

## Albany K-12 Team Tournament! March 9th @ Memorial MS



A 2023 OSCF State Championship Qualifier

Location: Memorial Middle School, 1050 SW Queen Ave, Albany, OR 97321

**REGISTRATION:** Please email <a href="mailto:phil@corvallischess.org">phil@corvallischess.org</a> by <a href="mailto:Thurs, Mar 7">Thurs, Mar 7</a>.

- Provide first & last name, school, grade, and USCF ID.
- New USCF ID's available at check-in, included in the cost of the tournament.

<u>Check-in</u> on Saturday morning from <u>8:00 - 9:00 am</u>, with Game 1 starting at <u>9:30 am</u>.

**Cost:** \$10 per player. (*cash or check only*)

Optional \$5 pizza lunch, pre-paid at check-in.

Sections: K-5, K-8, and K-12.

- Players can play in higher sections based on skill level.

Rules: 4 rounds Swiss pairing. Game in 25 mins per side. USCF Rated.

- Team score = the sum of scores for the top 5 players.
- There is no limit to the number of players representing a school. Can be 1 player.
- Teams must have at least 2 non-male players to qualify for a trophy.
  - These players do not necessarily have to finish in the top 5.
  - (OSCF State Team Championship has a max of 3 boys on a 5-person team.)

## Prizes:

- Trophies for top 2 teams in each section (having at least 2 non-male players)
- Medals for top finishers in each section

## FAQs:

- When will we be done? Hopefully by 2 or **2:30pm**.
- Is there internet at the school? **Yes**.
- Will there be coffee and dirt-cheap concessions? Yes.
- Will there be a MMS garden club plant sale in the lobby also? Yes.

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