A US Chess Heritage Event!

77th Pittsburgh Chess Club Championship January 17 – February 21, 2017

Pittsburgh Chess Club

5604 Solway Street, Suite 209 Pittsburgh PA 15217

Format: 6-round Swiss System tournament, in one section.

Time Control: G/120, d5. **Round times:** 7pm each Tuesday night.

Entry Fee: \$30 postmarked by 1/10. \$35 thereafter and at site. <u>You must be a</u> <u>PCC member to compete!</u> You may join the PCC at the start of the tournament.

On-Site Registration: 6pm-6:45pm on 1/17. Requests for half-point byes must be made by the end of Round 3. Late registrants arriving after 6:45 may have to take a half point bye in Round 1.

Prize Fund

1 st place	1 year PCC membership extension Championship plaque & title of 2017 PCC Champion
Biggest Upset	\$35 PCC certificate for a future event entry

All players tied for first after 6 rounds will receive the membership extension. The top two players determined by tiebreaks as specified in US Chess Rule 34E will have a two-game blitz playoff at G/3+2 to award the title and plaque.

Entries to: Pittsburgh Chess Club, Attn: PCC Championship, 5604 Solway St., Suite 209, Pittsburgh PA 15217. Make checks payable to **Pittsburgh Chess Club**. (Refunds must be requested before start of first round and will be mailed)

Information: www.pittsburghcc.org, 412.421.1881

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