

Mr Ian Eustis is holding a Chess Workshop at our Mela Festival on the 11th of May in Committee Room 6 A at Brangwyn Hall. Come along if you ever wanted to have a go at playing Chess. The West Wales Chess League is the organising body for all competitive chess played in the local area. This extends from Llanelli in the West to Port Talbot in the East. The League is the point of contact for anyone wishing to play chess, whether friendly or competitive. There are six clubs, all of whom would welcome new members.

The League consists of 22 teams, which are split into three divisions, which cater for players of varying strength from beginner to expert, (not quite a grandmaster!) The competition, very much like football, runs from September to May each year. There are also a couple of individual tournaments which take place at the end of the season.

The West Wales Chess League is one of five ""zones", or areas, that are affiliated to the Welsh Chess Union, which is the national body for chess in Wales. Like the Welsh Rugby Union, it organises international matches and various internal competitions.