



# Otago School Teams Chess Champs



Organised by Otago Chess Club and Dunedin Junior Chess

We invite your school to enter a team to compete in our 21st annual championship.

The winning teams in each section qualify to **represent Otago at the National Interschools Teams Finals** on September 20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> in Christchurch.

**If your school wants to enter a second team, or to include a Year 4 pupil for a Primary team - please see Note 2 below - you need pre-arrange this with us well before the event.** Permission to enter a second team, or to include a Year 4 Primary player, will be at our discretion.

**Event:** Secondary Championship

**When:** Saturday 24 May 12:30pm – 6pm

**Where:** Logan Park High School Library  
74 Butts Road, North Dunedin, Dunedin 9016

**Who:** Year 9-13s in teams of four - plus we recommend a reserve on standby.

**Bring:** 2 chess sets and boards per team, own refreshments

**Cost:** \$60 per team – payments to “Otago Chess Club Inc.” 03-0905-0169820-00

**Event:** Primary and Intermediate Championship

**NOTE 1:** The Primary and Intermediate teams will be run as one single competition. Primary and Intermediate teams will be paired against each other. The highest placed team in each category (Primary and Intermediate) will qualify for the Nationals. Players must be fluent with the rules to play in competition.

**NOTE 2:** New age restriction: Primary teams players must be from Year 5 or 6.

**When:** Saturday 17 May 12:30pm – 6pm

**Where:** Trinity Catholic College Library, Christian Brothers Entrance  
340 Rattray Street, Dunedin Central 9016

**Who:** Years 5-6 for Primary and Years 7-8 for Intermediate in teams of four  
- plus we recommend a reserve on standby.

**Bring:** 2 chess sets and boards per team, own refreshments

**Cost:** \$60 per team – payments to “Otago Chess Club Inc.” 03-0905-0169820-00

Please complete the attached entry form for each team and e-mail to the address provided at the bottom of the form. Please do not post cash.

**Entries must be received a week before the date of the event, but correct cash payment may be made on the day.**

For additional information, please contact Quentin Johnson by email [otagochess@gmail.com](mailto:otagochess@gmail.com) or phone/text 021 156 6789.



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**Please pay entry fees of \$60 per team in advance! Payments to "Otago Chess Club Inc." 03-0905-0169820-00**

## ENTRY FORM for (circle one)

<b>Secondary</b> <b>Sat 24 May 2025</b> <b>Logan Park HS Library</b>	<b>Primary and Intermediate</b> <b>Sat 17 May 2025</b> <b>Trinity Catholic College Library</b>
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As per Note 2 above, the Primary Teams will be restricted to children in Year 5 and 6 players unless approved well in advance with Quentin.

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(If entering more than one team, please name teams A, B, in order of playing strength)

**Team Members** (in order of playing strength)

Board 1.	_____	Year _____
Board 2.	_____	Year _____
Board 3.	_____	Year _____
Board 4.	_____	Year _____
Reserve (optional)	_____	Year _____

(Please note that your reserve player may play for another of your school's teams)

**Teacher-in-charge:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please note that e-mail will be the primary method of communication for the competition)

**Contact number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please e-mail completed entry form to: [otagochess@gmail.com](mailto:otagochess@gmail.com)**

Please bring your own snacks – you will get hungry.

**We prefer that only one or two adults per team attend, due to limited capacity at the venues.**

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