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Magnus & Friends: A Chance to Play with the World Champion!

Leading business brains partner world's top Grandmasters in Pro-Biz Cup

Thursday 5th December 2019

Entrepreneurs and their businesses can team up with one of the world's leading Grandmasters in the **5th Pro-Biz Cup**, a fun rapidplay tournament that is an integral feature of the [London Chess Classic](#), to raise money for the UK charity Chess in Schools and Communities.

World Champion Magnus Carlsen and three more players from the World's Top 12, plus leading British Grandmasters Michael Adams, David Howell, Luke McShane and Gawain Jones, will be partnering up with the entrepreneurs. The businesspeople will have the chance to work alongside a top-class Grandmaster and gain a unique insight into how their brain works in three rapidplay chess matches.

The Pro-Biz Cup will take place on Thursday 5th December at one of London's most historic chess venues, **The Royal Automobile Club** on Pall Mall, which has played host to exhibition matches by such legends as Jose Raul Capablanca and Richard Reti.

These players will meet up with their GM partner for a photo shoot and strategy meeting, then play alternate moves as they challenge other Top GM-Business Brain teams.

Each team will have 20 minutes on the clock for all their moves (plus an additional 5 seconds per move). The entrepreneurs will be able to take up to two 1-minute timeouts, during which time they can consult with their GM partners.

For a flavour of the brilliant atmosphere at the Pro-Biz Cup, see [this entertaining and informative video report](#).

Interested in teaming up with Magnus & Friends for a day of superb chess? All bids and enquiries should be made to:

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Minimum donation: £2000 per player.

This year's Pro-Biz Cup is part of the [11th London Chess Classic](#), which runs from November 29 to December 8, 2019 at the Olympia Conference Centre and supports [Chess in Schools and Communities](#).

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