## San Diego Open 10/24 - 10/26, 2025

At the Marriott San Diego Airport/Liberty Station (www.marriott.com/sanal) 2592 Laning Rd, San Diego CA 92106, phone 619-221-1900

## \$\$20,000 PRIZE FUND (100% Guaranteed)

- 5 Rd Swiss, 7 Sections; all at G/100 +30 second increment Open & U2200 Sections are FIDE rated
- 1. ELITE SECTION: 1<sup>st</sup> \$2,200, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$1,400, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$1,000, 4<sup>th</sup> \$600, 5<sup>th</sup> \$400, 6<sup>th</sup> \$200; BU2300 \$800, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$400
- 2. U2200 (min. 1800): 1st \$1,400, 2nd \$800, 3rd \$400, 4th \$200
- 3. U2000 (min 1600): 1st \$1,300, 2nd \$700, 3rd \$400, 4th \$200
- 4. U1800 (min 1400): 1st \$1,300, 2nd \$700, 3rd \$400, 4th \$200
- 5. U1600 (min 1200): 1st \$1,200, 2nd \$600, 3rd \$300, 4th \$200
- 6. U1400 (min 1000): 1st \$800, 2nd \$400, 3rd \$200, 4th \$100
- 7. U1200: 1st \$600, 2nd \$300, 3rd \$200, 4th \$100

Minimum rating for the Elite section is 2000, no exceptions. You can pay a \$100 fee to "play up" one section, but no playing up by 2 sections. For example, a 1800 rated player can pay \$100 to play in the U2000, but not in the U2200. Unrated players can only win a clock prize.

**Reg.:** 5 PM to 6:30 PM Friday. **Rounds:** 7 PM Friday, 11 AM & 5 PM on Sat, 10 and 3:30 on Sun. 5 round Blitz at 9:30 PM on Saturday, enter online or onsite by 9:10. \$30 Entry fee.

Entry Fee: \$110 Early Bird Rate if received by 9/15, or \$130 by 10/15, \$150 after 10/15 and \$170 if you pay at the door. Only \$100 if U1200 or unr. GMs, WGMs, IMs & WIMs play for free, but \$120 deducted from any prize. \$15 service charge for refunds. One half-point bye is OK if booked at least 1 hour before the round; but last round byes must be requested before round 2 and are irrevocable! The Oct. Supplement will be used for official ratings and prizes. Provisional players (less than 26 games) can win only 50% of any prize, the balance goes to the remaining prize winners. No cell phones allowed in playing hall for top two sections.

Mail entries to: SDCC, PO Box 120162, San Diego CA 92112, or enter online at the SDCC website: sandiegochessclub.org. SCCF Membership required for all So. Cal. residents (\$25, or \$20 if under 18 years old).

**Info:** Chuck Ensey at (858) 432-8006, or see www.sandiegochessclub.org \$25 Fine for forfeits, please call Chuck ASAP if you can't make a round. **Hotel:** \$219, plus 12.7% tax if booked by 9/24/2025, call 1-800-321-2211. Book early, the rooms often sell out before 9/24. Parking is \$21per night.