

Co-hosted by Washington Chess Federation & Susan Polgar Foundation



# 19<sup>th</sup> Susan Polgar Foundation National Open for Girls & Boys



Saturday-Sunday, October 26-27, 2024

Hilton Bellevue: 300 112<sup>th</sup> Ave SE, Bellevue, WA 98004

Prizes include over **\$100,000 in Scholarships to [Webster University!](https://www.webster.edu/)**

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## 2-day Championship Sections

**K-5 Open**                      **K-5 Girls**

**K-8 Open**                      **K-8 Girls**

**K-12 Open**                    **K-12 Girls**

**Format:** A 5-Round, G/60; +30 Swiss.  
Dual NWSRS + US Chess rated. K-12 sections also FIDE rated.

**Rounds:** Sat: 10am, 1:30pm. Sun: 10am, 1:30pm, 5pm. Awards ~ Sun 8:30pm.

## 1-day Scholastic Sections (Sat-only)

**K-1 U700**                      **K-3 Open**

**2-3 U700**                      **4-6 Open**

**4-6 U700**                      **7-12 Open**

**Format:** A 5-Round, G/25; +5 Swiss.  
NWSRS rated. Open sections also US Chess rated.

**Rounds:** Sat: 9am, 10:45am, 12:15pm, 1:30pm, 2:45pm. Awards ~ 4:30pm.

**All Sections:** Trophies awarded to top-scoring individuals and teams. Medals for first-time players who do not earn a trophy. Higher of October US Chess or current NWSRS rating will be used to determine section and pairings.

**Hotel Information:** Hilton Bellevue for \$179/\$199 (1 King/2 Queen) per night, address above. Phone: 425.455.1300, request WA Chess Federation room block. Group Code: 905.

[Booking link](#) for online hotel reservations. Cut-off date for discounted hotel reservations is October 4, 2024.

## **WA State Elementary Qualifier!**

**Entry Fees:** (by Oct. 3 | Oct. 4 - 18 | Oct. 19 or after)

- 2-Day Championship Sections EF: \$85 | \$100 | \$120
- 1-Day Scholastic Sections (Sat-only) EF: \$50 | \$65 | \$85

**Registration & Payment:** **Registration and payment deadline Fri 10/25 @ 5pm at [chessreg.com](https://chessreg.com)** (pay by credit/debit/PayPal).

## **Fun Side Events!**

**SPFNO Puzzle Solving Competition:** Sat @ 5:30-6pm.  
EF: \$25 by 10/18, \$40 after.

**SPFNO Blitz Championship:** Sat @ 6:30-9pm.  
EF: \$25 by 10/18, \$40 after.

**Special Discount:** Bundle Puzzle and Blitz side events to receive a \$10 discount.

**GM Susan Polgar Simul:** Sun @ 1-4pm.  
EF: \$60 by 10/18, \$80 after. Max 20 players.

**Parents and Coaches Seminar:** Sat @ 9:30-10:30am.

**SPFNO Girls Workshop:** Sat @ 11:30-12:30pm.

**GM Susan Polgar Book Sale & Signing:** Sat @ 1:30-2:30pm.

**FM Megan Lee Game Analysis:** Sat @ 2:30-3:30pm.

**All-Comers Blitz with FM Megan Lee:** Sat @ 3:30-4:30pm.

**Scholarships:** Scholarships available for the main competition and side events. Contact WCF for info. Seminar, Workshop, and All-Comers Blitz are free.