

## ***Results from the Rockford Chess Challenge – Fall 2011***

99 students from 20 schools competed at the Rockford Chess Challenge on Saturday October 15th at Washington Academy.

### **First place individual winners**

- 1st Grade (tie) - Jack Wasilewski (House Home school group)  
- Amy Park (Washington Academy)
  
- 2nd Grade (tie) - Gabriel-Dave Manuntag (Conklin)  
- Puranjay Gupta (Washington Academy)
  
- 3rd Grade (tie) - Chris Park (Washington)  
- Rei Katsumata (Montessori Public)
  
- 4th Grade - Rosuel Adrian Manuntag (Conklin)
  
- 5th Grade - Philip Koch (Holy Family) *A perfect score!*
  
- 6th Grade - Vincent Do (Washington) *A perfect score!*  
(a 4th grader playing up)
  
- 7th Grade - Kirkland Shun (Washington) *A perfect score!*
  
- 8th Grade - Daniel Edwards (Hallstrom)

### **Special Awards**

"Best Unrated Player" medals awarded to

- Grade 1: Sinecio Morales (Washington Academy)
- Grade 2: Puranjay Gupta (Washington Academy)
- Grade 3: Charles Kang (Washington Academy)
- Grade 5: Elijah Patterson (home schooled)
- Grade 6: Michael Marchetti (North Boone Upper Elementary)

"Biggest Upset" medals awarded to:

Grade 1: Jack Wasilewski (House Home school group)  
Grade 2: Gabriel-Dave Manuntag (Conklin)  
Grade 3: Rei Katsumata (Montessori public)  
Grade 4: Jedidiah Wooldridge (Hallstrom)  
Grade 5: Phillip Koch (Holy Family)  
Grade 6: Johann Madix (Washington Academy)  
Grade 7: Kirkland Shun (Washington Academy)  
Grade 8: William Vronch (RESA)

The next Chess Challenge will be held February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at RESA Middle School.

For more information about Rockford chess tournaments, check the web site <http://www.RockfordChess.Org>.