

# OCEANIA SENIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

14 - 20 November 2021

Noosa, Queensland

THE 2021 OCEANIA SENIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP  
INCORPORATING THE AUSTRALIAN SENIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE  
PLAYED IN QUEENSLAND'S PREMIER TOURISM RESORT, NOOSA,  
OVER 7 DAYS FROM 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2021

- ☑ 7 ROUNDS OVER 7 DAYS (UP TO 2 BYES IN ROUNDS 1-5)
- ☑ ADDITIONAL RAPID & BLITZ TOURNAMENTS
- ☑ FIDE & ACF RATED
- ☑ NOOSA NOVICE TOURNAMENT

VENUE: TEWANTIN-NOOSA RSL CLUB, 1 MEMORIAL AVE, TEWANTIN  
EXTENSIVE EXCURSIONS, FINE DINING AND ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

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# ENTRY FORM

## OCEANIA SENIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

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Name:		
Address:		
Mobile:	Email:	
Date of Birth (born up to 31 Dec 1971):		
Nationality:	Current rating FIDE:	National rating:
Affiliations (state/national associations, clubs etc):		
FIDE titles (if any):		
Other titles / most significant championship wins (present and past):		
Entry fee (please tick) <input type="checkbox"/> \$200 – Full Entry Early Bird (to 31 July) includes free entry to Blitz & Rapid <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 – Concession Early Bird (to 31 July) includes free entry to Blitz & Rapid <input type="checkbox"/> \$200 – Full Entry after 31 July <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 – Concession after 31 July (pensioners) <input type="checkbox"/> FOC – Free entry to FMs, WIMs, IMs, WGMs, GMs <input type="checkbox"/> \$30 – Blitz (FIDE/ACF rated, open to all ages) <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 – Rapid (FIDE/ACF rated, open to all ages) <input type="checkbox"/> \$30 – Noosa Novice (all ages, must be unrated or under 1000) <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 – Sponsor / Supporter (please discuss)		
Payments by bank transfer: Noosa Shire Chess Club Inc. 'Oceania Senior' Account BSB 064 449 Account 1052 9496 Please enter your name and OSCC as a reference. International entries can discuss payment by credit card (we can process via Arcadia Travel).		

# CHESS SCHEDULE

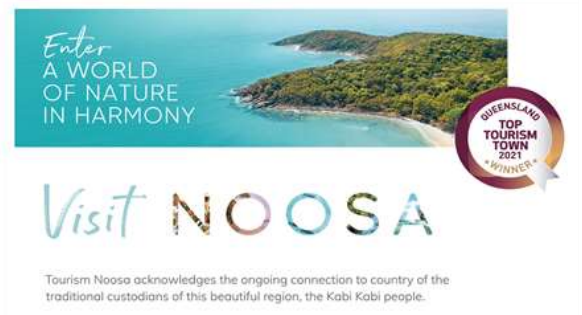
SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> – SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

	<b>Championships</b>	<b>Blitz, Rapid</b>	<b>Noosa Novice</b>
<b>Sunday 14<sup>th</sup></b>	1400 Opening Ceremony		
<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup></b>	1430 Round One 1030 Round Two		
<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	1030 Round Three	1530-1900 Blitz	
<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup></b>	1030 Round Four	1530-1900 Rapid	1700-2200 Rounds 1-3
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup></b>	1030 Round Five	1530-1900 Rapid	1700-2200 Rounds 4-6
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup></b>	1030 Round Six		1700-1900 Round 7 and prizes
<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	1030 Round Seven 1700 Closing Ceremony, Dinner		

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your total entertainment centre



**Acknowledgement of the Kubbi Kubbi people**

The Noosa Region lies on the ancestral lands of the Kubbi Kubbi people to whom we extend our acknowledgement and respects to elders past, present and emerging.

### **Rate of Play**

The same time control as major FIDE events:

**Championships:** 90 minutes for the first 40 moves followed by 30 minutes for the rest of the game with an addition of 30 seconds per move starting from move one.

**Blitz:** 3 minutes plus 2 additional seconds per move

**Rapid:** 15 minutes plus 10 additional seconds per move

### **Prizes**

The fund for prizes and trophies is \$8000 based on 60 entries. First prize is \$2000.

Prizes for minor places, rating divisions and other awards will be announced when entries reach 60 players or by 1<sup>st</sup> November, whichever occurs first.

**We're keen to achieve 100 entries!** By end of May we have around 30 players expressing interest and the RSL venue has further areas we can use if entries exceed 60 players.

**Spacing at the venue** – The RSL will apply any Covid protocols as required. Spacing is planned for 2sqm per player which is also the requirement for FIDE events.

**Covid and Travel** – If the event is proceeding but some players are not able to attend because of restrictions, we will try to set up facilities for online participation.

**Covid Cancellation** – A postponement of the event by up to 12 months is the contingency if Covid prevents the mid-November schedule. Tournament entries will be refunded in full. Accommodations booked with Arcadia Travel will be possible to cancel for full refunds up to 7 days prior to arrival in Covid cancellation circumstances.

### **Further announcements to come:**

**Arbiter/s** – A Chief Arbiter will be confirmed in June. According to entry numbers, an Assistant Arbiter may also be engaged.

**Grandmaster commentary** – We have discussed with a senior Australian grandmaster, renowned for his popular commentary and expect to confirm by end of July.

**Sponsors** – To date these include Tourism Noosa Events, Tewantin-Noosa RSL, Black & More Engineers & Arcadia Travel Noosa. We are open to further sponsorships.

Hope you can join us!

Warm regards,

Noosa Shire Chess Club Incorporated (Event Committee Peter Cam, Ralph Jackson, Tony Black, Rob Hochstadt and Terry Martin) ABN 30 398651051

Facebook @OceaniaSeniorChessNoosa2021 @NoosaChessClub / Website

<https://www.noosachess.org/>

Entries and Accommodation Requests to Secretary – Ralph Jackson tel 0406 440418 / [secretary.noosachess@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.noosachess@gmail.com)

## OCEANIA SENIORS ACCOMMODATION REQUEST FORM

Please refer to the Accommodations page and enter your requests here. Send the form to Ralph Jackson [secretary.noosachess@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.noosachess@gmail.com) Ralph is also Director of Arcadia Travel.

We can adjust for 6, 7, 8 nights or longer. Arcadia Travel will advise payment and cancellation terms. Most reservations will allow full refunds in case of cancellation up to 7 days prior to arrival date.

Accommodation / room type	Studio apt	One bedroom apt	Two bedroom apt for up to 4 persons (2 bathrooms)
Noosa Lakes Resort (3.5*) – closest accom option to venue	22 sqm \$115 per nt / 6-8 nts, kitchenette, no housekeeping	50 sqm \$150 per nt / 6-8 nts, full kitchen, no housekeeping	enquire
Peppers Noosa Heads (5*) with Breakfast at Peppers View Restaurant	possible (but no cost advantage compared to one-bedroom apt)	45 sqm \$290 per nt / 6-8 nts, full kitchen, daily servicing, restaurant breakfasts	70 sqm \$440 per nt / 6-8 nts daily servicing, breakfasts
Netanya (4+*) or sim, on exclusive Hastings St and Main Beach. <i>Note cancellation conditions for Netanya and other exclusive properties may be stricter. We'll advise.</i>	not offered	Netanya \$560 per nt / 6-8 nts (non-beach) Netanya \$720 per nt / 6-8 nts (beachfront)	enquire with us

Highlight/circle one of the above and/or enter your request below:

PROPERTY:

ROOM / APARTMENT & TYPE:

RATE AS ABOVE / OR RATE SEEN ON WEB:

ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE	NUMBER OF NIGHTS	DBL / TWIN BEDS ?
1 <sup>ST</sup> PERSON	2 <sup>ND</sup> PERSON	3 <sup>RD</sup> PERSON	4 <sup>TH</sup> PERSON

For other deals at these and other accommodations you're welcome to browse the internet then ask sponsor Arcadia Travel for a quote.

### EXCLUSIVE ACTIVITIES, BIKE HIRE & DINNERS

For our planning of activities, please indicate your interest by circling 1 (not in) to 5 (absolutely!):

1 2 3 4 5	Sunset Cruise up the Noosa River to Lake Cooroibah 2 hours (Mon 6pm, 60 places)	\$15
1 2 3 4 5	Walk through Noosa National Park (days/times to be set)	free
1 2 3 4 5	Noosa Bike Hire 7 days mtb, includes helmet and lock	\$100
1 2 3 4 5	Afternoon Brewery Tour	\$75 est
1 2 3 4 5	Feast dinner at Peppers View Restaurant (Chef Matt Golinski) Tue 7:30pm (min 10, max 50 diners)	\$90
1 2 3 4 5	Farewell dinner at RSL Bistro Saturday 6pm (90 places)	TBA

We'll start firming these after Early Bird Bookings close on 31 July

Accommodations we've selected to recommend.

**Noosa Lakeside Resort and Convention Centre** (3.5\*): Close to venue (600m) and Noosa Marina restaurants (300m), good value with self-catering. [www.noosalakesresort.com.au](http://www.noosalakesresort.com.au)

**Peppers Resort** (5\*): Close to Hastings St precinct, a ferry or bus ride to the venue, self-catering, onsite 'View Restaurant' (chef Matt Golinski), medium cost, nice ambience in the bar/restaurant area (great for evening analysis!). [www.peppers.com.au/noosa](http://www.peppers.com.au/noosa)

**Netanya** (4+\*): Fronting Main Beach on Hastings St and next door to the Noosa Surf Club - if you'd like to experience Noosa 'to the max'. The hotel is undergoing an \$11m rebuild this winter, due to re-open September. [www.netanyanoosa.com.au](http://www.netanyanoosa.com.au)

If you do choose your own, browse for properties and rates on the internet and we invite you to ask us for a quote. Arcadia will try and give you a slightly better rate with the remainder of agent commission going into event sponsorship.

**Richard Branson's Makepeace Island** is also available that week for exclusive use at \$18,000 a night for up to 20 people!! It is just 1.5km north of the venue, on the Noosa River. Justin Beiber played chess while staying there a couple of years back (vs his bodyguard). [makepeaceisland.com](http://makepeaceisland.com)



#### TRAVEL BETWEEN ACCOMS & VENUE

From Noosa Heads and Noosaville:

- by bus (4 x per hour most of the day, stop is adjacent RSL)
- Noosa Ferry terminal 300m from RSL, first service arrives 1020, 10 mins before 1030 round start [noosaferry.com](http://noosaferry.com)

From Noosa Lakes Resort: walk 600m

RSL courtesy bus: departs at half-past the hour from the RSL for Noosaville & Noosa Heads, 1730 to 2230.

**AIRPORT TRANSFERS:** In October we will ask for your flight details and if you would like transfers arranged. We propose to run services exclusive to participants to match peak arrival/departure times for MCY (Maroochydore, Sunshine Coast) & BNE airports. Anticipated charges each way \$30 pp Sunshine Coast / \$50 pp Brisbane.



Noosa Bus Network

**BYES:** In rounds 1 to 5, up to 2 byes are permitted.

Requests for byes can be made in advance or before the start of the preceding round.

**ACTIVITIES, ADVENTURES, SPAS, FINE DINING:** We will schedule a number of exclusive activities and offer many more from Noosa's great range. Closer to the event we will present to participants and partners. Bookings can be made via Arcadia Travel in advance or at the travel desk during the tournament. The week of the tournament is not a busy week in Noosa so late availability should still be good.

UPDATES: As we get closer we will regularly update participants on news and event details.

### SUPPORT OR CO-SPONSOR THE EVENT!

We invite contributions and/or sponsorships of \$500 (or more) to help Noosa CC make this a brassy event. If you have a business or services you would like to display, and we can acknowledge your sponsorship, we offer the opportunity to bring a 2m pull-up banner and be part of our sponsors' gallery inside the playing hall.



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