



ISLAND QUEENS CHESS TOURNAMENT 2024



TOURNAMENT NOTICE AND REGULATIONS

Venue: Holy Cross Anglican Church Pavilion – Soldier Road

Tournament Directors: Beverly Turnquest and Cyprianna Rolle

Chief Arbiter: FA, Angel Pride

Format – 5 rounds Swiss System

Time Control - Game in 15 minutes.

Schedule

The Island Queens Tournament will be held on the following dates and times:

DAY	DATE	ROUND	START TIME
Saturday	May 11th	1	10:00 am
		2	10:45 am
		3	11:30 am
		4	1:00 pm
		5	1:45 pm

Eligibility

The tournament is open to Bahamian females of any age. There will be an open (Queen) and beginner's (Pawn) section.

Registration - Players are encouraged to preregister ONLINE at <https://www.bahamaschessfederation.org/island-queens-2024.html>. Final registration will be held at the venue, starting at 9:15 am and ending at 9:45 am on May 11th. Those wanting to pay in person can pay at the venue before the start of Round 1.

Entry Fee:

Queens - \$10; Pawns - \$5

Prizes:

Queens (Open): Trophy and gift for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place

Gifts sponsored by Natural Daughters:

1st Place (Value - \$50): Wash, deep condition, treatment, blow-dry

2nd Place: (Value - \$50): Wash and deep condition, blow-dry

3rd Place: (Value - \$50): Wash and deep condition, blow-dry

Pawns (Beginner): Trophy and gift for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place

Gifts sponsored by Pink Pawns Program:

1st Place: \$45 Gift Basket

2nd Place: \$30 Gift Basket

3rd Place: \$25 Gift Basket

Tie-Breaks:

- 1) Buchholz Cut 1
- 2) Buchholz
- 3) Sonneborn-Berger
- 4) Progressive Score
5. Direct Encounter

Additional Regulations

- Mobile phones, laptops, tablets, and other smart devices must be switched off and cannot be used at any time during the match.

Notes:

1. BCF will not be held responsible for any loss, damage, or theft of personal property on the premises.
2. By registering for this event, players acknowledge that they have read, understood, and agreed to the tournament regulations.