

Montréal Open (ChOM) 2018



More than \$5,000 in prizes.

Two FIDE-rated sections.

New : Junior Section!



Venue: Loisirs St-Henri, 3rd floor, 530, rue du Couvent, Montréal, Québec H4C 1R2.

	Section A Championnat	Section B <2000	Section C <1600	Section D <1200	Section J junior
Eligibility	Rtg >=2000	1600<= Rtg<2000	1200<=Rtg<1600	Rtg <1200 or no rating	Under 18 y.o., FQE/CMA<900
Upgrade	\$25 per section				n/a
Ratings used	Ratings for sections, prizes and pairings: as of Monday, September 03 ; FQE for Quebec residents, CFC for other Canadians , the highest found for all other players.				
Membership	Players must have valid FQE (CFC) membership or purchase it before the start of the tournament.				
Rated with	FIDE/ CFC/ FQE	FIDE/ CFC/ FQE	FQE	FQE	FQE / CMA
Format	Regular Swiss, five (5) rounds				
Time control	90 min / end + 30 sec. delay (please learn in advance the differences between a delay and an increment)				30 min / end + 30 sec. delay
Late registration	On site, Friday, September 07, from 17:00 to 18:00 . Cash only . Anyone registering after 18:00 is not guaranteed to be paired for Rd 1.				
Round 1	Friday, September 07 , at 19:00				Sep 07 at 19:15
Round 2	Saturday, September 08 , at 10:00				Sep 08 at 10:15
Round 3	Saturday, September 08, at 15:00				Right after Rd 2
Round 4	Sunday, September 09 , at 10:00				Sep 08 at 15h15
Round 5	Sunday, September 09, at 15:00				Right after Rd 4
Byes	Up to three (3) half-point byes in Rounds 1 through 3 if requested before the start of Round 1.				
Forfeit time	60 min after the round start				30 min after the round start
Entry fee before July 01	\$75	\$70	\$65	\$60	\$45
Before Aug 01	\$80	\$75	\$70	\$65	\$50
Before Sept 01	\$90	\$85	\$80	\$75	\$55
After Sept 01	\$100	\$95	\$90	\$85	\$60
Specials	Free for GMs / IMs. \$40 off for FMs. \$25 off for MNs.				n/a
Prizes (if 150 or more paid entries)	1 st – \$1,000, 2 nd – \$700, 3 rd – \$300, <2200 – \$100	1 st – \$600, 2 nd – \$400, 3 rd – \$200, <1800 – \$100	1 st – \$450, 2 nd – \$300, 3 rd – \$200, <1400 – \$50	1 st – \$300, 2 nd – \$200, 3 rd – \$100, <1000 – \$50	Trophies/ medals for Top-10, best girl. Ribbons for everyone.
Unrated player	An unrated player cannot win more than \$100				n/a
Other	No refunds after 2018-Aug-01. Cancellation fee of \$20 prior to Aug 01. Bring your own clocks. Clock rental available on site.				
Electronic devices	As per <i>FIDE Laws of Chess, Art. 11.3.2.1</i> : any electronic device has to be stored in a player's bag and to be switched off completely.				
Chief Arbiter	Vadim Tsy-pin, FIDE Arbiter				
Organizer	Elevate My Chess Canada, Inc. (Ontario) in collaboration with the FQE				

Online registration : <http://elevatemychess.com/montrealopen>

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