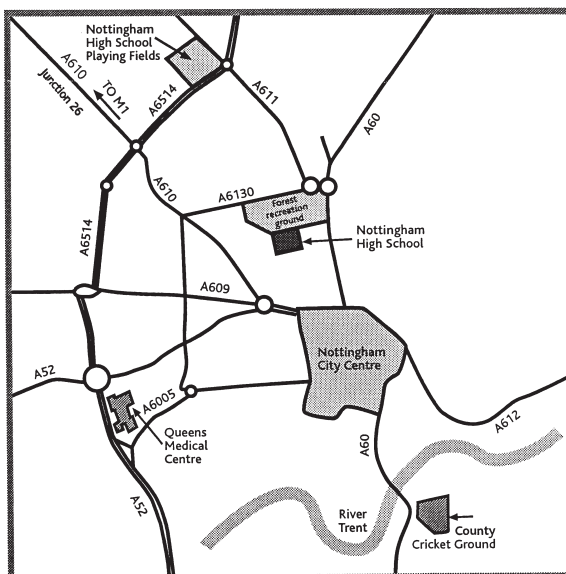


TRAVEL DIRECTIONS

if coming by car and using the M1 leave the motorway at junction 26. Then drive in on the A610 signed "city centre" until you arrive at the traffic lights with the multi-carriage way ring road (2.7 miles). Continue straight ahead on the A610, still following signs for "city centre", and through a set of pedestrian lights after 0.2 of a mile. Go past the Volvo garage on the left, and through traffic lights in another 0.2 of a mile. Over a railway bridge and through another set of lights in 0.3 of a mile, and just beyond that through another set of traffic lights. After a further 0.2 of a mile, go through another set of pedestrian lights by the "Clarence" pub (on your left) - still following signs for A610 'city centre'. In a further 0.1 of a mile go through another set of traffic lights, and get into the left hand lane, go past the "Alma" pub on your left: through another set of pedestrian lights in 0.2 of a mile, and immediately afterwards turn left at the traffic lights between the "Dixy Chicken" and the "Premier Convenience Shop" into Forest Road West. Go through the traffic lights in 0.3 of a mile into Forest Road East. In a further 0.1 of a mile turn right by a large tree into the school playground at the back of the school, and park. Bear right, following the signs to the Dining Hall/Junior School.



Train / Tram - Follow the signs from the station platform to the trams.
Tram departures are at 9.00, 9.15, 9.30, 9.45 and 10.00. The High School is the 5th stop and the journey takes 9 minutes.



NOTES FOR COMPETITORS

- No Smoking is permitted in the playing areas.
- Ungraded players must give full information regarding their playing ability, including previous results and any grading previously held. Failure to do so may render a player ineligible for a prize. The current ECF grading list has precedence over all other lists.
- Prize money will be shared in the event of a tie.
- Competitors will be sent entry forms for other East Midlands congresses if they agree to their name being added to the East Midlands congress list

The 34th Annual NOTTINGHAM CHESS CONGRESS



EFC GAMEFEE EVENT

**NOTTINGHAM HIGH SCHOOL, WAVERLEY MOUNT,
NOTTINGHAM, NG7 4ED**

25th - 26th April 2009

Open 1st prize - £250

Major 1st prize - £150

Intermediate 1st prize - £120

Minor 1st prize - £120

FREE ENTRY FOR NOTTS JUNIORS

Congress Director - ROBERT RICHMOND

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

PLAYING SESSIONS

Round	Day	
1	Saturday	9.30am - 1.00pm
2	Saturday	2.00pm - 5.30pm
3	Saturday	6.30pm - 10.00pm
4	Sunday	9.30am - 1.00pm
5	Sunday	2.00pm - 5.30pm

RATES OF PLAY

36 moves in 90 minutes + 15 minutes accelerated finish

THE OPEN	ENTRY FEE	£20	NOTTS JUNIORS - FREE
Open to all Players			OTHER JUNIORS - £16
1st prize £250	2nd £125	3rd £75	Grading (U180) £30

THE MAJOR	ENTRY FEE	£18	NOTTS JUNIORS - FREE
Open to players graded below 160			OTHER JUNIORS - £14
1st prize £150	2nd £100	3rd £60	Grading (U145) £30

THE INTERMEDIATE	ENTRY FEE	£16	NOTTS JUNIORS - FREE
Open to all players graded below 130			OTHER JUNIORS - £12
1st Prize £120	2nd £80	3rd £50	Grading (U115) £30

THE MINOR	ENTRY FEE	£16	NOTTS JUNIORS - FREE
Open to all players graded below 100			OTHER JUNIORS - £12
1st Prize £120	2nd £80	3rd £50	Grading (U80/U60) £30 EACH

The highest placed player in the Open section not already qualified will be awarded a place in the 2009 British Championship

Note: prizes will be added if entries permit.

Free entry to juniors (under 18 on 1st September 2008). Late penalty fees will apply.

CONGRESS ENTRY FORM

(Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS)

NAME:

ADDRESS:

Postcode:

E-mail Tel. No:

DATE OF BIRTH:

E.C.F. DIRECT MEMBERS NUMBER:

My Grade is Club:

I would like a half point bye in round (one of rounds one to three only)

I wish to be included on the East Midlands Congress list Yes / No

I declare that I am eligible to compete in and wish to enter the

..... tournament Signed

ECF Direct Members may deduct £2	£	P
My enclosed entry fee	:	
£5 late entry fee (Post marked after 19-04-09)	:	
Donation (THANK YOU)	:	
TOTAL	:	

Please make all cheques payable to NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CHESS ASSOCIATION.



Please return the complete form to :

Mr.R.Richmond,

25 Wilford Lane, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QZ

(0115-9455908)

The right to refuse or transfer entries without giving a reason is reserved.

The controller and directors decisions will be final on all matters regarding this tournament.