

THE GAP CHESS CLUB TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE 2018

TOURNAMENTS	TIME CONTROLS	FORMAT	ENTRY BY:
1. Flood Cup	70min+30sec/move	7 rounds or r-robin	2 March
2. One Hour	60 minutes+10sec/move	7 rounds or r-robin	25 May
3. Allegro	10min+10sec/move	2 x round-robin	31 August
4. Lightning	5 minutes	2 x round-robin	on the day
5. Marcus Porter Memorial	10min+2sec/move	8 rounds	19 October
6. Prize Night	5 minutes (or less!)	group stages + finals	on the day
7. St David's Day	3min+2sec	handicap r-robin	on the day

PERPETUAL TROPHIES	
1. Best All-Rounder (BAR) Trophy	Awarded based on performance in the following tournaments: Flood Cup, One Hour, Allegro, Lightning.
2. Flood Cup	For the winner of the Flood Cup tournament.
3. Stuart Wilson Trophy	For the winner of the One Hour tournament.
4. Joe Tarnawski Trophy	Awarded based on performance in the Allegro and Lightning tournaments.
5. Handicap Trophy	Held in conjunction with Flood Cup. Handicap is added to actual points gained.
6. Maiden Trophy	Held in conjunction with One Hour. For players yet to win a tournament.
7. St David's Day Trophy	For the winner of the St David's Day tournament.
8. Marcus Porter Memorial	For the winner of the Marcus Porter Memorial (an open tournament)

TIMETABLE

LIGHTNING	
February 2	Round 1
February 9	Round 2

PRIZE NIGHT – 2017 trophies awarded	
February 23	Handicap Lightning mini-tournament

St DAVID'S DAY TOURNAMENT	
March 2	Handicap Lightning mini-tournament

FLOOD CUP / HANDICAP	
(Round dates will be altered if tournament is round-robin)	
March 9	Round 1
March 16	Round 2
<i>March 30 is Good Friday – Club closed</i>	
April 6	Round 3
April 13	Round 4
April 27	Round 5
May 4	Round 6
May 18	Round 7
May 25	Play-off (if required)
Note: If the tournament is round-robin a complete draw will be issued to entrants prior to the commencement.	

ONE HOUR / MAIDEN	
June 1	Round 1
June 8	Round 2
June 22	Round 3
June 29	Round 4
July 13	Round 5
July 20	Round 6
August 3	Round 7
August 10	Round 8
August 24	Round 9
August 31	Play-off (if required)
Note: If the tournament is round-robin a complete draw will be issued to entrants prior to the commencement.	

MARCUS PORTER MEMORIAL (Dates to be confirmed)	
October 19	Rounds 1 to 4
October 26	Rounds 5 to 8

ALLEGRO	
September 7	Commencement
November 16	Final date to complete fixtures
November 23	Final date for play-offs (if required)

STARTING TIMES
All games will commence no later than 8.00pm on the first scheduled night unless there is a prior arrangement.

FEES
Club Membership for the 2018 calendar year is \$10 (Juniors \$5).
CAQ membership for 2018 is \$15 . To play in our rated tournaments there is a requirement that you are a member of the CAQ (Chess Association of Queensland).
Tournament entry for all 2018 tournaments is \$10 . There is no discount for entering a single tournament.
Night fees for the 2018 calendar year are \$4 (\$5 non-members); \$2 for Juniors (\$3 Junior non-members)

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