2015 Great Plains Open

November 14 - 15 in Lincoln, Nebraska Sponsored by the Nebraska State Chess Association



Excellent Venue! The tournament will again be held at the Country Inn & Suites conveniently located just 1 mile south of the 27th St. & I-80 Exit. Special Room Rate of \$99 for Chess Players! Reserve by calling 402-476-5353.

Great Plains Open November 14th & 15th Guaranteed First Prize of \$300! A Nebraska POY Event

Great Plains Rated Beginners Open Saturday November 14th Only

Great Plains Open: 5-SS. G90 + 30inc. November 14-15 at the Country Inn & Suites, 5353 North 27th Street, Lincoln, NE 68521. **Prizes:** Based on 30 paid entries: 1st \$300 (Guaranteed), 2nd \$150, 3rd \$100; <u>U1800</u>: 1st \$125; <u>U1600</u>: 1st \$125; <u>U1400</u>: 1st \$100. Tie-breaks: 1) Modified Median, 2) Solkoff, 3) Cumulative. **Registration**: 8 to 9:00 am, Saturday November 8th. USCF November rating list used. Unrated eligible for U1400 prizes. **Entry Fee:** \$40 if post-marked by November 8th. \$55 onsite—cash only. USCF membership required. **Rounds:** Saturday 9:30 am, 2:00 pm & 6:30 pm, Sunday 9:00 am & 1:30 pm. **Equipment:** Bring clocks, sets & boards. **Hotel Rates:** Special rate of \$99 available by reservation or onsite. Reservations: 402.476.5353.

Rated Beginners Open: 5-SS. G30 open to players U1200 & Unrated. Saturday, November 14th only. **Prizes:** Trophies to 1st, 2nd & 3rd, U1000 1st, U800 1st, U600 1st. **Registration:** 9:30 – 10:15 am, Saturday, November 8th. **Entry Fee:** \$15 if postmarked by October 31st. \$20 onsite—cash only. USCF membership required. **Rounds:** Round 1 will start at 10:30 am, with rounds 2-5 starting 15 minutes after the completion of all games in the preceding round. **Equipment:** Bring clocks, sets & boards.

Contact Information: Tournament is being sponsored by the Nebraska State Chess Association and Organized by John Linscott. Please call or email John Linscott with any questions at 402.314.2338 or johnlinscott@neb.rr.com.

Please send Advance Entry to John Linscott, 7301 Twin Oaks Rd., Lincoln, NE 68516. Make check or money order payable to John Linscott. Email confirmation of receipt will be sent. Name:_______Section(s):______ USCF ID#______Rating:______Expiration Date:______ Address:______City & State:______Zip:_____

All Advance Entries must be postmarked by November 8th.