

JUNIOR CHESS TOURNAMENT

Grandmaster Alex Baburin is organising a tournament for players aged 6 to 13. Beginners are welcome. Chess sets will be provided on the day. Please note that there will be <u>two sections</u> – *Minor* and *Challenger*. Both sections will feature many prizes, including trophies for the top finishers and medals for those who place near the top, along with a prize for Best Girl. Early entrants will be entered in to a draw to play against Alex Baburin, Ireland's only Grandmaster, in an 8-board clock simultaneous-play exhibition, before the beginning of the tournament.

Date & time: Venue:	Sunday, 7th of May , 14:00 – 18:15 Talbot Stillorgan Hotel (ample free parking!)
Entry fee:	€15; all registrations are on the day
Schedule:	
14:00 - 15:00	Registration and friendly games
14:25 - 15:00	Simultaneous exhibition with GM Alex Baburin
15:00 - 18:00	6-round tournament
18:00 - 18:15	Prize-giving

After round 3 there will be a break during which Alex Baburin will give a short masterclass. We may need to limit entries in the Minor tournament to 100 players, so please register early. Players registered before 14:25 will enter a draw for playing in an 8-player clock simultaneous-play exhibition against Grandmaster Baburin, which will take place from 14:25 to 15:00. Parents are welcome to stay, but can also leave and return before 18:00. There will be a chess stall, where you can buy chess sets, books & software. With any queries, please send an e-mail to baburin@gmail.com or call Alex Baburin on 087-968-2378.

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