Weald Entry Manager,
222 King Edward Avenue, Worthing. BN14 8DL. Please
make cheques payable to Sussex Junior Chess.

Surname:.....

Forename:.....

Address:.....

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Postcode:.....

Telephone:.....

Email:.....

Club:.....

Date of Birth (U18s):.....

School (U18s):.....

Bye (Circle round) 1 2 3 4

ECF Grade:..... ECF Memb. No:.....

Open - £30 (GMs Free) £

Major - £26 £

Intermediate - £24 £

Minor - £22 £

Donation (thank you!) £

LESS £5 Early Entry Discount – entry with fee must be received on or before 6th July 2011 £(.....)

LESS £2 for ECF members £(.....)

LESS £1 for SJC members £(.....)

Last minute fee - £10 for entries on Sat before the start of round 1 £

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED £

Entry will only be acknowledged where we have your legible email address, or, an sae is enclosed.

By entering this event, you agree to be bound by all terms and conditions.

Entry Fees:

£5 DISCOUNT may be claimed if entry and fee received on or before Wednesday 6th July 2011

		Discounted Fee (before 6 th July)	
Open:	£30	£25	GMs free
Major:	£26	£21	
Intermediate:	£24	£19	
Minor:	£22	£17	

Other concessions: ECF members may claim a £2 discount. Sussex Junior Chess members may claim a £1 discount.

Last minute fee: £10 surcharge per player payable for entries on the Saturday morning before Round 1.

Section transfers requested after the 1st round draw has been made on the Friday: £10 each.

No refunds after July 10th.

Donations: This tournament is not sponsored; donations are most welcome and will be used by Sussex Junior Chess Association to invest in junior chess in Sussex.

Previous Winners:

4th Congress Open:

1st IM Susan Lalic, 2nd IM Graeme Buckley

3rd Congress Open:

1st = GM Simon Williams, Peter Kemp,
Callum Kilpatrick, Ian Snape

Directions:

Copthorne Prep School is just off the A264 near to its junction with the M23. From Junction 10 of the M23, take the A264 Eastbound signposted to East Grinstead. After about 2 miles, turn left at The Duke's Head roundabout on to the B2028 Northbound. Then take the 2nd turning on the left (Mill Lane leading in to Effingham Lane) and the school entrance is about 300 yards along on the left.

There is ample car parking on site.

Nearest railway stations are:

Gatwick Airport or Three Bridges (London ~ Brighton line);
East Grinstead (from East Croydon and Oxted).

Accommodation and Transport:

Accommodation lists and transport information can be obtained from the Tourist Information Centres at East Grinstead (01342 410121) or Horsham (01403 211661).

More information: www.wealdchesscongress.org

Refreshments

Hot and cold snacks, freshly made sandwiches, drinks and confectionary will be on sale throughout the event. There will also be a barbecue throughout the day.

Disclaimer

The Organisers and their officials accept no responsibility for any damage, theft or accident to the person or property of anyone attending this event.

Contact:

Information: info@wealdchesscongress.org
Entries: entrymanager@wealdchesscongress.org or
01903 209415

Contact number for emergency use during congress only:
07835 516515

THE 5th WEALD CHESS CONGRESS 2011

The Sports Centre,
Copthorne Prep School,
Effingham Lane, Copthorne,
Crawley, Sussex. RH10 3HR

SATURDAY and SUNDAY
16th ~ 17th JULY 2011

£1400 prize fund

4 Sections – 5 Round Swiss
Part of the ECF Grand Prix

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£5 discount for early entry before 6th July 2011



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