## New Year Bash 2016

With a \$300.00 dollar prize fund!

Date: One Day - Saturday, January 2, 2016

Where: \*new location\* "Crowne Plaza Kansas City/Overland Park" – 12601 W 95<sup>th</sup> Street, Lenexa, KS 66215

Registration: Send all advanced entries to <a href="mailto:yang.brian@ymail.com">yang.brian@ymail.com</a>: Last Name, First Name; Section, USCF ID (make sure membership is up-to-date). USCF and KCA memberships may be purchased or renewed on-site. \*BOTH USCF and KCA memberships are required. Other States Accepted. KCA Adult - \$7; KCA Scholastic - \$5; KCA Family membership- \$10.00

<u>Format:</u> 4 rounds Swiss – Game/60 + 5 second delay (Dual-Rated); Two Sections: Open and Reserve (U1600 January Supplement)



Tournament Schedule			
Registration	9:00 AM - 9:45 AM		
Round 1	10:00 AM		
Lunch	12:00 PM		
Round 2 <sup>^</sup>	12:30 PM		
Round 3 <sup>^</sup>	2:30 PM		
Round 4^	4:30 PM		

Entry Fee: All players pay on site on Saturday. Only Cash will be accepted. Refer to the table for both adult and scholastic rates. All advanced entries must be in by e-mail by January 1, 2016 by 9:00PM.

<b>Entry Fee</b>	<b>Pre-Registered</b>	On-Site
Adult	\$30.00	\$40.00
Scholastic	\$15.00	\$20.00

Awards: See Table Below - Prizes will increase proportionally if number of adult entries is above 20!

Prize Fund (Based on 20 adult entries)	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place
Open Section	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
Reserve Section (U1600 January Supplement)	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00

Tournament Directors: Brian Yang (Chief TD); CJ Armenta (Assistant TD)

Equipment: Please bring Clocks/Boards; none are supplied.

<u>Food and Drinks:</u> Players may leave as soon as they are finished with the 1<sup>st</sup> round to get lunch but must return before 2<sup>nd</sup> round to not risk losing time.

Other: Players are expected to know the rules in <u>U.S. Chess Federation</u>'s Official Rules of Chess - 6<sup>th</sup> edition and any updated rule changes since the 6<sup>th</sup> edition. There is a time delay of 5 seconds. Byes are offered for rounds 1-3, if requested prior **before the start of the tournament**. ARounds 2-4 will run back-to-back i.e. the round may start earlier. 30 minutes for lunch.

Questions? Contact Brian Yang at <a href="mailto:yang.brian@ymail.com">yang.brian@ymail.com</a>