

CHESS CHALLENGE

AMERICA'S FOUNDATION FOR CHESS
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BRINGING CHESS INTO AMERICAN
CLASSROOMS



What?

America's Foundation for Chess, in partnership with the Detlef Schrempf Foundation, is hosting First Move Chess Challenge 2004 — a celebrities vs. kids' chess match and dinner featuring I Choose to Stay author, chess coach and award-winning principal Salome Thomas-EL as keynote speaker.

Thomas-EL with chess supporter Arnold Schwarzenegger, who wrote the foreword in Thomas-EL's book.

When and Where?

On Sun., Sept. 19, the children's Play-Off Matches will be held from 2 — 5 p.m. at Bellevue Square. From 6 — 8 p.m., the top five kids will square off with celebrities during dinner catered by Seastar Restaurant & Raw Bar to be held in Bellevue's Civica Office Commons Great Room. Thomas-EL will top off the evening with insights from his memoir. Walt Disney is planning a movie based on his life and that of his chess students.



Owner and Chef John Howie offers guests a selection of menu favorites.

2003 US Women's Chess Champion Anna Hahn will play simultaneous chess matches with adults and children at Bellevue Square on Sept. 19.



Why Support Classroom Chess?

- * Boosts Problem Solving Skills
- * Builds Confidence
- * Bridges Language Gap

It's also an inexpensive tool!

Help us raise awareness and funding for AF4C's *First Move for Education* program. AF4C tackles learning gap head on by training teachers to use chess as a classroom tool to build math, problem solving skills and self-esteem in Western Washington's elementary schools.

How?

Suggested Donation: \$100+/guest (10 guests per host and 150 guests total)

\$1,250/cocktail table sponsor (30 tables available)

\$5,000/food bar sponsor (Five bars available)

Sponsors:

Seastar Restaurant & Raw Bar Anderson Family Foundation
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Civica Building Atrium where 150 guests will gather to support classroom chess.

Come as our guest and, if — after what you see — you are moved to support chess as a classroom tool, you will have an opportunity to sponsor a child.