## **2025 Great Plains Open**

## November 22—23 in Lincoln, Nebraska

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

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## **Great Plains Open November 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>**

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

## **Great Plains Rated Beginners Open November 22<sup>nd</sup> Only**

Great Plains Open: 5-SS. G90 + 30inc. November 22—23 at the Country Inn & Suites, 5353 North 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Lincoln, NE 68521. **Prizes:** Based on 30 paid entries: 1<sup>st</sup> 400 (Guaranteed), 2<sup>nd</sup> \$150, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$100; U1800: 1<sup>st</sup> \$125; U1600: 1<sup>st</sup> \$125; U1600: 1<sup>st</sup> \$125; U1600: 1<sup>st</sup> \$100. Tie-breaks: 1) Modified Median, 2) Solkoff, 3) Cumulative. **Registration:** 9 to 9:45 am, Saturday November 22<sup>nd</sup>. 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, 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: 4-SS. G30 open to players U1200 & Unrated. Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> only. Prizes: Trophies to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>; U1000 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>; U800 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>; U600 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>. Registration: 9:00 am – 10:15 am, Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Entry Fee: \$35 early entry, \$40 onsite—cash only. USCF membership required. Rounds: Round 1 will start at 10:30 am, with rounds 2-4 starting 15 minutes after the completion of all games in the preceding round. Equipment: Bring clocks, sets & boards.

<u>Bughouse Tournament:</u> Bughouse Tournament will be held Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 9:00 am. Number of rounds to be determined by the number of teams entered. Entry Fee \$10 per person. Contact Tony Dutiel for more information.

<u>Contact Information</u>: 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 <a href="mailto:johnglinscott@gmail.com">johnglinscott@gmail.com</a>

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