



NOTICE OF 2021 ELECTIONS DIRECTOR OF YOUTH CHESS

23 January 2021

Dear Chess Community

In terms of the Chess Western Province Constitution, the term of the current Chess Western Province Director of Youth Chess, Mr Cecil Ohlson, came to an end on 31 December 2020.

The election of a new Youth Director for Chess WP is, therefore, now pending. We hereby invite you to attend the election meeting and/or to submit a nominations for the next Youth Director.

As per Chess WP Constitution:

"22.2 Registered individual chess players who are under age 20 on 1 January each year shall elect the Director of Youth Chess for that calendar year. The election shall take place at the Region's first tournament in that calendar year, or as soon as practicable thereafter. Individual chess players under age 18 at the date of the election shall be represented by one of their parents or by their guardian in such election. No vote shall be accorded to any individual chess player who at the date of the election is in arrears in respect of the annual individual registration fee. The protocols pertaining to the annual election of the Director of Youth Chess shall be determined by the Exco and shall be set out in writing and e-mailed to all Members and registered individuals at least one week before the election date. The elected Director of Youth Chess will in turn represent the youth constituency for the purposes of regional voting rights during that calendar year (and also for the period until the next Director of Youth Chess election for the ensuing year) and shall also represent the Region in all dealings with the CHESS S.A. Youth Commission."

The election will take place on Sunday the 31st of January 2021 via **ZOOM (10h00 – 11h00)**.

The link for Zoom meeting will be made available upon completion of the online registration form.

The protocols are as follow:

1. Please register for the meeting by completing the online registration form <http://bit.ly/CWPyouthelection> by latest Thursday the 28th of January 2021. Please note that no late registrations will be accepted!
2. Nominations of candidates must be done via the online registration form. A brief CV of the nominee must be emailed to info@chesswesternprovince.co.za (copy email to burton@vsb.co.za).
3. Individual chess players under age 18 at the date of the election shall be represented by one of their parents or by their guardian in such election.
4. No vote shall be accorded to any individual chess player who at the date of the election is in arrears in respect of the 2020 CWP annual individual registration fee.

Yours faithfully,

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