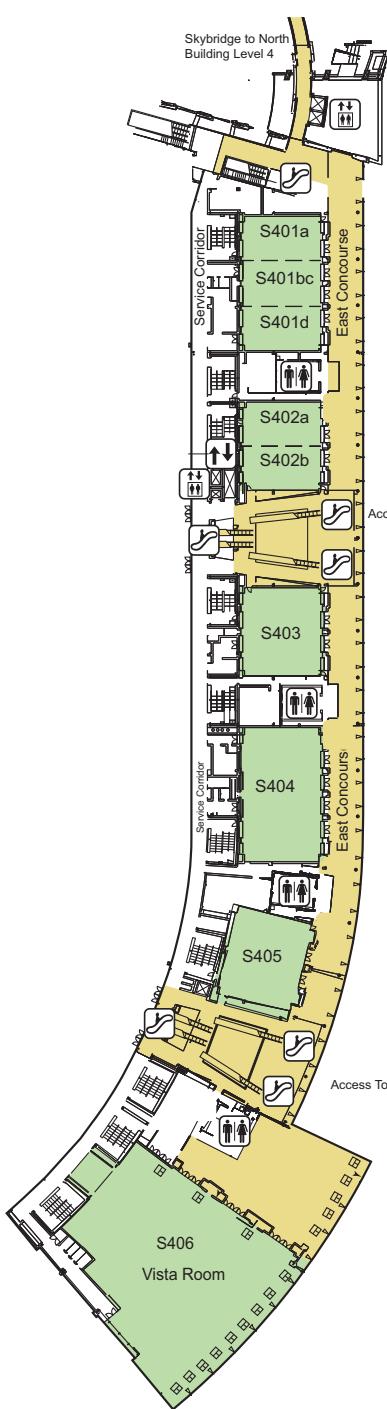


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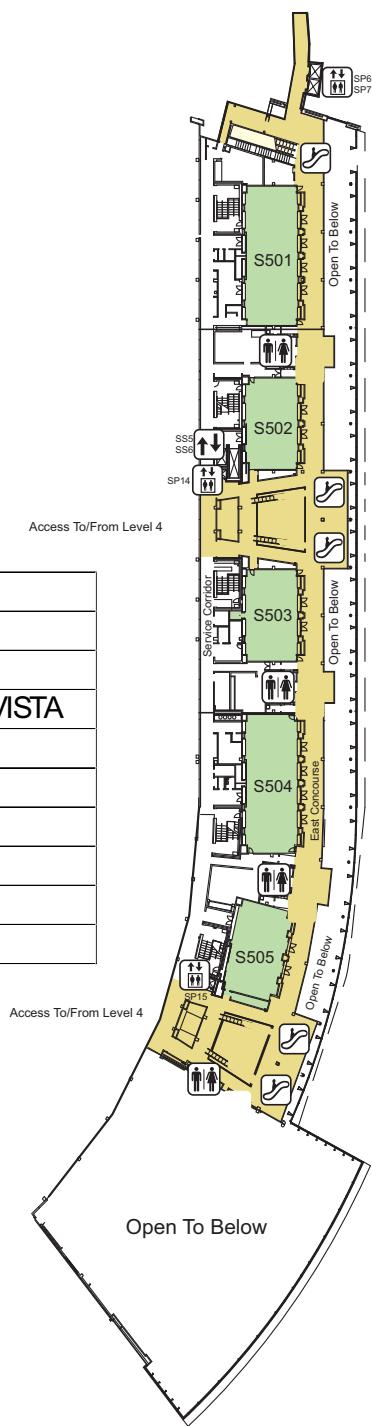
## MCCORMICK PLACE SOUTH

LEVEL 4



Chess Control	S403
K-4, K-6, K-8, & K-12 Championship	S404
K-12 Reserve	S405
K-4, K-6, & K-8 Novice & Reserve	S406 VISTA
Skittles	S501
Skittles	S502
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LEVEL 5





Parking Lot B is the preferred parking area for the South Building. To access the lot, take Lake Shore Drive southbound to the 31st Street exit. From the exit ramp, follow the curved ramp onto northbound Moe Drive. Moe Drive can also be accessed directly from 31st Street.

## Parent Drop-Off and Pick-Up Procedures

- Drop-off: 8:30–9:30 AM
- Pick-up: 6:00–7:00 PM

Parents who wish to drop off or pick up their child during the designated times must use Gate 26.

- No parking is permitted at Gate 26 or any other gate.
- Parents may only drop off or pick up at the gate and may not walk their child to the playing area.
- Event staff will be stationed at Gate 26 and along the route to the playing site to safely direct players.

**⚠ All players must have a responsible adult onsite throughout the day.**

## Walking Players to the Playing Area or Outside Designated Times

- Parents who wish to walk their child to or from the playing area must park in Lot B and enter through Gate 26.
- Parents who need to drop off or pick up outside the designated times must park in Lot B and walk into the building.

## Bus Drop-off & Pick-Up Procedures

- Drop-off: 8:30–9:30 AM
- Pick-up: 6:00–7:00 PM

Schools utilizing bus transportation must use Gate 27 for both drop-off and pick-up.

- Buses arriving early for pick-up may stage on Moe Drive until the designated pick-up window begins.
- Event staff will be on-site to assist with traffic flow and bus staging as needed.

