

# MAIL-IN ENTRY FORM – 2021 Northern Virginia Open

Player's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

US Chess Member: YES NO ***If Yes***, write ID Number Here: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Apartment/Unit: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_, State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Are You playing in the Main Tournament (circle on choice): YES NO**

*Round 1 in the Main Event is at 9:30 AM on Saturday, Nov 20<sup>th</sup>.*

*ALL Games are FIDE-rated and FIDE Rules are in effect for ALL PLAYERS.*

*For Time Controls, Round Start Times and other Details, see [www.vachess.org](http://www.vachess.org)*

***There is a "30-minute forfeit rule" for players who are not at their boards by the start time for each round.***

Optional ½-Point Bye in Main Event (***1 allowed***): No Bye Rd 1 Rd 2 Rd 3 Rd 4 Rd 5

Are You Playing Blitz on Friday Night (Blitz is optional): YES NO

***If Yes***, what Section of Blitz will you play in? OPEN Under 1600

***I ACKNOWLEDGE the following requirements (you must CHECK or "X" all items):***

- No Spectators are allowed in the Playing Room.
- I may be required to wear a mask at all times during the event.
- I may be asked to have my Forehead Temperature taken by the Tournament Director.
- I may be asked COVID Screening Questions at the tournament site.
- The Tournament Director may ask me to leave based on my Forehead Temperature or response to Screening Questions.
- I am not allowed to eat FOOD at the board other than "quiet" snacks. My drinks (other than water in cups provided at the site) must be bottled with caps or in personal water/beverage bottles.
- I may use my own set and increment-capable chess clock, but pieces and clocks are subject to being "wiped down" at the start and end of my game. The TD will have sets available to all players.

**Main Event Entry Fee: \$100**

**Friday Night Blitz: \$35**

VCF \$15-Adult \$8-Junior  
***(VCF Membership is required of all VIRGINIA residents)***

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to VA Chess Federation

***MAIL your payment AND THIS ENTRY FORM no later than Sat, Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> to:***

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