

Scarborough Congress Entry Form (2023)

Section Open Major (U2050)
 Intermediate (U1850) Minor (U1700)
 Foundation (U1550)

First Name _____
Surname _____
Date of birth _____
Telephone number _____
Address _____

Postcode _____
Email _____
Chess Club _____
1/2 point bye round(s) (excluding round 5) _____
Rating _____
ECF rating code _____ FIDE ID _____
Any Special needs? _____

Rating info (eg. online details, federation if not ENG)

Entry fee £ _____
(Open £45, Major, Intermediate, Minor £40, Foundation £35)

Pay to Play fee + £ _____
(Open & Major if not ECF Gold £11, other sections if not ECF Silver or above £9)

Donations + £ _____
(All donations will help support next years congress and will be received with thanks)

Total = £ _____

Entries only accepted with full payment.

Cheques - payable to 'Scarborough Chess Congress' and posted to Nigel Hepworth, 71 Fixby Road, Huddersfield. HD2 2JB.

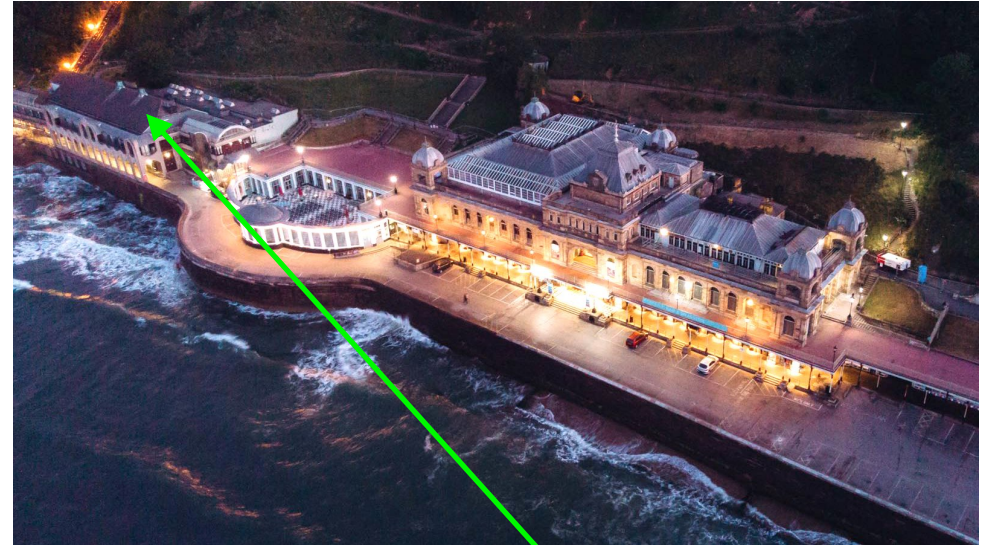
Bank transfer - Sort code 30-96-15, Account no. 02531526 provide your full name as reference.

Thank you

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Scarborough Chess Congress

27th - 29th October 2023



In the Ocean Room

The Spa Complex, South Bay, Scarborough. YO11 2HD

A new **Junior** Rapidplay will be run in the Promenade Room on Saturday 28th October 2023 including a qualifier for the English Team Trial. Further details on our website.

5 round Swiss tournament with 5 sections for all playing abilities
All sections ECF rated, Open & Major FIDE rated

	<i>Prizes</i>			<i>Entry Fee</i>
Open	1 st £700	2 nd £350	3 rd £150	£45
Major (U2050)	1 st £500	2 nd £250	3 rd £100	£40
Intermediate (U1850)	1 st £500	2 nd £250	3 rd £100	£40
Minor (U1700)	1 st £500	2 nd £250	3 rd £100	£40
Foundation (U1550)	1 st £400	2 nd £200	3 rd £100	£35

£100 rating prizes will be awarded in each section subject to entries

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<u>TimeTable</u>		
Round 1	Fri 27 th October	19:00
Round 2	Sat 28 th October	09:30
Round 3	Sat 28 th October	14:30
Round 4	Sun 29 th October	09:30
Round 5	Sun 29 th October	14:30
<i>BST ends on Saturday 28th October</i>		
<i>Games defaulted after 30 minutes</i>		

[Rate of play](#)

All moves in **110 minutes** with a **10 second** increment.
All moves to be recorded until your clock goes under 5 minutes remaining.

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[Contact Details](#)

Tournament Director - Nigel Hepworth (07726 923968)
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Website - www.scarboroughchess.uk

[Notes](#)

- **Open & Major** are FIDE rated. For players with both a FIDE & ECF rating, the highest will be used. All ENG players must be **ECF Gold** or above, non ENG players must have a FIN.
- All other sections players must be **ECF Silver** or above. Otherwise '**Pay to Play**' fees apply.
- The **July 2023** rating lists will be used to determine the section to be played in, the October lists will be used for pairing and rating prizes.
- **Unrated players** - sorry we will not accept entry from an unrated player but will accept ratings provided by other federations such as Scotland and online chess sites like chess.com if details are provided. Rapidplay ratings would also be allowed if a standard rating isn't available.
- **Swiss Manager** will be used to make the pairings which will be published on **www.chess-results.com** along with all the results.
- There will be no exceptions on pairings so you could be paired with family/club members if you are in the same section.
- No tie breaks will be used - in the event of a tie the prize money will be shared equally.
- Only 1 prize can be won by any one person, in the event of being eligible for a main prize and a rating prize, the highest payout option will be used at the discretion of the organisers.
- Entries will only be accepted with **full payment** prior to the event starting.
- Withdrawals before the closing date will receive a full refund minus a £5 administration charge.
- **Closing date** for entries is Thursday 26th October 2023 - no entries on the day of the event will be accepted.
- There will not be a prize giving ceremony, all prize money will be paid via bank transfer after the event.
- Our website will be updated regularly with entries received along with any other news.
- By entering you agree for us to hold your information to allow us to contact you with regards future events and that we would not share this information with anyone without your permission.

[Facilities](#)

The Spa offers a good selection of food and beverages including a bar but eating during your games will **not be permitted**. Unfortunately, there is no accommodation in the Spa Complex but there is a good selection of B&B's and hotels available around the South Bay and the cliff lift will be operational during the weekend.