85th Montana Open

MCA Grand Prix Event

<u>Dates</u>: June 27 – 28, 2020 MCA Business Meeting - June 26, 2020 – 8 pm

Location: Holiday Inn, 1100 5th St. South, Great Falls, 406-727-7200

Hotel Rooms: \$99 if reserved by June 14, mention "chess club". 406-727-7200

Use block (or group) code CHE to reserve online

MCA Business Meeting: Mansfield – Trails End room, 8:00 pm, Friday

Format: Five round Swiss, MCA Grand Prix event

Time Control: G/105; d5

Entry Fee: Adults \$30, Juniors (<20 years old) \$15.

USCF membership required.

MCA membership for MT residents required: \$15 Adult; \$6 Junior - annual

Unrated MT residents: First Annual MCA membership waived.

Registration: Online registration only.

Fees must be paid 8:00-8:30 am Saturday.

Rounds: Saturday: 9:00, 1:30, 6:30 | Sunday: 9:00, 1:30 or asap

Byes: One 1/2-point bye available. Zero-point byes are always available in any round.

Third, fourth, and last round byes must be requested no later than one half hour before the third round.

Prizes: Based on 30 Paid Adult Entries:

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1<sup>st</sup> $200

2<sup>nd</sup> $120

3<sup>rd</sup> $ 80

Class B/C $ 40

Class D/E $ 35

Unrated $ 30

Biggest Upset $ 40 (non-provisional rating)
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Director may use class pairings in final round. Classes reconfigured if fewer than 5 entries in a group. One prize per player except for biggest upset.

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