

**Previous Kansas State Chess Champions-
Kansas Resident with year
(Most often the highest finishing Kansas resident in
the Kansas Open Chess Tournament)**

2022-Jason Wawrzaszek (current champion)
2021-Sameeth Sheshappa
2019-Jack Easton
2018-Jack Easton
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2015-Ben Gradsky
2014-Joey Kelly
2013-Conrad Holt
2012-Tim Steiner
2011-Conrad Holt
2010-Maxx Coleman
2009-Tom Brownscombe
2008-Christopher Purdy
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2006-Maxx Coleman
2005-Luidmila Mokriak
2004-Deepyaman Datta
2003-Andrei Tcherepanov
2002-Kyle Camarda
2001-Robert Glick
2000-Tim Steiner
1999-Alan Piper
1998-Ryan Porter
1997-Alan Piper
1996-Jason Kasick
1995-Ryan Porter
1994-Fred Galvin
1991, 1992, & 1993-Alan Piper
1990-Charles Aldelman
1989-Alan Piper & Michael Weirzbicki
1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, & 1988-Michael Weirzbicki
1981- Bradford Blake & Michael Weirzbicki
1980-Wesley Koehler & Bruce Worner

1979-David Marshall, Don Oswald, Dan Prichard, & Thomas Raikes
1978-Jack McClurg
1977-Wesley Koehler
1976-Carl Sloan
1972, 1973, 1974, & 1975-Dan Prichard
(Kyle Thompson co-champ in 1974)
1971-Don McCrory
1970-Gary Watts
1967, 1968, & 1969-Randy Mills
1966-????
1965-Virgil Harris
1964-Fred Bristol
1963-Robert Hart
1962-Gayle Hershey
1961-?????
1959 & 1960-George Krauss Jr.
1958-Bert Brice-Nash
1957-Wesley Perkins
1956-Carl Weber
1955-Bert Brice-Nash
1954-Carl Weberg
1953-Bert Brice-Nash
1952-Jim Callis
1951-Henry Georgi
1950-Kirke Mechem
1949-Bert Brice-Nash
1948-Author R. Self
1947-Jasper M. Stull
1937-Arnold Davis and Dan Rundell
1930-Fred Rundell
1929-Fred Rundell
1907-Henry Woodson Rhea
(Anyone having information on the Kansas Chess Champions
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