

GILBERT CHESS



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March Madness State Qualifier

When: Saturday, March 8th

Cost: \$15.00 **Check In:** 8:00-8:30

Where: ASU Polytechnic Campus

Go east from the intsn of Power & Williams Field roads. The tournament is in the Student Union Annex just north-west of the Student Union. You may park in Lot 7 or 8.

Type of Tournament: Swiss

Time Control: (K1-K9) Game/40, (Open) Game/60

Round Times (K1-K9): Rnd1: 9:00 Rnd2: 10:45 Rnd3: 12:30 Rnd4: 2:00 Rnd5: 3:30

Round Times (Open): Rnd1: 9:00 Rnd2: 11:10 Rnd3: 1:20 Rnd4: 3:30

Sections: K-1 All K-3 Qualifier K-6 Qualifier K-9 Qualifier
 K-3 Open K-6 Open ORes (U1250) Open (All)

Description: This is a **STATE QUALIFIER**. To qualify to play in the Arizona State Scholastic Championships in April, K-1 players need to play 4 out of 5 games or score 3 points in any single qualifier, 2nd–6th grade players need to score 3 points and 7th–9th grade players need to score 2 points. You must qualify in the section in which you will be competing at the State Championships. There are no qualifying requirements for High School players. Players who have previously qualified are encouraged to play in the Open sections.

Awards: **Individual:** All Sections: 1st-5th Places **Team:** K-1, K-3, K-6, K-9, Open: 3 Places
 Medals awarded to players with 3 points not receiving a trophy. Ribbons awarded to all players not receiving a trophy or a medal. Teams consist of at least 2 players with the top 4 scores counting for the team total.

- All players must be current USCF members. You may purchase or renew memberships at the tournament.
- Open sections are non-qualifying sections not counting toward the qualifying games required for State.
- Individual sections may be combined if necessary. Reserve & Championship sections will be combined for team trophy calculations. Player's scores will only count in the section in which they are competing.
- The Family Maximum Tournament fee is \$30. Pay for the first two players in your family, then only register the remaining family members.
- The cutoff for on-line registration is 8:00pm, Friday, March 8th. Players registering after the cutoff will be charged a \$5 late fee. Players registering after 8:30am the day of tournament will receive a half-point bye for round one.
- Mail-in entries will be accepted until Friday, March 8th. Registration and payment at the tournament is then required. Entries received late in the mail will be returned.
- Concessions and lunch will be available. You may pre-order a pizza lunch when registering and paying online.
- For more information email: events@gpcachess.org or call: Lynn Schucker 480-216-8025.

Register online at: www.gpcachess.org or Mail Entry to: GPCA, P.O. Box 2238, Gilbert, AZ 85299

Last Name:		Phone:	
First Name:		Birth Date:	
School:		Grade:	
Address:		Section:	
City:		USCF ID:	
State/Zip:		Expires:	
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State Qualifier		March Madness	\$15.00
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