



**2016 Texas Scholastic Chess Championships  
Hosted by Dr. Americo Paredes Elementary**

To be held at Rivera Early College High School  
6955 FM 802

Brownsville, TX 78521

**March 5/6, 2016**



**Texas Chess Association**

The Texas Chess Association, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation, established under Section 501(c) (3) of the IRS code, whose purpose is educational and instructional in promoting interest in chess in the State of Texas.

**Sections:**

Eleven sections. **TCA rules will be in use for this tournament.**

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Kinder/First (K – 1) Primary Championship (K – 3) Primary JV (K–3U700) Elementary Championship (K – 5/6) Elementary JV (K–5/6U800) Elementary Novice (K-3U500) Middle School Championship (6 – 8/9) Middle School JV (6–8/9U900) Middle School Novice (6-8/9U600) High School Championship (9 – 12) High School JV (9–12U1000)

**Time controls:**

**Saturday:** All K-1, Primary, Elementary, Middle School JV, Middle School Novice, & High School JV sections will be G/45;d5. All Middle School & High School Championship sections will be G/60;d5.

**Sunday:** All K-1, Primary, Elementary, Middle School JV, Middle School Novice, & High School JV sections will be G/60;d5. All Middle School & High School Championship sections will be G/75;d5.

**Registration:**

**Registration fee will be \$42.00 by Feb. 19, 2016, 5:00pm** or \$69.00 if received/postmarked after deadline. Incomplete entries or entries submitted without payment or PO may be charged the late fee. Last day to request a refund is Feb. 31, 2016, 5:00pm. You are encouraged to submit your entries on a spreadsheet. Late entries may receive a 1<sup>st</sup> round ½ point bye. **There will be no on-site substitutions.** USCF membership is required of all players.

**More information and rules on the tournament website.**

**Web site:** [2016texaschessscholastics.com](http://2016texaschessscholastics.com)

**Information for the South West Collegiate tournament can be found on the web site.**

**Contact info:**

James Houghtaling at 698-2019/574-5582.

E-mail batch/individual entries to [jejrhougthaling@bisd.us](mailto:jejrhougthaling@bisd.us)

Mail payments for entries & USCF memberships to:

Paredes Chess Booster Club  
3700 Heritage Trail  
Brownsville, TX 78526-1190

**Awards:**

Kinder/1<sup>st</sup> thru High School  
Trophies to top 15 teams in each section.  
Individual trophies to top 20 players.  
Only one team per school can earn a trophy.  
A team consists of a minimum of 2 players.  
Top 4 player's scores in each section will count towards team scores.  
Score Awards for scoring 4 or more points.

**Chief TD:**

**Francisco Guadalupe NTD**

Please submit this form with proper payment to: Paredes Chess Booster Club.

**Placement (Sections) (Circle one only):** Kinder/First, Primary Championship (K-3), Primary JV (K-3U700), Elementary Championship (K-5/6), Elementary JV (K – 5/6U800), Elementary Novice K-5/6U500), Middle School Championship (6 – 8/9), Middle School JV (6 – 8/9U900), Middle School Novice (6-89/U600), High School Championship (9 – 12), High School JV (9 – 12) U1000  
Feb. published ratings will be used.

Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

USCF ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp.: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Rating: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle requested **BYES** (First one @ 1/2 point, others at 0 points.) RD1 RD2 RD3 RD4 RD5 RD6 RD7

**Fees enclosed:**

Registration: \_\_\_\_\_ New/renewing: \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \_\_\_\_\_

New / renewing fees: \$17.00 ages 12 & under, \$22.00 ages 13 – 15, \$26.00 ages 16-24.