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News:

This month our event is a **four round event**.

MACA has an event coming up that is non-scholastic:

Sat & Sun & Mon: 2025-05-24 & 25th & 26th: 93rd Mass Open

They are using the same online registration system that we use for our club, NAChessHub.

MACA NAChesHub event page

Rating Change Email:

The USCF has a feature that will send you an email when your rating changes. Here are the steps:

- Go to Sign In / Sign Up on the USCF site
- If you have an existing account, sign in, if not, select "Create User Account"
- Once you have logged in, select the "Manage My Profile" button
- Locate and select the Email Notifications option for "Ratings"

April Results:

Congratulations to our 1st place finishers

- Open:
 - o Peter Davis with 4.5/5
- U1700
 - Jesus Garcia with 4.5/5

Registration for our next event is open and play will begin the night of **Wednesday, May 7th, 2025**

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.
 - o 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.
 - o For example, 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.

Remember, Byes must be made on the site no later than **7:15 pm** on the night of play

- 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.
 - o It will say either "Request" or have the round numbers that you have previously requested Byes for.

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