## Acerook Online Blitz -#5

An ACE Online Tournament (www.acerook.com)

Tournament Information Page: https://www.acerook.com/aoblitz5

<u>Date</u>: One Day – Wednesday, June 10, 2020 --- Round 1 starts ~6:35PM, CST

Where: From the comfort of your own home! All games will be played on lichess.org chess server.

**Membership:** Must have a current US Chess membership & a free lichess.org username.

To join US Chess: <a href="https://secure2.uschess.org/webstore/member.php">https://secure2.uschess.org/webstore/member.php</a>

To join Lichess.org: <a href="https://lichess.org/signup">https://lichess.org/signup</a>

<u>Registration:</u> Registration is Live and closes on Wednesday, June 10, at 6:30PM sharp. <u>Make sure you put your lichess.org username in the "School or Team Name" Field</u> \$5.00 by June 10 via online entry at <a href="https://www.acerook.com/register?event=AOBlitz5">https://www.acerook.com/register?event=AOBlitz5</a>

Format: 7 rounds Swiss – Game/5 with 0 second delay. Affects only US Chess Online Blitz rating.

<u>Schedule:</u> Round 1 will start as soon as Pairings are posted in Google Sheet; Rounds 2-7 start as soon as all current round games are finished. Please start your games promptly. Ideally, rounds will be ~20 minutes apart.

<u>Prizes:</u> 1st place winner, clear or by tiebreaks, gets a free entry into another ACE Online Tournament; Top Player of the bottom half, clear or by tiebreaks, gets a free entry into another ACE Online Tournament. Winners will be declared official after tournament is submitted for rating. To redeem free entry, e-mail Brian Yang at <a href="mailto:AcerookChess@gmail.com">AcerookChess@gmail.com</a> and state which tournament the winner wants to join.

**Tournament Directors:** NTD Brian Yang (Chief TD)

**Equipment:** A Desktop PC or Laptop, Internet Connection, Internet Browser (Chrome preferred), and Mouse (Probably a disadvantage to play using a touchpad).

<u>Other:</u> See "<u>Online Setup</u>" to find how to properly get registered for the tournament. See "<u>Online Rules</u>" to find out online chess tournament rules. See "<u>FAQ</u>" for frequently asked questions. If you do not see your answer, then please e-mail the question. All times are US Central Time, if otherwise not marked.

Questions? Contact Brian Yang at AcerookChess@gmail.com