Texas Chess Association’s
Panhandle Regional Championship
A 4 Round Swiss System Scholastic Tournament

Date: April 8, 2017

Site: Wayland Baptist University (Plainview, TX)
Multi-Purpose Room; from East Entrance of the
Moody Science Building (MSB)—go downstairs to basement.

Campus Map/Parking: [link]
Some parking near MSB building—plenty of unrestricted parking at Harral Music Center.

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Event Description: Individual and Team Scholastic Regional Championship (Region 1, Texas Chess Association). Open to all scholastic players, Championship trophies/titles only for the participants from Panhandle Region. Games played in 6 sections: Championship sections (USCF rated—must take notation and use clock if available): Elementary (k-5th), Middle School (6th-8th), High School (9th-12th).
Novice Sections (unrated beginners in 1st year of competition): Elementary (k-5th), Middle School (6th-8th), High School (9th-12th). Tournament Directors will collapse sections if the numbers warrant. The time limit is G/30 (total of 30 minutes maximum per player per game).
USCF membership may be obtained online at [link] at any time up until the tournament begins.

Prizes: Trophies for top 3 individuals in each section. 1st place individuals in each Championship section designated as Regional champion. Trophies for top 3 school teams in each section. 1st place team in each Championship section designated as Regional champions. Any ties for 1st place individual in each championship section will be broken via unrated games of blitz chess. All other individual ties broken via tournament software settings. Any ties for team awards will be broken by tournament software settings.

On-site registration: 8:30-9:30 AM (if entering Rated section, have current USCF id #)
Entry Fees: Pre-registration: $15; On-site registration: $20 03/014 /
Schedule: 1st round starts at 10:00 AM with following rounds played on a rolling schedule. Award Ceremony immediately following round 4—approximately 3:00 PM. One ½ point byes are available for all four rounds—must commit before first round.
Remember: notation and use of clock (if available) is required in all Championship sections. All boards/sets will be provided.

To register by check - send Entry Form and Fees to: Texas Tech Chess Program, Box 45080, Lubbock, TX 79409-5080

Entry Form 01/08/2017: Make check/money order payable to: Texas Tech Chess Program.

Name: ___________________________ Phone: (_____)__________School____________________
Address: __________________________ City/State: _________ Zip: __________________________
Email: ___________________________ DOB: __________ Bye request R1 R2 R3 R4
USCF Rating (if any) ______ USCF ID#:______________ Amount Enclosed $ ________________
Section: Nonrated K-5 Nonrated K-8 Nonrated K-12

Rated K-5 Rated K-8 Rated K-12 (Please circle one)