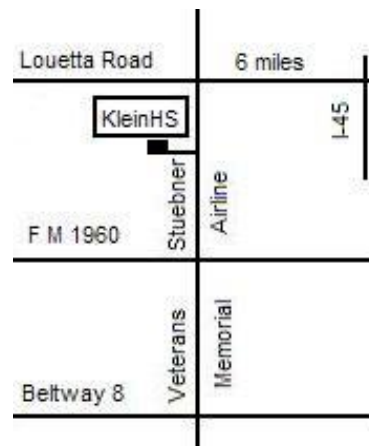


# 21<sup>ST</sup> KLEIN WINTER SCHOLASTIC CHESS TOURNAMENT

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2012

### KLEIN HIGH SCHOOL

16715 Stuebner-Airline at Louetta, Spring, Texas



Scholastic Only. 5 Rounds Game-30 or 4 Rounds Game-45 Divisions of 25 to 35 players, depending on entries, Using most recent Regular Rating. Sections will be combined for team trophies, Tie breaks Solkoff, then Modified Median.

**Sections:** Younger and beginning players are grouped into sections by grade level. More experienced players are grouped by rating. Section placement depends upon entries received. The strongest players (rated over *about* 1300, or by request) will be placed in one or more Advanced Sections, and play 4 rounds of Game-45 in a separate room from the main tournament. The top-rated 8 players will play in a Championship Section, 3 rounds of Game-60. Sorry, NO ADULTS this time.

In a Swiss-Style Tournament, everyone plays all rounds. There is no "elimination." If you need to leave, check out at the computer. If you return, or arrive late, check in at the computer. We will follow USCF rules including touch-move and clocks if available. Notation (recording moves) is required in Championship and Advanced sections, and is encouraged in all other sections. A player not notating may be penalized 5 minutes on the clock.

If possible, bring your own standard set and board. If you have a clock, please bring it. Equipment and books will be available for sale at the tournament. Remember that Klein High School is always cold, bring a sweater.

**Entry Fee:** \$17.00 if PAYMENT IS RECEIVED by January 19; \$20.00 by phone or e-mail until 8 pm January 20, pay Saturday before 8:50 am. \$25.00 at-site (see below) Withdrawals (phone or e-mail) before 11:30 pm January 22 will be refunded (check destroyed). Enter on-line <http://chess.jliptrap.us/enter.htm> by e-mail [jim@jliptrap.us](mailto:jim@jliptrap.us) or by phone 832-492-7154 Checks to "Klein Chess Club" Sorry, we are unable to accept credit or debit cards. Please check the registration list two days later to be sure all information is correct <http://chess.jliptrap.us/alpha.htm>

**USCF Membership** in "rated" sections is \$11.00 for a one year on-line K-12 membership, new or renewal. Name, address, birthdate, and e-mail must be filled in on the form below for new and renewing players. See <http://chess.jliptrap.us/uscf.htm>

8:00-8:45 **Check-in** for phone and e-mail entries ONLY. Please arrive by 8:30 if you owe entry or USCF fee!

8:00-8:45 **At-Site Registration** \$25.00 - probably FORFEITS Round 1 (after 8:30 *definitely* forfeits Round 1)

9:00 Round 1 begins; absentees withdrawn. Later rounds will be paired as soon as the previous round ends. Please stay available and pay attention to announcements

about 11:30 Lunch will probably follow Round 2. Pizza by the slice, drinks, and other items available for sale on site. Food (except bottled water) is not permitted in the tournament room.

4:00/5:00 **Awards.** Trophies to the top 8 players in each section, School trophies 3 HS, 3 MS, 3 Elem/Primary. Best four or when players' records, sections combined. Players must represent the school where they attend academic classes. finished Players winning 3 out of 5 games (or 2.5 of 4), will win a trophy.

No smoking or alcohol on campus. Handicap accessible - if you have a special need, please describe on the entry form. Sending your registration early (preferably at least a week early) greatly helps us in preparing for a tournament. Mail one check (**payable "Klein Chess Club"**) for total (all players, entry and membership) to:

Klein H S Chess Club phone: 832-492-7154

P.O. Box 12053 e-mail [jim@jliptrap.us](mailto:jim@jliptrap.us)

Spring, TX 77391-2053 check entries at <http://chess.jliptrap.us/alpha.htm>

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### TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM - 21 January 2012

CHECK ONE: Regular-G/30 \_\_\_ . . Advanced-G/45 \_\_\_ (Scholastic K-12 Only)

NAME (last) \_\_\_\_\_ (first) \_\_\_\_\_ (MI) \_\_\_\_\_

USCF ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Rating \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ male \_\_\_ female \_\_\_

Player \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: Mo \_\_\_ Day \_\_\_ Year \_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Will you arrive late or leave early? (rounds 1-4 half-point bye; last round zero-point bye) Blind? Wheelchair? Other needs? Please Explain