

# **Venue Location:**

Victory Suite, Lord Nelson Stand, Great Yarmouth Racecourse, Jellicoe Road, Great Yarmouth NR30 4AU

The Racecourse is situated to the north of Great Yarmouth towards Caister. From the North and Midlands the Racecourse can be reached via the A47, the main Southern approach roads are the A11 (joining the A47 South of Norwich) and the A12 via Colchester, Ipswich and Lowestoft.

Free parking at the venue. Use gate 11 off Freemantle Road. Venue website: www.greatyarmouth-racecourse.co.uk

# **ENTRY FORM CONTINUED:**

		Total	£
	Donation (gratefully accepted!)		£
	Enclosed entry fee		£
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Be sure to **cut out this bottom section only** so as not to lose the important information above and send to:

Mr J Wickham, 55 Shakespeare Way, Taverham, Norwich, NR8 6SL Tel: 07808 876785 Email: j.r.wickham@btinternet.com

Payment by Bank Transfer to: **Account Name: Norfolk County Chess Association**. Using **Account No: 44416568** and **Sort code: 30-90-90**. Please use as a reference your name preceded by 'GY'.

Cheques should be payable to NORFOLK COUNTY CHESS ASSOCIATION

# The Great Yarmouth Chess Congress

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Online entry here: https://forms.gle/4KtZ6WjtKUdsB9qD7



5 Round Swiss Tournament 3 Sections: Open, Major U1900, Minor U1600

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Part of the EACU Marcus Misson Memorial Grand Prix

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ENTRY FEES for ECF Members Silver, Gold or Platinum Level  ENTRY FEES for ECF Non-Members and ECF Bronze members							
Section	Adult	Junior	Adult	Junior	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd Prize
Open	£33	£28	£42	£37	£300	£150	£80
Major (U1900)	£30	£25	£39	£34	£250	£130	£70
Minor (U1600)	£27	£21	£36	£30	£180	£90	£50

Junior prizes will be awarded in any section with 2 or more juniors playing. Subject to entries other prizes may be added. No player may win more than one prize. The Organiser reserves the right to increase/decrease prize monies or reduce the number of sections. In the event of an excessive imbalance in the number of entries for any section, it may be necessary to transfer players to a higher section or re-categorize the grade limit. A player moved up will play in the higher section at their original entry fee. Juniors are those born after 31/8/2005.

# **Rules Regarding Rating**

Any unrated player may not win more than the value of 3rd prize in any section except the Open. A player may choose to play in any section provided their rating does not exceed the limit. Ratings for entry as per the January ECF Rating lists. All games will be submitted for rating.

# Late Entry

Closing date for entries 7pm 5th April 2024. The Controller reserves the right to refuse entry or to transfer entries.

# Any Decision by the Controller is final.

### Byes

On the entry form players may request a single half point bye in any round but the final round. A subsequent request for a bye will be at the Controller's discretion.

#### Times & Rates of Play

Saturday 6th April: Sunday 7th April:

Round 1 - 9.30am to 1pm Round 4 - 10.00am to 1.30pm Round 2 - 2.00pm to 5.30pm Round 5 - 2.30pm to 6pm Round 3 - 6.30pm to 10pm Prize Giving 6.30pm (approx)

All moves in 90 minutes plus 15 seconds per move from move 1.

#### Late Arrivals

Players arriving more than 30 minutes after the scheduled round start will be defaulted unless the controller can re-pair them satisfactorily. Players present whose opponents have not arrived must expect to be re-paired after the start of the round where this is possible.

#### Mobiles

Mobiles and other electronic devices must be switched off at all times within the playing area and placed in a bag or face down on the table. Failure to do so or if they make a sound, will result in the loss of the game.

# Venue (Directions overleaf)

Free parking at the venue. Use gate 11 off Freemantle Road. Venue website: www. areatyarmouth-racecourse.co.uk, Buses numbers 1, 1A & 8 from Great Yarmouth pass the Racecourse and use the stop adjacent to Jellicoe Road or on Jellicoe

Biscuits, tea and coffee will be available during the Congress and there are shops and pubs a short walk from the venue.

Great Yarmouth provides a host of accommodation possibilities at good rates out of season. For full details contact Great Yarmouth Tourism

www.great-yarmouth.co.uk/where-to-stay/

Congress Controller: John Wickham Fide Arbiter Chief Arbiter: Adrian Elwin International Arbiter

## **Our Sponsors**

We are grateful to our main sponsor, Kingsley Healthcare for their kind support. We also thank Bodo Ltd and Great Yarmouth Town Centre Partnerships for their continuina support, as well as Patrick McDermott for his generous sponsorship of the junior prizes.

Kingsley spokesman Stephen Pullinger said "In what is our 25th anniversary year we are proud to have become a top national care provider. However, we started in East Anglia and the region remains close to our hearts. We are opening a new luxury nursing home, Eversley Lodge, in Great Yarmouth this year."

#### **Data Protection**

Personal Data provided on the entry form will only be used for the purpose of runing the Congress and letting you know of future events.

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# **ENTRY FORM**

Full name		
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Rating Date of birth (Jun	iors only)	
Club	. ECFDM No	
I wish to enter the OPEN / U1900 / U1600	(circle one)	
I require a half point bye in round		

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