



FENCING AND CHESS WEEK-LONG CAMP @ VIVO

MONDAY, JULY 30TH - FRIDAY AUGUST 3RD



All Day Youth Camp 9-5
with optional 8:30 drop off
Youth Intermediate and Competitive Fencers
Learn strategy and enhance your athleticism
to improve your skills.

(Beginner Chess Players Welcome!)

\$500/fencer.

Fencers bring their lunch/snacks please.

Fencing and Chess? Oh, Yes!

- Fencing is referred to as, “physical chess.”
- Fencing is like playing chess on a physical level.
- Fencing and Chess both require you to learn the fundamentals - the important moves you will need to know how to make.
- Fencing and Chess require you to anticipate moves and draw in your opponent.
- Fencing and Chess both require making a plan of attack and then carrying it through while your opponent is doing the same thing. Thought and planning are heavily involved. Concept of space (and distance!) is very important.
- And then with fencing – you add the timing and the physicality as key elements to the sport.

May the best person win!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w4jD_dDHY5E

<https://www.quora.com/How-is-fencing-like-chess>

Each day will include 2 fencing sessions and 2 chess sessions, plus lunch, breaks and strategy discussions!

PLUS we will have a combined competition at the end.

Jeff Penta, chess master, will join Molly and Arpi as coaches during this week.

Sign up at <https://vivofencingclub.communityroot.com> – sign in/choose summer programs in the “category” and then Fencing/Chess Camp