


# Victoria Junior Chess

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## 2007/2008 Chess Tournament Schedule

<b>Sunday, September 16, 2007</b>	<b>Island Junior Open - # 1</b>	UVic, Human & Social Development Bldg., Room A260/A250. Open to all K -12 students. <b>Registration:</b> 9:15 – 9:45am <b>Start:</b> 10:00 am <u>sharp</u> . Finish: 2:00 – 4:00 pm. Entry fee \$15. Format: 8-10 Rd Swiss or Rd Robin 15 minutes each player for novice section. 5 round swiss or round robin 25 min. plus 5sec. increment for other sections. 2 or 3 sections depending on turnout Tie Breaks – 5 min. blitz knockout. Prizes: Medals and ribbons. Light concession. GRAND PRIX EVENT. Chess and Math (CMA) Rated Site hosted by University of Victoria <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players welcome.</i>
<b>Saturday, Sept 29, 2007</b>	<b>All-Girls Tournament</b>	Being held in Vancouver <b>Details</b> <a href="http://www.bjdy.com/juniorchess/events.html">http://www.bjdy.com/juniorchess/events.html</a>
<b>Sunday, Oct. 14, 2007</b>	<b>Island Junior Open - # 2</b>	Details – as for Island Junior Open # 1 GRAND PRIX EVENT <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players welcome.</i>
<b>Sunday, Nov 4, 2007</b>	<b>Island Junior Open - # 3</b>	Details – as for Island Junior Open # 1. GRAND PRIX EVENT <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players welcome.</i>
<b>Sunday, December 9, 2007</b>	<b>– 2007 – GREATER VICTORIA CITY CHAMPIONSHIP</b>	Three Sections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Daniel Myers Cup</b> – awarded to grades 8 – 12 <b>Champion</b></li> <li>• <b>Howard Wu Cup</b> – awarded to grades 4 – 7 <b>Champion</b></li> <li>• <b>New this year Tim Bethell Cup Grade K – 3 section</b></li> </ul> UVic H&S Dev Bldg, RM A260/A250. Eligible: Open to All K-12 Students from <b>Vancouver Island and Gulf Islands Only</b> . 9:15 – 9:45am <b>Start:</b> 10:00 am <u>sharp</u> . Finish: 2:00 – 4:00 pm. Entry fee \$15. Format: 5 Rd Swiss or Rd Robin. TC: 25 plus 5sec increment minutes each player. Tie Breaks – 5 min. CMA rated. Blitz knockout. Prizes: Trophies. Light Concession. GRAND PRIX EVENT
<b>Sunday, January 13, 2008</b>	<b>Island Junior Open - # 4</b>	Details – as for Island Junior Open # 1. GRAND PRIX EVENT <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players welcome.</i>
<b>Sunday, February 3, 2008</b>	<b>Island Junior Open - # 5</b>	Details – as for Island Junior Open # 1 GRAND PRIX EVENT <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players welcome.</i>

Special Note

The sole responsibility of the Directors and Organizers is for establishing and conducting the tournaments. Parents, guardians, and coaches are responsible for the conduct of the players. The Directors of the Victoria Junior Chess Society hold themselves blameless for any consequences of misbehaviour on the part of the players and from any damage to property or injury whatsoever to persons attending these tournaments.

**Note:** Sets and clocks provided. *Prior to Registration, players may claim up to two half point byes, excluding the last 2 rounds. Island Junior Open Tournaments only. Zero point Byes in Championship events. Subject to TD discretion.*

### VICTORIA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

<b>Sunday, February 24, 2008</b>	<b>Regional Chess Championship – by Grade –  Provincial Qualifier CHESS CHALLENGE</b>	UVic. H&S Dev Bldg, RM A260/A250. The “ <b>Chess Challenge</b> ” is open to All K-12 Students from Vancouver Island, Gulf Islands and other adjacent islands. <i>Out of Region and U.S. Players also welcome.</i> Top finishers qualify for Provincial Championship by Grade. Entry fee \$15. Reg.: 9:00 – 9:30 am <u>only</u> . Start: 10:00 am <u>sharp</u> . Finish: 3–4 pm. TC: 25 min plus 5 sec increment each player. Chess and Math rated. Prizes: Medals and ribbons. Light concession. <b>GRAND PRIX EVENT</b>
<b>Friday March 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008</b>	<b>Victoria Chess Festival Hotel Grand Pacific</b>	Junior events for March 21 <sup>st</sup> are still in the planning stage. Check this schedule for updates The Grand Pacific Open is being held March 21 <sup>st</sup> to 24 <sup>th</sup> . The GPO is an all ages event. Details on the Victoria Chess Club website. There will be a bughouse tournament on March 24 <sup>th</sup> to close out the festival.
<b>Sunday April 13, 2008</b>	<b>Regional Chess Championship – by Age Group –  Provincial Qualifier CANADIAN YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (CYCC)</b>	UVic H&S Dev Bldg, RM A260/A250. Open to all Islands students under the age of 18 on January 1, 2007. Players compete in age categories: U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16 and U-18. <b>Start time 10:00 am Reg.: 9:00 – 9:30 am</b> (some sections may be combined). Entry fee \$20. Time Control: U8 and U10 <b>G30</b> U12-U18 <b>G45</b> 4 round Swiss or round robin depending on numbers in each section Prizes: Medals and ribbons. Light Concession. <b>GRAND PRIX EVENT</b> Chess Federation of Canada (CFC) <b>regular</b> rated

### BC PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

<b>Saturday, March 8, 2008</b>	<b>BC Chess Scholastic Championship (BCCC) – by Grade – National Qualifier CHESS CHALLENGE</b>	Location TBA. Open to qualifiers from Regional Chess Championships, or on the basis of rating and/or performance (BC residents only). 1 <sup>st</sup> place finisher qualifies for the BC Team at the Canadian National Championship – Chess Challenge to be held in Edmonton on the Victoria Day weekend. Other details TBA .
<b>Sunday April 26 and 27, 2008</b>	<b>BC Youth Chess Championship (BCYCC) – by Age Group –  National Qualifier for CANADIAN YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (CYCC)</b>	Vancouver, site TBA. Open to qualifiers from the above Age Group Regional Chess Championship, or on the basis of rating/performance. Players compete in age categories: U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16 and U-18. CFC Rated Regular. Time control: 90 minutes each player. Top finishers qualify for Canadian National Championship by Age Group (CYCC). Registration: TBA. Entry fee: \$30. Start: Sprott Shaw College Prizes: Medals. <b>All players must Pre Register <a href="http://www.juniorchess.ca">www.juniorchess.ca</a></b>
<b>May 10, 2008</b>	<b>BC School Team Championship</b>	Vancouver, site TBA and details TBA

### CANADIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

<b>Victoria Day Weekend</b>	<b>Canadian Chess Challenge</b>	Edmonton 2007 10 teams (one from each province) with the top player from each grade compete for individual and team titles.
<b>July 2008</b>	<b>Canadian Youth Chess Championship by Age</b>	Quebec City 400 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary year <a href="http://www.chess.ca">www.chess.ca</a> for information

### WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP DATES AND LOCATIONS TBA

<b>Fall 2008</b>	<b>World Youth Chess Championship</b>	Vietnam
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