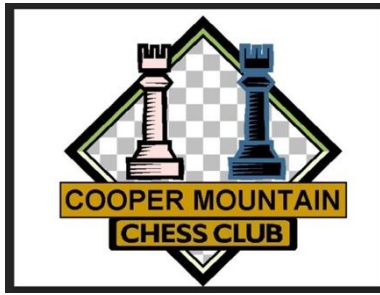


# COOPER MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY CHESS CLUB

## Meeting Information for 2019-2020 Season



Open to all Cooper Mountain Elementary School K-5 children, of all playing levels, including those who have never played before.

**PLEASE NOTE: We require that a parent/guardian of kindergarten and first grade players stay for each session.**

**Club Overview:** A group of kids who enjoy playing, and parents who enjoy teaching chess. We provide chess playing instruction and materials, as well as opportunities to improve skills and play in one club tournament.

**Dates:** We will have an informational meeting on **Monday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30pm** to provide an overview of the season and an assessment to place students in the right level. Then we will take a week off to group students and have our first official class on **Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 7:45pm**. All club sessions are on Monday nights from 6:30pm to 7:45pm and will be held in the Cooper Mountain Elementary School cafeteria.

**Fees:** Annual fee will cover facility rental costs, club t-shirt, notation books, use of chess sets and clocks, and all chess club activities, including one intra-club tournament. Fees: **\$120 Beginner Level, \$140 Intermediate Level, \$200 Advanced Level. New for 2019:** We are also offering a split season option for ½ price for beginners (\$60 for October, November and December).

**Questions:** Please email [cmechessclub@gmail.com](mailto:cmechessclub@gmail.com) with any questions.

### MONDAY NIGHT SESSION OUTLINE

All club members are encouraged to wear their club t-shirt while participating in club events.

**6:30pm – 6:45pm Open Play:** Time for students to get warmed up for serious chess.

**6:45pm – 7:15pm Lessons:** Members will be divided up into groups based on skill level. The levels are Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced. The volunteer instructors will tailor specific lessons to the skill level of each group. All members are encouraged to practice what they learn at home.

**7:15pm Game Play:** An opportunity for the students to practice what they learned in open play or in tournament practice sessions. Clocks and notation should be used at this time.

**7:45 End of Session: *\*\*Please be on time for pick up.\*\****

**PLEASE HELP OUT:** We are a 100% volunteer-run organization and will ask parents to help during meetings and club events. If you are interested in volunteering, please sign up at one of the club meetings.

Month	Weekly Sessions	No Chess Club Meeting
October	7, 14, 21, 28	
November	4, 18, 25	11
December	9, 15	2, 23, 30
January	6, 13	20, 27
February	3, 10, 24	17
March	2, 9, 16, 30	23
April	6, Tournament (13, 20, 27)	
May	11 (end of season potluck)	