## Acerook Online Rapid Quads -#1

An ACE Online Tournament (www.acerook.com)

<u>Tournament Information Page:</u> <a href="https://www.acerook.com/aorapidquads1">https://www.acerook.com/aorapidquads1</a>

<u>Date</u>: One Day – Sunday, May 17, 2020 --- Round 1 starts 2:30PM, 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 Sunday, May 17, at 2:15PM CST sharp. <u>Make sure you put your lichess.org username in the "School or Team Name" Field</u> \$5.00 by May 17 via online entry at <a href="https://www.acerook.com/register?event=rapidquad1">https://www.acerook.com/register?event=rapidquad1</a>

**<u>Format:</u>** 3 rounds RR if 4 players; Swiss if 6 players – Game/20 with 5 seconds increment. Affects only US Chess Online Quick rating.

<u>Schedule:</u> Round 1 will start at 2:30PM CST; Rounds 2-3 start as soon as all current round games in your quad is finished. Please start your games promptly. Ideally, tournament will be over by 5:00PM CST – Please plan according to play for the entire duration.

<u>Prizes:</u> 1st place winner, 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, email Brian Yang at AcerookChess@gmail.com and state which tournament the winner wants to join.

<u>Round Robin (Quad) Tiebreaks:</u> 1. Sonneborn-Berger 2. Head-to-Head 3. Kashdan and 4. Most Blacks <u>Swiss Tiebreaks:</u> 1. Modified Median 2. Solkoff 3. Cumulative 4. Cumulative of Opposition (Standard).

**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 <a href="mailto:AcerookChess@gmail.com">AcerookChess@gmail.com</a>