

# **National Club Championships 2014**

**Date** 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> April 2014

**Venue** The Carlton Shearwater Hotel, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway

See <http://www.shearwaterhotel.com/>



Hotel offers a special rate of € 109 per person sharing for both Friday and Saturday nights for players – please ask for the special Chess rate when booking.

This year's NCC will be FIDE rated and the rate of play is 1 hour 30 minutes per player + 30 sec per move from move 1. The Schedule of play is as follows

Round 1 - 1:00pm Saturday

Round 2 - 6:00pm Saturday

Round 3 - 9:30am Sunday

Round 4 - 2:30pm Sunday

**All sets boards and clocks will be provided !**

**The Irish Chess Union rules for the NCC apply, please see**  
[http://www.icu.ie/icu/national\\_club\\_championships.php](http://www.icu.ie/icu/national_club_championships.php)

**Team Captains, please note;**

Please send entries by email to [tournaments@icu.ie](mailto:tournaments@icu.ie) - they must include the following;

- List of players in board order – c/w players ICU code and FIDE code
- Confirmation that the ICU NCC fee has been paid – this is € 75 per team and can easily be paid at [http://www.icu.ie/shop/buy\\_item.php?type=NCC](http://www.icu.ie/shop/buy_item.php?type=NCC)
- Team Captain name and full contact details, including mobile phone number
- The closing date is April 19<sup>th</sup> and all of the above needs to be completed by then

Please list your players in the board order in which you want to declare them ( see rules 13 and 14 from the ICU National Club Championships rules below )

<b>Player Name</b>	<b>ICU Code</b>	<b>FIDE Code</b>	<b>ICU Rating</b>	<b>FIDE Rating</b>

13. Each team captain must submit his or her team before the deadline set by the arbiter and must declare a board order including the order of the substitutes. There is no restriction on how the board order is decided. When entering a team, the captain must also furnish both the ICU code and FIDE ID of each of his players.

14. The declared board order cannot be changed; players will always play in board order and substitutes will always play on the lowest boards, also in descending order.

For further information, please contact [tournaments@icu.ie](mailto:tournaments@icu.ie)

I hope to see you in Ballinasloe

Gerry Graham