

2026 Harvey Lerman State Championship - Schedule of Activities - September 5-7, 2026

Hilton Melbourne Rialto Place

Activity	SATURDAY (8am-1:00 am Sunday)	SUNDAY (8am-1:00 am Monday)	MONDAY (8am - 9pm)	Location
State Championship All Sections Time control G90+30 second increment	Registration 8:00-9:00 am Round 1 10:00 am Round 2 3:30 pm	Round 3 10:00 am Round 4 3:30 pm	Round 5 10:00 am Round 6 3:30 pm	Wakefield Ballroom Overflow playing room if needed: Mestre - next to bookseller
Worldwide Games Broadcast on lichess.com (Top 6 boards; 10 minute delay)	During each round	During each round	During each round	https://lichess.org/broadcast/2026-harvey-lerman-florida-state-championship/4eJYooty
WGM Sabina Foisor commentary on YouTube/Twitch (Top 6 boards; 10 minute delay)	Round 1 live commentary 10:10 am Round 2 live commentary 3:40 pm	Round 3 live commentary 10:10 am Round 4 live commentary 3:40 pm	Round 5 live commentary 10:10 am Round 6 live commentary 3:40 pm	See spacecoastchessfoundation.org for links to commentary
State BLITZ Championship (6SS, 1 game/rd, G3,d2)	Registration closes at 8pm Saturday. Blitz tournament starts at 8:30 pm and ends when all rounds are completed.			Wakefield Ballroom
State QUICK Championship (5SS, 1 game/rd, G10,d3)		Registration closes at 8pm Sunday. QUICK tournament starts at 8:30 pm and ends when all rounds are completed.		Wakefield Ballroom
Chess Books & Equipment by Orlando Chess & Games <i>Books and Equipment!!!</i>	9:30 am - 9:00 pm	9:00 am - 9:00 pm	9:00 am - 7:00 pm	Lido Room
Wit-T-Shirts SATURDAY ONLY	9:00 am - 6:00 pm			Hallway near bookseller
Skittles	9:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - 9:00 pm	Gondolier/Canaletto
Tournament Director	8:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - 9:00 pm	Wakefield Ballroom (Floor TDs) Murano Room (Chief TD)
Guest Lounge	8:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - Midnight	8:00 am - 9:00 pm	Torcello Room