OREGON OPEN SIDE EVENTS

RAPID (G/6;inc6): Saturday, September 2

Schedule: Register on-site any time before 8:15pm on Saturday. Play starts at 8:30pm and will likely last until around 10:30pm.

Format: 4-round single Swiss in two sections, Open and U1550, with the higher of a player's official September US Chess over-the-board regular and quick rating generally used for section eligibility, pairings, and prize eligibility. US Chess quick rated. \$25 entry fee and US Chess membership is required; pay by cash, check payable to the Oregon Chess Federation, or PayPal to payments@oregonchessfed.org.

Prizes: \$435 based on 30 players. The prize fund is adjusted proportionally if there are a different number of players. **Open section**: 1st-\$85, 2nd-\$65, 1st U2050-\$50, 1st U1800-\$40; **U1550 section**: 1st-\$70, 2nd-\$55, 1st U1300-\$40, 1st U1050-\$30. Unrated players are eligible for all the prizes in the section they play in.

BLITZ (G/3;inc3): Sunday, September 3

Schedule: Register on-site any time before 8:15pm on Sunday. Play starts at 8:30pm and will likely last until around 10:30pm.

Format: 8-round single Swiss in two sections, Open and U1550, with the higher of a player's official September US Chess over-the-board regular and blitz rating generally used for section eligibility, pairings, and prize eligibility. US Chess blitz rated. \$25 entry fee and US Chess membership is required; pay by cash, check payable to the Oregon Chess Federation, or PayPal to payments@oregonchessfed.org.

Prizes: \$435 based on 30 players. The prize fund is adjusted proportionally if there are a different number of players. **Open section:** 1st-\$85, 2nd-\$65, 1st U2050-\$50, 1st U1800-\$40; **U1550 section:** 1st-\$70, 2nd-\$55, 1st U1300-\$40, 1st U1050-\$30. Unrated players are eligible for all the prizes in the section they play in.