

FAQ – After your first club event

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I. Introduction

Now that you have:

- Gone through our orientation session
 - When we sat with you to discuss playing at the club
- Read our brochure *Essential Information for MCC Players*
 - If you haven't read it you should read it now
- Played one or more rated games in a now completed event

Please read on for some additional information you may find helpful.

II. USCF related

A. Rating and play history

Your playing history is available on the USCF web site

- Player Search: <https://new.uschess.org/players/search/>
 - Search by your name or USCF ID to find your page
 - You may want to book-mark it for future use

B. Rating update notification

You can be notified by email whenever your rating is updated

- On your USCF page on the General tab there is a link to update your preferences in the first section of the page.

III. Club Related

A. Final Results

The final results of every tournament along with a copy of the official USCF ratings report is posted on the club's web site.

- On the left edge of the home page you will find a link for *Past Events*.

B. Photos

- Photos are posted on the club web site regularly. You may find you are in several photos from the most recent event you played in.
 - On the left edge of the home page you will find a link for *Pictures*.

C. Newsletter

The Club Newsletter is generally sent out between the end of one event and the start of the next event

- The new event for the month starts on the 1st Tuesday of the month
 - If you do not receive the newsletter check your spam to see if we were sent there. If not let us know you did not receive the newsletter and provide us again with your emails.

D. Demographics Update

After each event has completed our demographic reports are updated and posted to the web site.

On the left edge of the home page you will find a link for *Demographics*.

Some examples of the Demographics are:

- Player Attendance
- Player Age Ranges, rating ranges and location distributions
- Size of sections, how many people are choosing to play in a higher section
- Rating Changes for every player for each event
- Event Winners