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News:

Lecture:

International Master **James Rizzitano** will be at our club to introduce his just released book.

- [1001 Deadly Chess Puzzles](#)

The lecture will begin before the start of round 3 on

Wednesday, March 20th starting at **6:45** pm.

Arrive early if you can so you don't miss any of it. Doors open at about 6:30 pm

New FAQs and New and updated Demographics:

More FAQs since last month have been created for our website to address questions we are often asked. FAQs are accessible from the navigation bar on the Home page of our site.

The Demographics have been updated and additional reports of interest for Club organizers have been created..

- [Club Demographics](#) and [Regional Demographics](#) which are found by way of our **History page**.

February Results:

Congratulations to our 1st place finishers in November.

- **Open:** Two-way tie for first with 3.5 / 4
 - Sergey Malinin
 - Felix Yu
- **U1700:** Two-way tie for first with 3.5 / 4
 - Samuel Barros
 - Jesus Garcia

Registration for our next event is open and play will begin the night of

Wednesday, March 6th, 2024

Register early so you won't forget!

Registering to play:

The **MCC home page** has links to all the things you need to know to start playing at the club. Please read the materials on the home page carefully.

If you forget the link or name of the online registration site, you can find it quickly by clicking the **Register Now** icon on the club home page.

- Remember to rejoin the **USCF** if you have expired
 - Do not leave it to the last minute as there have been multiple reports of **renewal issues** and needing several **days** to resolve them.
- Remember to **join the club before you enter the event** to get the member discount.
 - If you forget, you will only be offered the non-member entry fees.

<https://www.MetroWestChess.org>

Standings and Projected Pairings:

You can follow along each week by looking at the standings and projected pairings on the NACHessHub site.

- Go to NACHessHub.com
- Find the clubs event.
 - The **January** event is named: **MCC - 2024-01**
- Click on the **Pairing** Button to see the standings and projected pairings for each section.

Generally the standings and projected pairings will be posted on the site at the end of the night; If not, check back later the next day.

Byes: How to Request or Change them

Once you are entered in an event you can Request or alter you Bye requests.

- Log into NACHessHub
- Find the event that you need to adjust your Byes for
- Go to the Roster page
- Find your name and click on the link in the Byes column for your name.
 - It will say either "Request" or have the round numbers that you have previously requested Byes for.

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