



Pacific Northwest Chess Center (USA)

PNWCC vs BELGRADE MAY 2021

Redmond (USA) and Belgrade (SRB), 22nd May – 23rd May 2021

Chief Arbiter's information

Date: The PNWCC vs BELGRADE MAY 2021 takes place on the chess internet platform Chess.com and in two cities Redmond (USA) and Belgrade (Serbia) from 22nd May until 23rd May.

Tournament Venue: The playing halls are located in the Redmond, USA (PNWCC), and Belgrade, Serbia (Serbian Institute for Education).

Format & System: Two teams (Belgrade and PNWCC) play a double round team match (4 rounds) by the Scheveningen system. Each team consists of two players.

The tournament is approved by the FIDE QC and it will be rated.

Teams/Players & User names:

1 BELGRADE Rtg-Ø:2425

Bo.		Name	IRtg	FED	User name – chess.com
1	IM	Rajkovic Mladen	2397	SRB	PNWCC-MRajkovic
2	IM	Boskovic Drasko	2453	SRB	PNWCC-DBoskovic

2 PNWCC Rtg-Ø:2334

Bo.		Name	IRtg	FED	User name – chess.com
1	FM	He Anthony	2337	USA	PNWCC-AHe
2	FM	Peng Shunkai	2330	USA	PNWCC-SPeng

Pairings:

Round 1 on 2021/05/22 at 09:30 Seattle time / 18:30 Belgrade time

1.1	1	BELGRADE		-	2	PNWCC	
1	IM	Rajkovic Mladen	2397	:	FM	He Anthony	2337
2	IM	Boskovic Drasko	2453	:	FM	Peng Shunkai	2330

Round 2 on 2021/05/22 at 15:00 Seattle time / 24:00 Belgrade time *

2.1	2	PNWCC		-	1	BELGRADE	
1	FM	Peng Shunkai	2330	:	IM	Rajkovic Mladen	2397
2	FM	He Anthony	2337	:	IM	Boskovic Drasko	2453

Round 3 on 2021/05/23 at 09:30 Seattle time / 18:30 Belgrade time

3.1	2	PNWCC		-	1	BELGRADE	
1	FM	He Anthony	2337	:	IM	Rajkovic Mladen	2397
2	FM	Peng Shunkai	2330	:	IM	Boskovic Drasko	2453

Round 4 on 2021/05/23 at 15:00 Seattle time / 24:00 Belgrade time *

4.1	1	BELGRADE		-	2	PNWCC	
1	IM	Rajkovic Mladen	2397	:	FM	Peng Shunkai	2330
2	IM	Boskovic Drasko	2453	:	FM	He Anthony	2337

Schedule:

Date	Seattle Time	Belgrade Time	Event	Place
May 19 th	11:00	20:00	Technical Meeting	Zoom
May 22 nd	9:30	18:30	Round 1	Zoom and chess.com
May 22 nd	15:00*	24:00*	Round 2	
May 23 rd	9:30	18:30	Round 3	
May 23 rd	15:00*	24:00*	Round 4	

Note: The 2nd and 4th rounds will start 45 minutes after the previous round (1st and 3rd) are finished.*

Playing session: 1st and 3rd rounds start at 09:30 Seattle time or 18:30 Belgrade time. 2nd and 4th rounds start 45 minutes after the last game from previous round (1st and 3rd) is finished.

Default time: Default time is 30 minutes after the start of each round. In case a player arrives at the chessboard with a delay of more than 30 minutes, the player loses the game.

Time control: The time control for each game is: 90 minutes with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from move 1.

Draw by mutual agreement: The players cannot draw a game by agreement before black's 30th move. A claim for a draw before black's 30th move is permitted only through the Chief Arbiter or his Deputy in case of threefold repetition.

Arbiters and Director:

The Chief Arbiter is IA Nebojsa Baralic from Serbia and the Deputy Chief Arbiter is IA Emil Anka from Hungary.

The Tournament Director is Mr. He Xuhao from USA.

Appeals Committee:

We do not have the Appeals Committee.

Chess platform and Video Conference System:

The tournament will take place on www.chess.com

The use of Zoom is mandatory for all players during all games. The Organising Committee will set up the platforms for each match with the supervision of arbiters.

Specific Regulations for Online/Hybrid Competitions:

You may read the full regulations through the link below, especially **Part III b: Regulations for Hybrid Chess Competitions:**

https://www.fide.com/docs/regulations/Annex_6.4%20Fide%20Online%20Chess%20Regulations.pdf

Thanks in advance to consider all those elements so that the tournament goes smoothly and good luck to all.

Belgrade, 19th May 2021

IA Nebojsa Baralic, Chief Arbiter