West Briar Middle School Presents: After School Chess Program!!

13733 Brimhurst Dr, Houston, TX 77077

For All Chess Levels (Beginners are Welcome!)

(open to all students)



Checks for \$250 should be made payable to Dark Knights Chess and turn it into the office by Friday, February 10th

- Learn from Nationally ranked Tournament Chess Players!!!
- Student / Teacher ratio 16 to 1 or better
- Enrollment Open (only the first 32 entries will be accepted)
- Over an hour of detailed chess instruction each class!!!
- Each student will receive:
 - Chess Handouts
 - Homework assignments due following week
 - Custom made Dark Knights Chess T-Shirts.
- *The final party and tournament will be on the last day of chess. Awards will be from 5: 30 –6:00 and parents are invited.

Parents across the country are recognizing the benefits of chess instruction for their children. Chess develops reading and math ability, strengthens critical & analytical thinking, and builds character and self-esteem. But don't tell the children that! They think it's a board game;)



Recent Achievements:

2017 Texas State 5th Grade Champions

2017 Texas State 3rd Grade 2nd Place

2018 Texas State Elementary (K-6) Grand Champions

2018 Texas State 5th Grade Champions

2018 Texas State 1st Grade 2nd Place

2019 Texas State 1st Grade 2nd Place

2019 Texas State 2nd Grade 3rd Place

2019 Texas State 3rd Grade 2nd Place

2019 Texas State 5th Grade 2nd Place

2019 Texas State Primary (K-3) 3rd Place

2019 Texas State Elementary (K-6) Grand Champions

for more info. Email: HouDKChess@gmail.com

Daily Schedules will include:

- ★ Content rich lectures with lessons prepared by experienced National Master Chess Instructors
- Power Point Presentations to connect visual learning with lectures
- Homework assignments to reinforce lessons
- Access to other DK Chess Instructors and assistants during tournaments (reviewing and analyzing games)
- Team room accessibility during USCF Tournaments
- **♣** Bring a smile and have fun!!! :)

The classes are structured to instruct and help your child succeed with tournament play in the state of Texas and across the Nation. Our Instructors have been involved with competitive chess across the Nation and bring many years of experience to this amazing program.

All are experienced private / group chess instructors

When: Every Tuesday!!!!

Includes:

Team shirt and LiChess account.

Where: Room F104

Time: 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm

Dates for Spring 2023

Semester: Feb. 14, 21, 28 Mar. 7, 21, 28 Apr. 4, 11, 18, 25 May 2, 9, 16, 23 (14 classes)

Instructors:

Bo Githoro

(National Master above 2200) has been playing competitive chess for 20 years in the State of Texas during which he has won 2 Texas Scholastic State Chess Championships. He has over 10 yrs of teaching chess experience producing State Champions as early as the 1st grade. His interactive and innovative methods of teaching are equipped to take all playing levels to the next level

Russell

Trevino Coach
Russel has been
playing competitive
chess for 20 years in
the State of Texas
during which he has
won numerous
tournaments including
Regional and National
titles. He has over
10 years of teaching
experience and has
students who are
regional champions as
early as the 1st grade.

Bradley Sawyer:

National Master (above 2200) has been playing competitive chess for over 20 years and is a former National Scholastic Chess Champion with over 15 years of Chess Teaching Experience.