MAIL-IN ENTRY FORM – 2022-23 Northern VA Open

Last Name: _____	**First Name: _____**	**MI: _____**

US Chess Member: YES NO ***If Yes***, write ID No. here: _____

Section you want to enter (circle one option)

OPEN Under 1800 Under 1200

- **Minimum US Chess or FIDE rating of 1600 required for Championship Section, no Unrated players (see note below)**
- **Unrated players can only play in the Under 1800 or Under 1200 Sections**
- **NOTE: "Unrated" means the player has no US Chess rating or a rating in a recognized rating system (e.g., FIDE, Canada, etc.). Ratings from Chess.com, LiChess, ICC, etc., do not count.**

Street Address: _____ _____	Email: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____,	St: ____	Zip: _____	Birth Date: _____

Optional ½-Point Bye Request (1 allowed): Rd 1 Rd 2 Rd 3 Rd 4 Rd 5

A "bye" means a player is electing to skip a round in the tournament and receive ½-point as compensation. Taking a Bye is Optional.

Entry Fee: $110	VCF $15-Adult $8-Junior Annual requirement for Virginia Residents, You can renew this at www.vachess.org	**Total: _____**

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PLEASE READ AND RETAIN THESE HELPFUL NOTES:

- **Championship & Amateur (U1800) Sections** play Friday – Sunday, Jan 6-8, with Round 1 on Friday Jan 6th at 7:30pm. These 2 sections are FIDE-rated.
- **The Under 1200 Section** plays Saturday and Sunday, Jan 7-8, with Round 1 on Saturday Jan 7th at 10am.
- If you elect to take a ½-point Bye your deadline to revoke it is 30 minutes before Round 2 on Saturday.
- For details about the Prize Fund, start times for each round, time controls and more go to www.vachess.org