Galway Monthly Chess Rapidplays September-2007 to April-2008

16-Sep-2007	20-Jan-2008
14-Oct-2007	17-Feb-2008
18-Nov-2007	16-Mar-2008
16-Dec-2007	20-Apr-2008

The Bridge Centre, St Marys Rd, Galway   2.15pm to 5.30pm

Submit entries by the day before, please.
Time control: 15 minutes each clock

Chess sets and some clocks will be provided. Players may take one travelling-BYE (½ point) in the first three rounds. Level 4 players, please bring clocks/sets

Entry fee – €12,   Family rate: €20   Levels 0, 1, 2, 3
Level 4.   €15 per player (€10 goes into level-4 prize fund).

Prizes: Levels 0, 1, 2, 3. Trophies and Medals,
Level-4: Modest Cash prize, depends on number of entries

Five Individual tournaments (Levels 0 & 1 are for children only)
<u>Level-0</u> - **for children aged 8 and younger**
<u>Level-1</u> – **for beginners up to about a year and a half**
<u>Level-2</u> – **for Novices and casual players, also adult players.**
<u>Level-3</u> – **Experienced Juniors/Novice adults**
<u>Level-4</u> – **Open event, adults/strong-children play in this section.**

Small children will need adult supervision. If any level has fewer than 16 entries, it may be merged with another section.

Rapidplay Ratings: (www.ratingsvault.com) Most tournaments (but not all) will be rapidplay-rated. The rating fee is included in the entry fee and registration forms for new players can be completed on the day. Ratings will be used for team selections to play other teams in Ireland and abroad. See www.ChessZ.com for results.

Entries to John Alfred, Kerry Rd, Adare, Co Limerick
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Texted entries are very convenient for the organisers and allow us to start sooner.

Badges: Players get a badge, Collect 6 by April and receive an attendance trophy. OR collect 4 by April and receive an attendance medal. Badges from other ChessZ Monthlies also count, e.g. Limerick, Cork, etc

Snack: Players are advised to bring a light snack

Chess Stall: one <u>may</u> be present on the day, www.ChessZsales.com   Doc date: 8-Sep-07