



U. S. Chess Federation
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I. Member information: (Please print legibly and firmly with ballpoint pen.)

Check one:

_____ Renewal and the USCF ID# is: _____ Exp. date: _____
_____ New membership:

NAME _____

_____ (Last, First, Middle Initial) Apt. # _____
ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ Zip _____

PHONE _____ - _____ E-MAIL (optional) _____

_____ Male _____ Female Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Do you want to exclude your name from promotional mailings? ___Yes ___ No

Do you want to receive information by e-mail? ___Yes ___ No

II. Dues Information: In addition to Chess Life (CL) and/or Chess Life for Kids (CL4K), whichever applies, members receive many benefits. See Membership Description area for details. Rates subject to change. MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.

(Please circle amount due.)

Memberships:	Receives	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	3 YEARS
_____ ADULT/REGULAR (20 and Over)	CL	\$49	\$90	\$130
_____ PROMOTIONAL (New or last expired 2006 or before)	CL	\$36	\$65	\$93
_____ SIX MONTH TRIAL	CL	\$27		
_____ SENIOR (65 and Over)	CL	\$36	\$65	\$93
_____ YOUNG ADULT (24 and Under)	CL	\$25	\$44	\$62
_____ YOUTH (16 and Under)	CL	\$19	\$33	\$46
_____ SCHOLASTIC (12 and Under) <i>CL4K Bimonthly</i>		\$17	\$30	\$42
_____ FAMILY PLAN #1 (Includes parents and their children under age 20 living in one household with one address. and any full-time college student up to age 24.)		\$64		
_____ FAMILY PLAN #2 (Includes all children under age 20 in the household at the same address.)		\$35		
_____ BLIND	CL	\$12		
_____ PRISON	CL	\$12		
_____ LIFE	CL	\$1000	Payment must be paid in one lump sum.	
_____ SENIOR LIFE	CL	\$500	Payment must be paid in one lump sum.	
_____ BLIND LIFE	CL	\$250	Payment must be paid in one lump sum.	
_____ SUSTAINING	CL	\$120/Year	If renewing, Sustaining Year Count _____	

III. Payment:

Please Check Method of Payment: ___ Check or Money Order payable to the U.S. Chess Federation
___ MasterCard ___ Visa ___ American Express ___ Discover V code _____

Credit Card #: _____ Exp: _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____

Cardholder's Name: _____

(Print name as it appears on card)

Membership Dues: \$ _____ Other Foreign Postage** \$ 15.00

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

**Non-U.S. Residents must add annual surcharge for postage and handling for Chess Life.

Canada/Mexico: No charge.

Other Foreign Countries: Must add \$15 per year

Description of Membership Categories

MEMBERSHIPS: Each Life, Sustaining, Regular, Senior, Special, Trial, Prison, and Young Adult member is entitled to receive a regular copy of *Chess Life*. Each Youth member is entitled to receive bimonthly *Chess Life*. Each Scholastic member is entitled to receive (bimonthly) *Chess Life for Kids (CL4K)*. Each member is entitled to have his or her tournament play officially rated, to participate in the Annual Membership meeting, and to enjoy all other rights and privileges of membership not herein enumerated. Members and Affiliates with mailing addresses outside the United States will be charged an additional fee to cover extra costs. **MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.**

Adult/Regular Any person may become an Adult/Regular Member of the USCF upon payment of annual adult/regular dues. Receives *Chess Life*.

Young Adult Any person 24 years of age and under may become a Young Adult Member of the USCF upon payment of annual Young Adult dues. Receives *Chess Life*.

Youth Any person 16 years of age and under may become a Youth Member of the USCF upon payment of annual Youth dues. Receives *Chess Life* bimonthly.

Scholastic Any person 12 years of age and under may become a Scholastic Member of the USCF upon payment of annual Scholastic dues. Receives *Chess Life for Kids (CL4K)* bimonthly.

Blind (Special Member) A blind person may become a Special Member of the USCF upon payment of annual Special Member dues. Receives *Chess Life*. The USCF may require reasonable confirmation of eligibility.

Senior Any person 65 years of age and older may become a Senior Member of the USCF upon payment of annual Senior dues. Receives *Chess Life*.

Family Plan #1 Includes parents and their children under age 20 living in one household with one address. Includes any full-time college student up to age 24.

Family Plan #2 Includes all children under age 20 in the household at the same address.

Sustaining Any person may become a Sustaining Member of the USCF upon payment of annual dues equal to twice the current rate for Regular Membership plus a surcharge of \$22. If you became a sustaining member between 1/1/95 and 1/1/03, your annual dues remain at \$95. After 10 such timely payments, a Sustaining Member becomes a Life Member. (The dues rate for Sustaining Members automatically changes with each dues change for Regular Members.) Receives *Chess Life*.

Life Any person may become a Life Member of the USCF upon full payment of Life dues. Receives *Chess Life*.

Senior Life Any person age 65 years or older may become a Life Member upon full payment of one-half of the Life Member dues.

Blind Life Any blind person may become a Life Member upon full payment of Blind Life Member dues. The USCF may require reasonable confirmation of eligibility as a condition to continuation of Life membership.

Prison Any person who is incarcerated in a penal institution in the United States may become a Prison Member upon payment of annual Prison dues. Receives *Chess Life*.

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS AND OTHER INFORMATION:

- * The right to play in over-the-board tournaments, on the internet, and through the mail.
- * The right to earn a national rating.
- * A subscription to our world-famous monthly magazine, *Chess Life* or *Chess Life for Kids*, whichever applies.
- * Contact with local chess clubs.
- * Discounts on books and equipment and special reports.
- * USCF is your lifeline to the Chess Community.
- * Receive special invitations to participate in USCF programs and events.
- * For multiple-year memberships, member must remain within age restriction category for the entire life of membership
- * Affinity relationships provide discounts for USCF members only.
- * All rates are subject to change.
- * All printed material sent surface mail. Airmail rates available on request.

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