

Chess Club Info

I'd like to take the time to write out some chess club expectations. I will cover these with the students on the first day of chess club, but I think it's important for parents to know as well.

- Chess Club is a voluntary activity. I want to allow as many students as possible to join, but if a student is consistently disruptive, that student will not be allowed to continue.

- I expect consistent attendance. I know scheduling issues occur, but if a student is on the roster, he/she needs to attend each week. If a student decides to quit, I need to know. If a student quits then changes his mind, I reserve the right to decide whether to reinstate (every year, when the year end party is announced, several kids suddenly remember they're in Chess Club after a few months of not attending).

- Children may bring snacks. They should be eaten right away so they aren't a distraction throughout club time.

- I asked for parent e-mails this year in order to better communicate. You will receive e-mails about up-coming tournaments, cancellations (if known in advance), and other info as necessary. I promise I won't flood your inbox!

- Any and all help is appreciated. I need confident players to help coach and those to do data entry at chess club. Please let me know if you are available (each week, every other week, once per month, etc.). There will be recruitment for the end of the season party help later in the year.

- Students must be picked up right at 4 pm. Please arrange with one or two other parents for carpooling purposes so if you are running late, your child can be picked up on time.

My contact info is below. Please feel free to call or e-mail.

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