

Newport Heights Elementary  
Chess Club  
May 2009

Dear Families of Chess Club Students,

Chess Club has been very successful this year thanks to great coaching and great kids!☺  
I will be organizing the club this fall as Jami no longer has a child in chess. **I am looking for another parent or two to help me run Chess Club.** Most of the organization can be done from home so the time commitment is minimal. If you are interested in helping with chess club next year please let me know! The school calendar has been set and I have chosen our dates for chess club as well.

Fall session – eight classes – Wednesday afternoons 12:05-1:30  
**Starting on September 9<sup>th</sup>—Ending on October 28**

Winter session– eight classes – Wednesday afternoons 12:05-1:30  
**Starting on January 6 – Ending on March 3**

Spring session – eight classes – Wednesday afternoons 12:05-1:30  
**Starting on April 14 – Ending on June 2**

Chess club will cost \$75.00 per child for 8 sessions. That equates to only \$6.30 an hour of small group instruction and supervised chess playing time. We are giving past participant's *priority registration* to help make sure those who are really interested in chess continue getting the instruction and practice to build skills. **We are capping Chess Club at 18 for the beginning class and 16 for the intermediate class to keep the instruction meaningful and pertinent to students. If you know your child will be doing chess club next year you may e-mail me now so I can begin a class list.**

We encourage you to play chess over the summer break and keep Chess Club in mind for the 2009 and 2010 school year. We hope that the chess experience has been fun and beneficial for your child this past year. Please look for the registration form this September.

Thank you,

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