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Monthly Events:

All Monthly In-Person Events Canceled Until Further Notice

See "News & Reminders" below for details on the club's future. We continue to have opportunities to play and connect online.

Stay safe and healthy everyone!

News & Reminders;

No Updates on Club Status

The Club remains in indefinite "hibernation." Considering the limit on gatherings remains at 25 in Massachusetts, and doesn't seem likely to change anytime soon, we don't anticipate returning to over-the-board play in the near future.

Club Photos Portion of Website Reorganized

The "Photos from Around the Club" section of our website has been extensively reorganized, now including a search capability. Check it out at http://www.metrowestchess.org/Community/Pictures/Around_The_Club/index.html

Weekly Blitz on Chess.com; Social Media Accounts

We are still holding Weekly "Blitz Arena" tournaments every Tuesday night at 7:30PM until we can return to in-person play.

The events are two hour Blitz "Arena Tournament" on Chess.com. If you don't already have an account there, you can sign up for free at <https://www.chess.com/register>. You will also need to join the MetroWest Chess Club group at <https://www.chess.com/club/metrowest-chess-club-group>. Only members of that group can enter, see notices of upcoming tournaments, and watch the games without having to join the tournament. Please indicate who you are, and your connection to the club, when requesting to join. We aren't requiring paid MCC members only at this time, but we do want you to have some connection to the club.

The time control will be 5+2 (five minutes with a two second increment). An "arena" tournament means players will be randomly paired with whoever is available at any given time and the player with the most points at the end of the two hours will win. Players get extra points for winning streaks. You can join in at any time, play as many or as few games as you like, and leave whenever you want without penalty. It will be rated on [chess.com](https://www.chess.com) only.

If you didn't know already, we also have accounts on [Twitter](#), and a page on

[Facebook](#). Follow us there also to keep apprised of club operations.

MCC Group Classes:

Obviously Group Classes are on hold until we return to on-site club play.

We are always on the lookout for instructors! Please contact us if you would like to do a 45 minute lecture/class.

Check out our [Chess.com Group](#), and social media accounts noted above for any possible online presentations.

[RSM-MetroWest in Framingham](#)

VIRTUAL CHESS CLASSES AT RSM-MetroWest in Framingham

FALL Chess Classes are now enrolling, and are offered at two levels (Chess I is for novice and Chess II). Classes start on September 23, 2020 and on January 13, 2021.

Please visit www.metrowestschool.com/chess.html for more information and background of our Masters.

Contact us at info@metrowestschool.com for questions and inquiries.

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