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| Tournament: | Pirtek Newcastle Open Chess Championship 2024 |
| Venue: | City Wests Club, King/Union Streets Newcastle |
| Start Date: | 17 February 2024 |
| Duration: | 2 days |
| Details: | When: Saturday 17 February and Sunday 18 February 2024  Where: City Wests Club, King/Union Streets Newcastle  Time limit: 1 hour with 10 sec Fischer Style increments  Saturday Rounds (17th February)  10:30am; 1:30pm; 4:30pm  Sunday Rounds (18th February)  10am; 12:25pm & 2:45pm prizegiving 5:10pm  Prizes  Prizes will be provided for an open division and at least one graded (reserve) division.  Thanks to sponsorship by Pirtek Newcastle the prize pool is expected to be in excess of $2500.  Entry fees $60 full entry, $50 concession  Entry fees will be waived for titled players (international grand masters and international masters) provided we receive notice of intention to play by 20th January.  Payments can be made online to  Newcastle District Chess Association  Newcastle Permanent  BSB: 650000 Account number: 959460808  Please make sure your payment has clear identification  All entrants need to be a financial member of NSW Chess Association for 2024 or join on the day. Juniors are welcome.  Enquiries and entries: [rongroenhout@syneca.com.au](mailto:rongroenhout@syneca.com.au)  02 4954 9272 / 0414 57 1111  • Default time is 30 minutes - ie Any player who arrives at the chessboard more than 30 minutes after the start of the session shall lose the game unless the arbiter decides otherwise. |