

## HULL RAPID 2020 entry form

If online entry isn't possible, please post to:

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Name: .....

Address: .....

..... Postcode: .....

Email: .....

Phone: .....

ECF Membership number: .....

ECF Membership Level: .....  
(Platinum, Gold, Silver, Bronze)

FIDE Rapid Grade : .....  
- if applicable (or Standard if higher)

ECF Rapid Grade: .....  
(or standard grade if higher, required for u1900 and u120 sections)

Amount enclosed: .....

I wish to enter the ..... Section  
(Open, u1900 or u120)

# HULL RAPID PLAY 2020



## WHEN

**SUNDAY 5th JANUARY 2020: 10.15 - 17.15**

## WHERE

**Royal Hotel Hull  
Royal Suite  
170 Ferensway, Hull HU1 3UF**

Venue is right next to Hull Train Station. Parking £2 at St Stephens Shopping centre, 110 Ferensway, Hull HU2 8LN (a 5-minute walk away).

Various options for lunch and coffees at St Stephens.

## Tournament website:

<https://www.hullchess.com/Rapid+Play+2020>

## ENTRY

- ECF Membership required
- £15 (£10 juniors\*), if Silver or higher membership.
- £22.50 (£17.50 juniors\*), if Bronze
- Enter online (preferred) by 03/01/2019 or post entry form with cheque by 24/12/2019\*Junior < 18yrs on the day.

## FORMAT

5 rounds Swiss with three sections:

1) FIDE Rated Open (with top 3 boards played on boards broadcasted on the internet!)

2) FIDE Rated u1900, open to:

(1) FIDE rated players rated below 1900 FIDE;

(2) players without a FIDE rating, graded below 160 ECF

If FIDE rated players also have an ECF grade, ECF grade must be below 160.

3) ECF u120

Where ECF grade is applicable, rapid play grade (minimum 10 games); if no rapid grade, the most recent ECF grade will apply.

Where FIDE rating is applicable, if no rapid rating, standard rating will apply. Highest grade will apply in all cases. You can enter a higher section but not a lower one.

Time control: 20mins + 10 sec increment from move 1.

## The Venue

- Excellent location and playing conditions (see front page). In room refreshments, tea and coffee. Free rapid play cake!
- Royal Suite with space for 150 players—was the venue for the Rapid play at the British 2019 Championships

## PRIZES

Per section: 1st prize £100, 2nd prize £50, one £30 grading prize and a trophy for the best Junior performance. No player may win more than one prize. All place prize money will be shared equally between tied players. Grading prize will be awarded to the player with the highest score beneath a certain grading limit. Should this be a tie, the prize will be awarded to the lowest-graded player. Ungraded and unrated players may not win a grading prize. We reserve the right to alter any and all prize money if entries fall below the expected level.

## ARBITERS

Chief Arbiter & Organiser: Douglas Vleeshhouwer

Arbiter: Thomas Hackett

Contact: douglas.vleeshhouwer@gmail.com

## HOW TO ENTER

Enter and pay online (our preferred method):

<https://www.hullchess.com/events/4/Hull+Rapid+2020>

Or fill in overleaf entry form.



2019 Hull Rapid Play - in the Edwardian suite - larger venue in 2020

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