

Rockford Chess Challenge

25th Anniversary

By the numbers

- Date of the first Chess Challenge: May 1998
- # of players in first tournament: 45
- # of schools in first tournament 3
- Most # players in one tournament 204
- Most # schools in one tournament 45
- # of different players who have participated: 1226
- Total # of games played: 15,741
- Total # of individual trophies awarded: 1374
- Total # of medals awarded: 987
- Total # of ribbons: 4366
- # of different host sites: 10
- Most tournaments hosted by a site: 9 (Jefferson HS)
- Most amazing kid participating: All of them