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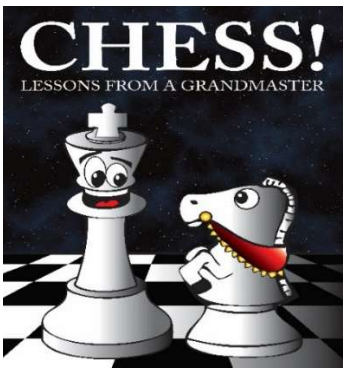
US Chess Champion GM Yury Shulman program
Grove Avenue School Chess Club – Spring 2026



Dear Friends,

We are privileged to continue the Grove Avenue School chess program, which is run by the 2008 U.S. Champion, Grandmaster Yury Shulman. The program will run after school at Grove Avenue school art and music rooms on Fridays from 2:45 till 3:45 PM. It is open to K-5 students. Students will be engaged in learning chess, leadership programs, researching and presenting on history and geography related to chess, organizing tournaments, and serving the local community. Chess students will be featured periodically in local and national newspapers if they wish.

Structure

Half the students will receive instruction for 30 minutes while the other half will participate in supervised play. The two groups will switch for the next 30 minutes.

Most of the material covered in lessons as well as homework will be taken from our textbook - the 3rd edition of the book **"Chess! Lessons from a Grandmaster"** It is available in class and very much recommended for new students. The price for our participants is $20, including tax and 25% discount.

After reading and submitting all of the Homework from the book and volunteering requirements, students may achieve Chess Coach Certification. For more information, please visit http://shulmanchess.com/Chess_Coach_Certification.html**.**

Program Credentials

Previous participating chess students have achieved higher scores on academic tests, and many have been selected at prestigious colleges. For more information and in order to understand the objectives and achievements of the program in which your child will be involved please visit www.shulmanchess.com.

Program Schedule & Fees

- The club meets 6 times on Fridays 2:45 till 3:45 PM on the following dates:
- (April 10 – make up for Winter session) April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15, 22
- The dues are $108 (if paid before or in class on Apr 17). **$15 additional late registration fee after Apr 17**.
- Parents are welcome to help and learn with their child. *A 30% tuition discount is available on a limited, first-come basis for students having a parent volunteer able to help out for the entire session*

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Registration Form

Registration Instructions

1. Complete the form or the electronic form at www.shulmanchess.com
2. Write out $108 checks payable to "Chess Without Borders" or pay online through Paypal.
3. For new students and those who wish to purchase the 3rd edition of the book **"Chess! Lessons from a Grandmaster"**, please include another check for $20 or add this amount to the check.
4. Mail the form and check to 428 Waverly Rd, Barrington IL 60010.
5. Contact information: Yury Shulman, chesswob@gmail.com 312-375-7475

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Student's First and Last Name _____

E-mail Address (please print) _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name(s) _____

Address_____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone _____

Student's Grade _____ School____Grove Avenue Spring 2026_____

Special comments_____

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<u>Please pick your student up on time! Look for the late pick-up policy on our website.</u>

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