

Entry Fees

	Before 1 st January 2012	Between 1 st January and 31 st May 2012	After 31 st May 2012
Grandmasters	Free	Free	Free
International Masters / Women Grandmasters	Free	Free	Free
Fide Masters / Women's International Masters	Free	Free	£20
Players rated 2300 (FIDE) or above and not titled	£160	£160	£160
Players rated 2100-2299 (FIDE)	£55	£65	£75
For the category below, enter before 1 st October 2011 for £55			
Players rated under 2100 (FIDE) or unrated	£60	£70	£80

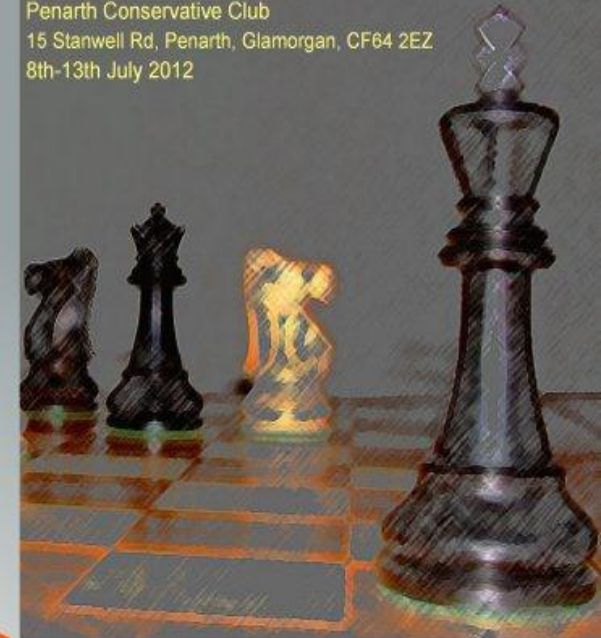
Timetable

Sunday, 8 th July	Round 1	11:00 – 16:00
Sunday, 8 th July	Round 2	17:30 - 22:30
Monday, 9 th July	Round 3	17:00 – 22:00
Tuesday, 10 th July	Round 4	10:00 – 15:00
Tuesday, 10 th July	Round 5	17:00 - 22:00
Wednesday, 11 th July	Round 6	17:00 – 22:00
Thursday, 12 th July	Round 7	10:00 – 15:00
Thursday, 12 th July	Round 8	17:00 - 22:00
Friday, 13 th July	Round 9	15:30 – 20:30

9th South Wales International Open

(organised by South Wales Chess)

Penarth Conservative Club
15 Stanwell Rd, Penarth, Glamorgan, CF64 2EZ
8th-13th July 2012



July 2012

Chess

A British Championship Qualifier

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Chief Arbiter: Peter Purland International Arbiter

The Location and Venue

The Venue is situated just a few hundred metres from Penarth Railway Station. 15 minutes from the M4 (Junction 33) making the venue easily reached by road or rail.

There are many bed and breakfast guest houses and hotels within walking distance. We will place a list of these on our website.

PRIZES

1st £1000

2nd £500

3rd £250

In the table below Candidate Masters do NOT COUNT as titled players

Best IM or WGM	£250
Best FM or WIM	£250
Best non titled player rated under 2300 or WFM	£200
Best non FIDE rated player	£200
Best Welsh player rated under 2300 on July 2012 FIDE list	£200
Best English player rated under 2300 on July 2012 FIDE list	£200
Best non Welsh junior (Under 18 on 1.9.11)	£100
Best Welsh junior (Under 18 on 1.9.11)	£100

Prizes will only be awarded if there are AT LEAST THREE playing competitors in that category.

Where players qualify for more than one prize, the organizers reserve the right to redistribute prize money.

Rate of play: 40 moves in 2 hours, then all moves in 30 minutes.

Conditions

A limited number of conditions for titled players will be available. Apply in confidence to Kevin Staveley.

Byes

Players not receiving conditions may claim up to 2 half point byes in any of the first seven rounds. Further byes may be allowed in exceptional circumstances. First round bye requests must be made at the time of entry. Further bye requests on arrival at event.

Late Arrivals

In all rounds, late arrivals will be allowed 1 hour and then defaulted.

Withdrawals on or after 9th June 2012

Regrettably, refunds will not be considered until the cost of overheads is met

Withdrawals before 9th June 2012

If a player withdraws before 9th June 2011, half the entry fee will be returned, or the entry maybe transferred to 2013 event.

Exclusions

The organisers reserve the right to refuse entries without giving a reason.

Publicity

For tournament details and updates, visit the Congress web-site at: www.southwaleschess.co.uk/SWI

Ratings

The July 2012 FIDE Rating list will be used.

THE 9th SOUTH WALES INTERNATIONAL CHESS CONGRESS

8th -13th July 2012

ENTRY FORM

Name			
Address			
Telephone			
email			
Nationality			
FIDE Title/Rating/ID			
National Rating/Country			
Date of Birth			
Byes required: Rounds			

Entry fee: _____ Total enclosed: _____

*Please make all cheques payable to "South Wales International Congress",
or enter and pay online*