# The Mulcahy Memorial Chess Committee (in association with UCC chess club) is proud to announce



## **Mulcahy Memorial Chess Congress**

Friday 28th March – Sunday 30th March 2025

### Over €1500 in Prizemoney

Venue: Aula Maxima, University College Cork (UCC is just 1km from city centre). For a list of hotels and guesthouses in Cork City please see: <a href="https://www.discoverireland.ie/accommodation?town=cork">https://www.discoverireland.ie/accommodation?town=cork</a> city

**Mulcahy Memorial Congress:** This is a one section tournament open to all players.

Rate of play: All moves in 90 minutes plus 15 seconds per move, increments from move 1. All games will be played using digital clocks.

#### **Entry fee and prize fund**

#### **Entry Fees**

Mulcahy	€40
Entry on the day (if allowed)	€55

A late fee of €10 applies if entry fee **received after** 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025.

Enter on-line at https://www.icu.ie/

All entrants resident in Ireland must be members of the Irish Chess Union. To become a member, see https://www.icu.ie/shop

#### **Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> / €600; 2<sup>nd</sup> €300; 3<sup>rd</sup> €150; grading prizes €150 each section; **Gerry McCarthy** prize €50

Prizemoney may increase or decrease depending on entries.

No player may win more than one prize.

#### **Playing Schedule**

Opening	Friday	18.45	
Round 1	Friday	19.00	
Round 2	Saturday	09.30	
Round 3	Saturday	14.00	
Round 4	Saturday	18.30	
Round 5	Sunday	09.30	
Round 6	Sunday	14.00	
Prize giving	Sunday	18.00	
(*please note early start)			

FIDE rules will apply and will be available at the tournament.

We hope to be able to provide sets and clocks but would appreciate if you would bring a set and clock in case of a surge in late entries. For more information, please contact, Pat Twomey at <a href="mailto:ptwomey@hotmail.com">ptwomey@hotmail.com</a>