

Eisenhower Senior High National Chess Day Scholastic Chess Tournament

October 11, 2025

7922 Antoine Dr, Houston, Texas
A Houston Chess Association Tournament

- 5 rounds - Swiss System, Game-25 min; delay 5 sec, USCF-Rated
- Advanced USCF – **No Adults this time** - 4 rounds, G/40;d5

Normally players rated over *approximately* 1100, and requests

- Multiple sections by rating and age, combined for team trophies

On-Line Registration & Payment by Stripe or Zelle (see right)

»Stripe \$31.35 or Zelle \$30.00 until 10 pm Tuesday October 7.

»Stripe \$36.50 or Zelle \$35.00 until 10 pm Thursday October 9.

For New or Renewed US Chess Federation Membership, add \$13.00

Then Entries Closed! Arrive Saturday before 8:55 am

- NOTE: Entries may close sooner if venue capacity is filled. [CHECK](#)

»**On-Site Registration** (if we did not have your name 24 hours before)
8:30 - 8:45 am **\$45** entry fee (if space allows) and will *forfeit* the first round.

»**Email or Telephone entry without payment, paid at-site \$40**

»**Email or Telephone entry, then no-show, will be charged \$50**

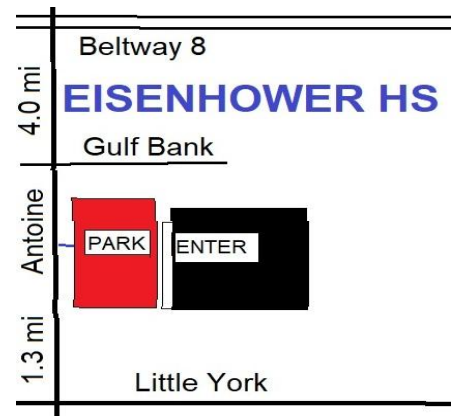
- First Round as close to 9:00 a.m. as possible. Come EARLY!

- Lunch (for sale) between rounds 2 and 3 about 11:30 am

- Last Round starts about 3 pm.; Awards end about 5 pm

What You Need To Do **Read** [Tourney Rules](#) & [Parent Responsibility](#)

- Complete and return the entry form, or enter on-line in advance.
- Check your e-mail in case we have a question and contact you.
- Bring your own chess sets and clock (if you have one). There will be a sales table at the tournament, if you wish to purchase one.
- Bring your set, lunch or lunch money, and a good attitude!
- Adult help is always needed and appreciated.
- Look for details in email Friday Morning (might be in spam folder)
- Players are expected to know the rules and how to play the game, but do not have to be expert, or very experienced. Sections will be divided by daily rating or grade and will be limited to about 32 players. (16 in Advanced). Trophies to scores above 50% (3 out of 5). School awards will be determined by combining best 4 player records, combining all sections. Tie-break: Solkoff then Modified Median. USCF membership is required. You may join by adding the fee to entry check. For players in grades K-12, a special rate is available, one year for \$13.00. Just add to your entry fee, or register first at chess.jliptrap.us/hgroup.htm



To Enter (Two steps):

[1] Submit this [FORM](#) with the information required to ENTER the tournament

[2] To Pay \$31.35 On-Line, by 10/7, by credit card through Stripe, go to:

<http://chess.jliptrap.us/enter.htm>

OR- To Pay \$30.00 by Zelle by 10/7,

send to: **832-492-7154** (James)

Type player's name in "Note."

Both: To include USCF membership, add \$13

Fees increase by \$5 10/8 to 10/9

Questions & School Team Entries Only:

832-492-7154 jim@jliptrap.us

Verify Entries next day: **IMPORTANT**

chess.jliptrap.us/alpha.htm

Tournament Rules: **READ**

chess.jliptrap.us/instructions.htm

If you received a paper copy,

This information on a website with active links:

chess.jliptrap.us/hca25eism.htm

Houston Tournament Schedule:

chess.jliptrap.us/schedule.htm

