

April 7 – 8, 2017



Les 7 et 8 avril, 2017

Le 50<sup>e</sup> CHAMPIONNAT D'ÉCHECS DES ÉCOLES SECONDAIRES DE L'ONTARIO

# Travelling to the tournament:

## 1. Porter Airlines:

Teams from the regions of Thunder Bay, Sault Ste Marie, Ottawa, Timmins, North Bay, Sudbury, and Windsor are encouraged to take advantage of the special return fares and flights available.

Fly to Toronto on Thursday after school; return Sunday.

Book with Porter Airlines at

<https://flyporter.com/Flight?culture=en-CA&promocode=OHSCC>

or through your travel agent using promo code “**OHSCC**”.

**Note: for 10+ passengers (2 schools?), call Porter at 1-888-619-8622 for greater discount.**

**Extra – Accommodation at hotel: We offer 1 free night / person for those travelling by Porter.** Claim with registration.

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2. **Voyageur Coach:** Teams from the regions of Sarnia, London, Waterloo, and Kingston are encouraged to book travel by a special 24-passenger coach departing Thursday after school from a central school in each city; returning Saturday evening. Sponsorship for these services is provided by crowd-funding project - please help!

Special return fares (per person): Sarnia \$50; London \$30; W'loo \$25; Kingston \$60

Book this service with registration on our website: [www.ohscc.on.ca/register.htm](http://www.ohscc.on.ca/register.htm)

### 3. GO Transit:

Teams from the regions of Kitchener, Milton, Barrie, Niagara, Hamilton, Peterborough, Oshawa, and points on these train and bus lines are encouraged to travel on the early train or bus which will reach Union Station about 7:30 am; take any streetcar (509 or 510) to Rees St (3<sup>rd</sup> stop from Union Station). Return on Saturday evening at 10 pm or later (there is a train or bus to all points but check the exact time for your destination).

GO Transit offers a return pass (price: twice the adult return fare); the pass is good for 5 people (at least 1 adult).

Call 1-888-438-6646 where Customer Care Representatives are available Monday to Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. and Weekends and holidays from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Do verify that the return pass is valid for Friday down, Saturday return.

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### 4. TTC: GTA teams (and those who can get a drive to the subway terminal) are encouraged to travel by TTC.

From the west or east, on line 2, go to Spadina station; take the 510 streetcar to Rees St (2<sup>nd</sup> stop after the car turns onto Queen's Quay.)

From north, take line 1 from Downsview or Finch to Union Station; take any streetcar (509 or 510) to Rees St (3<sup>rd</sup> stop from Union Station.)

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### 5. By Car:

From eastbound Gardiner, exit at Spadina (you must go north); turn right at Bremner Blvd (1<sup>st</sup> light); turn right at Rees St (at Rogers Centre); drive through lights at Lakeshore and Queen's Quay; drive around the hotel to entrance on east side; enter garage and park; get parking pass at reception and place on dashboard.

(See map - Restaurant guide - on back of poster.)

From DVP, exit Gardiner at Yonge/Bay/York; drive west on Lakeshore Blvd to Rees St; turn left; straight at Queen's Quay, and drive around the hotel as noted above.

**Parking at the hotel (underground): \$21 / day (24 hours – with in and out privileges)**

**Exit:** turn **right** from garage, drive around the hotel, and north on Rees St (right on Lakeshore for Gardiner eastbound; north on Rees St and left at Bremner Blvd, left at Spadina, and right (**not far right** - second lane from the right) to Gardiner westbound.)