

2024 Great Plains Open

November 16—17 in Lincoln, Nebraska

The tournament will again be held at the Country Inn & Suites conveniently located just 1 mile south of the 27th & I-80 exit.

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November 16th & 17th

Guaranteed First Prize of \$400! A Nebraska POY Event

Great Plains Rated Beginners Open

November 16nd Only

Great Plains Open: 5-SS. G90 + 30inc. November 16—17 at the Country Inn & Suites, 5353 North 27th Street, Lincoln, NE 68521. **Prizes:** Based on 30 paid entries: 1st 400 (Guaranteed), 2nd \$150, 3rd \$100; U1800: 1st \$125; U1600: 1st \$125; U1400: 1st \$100. Tie-breaks: 1) Modified Median, 2) Solkoff, 3) Cumulative. **Registration:** 9 to 9:45 am, Saturday November 16nd. USCF October rating list used. Unrated eligible for U1400 prizes. **Entry Fee:** \$75 early entry, \$90 onsite—cash only. USCF membership required. **Rounds:** Saturday 10 am, 2:30 pm & 7:30 pm, Sunday 10 am & 2:30 pm. **Byes:** Only one ½-point bye is allowed per player for the tournament. Byes for rounds 1—4 may be requested up to 30 minutes prior to round start time. Byes for round 5 must be requested during registration. **Equipment:** Bring clocks, sets & boards.

Rated Beginners Open: 5-SS. G30 open to players U1200 & Unrated. Saturday, November 16nd only. **Prizes:** Trophies to 1st, 2nd & 3rd; U1000 1st, 2nd & 3rd; U800 1st, 2nd & 3rd; U600 1st, 2nd & 3rd. **Registration:** 9:00 am – 10:15 am, Saturday, November 16th. **Entry Fee:** \$35 early entry, \$40 onsite—cash only. USCF membership required. **Rounds:** Round 1 will start at 10:30 am, with rounds 2-5 starting 15 minutes after the completion of all games in the preceding round. **Equipment:** Bring clocks, sets & boards.

Contact Information: The tournament is being sponsored by the Nebraska State Chess Association, organized by John Linscott and directed by Tony Duteil. Please call or email John Linscott with any questions at 402.314.2338 or johnlinscott@gmail.com

Please send Advance Entry to PayPal at johnlinscott@gmail.com or Venmo at @John-Linscott-4 and include the following information:

Name: _____ Section(s): _____
USCF ID# _____ Rating: _____ Expiration Date: _____