

| Tournament                                 | Date                                  | Site                     | # Players | Time Control             | Chief TD                        | Asst. TD      | Comments   |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|--|
| St. Cloud Open<br>Grand Prix #1            | May 20-21                             | St. Cloud                | 80        | G/90 d10                 | Emmons                          | Wahl / Bourne | Points Winners Qualify for \$2,000 in prizes & 2024 State Playoffs!! |
| Non-Rated Tournament for New Players       | June 3                                | Plymouth CC              | 30        | G/30 d5<br>(3 rounds)    | Wahl                            | Bourne        | Master Simul & USCF Memberships to top 25%                           |
| MN Blitz Championship                      | June 17                               | Plymouth CC              | 50        | 3+2                      | Emmons                          | Wahl / Bourne | Rented Triple the Space!!  |
| Lake Superior Open<br>Grand Prix #2        | June 24-25                            | Superior, WI             | 105       | G/90 + 30s FIDE          | Grube                           | Zagar         | Dane Zagar & Andy Grube organizing                                   |
| Rochester Open*                            | July 8-9                              | Rochester                | 90        | G/60 +30s                | Emmons                          | Wahl          | Grand Prix #3  |
| Catfish Days*                              | July 21-23                            | Franklin                 | 50        | G/90 +30s                | Zagar                           | None          | Grand Prix #4  |
| Northern Open                              | September 16-17                       | Roseville                | 95        | G/60 + 30s               | Bellinger                       | Zagar         | Grand Prix #5  |
| TCCL                                       | 1 Friday / Month<br>September - March | Chess Castle             | 120       | G/90 d5                  | Tim R – Gold<br>Dane Z - Silver | None          | Gold & Silver Divisions on different Fridays                         |
| State Senior Championship                  | October 21-22                         | Chess Castle             | 25        | G/90 +30s                | Bellinger                       | None          | Winner to Nat'l Event  |
| Apple Valley Scholastic*                   | November 4                            | Eastview High School     | 100       | TBD                      | Wahl                            | Emmons        | MSCA providing some financial support                                |
| Class Championships                        | November 11-12                        | TBD                      | 90        | G/90 +30s                | Emmons                          | Wahl / Bourne | Winners Qualify for 2024 Closed Playoffs                             |
| Hall of Fame Classic                       | December 16-17                        | Chess Castle             | 60        | G/60 + 30s               | Zagar                           | None          | Score-based prizes   |
| Winter Open                                | January 20-21                         | Roseville                | 110       | G/90 +30s FIDE           | Zagar                           | Bellinger     | FIDE Rated   |
| Minnesota Open                             | February 23-25                        | Plymouth Crowne Plaza    | 200       | G/90 +30s FIDE           | Emmons                          | Wahl / Bourne | 6 Rounds?  |
| State Scholastic                           | March 9-10                            | University of St. Thomas | 300       | G/60 d5                  | TBD                             | TBD           | 7 RDS K-12 & K-8<br>6 RDS K-5 & 5 RDS K-3                            |
| State Championship Playoffs (Stenberg Cup) | March 22-24                           | TBD                      | 24        | 40/90 SD/30<br>+30s FIDE | Emmons                          | None          |  |
| Denker/Barber Playoffs                     | April 6-7                             | Chess Castle             | 12        | G/90 + 30s               | Bellinger                       | None          | Winners to Nat'l Event   |
| Haring K-12 Girls Champ.                   | April 13                              | Chess Castle             | 10        | G/45 d5                  | Emmons                          | None          | Winner to Nat'l Event  |

\* MSCA supported event – not MSCA official event