

# Leinster Chess Championships 2011

The Leinster Chess Union is pleased to announce the Leinster Chess Championships for 2011.

## Time and Venue

22nd 23rd and 24<sup>th</sup> April 2011. (Friday to Sunday) in The Teacher's Club, 36 Parnell Square, Dublin 1.

## Prizes

Generous prize fund of €2,500 - subject to entry.

## Playing Sections & Rate of Play

**Masters**, rating of 2000 and over, **Majors** 1600 – 1999,

**Challengers**, 1200 – 1599

**Juniors**, 1199 or under, including unrated players.

Players whose ratings are within 100 points of the threshold for a higher section may, if they wish compete in the higher section.

**Entrants without an Irish rating will be allocated to the playing section appropriate to their estimated playing strength at the discretion of the tournament controller.**

**The rates of play** are 2 hours per player in the Masters and Majors Sections and 1 hour and 45 minutes per player in the Challengers and Juniors Sections. Masters Section will be FIDE rated.

## Entry fees

Masters, Majors & Challengers €45 per player (€35 if payment is received on or before Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2011). Juniors €30 per player.

€30 for players aged 18 or under on 14th April (all Sections).

Cheques should be made payable to the "Leinster Chess Union". **Players are required to bring their own board, set and clock please. Non ICU members will not be allowed to compete in the tournament FIDE Rules as per ICU handbook, and Leinster Chess Union rules will apply**

*Competitors are also requested to arrive as early as possible for registration to facilitate the completion of the first round draws on time.*

**The timetable is as follows:-**

## Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2011

Registration 9.30 am – 11 am

**Round 1 Masters & Majors** 11.00 am sharp.

**Round 1 Challengers & Juniors** 11.30 am

**Round 2 All Sections** 4.00 pm

## Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2011

All Sections

**Round 3** 10 am **Round 4** 3.00 pm

## Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2011

All Sections

**Round 5** 10.00am, **Round 6** 3.00 pm.

**Prize giving 7.00 pm** in Room 102

## Accommodation

There is a considerable amount of competitively priced Dublin city centre hostel accommodation within easy walking distance of the playing venue. Visit the website [www.hostelworld.com](http://www.hostelworld.com) for details and book on-line. The website contains maps and directions for all locations.

**Entry Form** (Please complete in block capitals)

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ICU Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Rating:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Club:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Section entered:**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of birth (if under 18):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Fee Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

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