

2024 U.S. AMATEUR NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP SOUTH



February 23th, 24th and 25th of 2024

Laurel Manor Regional Recreation Center
1985 Laurel Manor Drive
The Villages, FL 32162



Team Championship (Non-Scholastic) Open to all ages

SCHEDULE: 2- or 3-Day Option

FORMAT: (One section) 5 Round Swiss, Minimum 4 players, maximum 5 players on a team. A team's rating is the average rating of the team's top 4 players' ratings (Jan 2024 Supplement). Every team's rating must be < 2200 (strictly less than 2200). Up to 4 players can play in a given round; players must sit in rating order. Winning team qualifies for National Playoff

Rounds/Time Control/Byes

2 Day Schedule: Saturday 3 rounds, Sunday 2 rounds

Saturday G/80: d5 (round 1 only), Saturday: G/90 +15 incr. (rounds 2&3) Sunday: G/90 +15 incr. (rounds 4&5)

3 Day Schedule: Friday 1 round, Saturday 2 rounds, Sunday 2 rounds

Friday G/80: d5 (round 1 only), Saturday: G/90 +15 incr. (rounds 2&3) Sunday: G/90 +15 incr. (rounds 4&5)

1/2-point byes (for the whole team only) are available for one round

Team Championship (Scholastic)

SCHEDULE: 1 day (Saturday)

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Time Control: 1 Day; G/25 d5

1/2-point byes (for the whole team only) are available for one round

Blitz Event: G/3; d2, 4 Double Rounds (Fri.) **ENTRY FEE PER PLAYER:** \$15 If in main event, all others \$25

Team Championship (Non-Scholastic)

ENTRY FEE PER PLAYER: \$65 per by 1/31, \$75 later, Special team entry fee (one entry must be made for all players) \$225 by 1/31, \$255 later.

Team Championship (Scholastic)

ENTRY FEE PER PLAYER: \$40 per by 1/31, \$50 later, Special team entry fee (one entry must be made for all players) \$140 by 1/31, \$160 later.

PRIZES/AWARDS:

Team Championship (Non-Scholastic)

Special commemorative chess clocks or chess board/pieces: The top scorer on: Board 1, Board 2, Board 3, Board 4
The top 4 boards of: The top team, Under prizes for teams u1900, u1600, u1300

Trophies/Plaques: Top: Senior Team, (All 50 years & above as of 2/24/2024), Industry Team (same company), College Team (same school), K-12 School Team (same school), All-female Team, and Club Team

Alternates will receive trophy/plaque for any team listed above

Team Championship (Scholastic)

Special commemorative chess clocks or chess board/pieces: The Top Team, The top scorer on: Board 1,2,3, and 4
Trophies or Plaques: Under prizes for teams u1600, u1400, u1200, u1000. **2nd Highest Scorer:** Board 1,2,3, and 4
Alternates will receive trophy/plaque for any team listed above

Blitz: Trophies to all players with a winning record

Other: Remembrance Lapel Pin for all players entered into 2024 US National Amateur Team South Championship

REGISTRATION:

1) Current USCF membership is required 2) There will be no on-site registration, only via on-line at Chessregister.com, or mailed checks

Deadlines: On-line/Mailed to get normal entry fee 1/31/2024, deadline for later registration is 2/17

Address: Mike Moschos 2100 Odessa Circle, The Villages, FL 32162 (Make checks payable to The Villages Chess Club)

Registration Help:

Don't have a team? You can still play. Need player(s) for your team? Contact us at email below

The registration may close anytime (whenever we reach capacity under health and safety procedures/practical judgement)

AMENITIES: Wheelchair accessible. Coffee and ice water provided. Refrigerator and microwave available for use.

Organizer Email: TheVillagesChessClub@outlook.com

SCHEDULE:

Team Championship (Non-Scholastic)

3-day: 1st Rd. Fri. 6:00pm Rds. 2-5 Sat. 1:00pm, 5:30pm, Sun. 9:30am, 2:45pm

2-Day 1st Rd. Sat. 9:00am Rds. 2-5 Sat. 1:00pm, 5:30pm, Sun. 9:30am, 2:45pm

Team Championship (Scholastic)

Sat. 9:15a-4:40p Round Times: 9:15am, 10:50am Lunch Break 12:30pm, 2:05pm, 3:40pm Time

Blitz: Friday 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

HOTELS:

Notational Pricing: Descending Price Order, without agreements in place

TownePlace Suites The Villages Brownwood Hotel & Spa Waterfront Inn
Home2 Suites by Hilton Wildwood the Villages Hampton Inn & Suites Lady Lake/The Villages (agreement = yes)
Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites - The Villages Comfort Suites the Villages Comfort Inn and Suites Wildwood - The Villages SureStay Plus Hotel by Best Western The Villages
Sleep Inn Leesburg Chain of Lakes (agreement = yes) Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham Lady Lake/The Villages Days Inn by Wyndham Wildwood I-75

Players books their own accommodations

TVCC will enter into agreements for discounts: green highlight indicate agreements in place. Will be updated and available on Website www.TheVillagesChessClub.org under EVENTS tab,

Additional information will be posted to the Website: Alternates, unrated players, teams rating average, playing order, assignment of colors, Captains responsibility, etc.,



2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship

The Villages, Florida

Additional Information



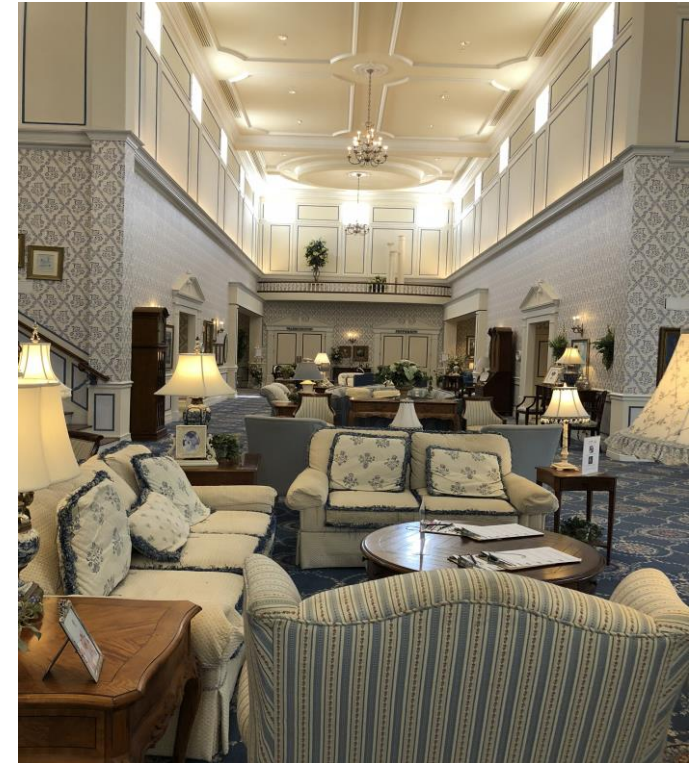
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Tournament Date: February 23rd, 24th and 25th of 2024

Tournament Venue



Tournament Venue cont.





Skittles Area

Hotel Accommodations Nearby

- [Hampton Inn & Suites Lady Lake/The Villages](#)
- **Comfort Suites The Villages**
- **Holiday Inn Express & Suites The Villages**
- **The Waterfront Inn**
- **Brownwood Hotel & Spa**
- **TownePlace Suites by Marriott The Villages**
- **Home2 Suites by Hilton Wildwood The Villages**
- **Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham Lady Lake/The Villages**
- **Days Inn by Wyndham Wildwood I-75**
- **Comfort Inn & Suites Wildwood - The Villages**
- **Many others**

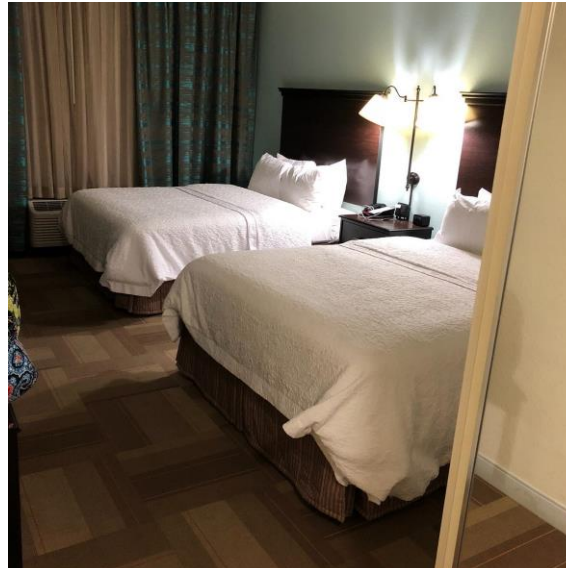
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[Hampton Inn & Suites Lady Lake/The Villages \(currently\)](#)

Hampton Inn and Suites Rates

- February/March regular rates are listed is at \$240. Group discounted rates yields \$50+ off and offer \$199 Includes breakfast
- Location 0.5 miles from tournament venue
- Space for Blitz event available (TBD)



Hampton Inn & Suites Lady Lake/The Villages



Hampton Inn & Suites Lady Lake/The Villages



Restaurants in Local Area

Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar
Bamboo Bistro Asian Fusion
Beef O'Brady's
Belleview Pizza & Italian Restaurant
Billy's Cafe
Bob Evans Farm Restaurant
Bravo Pizza
Burger King
Cane Garden
Carrabba's Italian Grill
Chick Fil A
Chicken Time Cuban Cuisine
Chili's
China Gourmet III
China Jade
China Wok
City Fire American Oven & Bar
Cody's Sumter Landing
Continental Country Club Restaurant
Cotillion Southern Cafe

Cracker Barrel
Darrell's Diner
Denny's
El Ranchito Mexican Restaurant
Farm House Restaurant
Firehouse Subs
Fuji Japanese Steakhouse & Sushi Bar
Gator's Dockside
Giovanni's Ristorante & Pizzeria
Glenview Champions Country Club Restaurant
Golden Corral
Hardee's
Havana Country Club
IHOP
Johnny Rockets
Kentucky Fried Chicken
King Gardens
Legacy The At The Nancy Lopez Country Club
Lighthouse Point Bar & Grill
Little Joey's II Pizza & Italian Restaurant

Longhorn Steakhouse
Margarita Republic
McCall's Tavern
McDonald's
Moe's Southwest Grill
Mom & Dad's Italian Restaurant
No 1 China Restaurant
NYPD Pizza
Oakwood Smokehouse
Olive Garden
Outback Steakhouse
Palmer Legends Country Club
Panera Bread
Perkins Family Restaurants
Pizza Hut
Pizza Hut Wingstreet
R J Gators
Red Lobster
Redsauce
Ruby Tuesday Restaurant

Sakura Japanese Restaurant
Sam's St Johns Seafood
Shang Hai
Sonic Drive-In
Sonny's BBQ
Stavro's
Subway Sandwiches & Salads
Taco Bell
Takis Greek & Italian Restaurant
TooJay's Original Gourmet Deli
VKI Japanese Steakhouse
Waffle House
Wendy's

Places to Visit & Transportation Proximity to The Villages

Disney World (1 hour 5 minutes by car)

SeaWorld (1 hour 12 minutes by car)

Universal Studios (1 hour 5 minutes by car)

Legoland (1 hour 46 minutes by car)

Busch Gardens (1 hour 18 minutes by car)

Gulf of Mexico (Less than 1.5 hour by car)

Atlantic Ocean (Approximately 2 hours by car)

Orlando International Airport (1 hour 10 minute driving distance to The Villages)

Orlando Sanford International Airport (40 minute driving distance to The Villages)

Tampa International Airport (1 hour 20 minute driving distance to The Villages)

Auto Train Station, Sanford, Florida (1 hour 10 minute driving distance to The Villages)



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The Villages Airport Transportation - Groome
Transportation

Sponsoring Affiliate and Tournament Staff

- The sponsoring affiliate will be The Villages Chess Club (TVCC)
Member ID: A6047562
- The Chief Tournament Director will be Charles Hatherill
- Assistant Tournament Directors will be determined, The Villages Chess Club has 5 or more TD's including Club and Local certifications that can be utilized
- Additional staff will be available as required, The Villages Chess Club is robust
- Insurance policy in place
- Tournaments conducted at the Laurel Manor facility :

Mike Moschos
Monroe Steindorf
Heriberto Menendez
Brian Morris
Richard O Stein

2023 FLORIDA SENIOR OPEN AT THE VILLAGES
2022 FLORIDA STATE SENIOR OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
2021 FLORIDA STATE SENIOR OPEN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

2023 THE VILLAGES OPEN
2022 THE VILLAGES OPEN
2020 THE VILLAGES OPEN
2019 THE VILLAGES OPEN
2018 THE VILLAGES OPEN
Other (2)

Special Commemorative Prizes/Awards (Subject to Change)

Complete Set Awarded

North American DGT Clock/or equivalent

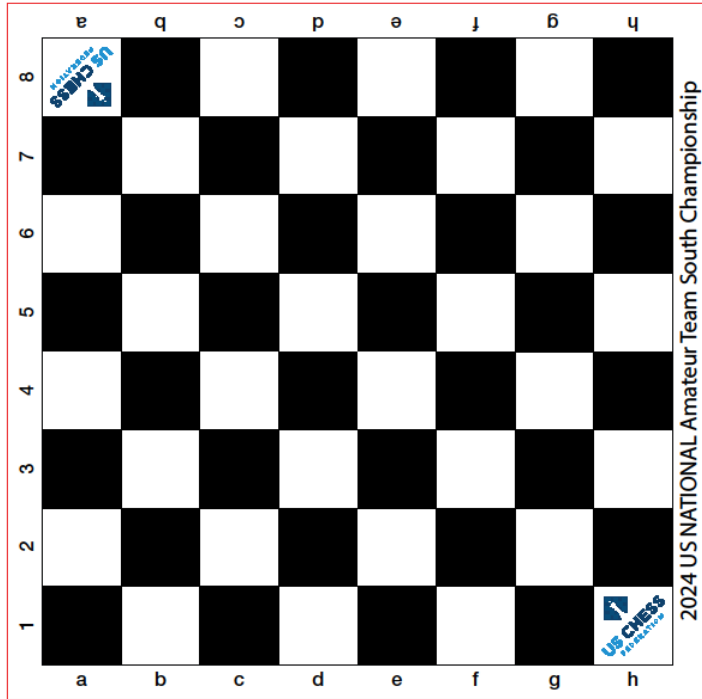
**Custom Adhesive Engraved Plastic
Nameplates for Clock**



2024 US NATIONAL
Amateur Team South Championship
The Top Team U1900

Special Commemorative Prizes/Awards (Subject to Change)

Custom Print Flex Pad Club Chess Board



Complete Set Awarded

**3 3/4" Inspiration Chess Pieces - Triple Weight
or Equivalent Set within 10%**

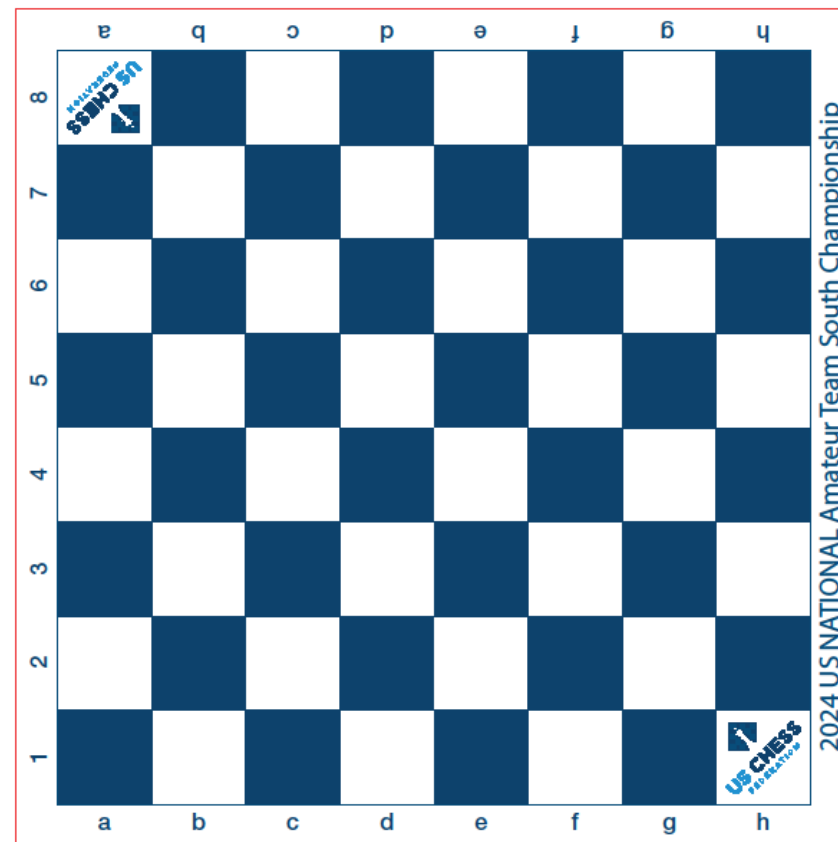
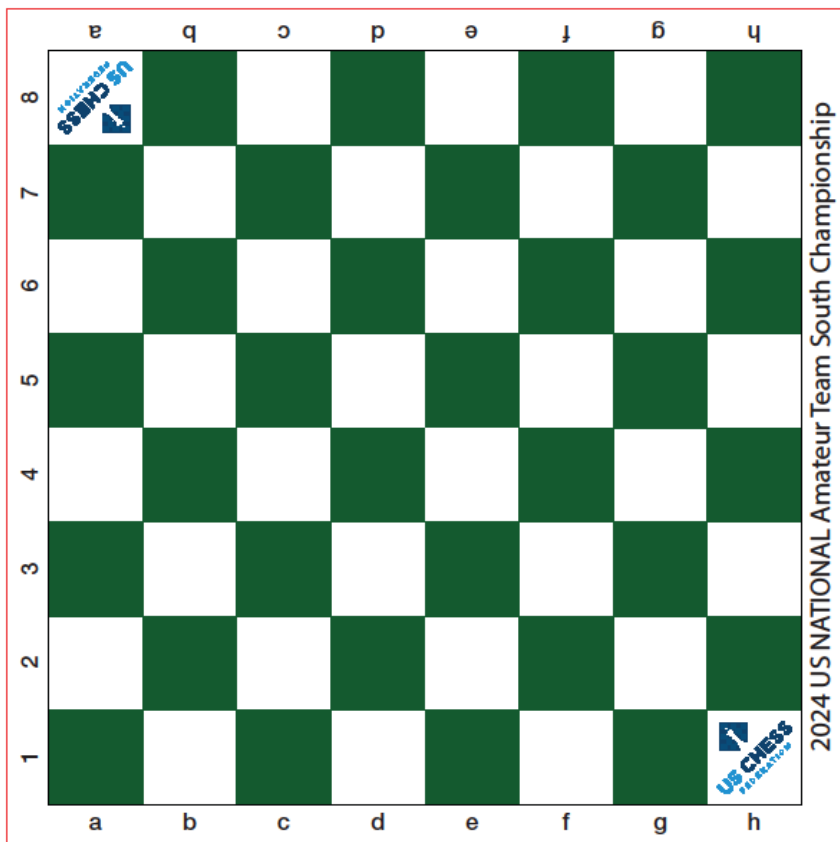


2 3/4" PLACE PERIMETER INSERT CHESS MEDALS



Custom Print Flex Pad Club Chess Board (Subject to Change)

Various Colors

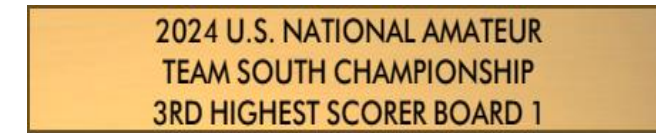


Additional enhancements in process, to be updated



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Current Selections



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2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship **Non-Scholastic**

Special commemorative chess clocks or chess board/pieces to:



The top scorer on:

Board 1

Board 2

Board 3

Board 4

The top 4 boards of:

The top team

The top team u1900

The top team u1600

The top team u1300

Total of 20

2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship Prizes (Trophies/Plaques) Non-Scholastic

Top:

**Senior Team
Industry Team
College Team
K-12 School Team
All-female Team
Club Team**

2nd Highest Scorer:

**Board 1
Board 2
Board 3
Board 4**

Reserve Player for Top :

**Team
Team u1900
Team u1600
Team u1300**

**Top Team
2nd Place Team**

US Chess Federation Pin



Gift to the :

At-Risk-Youth and Title I Schools in the amount of \$350

Historically The Villages Chess Club has worked with students in Wildwood and Fruitland Park Florida both Title 1 Schools.

Remembrance Lapel Pin for all players entered into 2024 US National Amateur Team South Championship

2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship
Scholastic

Special commemorative chess clocks or chess board/pieces to:

The Top Team



-The top scorer on :

Board 1

Board 2

Board 3

Board 4

Total of 8

2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship
Scholastic
Prizes (Trophies/Plaques)

2nd Highest Scorer:

Board 1

Board 2

Board 3

Board 4

1.The top team u1600

2.The top team u1400

3.The top team u1200

4.The top team u1000

2024 US NATIONAL Amateur Team South Championship

Other Information

- Active USCF membership is required
- Wheelchair accessible. Coffee and ice water provided. Limited amount of snacks additionally to be provided.
- Refrigerator and microwave available for use
- Bring a clock, set, and board. A qty. is available (board and pieces). Some clocks are available
- **DGT-e-Boards, DGT Pi will be utilized for specific games**
- Each table will have a box to store cell phones
- Hand sanitizer and cleaning products will be placed in key areas
- Byes: ½-point byes (for the whole team only) are available for one round

Hospitals

Uf Health The Villages Hospital			Uf Health Leesburg Hospital
1451 El Camino RealThe Villages, FL 32159			600 E Dixie AveLeesburg, FL 34748
3.3 miles away			12 miles away
Adventhealth Waterman			HCA Florida West Marion Hospital
1000 Waterman WayTavares, FL 32778			4600 SW 46th CtOcala, FL 34474
19 miles away			19 miles away
Adventhealth Ocala			Hca Florida Ocala Hospital
1500 SW 1st AveOcala, FL 34471			1431 SW 1st AveOcala, FL 34471
19 miles away			19 miles away
Hca Florida Citrus Hospital			Orlando Health South Lake Hospital
502 W Highland BlvdInverness, FL 34452			1900 Don Wickham DrClermont, FL 34711
21 miles away			31 miles away
AdventHealth Apopka			AdventHealth Winter Garden
201 N Park AveApopka, FL 32703			2000 Fowler Grove BlvdWinter Garden, FL 34787
34 miles away			37 miles away
Bravera Health Seven Rivers			Bravera Health Brooksville
6201 N Suncoast BlvdCrystal River, FL 34428			17240 Cortez BlvdBrooksville, FL 34601
37 miles away			38 miles away

Hospitals

Orlando Health-health Central Hospital			Adventhealth Dade City
10000 W Colonial DrOcoee, FL 34761			13100 Fort King RdDade City, FL 33525
39 miles away			42 miles away
Tri County Hospital Williston			Hca Florida Oak Hill Hospital
125 SW 7th StWilliston, FL 32696			11375 Cortez BlvdBrooksville, FL 34613
42 miles away			42 miles away
AdventHealth DeLand			Orlando Health South Seminole Hospital
701 W Plymouth AveDeland, FL 32720			555 W State Road 434Longwood, FL 32750
42 miles away			42 miles away
AdventHealth Altamonte Springs			Adventhealth Fish Memorial
601 E Altamonte DrAltamonte Springs, FL 32701			1055 Saxon BlvdOrange City, FL 32763
42 miles away			44 miles away
Hca Florida Lake Monroe Hospital			Adventhealth Orlando
1401 W Seminole BlvdSanford, FL 32771			601 E Rollins StOrlando, FL 32803
44 miles away			45 miles away

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Urgent Cares/Emergency

Lady Lake Urgent Care			American Urgent Care & Walk-In Clinics		
805 Co Rd. 466, Lady Lake/Villages, FL			Urgent Care		
352-674-9218			601 Gray Ave, Wildwood, FL, 34785		
Mon - Sun: 8 AM - 8 PM			352-290-5548		Closes 9 PM
			OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK		
441 Urgent Care			Orlando Health South Lake Hospital Emergency Room - Blue Cedar		
Urgent CareEmergency Care FacilitiesMedical Centers			Emergency room		
910 Old Camp Rd Ste 182, The Villages, FL, 32162			22316 U.S. Hwy. 27, Leesburg, FL 34748		
Amenities:Wheelchair accessible			(352) 536-8831		Open 24 hours
352-633-7518			Closes 5 PM Mon-Sun.		
UF Health The Villages® Hospital Emergency Room			AdventHealth Belleview ER		
1451 El Camino Real, The Villages, FL 32159			Emergency room		
Open 24 hours			6006 SE Abshier Blvd, Belleview, FL 34420		
Mon-Sun.			(352) 401-8862		Open 24 hours
HCA Florida Trailwinds Village Emergency			UF Health the Villages Hospital Freestanding ER		
6131 Seven Mile Drive			Emergency room		
Wildwood, FL 34785			3800 Meggison Rd, The Villages, FL 32163		
Open 24 hours			(352) 643-7555		Open 24 hours
Mon-Sun.					
441 Urgent Care Center			Lake Regional Urgent Care		
Urgent CarePhysicians & Surgeons, Family Medicine & General PracticeClinics			Urgent care clinic		
17820 SE 109th Ave Ste 108, Summerfield, FL, 34491			1087 Canal St, The Villages, FL 32162		
352-693-2340			(352) 259-4322		Closes 8 PM
Closes 8 PM			OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK		
Mon-Sun.					
Concentra Urgent Care			441 Urgent Care Center - Brownwood		
Urgent CareMedical ClinicsPhysical Therapists			4669 E CR 44 Ste 101, Wildwood, FL 34785		
210 S Lake St Ste 4, Leesburg, FL, 34748			(352) 399-7301		
352-314-9300			Closes 8 PM		Mon-Sun.
Closes 5 PM					
Mon.-Fri.					

Under Evaluation/In Process

1. Live streaming of selected events
2. Simultaneous chess exhibition.
3. Book store at venue
4. Chess lectures
5. European masters in attendance