



Welcome to the Florida Scholastic Chess League (FSCL). I would like to thank everyone that made this last year a great success. We have overcome several hurdles this past year and feel passionate in moving forward as a necessary resource to families throughout Florida.

To all the chess players and school team winners, congratulations on your commitment once again and your constant determination. You might not know it now, but you are all role models to the younger generations. Our organization is inspired by all your hard work and it pushes us to think out of the box and creatively every day.

To our amazing parents, teachers, sponsors and coaches, none of this is possible without you. Your guidance and sincere love of the game makes all our hard work worth it. We always feel appreciated and know that should we need you, you are always a phone call away. You are an integral part of our success.

We are always extending our guidance and support to the other Florida Chess Representatives. Most recently our very own Nicholas Rosenthal will be representing us at The 2011 Denker Tournament of High School Champions. We also have Jared Lassner representing us at the 2011 Barber Tournament of K-8. And last but not least, we will also have Rachel Gologorsky representing Florida at the Susan Polgar National Invitational. We are ever so proud of each of you.

Currently we are organizing our next challenging event; The 2012 FCA/FSCL SUPERSTATE IX will take place on March 2-4, 2012 and held at the DoubleTree by Hilton Miami Airport Convention Center. We are certain it will be a great success and look forward to updating everyone soon after.

I would also like to inform you about another opportunity to participate as a chess player. Miami will be center stage this December 9-11, 2011 as the National Youth Action Tournament takes place. Below is a link that will take you directly to the tournament's information.

<http://www.active.com/more-sports/miami-fl/national-youth-action-east-2011>

Like always your complete cooperation will insure that we have future fun and successful events for all our children to take part in. Thank you again to every participant, supportive family members and diligent coaches. We work hard for you because you are worth it!

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