CJCC November 2018 Newsletter

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Happy Halloween everybody, and welcome to the 2018 November Newsletter! In November there are many great tournaments to play in. Juniors can participate in the Alberta Junior Chess Championship, a provincial tournament in Edmonton, in addition to our monthly tournament and chess schools. In October, we saw an incredible amount of players at our chess school, and we hope this growth will continue.

IMPORTANT UPDATE

The Calgary Junior Chess Club has changed its locations for its events. All future events will now be held at Renert School, located at 14 Royal Vista Dr NW.

Thanksgiving Tournament

October 13, 2018

The Thanksgiving Tournament was the monthly tournament for October. A total of 52 players participated. Congratulations to the winners in each section!

Open:	Aditya R.
Intermediate:	Ali K.
Novice:	Jonas O.

October Chess School

October 28, 2018

This month's chess school had over 90 players attending! This is an incredible amount of people. The October Chess School was the first time we used Renert School as a venue, and we hope to continue using this space for our events. As more and more juniors are playing, the Renert venue provides a larger space for play.

A big thanks to our volunteers and instructors; without them, hosting 90 people would not be possible! If you would like to volunteer at our future events, please go to: <u>https://www.calgaryjuniorchess.com/CJCC/Volunteer/SignUp</u>

Upcoming Events

Remembrance Day Tournament

November 3, 2018

The Remembrance Day Tournament is an enjoyable way to play chess and socialise with friends each month. Winners in each of the Novice, Intermediate and Open sections will receive trophies and medals. Everyone will get a prize!

Please pre-register for the tournament at: https://www.calgaryjuniorchess.com/CJCC/event/event/10003

November Chess School

November 11, 2018

Chess school is a great way to gain new chess skills through lessons and test them out in a fun tournament setting.

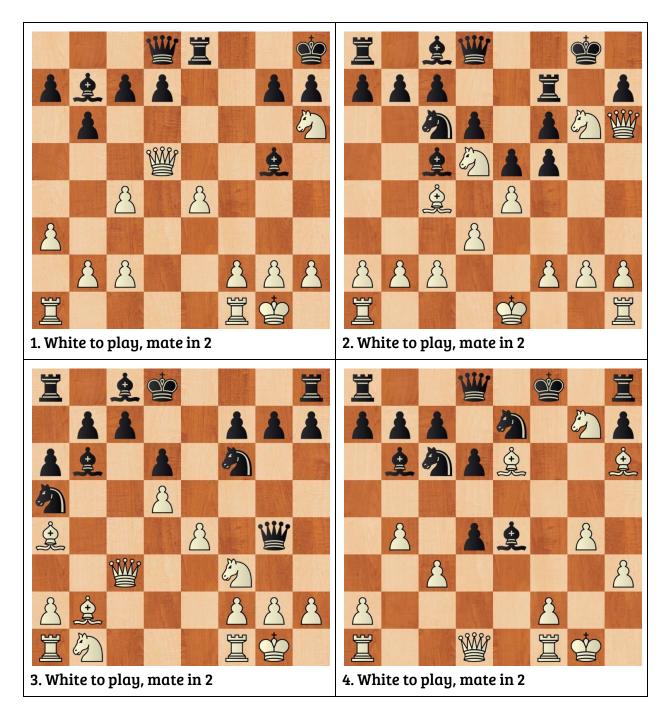
Please pre-register for November Chess School at: https://www.calgaryjuniorchess.com/CJCC/event/event/10004

Alberta Junior Chess Championship

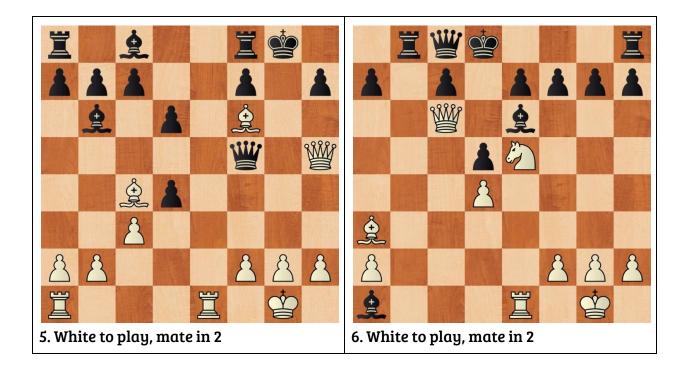
November 17-18, 2018

The Alberta Junior Chess Championship is a provincial level tournament to be held in Edmonton. This is a large tournament with many great players from all over Alberta attending, so it is a great opportunity for players to improve. The winner of the Championship section will receive a \$1000 travel grant to the Canadian Junior Chess Championship in 2019.

For more information and to register, please visit: <u>http://albertachess.org/2018ABJ.php</u>



All puzzles this month are White to play, mate in 2!



Solutions:

- 1. 1.Qg8+ Rxg8 2.Nf7#
- 2. 1.Nxf6+ Qxf6 2.Qf8#
- 3. 1. Qxf6+ gxf6 2. Bxf6#
- 4. 1. Nh5+ Ke8 2. Nf6#
- 5. 1. Qxf7+ Rxf7 2. Re8#
- 6. 1. Nxf7+ Bxf7 2. Bxe7#

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