

## ICU Junior Program for the North West 2019-20

Player Qualification	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Players must join the ICU (<a href="http://www.icu.ie">www.icu.ie</a>).</li> <li>2. Be recommended by a chess coach or event organizer.</li> <li>3. Players will have to enter at least one ICU rated competition during the program.</li> </ol>
<p>Training Days</p> <p>Sundays</p>	<p><b>1 – Nov. 24<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>2 – Dec. 1<sup>st</sup></b></p> <p><b>3 – Dec. 8<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>4 – Dec. 15<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>5 – Jan. 19<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>6 – Jan. 26<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>7 – Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup></b></p> <p><b>8 – Feb. 9<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>11am to 5pm</b> daily with an hour for lunch.</p>
ICU rated Competitions for our group	<p><b>(1) Munster Juniors. Ennis, 30<sup>th</sup> Nov - 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2019</b></p> <p><b>(2) Galway Juniors. Galway, 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan – 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020</b> (U9, U11, U13, U15)</p> <p><b>(3) Connaught Juniors. Manorhamilton, 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020</b> (U10, U12, U14, U16)</p>
Player Training Material	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Book: <b>“Winning Chess exercises for Kids”</b> by Jeff Coakley (supplied). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chess DB / Stockfish engine.</li> <li>• Chess Players ICU Workbook.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Program Contribution	€160.00 paid online at <a href="http://www.icu.ie">www.icu.ie</a>
Venue	<p>W8 Centre, Manorhamilton</p> <p><a href="http://www.w8centre.ie">www.w8centre.ie</a></p>