

Norman Chess Club Policies and Rules

1. Chess club starts at 7:15 PM. Parents need to confirm there is a club meeting when dropping off your kids. Please arrive on time in order to receive the full benefit of instruction and game time. Players need to be ready to play chess upon arrival.
2. Chess club ends at 8:15 PM. Parents, please come inside for pickup. Help us gather and store chess equipment, tables, and chairs.
3. Club members are divided into two groups – competitive and recreational, based on their playing strength and experience. Playing against members of the same group is expected. Players should not refuse pairings arranged by coaches and parent helpers.
4. Chess is a quiet game. Players need to remain in seat. No running or goofing around. Talk softly and only when appropriate. All eyes and ears must be on the coach during instruction. No alternate games or toys (including electronics) are allowed.
5. Handle chess pieces, boards and clock carefully with respect. Do not horseplay with pieces or throw them around.
6. Players in competitive group are required to attend a minimum of two chess tournaments each academic year. No tournament requirements for players in recreational group.
7. Parents are required to do a minimum of two hours of volunteer each academic year. Failure to meet the hours equals a fine of \$15/ hour. Responsibilities include: setting up tables, chairs and chess boards before meeting, organizing and coaching recreational group players during meetings, and/or helping to organize chess tournaments, order and pick up lunch, etc.
8. If there are any major disciplinary problems, the player may be asked to leave the club.
9. Norman Chess Club reserves the right to use any photograph/video taken at any event sponsored by NCC, without the expressed written permission of those included within the photograph/video. NCC may use the photograph/video in publications or other media material produced, including but not limited to: brochures, newspapers, websites, etc.
10. The Chess club is run and coached by high school student volunteers and parents. We strive to provide a well organized teaching and learning environment. Annual membership fees are used to pay off club website domain cost , club T-shirt cost, tournament lunch and other basic expense. Parents may withdraw enrollment if it does not meet your expectations. Membership fee will not be refunded after registration deadline.

Signature: _____

Date: _____.