

# **NATIONAL CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP GENERAL INFORMATION**

**National Elementary (K-6) Championship – Friday May 6 thru Sunday May 8, 2016 – Nashville, TN**

*This tournament will require registration in advance. Forms will be made available by Jackie Pellenberg.*

*Browning will have its own fully staffed and supervised team rooms at the tournament. Mr. Kennedy and his staff of coaches will be present throughout the tournament to work with all of the boys on their games. As always, any private coach is welcome in the Browning team rooms.*

## **ACCOMODATION INFORMATION**

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#### ***Hotel Options:***

Gaylord Opryland Resort– 615-889-1000  
2800 Opryland Drive  
Nashville, TN 37214  
Ask for Chess Rate (\$149/night)

#### ***Flight Information:***

Tournament runs Friday thru Sunday. Please plan to miss school on Friday. Thursday evening flights are encouraged as flights from NYC to Nashville tend to get delayed. For planning your flight home, plan to leave your hotel as late as 6pm. Allow time for airport travel and note that you will most likely miss the trophy ceremony. If your son is getting a trophy, plan to have it shipped prior to departure.

***\*\* Booking hotels for Nationals and flights to & from Nashville ASAP is HIGHLY recommended. Blocks of rooms tend to sell out early. Ask the hotel about their cancellation policies. \*\****

To make sure our boys' skills are as strong as possible in preparation for this tournament, please review the emailed listing sent to you by Jackie Pellenberg of the myriad chess tournaments that are held throughout the city on a regular basis. We highly recommend that our boys attend some of these smaller tournaments as they

are a great way to hone the chess skills learned at school and to prepare for Nationals.

The school chess program has gotten off to a terrific start, and we look forward to watching our boys' skills grow and develop. **GO BROWNING CHESS!!**

**Questions? Please contact:**

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