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# CHESS



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Editor-WCF President Corner: WCF gave Willie Skubi \$25.00 to help cover his expenses in attending BCCF meeting reported in this issue on page 10. WCF officers voted to cover cost, about \$6.00 per time of sending out to Wash. newspapers "Chess in the Northwest" a column I write for a Portland newspaper. Let us know if any of you see any of it in Washington papers. It will not be sent every week. Robert Karch is new WCF TD. NWC under new method seems to be working okay. Will work better if everybody will send material to right person and as much before deadlines as possible. Remember the last Wednesday deadline is when Larry, Bob and Sue are to have their material to me. So you should plan that they have the material you send them a week to 10 days before that. Plan AHEAD. USCF will now rate events with time control as fast as forty moves per hour. Northwest has been doing that for years. Now if they will just use computer to rate as we do! USCF is to release monthly rating supplement in Jan 1973 with only annual rating list to be in CL&R. The monthly rating supplements are to contain ratings no more than two months past. US Championship will be held annually. Until next month- RWM

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DEADLINES ARE LAST WEDNESDAYS OF THE MONTH!

# TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Send all tournament announcements to:

Sue Richardson  
1136 14th Street  
Astoria, Oregon 97103

## NORTHWEST MASTER/EXPERT CHAMPIONSHIP AND NORTHWEST AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

October 7-8 (Wash.)

MASTER/EXPERT

TYPE: 4 round Swiss Time Control 40/2  
SITE: Cosmopolitan Chinook Hotel, S 4th St. & E Yakima,  
Yakima WA 98901  
ENTRY FEE: \$15, Under 19 \$13 if mailed by 10/2 all  
\$5 more if paid at tournament. WCF, OCF or  
BCCF membership required, and USCF  
REGISTRATION: 8:30-9:30am 10/7  
PRIZES: (based on 25 entries) 1st over all \$75  
Rating 2200 & up 1st \$75, 2nd \$50 3rd \$25  
Rating 2000 - 2199 1st \$60, 2nd \$40 3rd \$ 15

### OCTOBER

7-8 EMERALD CITY OPEN (Eugene)  
7-8 NORTHWEST MASTER/EXPERT CHAMPIONSHIP (Yakima)  
7-8 NORTHWEST AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP (Yakima)  
7-8 3rd HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
7-8-9 BRITISH COLUMBIA OPEN (Vancouver)  
14 KITTITAS COUNTY OPEN (Ellensburg)  
14-15 WASHINGTON JUNIOR (Everett)  
14-15 MUKILTEO OPEN (Everett)  
14-15 4th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
21-22 SEATTLE CHESS AMATEUR  
21-22 PACIFIC NORTHWEST OPEN (Portland)  
28-29 CHELAN COUNTY OPEN (Wenatchee)  
28-29 1972 HOUSE OF CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (Portland)  
28 HALLOWEEN TORNADO (Everett)

### NOVEMBER

4 PORTLAND TORNADO CANCELLED!!  
4 CAPITAL CITY OPEN (Olympia)  
4-5 1972 HOUSE OF CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP (Portland)  
4-5 SPOKANE COUNTY OPEN (probably)  
4-5 ROBERT A. MITCHELL MEMORIAL OPEN (Klamath Falls)  
11-12 PORTLAND FALL OPEN  
18 EUGENE TORNADO  
18 SAGEBRUSH OPEN (Moses Lake)  
18-19 WASHINGTON WOODPUSHER (Everett)  
18-19 PORTLAND OPEN  
18-19 UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON OPEN (Seattle)  
25-26 OREGON JUNIOR (Portland)  
25-26 5th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
25 WIDE OPEN (Seattle)

### DECEMBER

2 PILCHUCK MOUNTAIN AMATEUR (Everett)  
2-3 HOLIDAY OPEN (Portland)  
9-10 6th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
9-10 TACOMA OPEN  
9-10 YAKIMA OPEN  
16 LEAVE THE DOOR OPEN (Seattle)  
16-17 CHESS DIGEST OPEN (Everett)  
16-17 7th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
23-24 8th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
27-28 NORTHWEST JUNIOR (Seattle)  
30-31 9th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)  
30 PORTLAND TORNADO

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#### EMERALD CITY OPEN October 7-8

5 Rd Swiss Time Control: 45/2  
Site: Eugene Hotel, 222 E. Broadway, Eugene, Oregon  
Entry fee: \$5; after 10/1 \$7. Plus OCF, WCF, ICA, or  
BCCF membership required.  
Prizes: 1st - \$50 2nd - \$30 3rd - \$20  
1st under 1800 - \$15 1st under 1600 - \$15  
plus trophies for 1st, 1st B, 1st C, 1st D,  
1st Unrated, and 1st Junior under 18.  
Registration: 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. 1st Rd: 10:00 a.m.  
Sponsored by the Oregon Chess Club  
Tournament Director: Lewis Richardson  
No equipment provided. Bring sets, boards, & clocks.  
Lodging: \$3.50 per person if 4 in room with doublebeds.  
\$5.00 per person in twin beds with 3 in room.  
\$7.50 for single room; \$11.00 for double.  
Send request for lodging direct to hotel,  
mentioning tournament.  
Advance Entries: Oregon Chess Club  
c/o Lewis Richardson  
1136-14th Street  
Astoria, Oregon 97103

If more than 50 enter, prize fund will be increased.

### AMATEUR

TYPE: 5 round Swiss Time Control 45/2  
Site: Cosmopolitan Chinook Hotel, S 4th St. & E Yakima,  
Yakima WA 98901  
ENTRY FEE: \$10, under 18 \$8 if mailed by 10/2 all  
\$5 more if paid at tournament. USCF,  
WCF or OCF or BCCF membership required  
Special combined Entry Fee & USCF dues if  
joining for first time \$3 off, under 20  
\$1.50 off.  
REGISTRATION: 8:30 - 9:30am 10/7  
PRIZES: Limited to players below 2000 by both USCF &  
Northwest Rating Systems. (based on approximately  
55 entries) 1st over all \$75 Rating 1900-1999  
1st \$50 2nd \$25 1800-1899: 1st \$50 2nd \$25  
1700-1799: 1st \$50 2nd \$25; 1600-1699: 1st \$50  
2nd \$ 25; 1500-1599: 1st \$35 2nd \$15; 1400-1499:  
1st \$ 35, 2nd \$15; 1399 & Under: 1st \$35 2nd \$15.  
SPONSORED BY: East-West Tournament Association  
P.O. Box 1631  
Yakima WA 98907

HOTEL RATES: \$8.50, \$11.50, \$12.50  
EQUIPMENT: BRING SETS BOARDS AND CLOCKS  
PAIRINGS AND PRIZES: Northwest used for both. If none  
available USCF used.  
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller

#### BRITISH COLUMBIA OPEN OCTOBER 7-8-9 1972

TYPE - SINGLE SECTION 7 ROUND SWISS  
SITE - MARPOLE-OAKRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTRE  
990 WEST 59th AVENUE (OAK & 59th)  
VANCOUVER, B.C.  
ENTRY FEE - \$8 plus NORTHWEST MEMBERSHIP  
PRIZES - \$500 guaranteed 1st.-25% plus  
qualify for B.C. Closed 2nd.-15%  
3rd.-10% 1st. 'A'-10% 2nd. 'A'-5%  
1st. 'B'-10% 2nd. 'B'-5%  
1st. 'C'-10% Unrated-5% Junior-5%

REGISTRATION - 9.00 - 9.30 a.m. OCT. 7  
TIME CONTROL - ROUNDS 1-2-3 40/90 minutes  
ROUNDS 4-5-6-7 45/2 hours  
SPONSORED BY - B.C. CHESS FEDERATION

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR - BRIAN POTTER  
1705 WEST 59th AVE.  
Vancouver 14, B.C.  
Ph. (604) 261-8569  
Ph. at site 327-8371  
during tourney.

EQUIPMENT - PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN BOARD,  
SET AND CLOCK. NO MINIATURE,  
POCKET OR ORNAMENTAL SETS.

CONCESSION - FOOD AND BEVERAGES AVAILABLE  
FROM NOON.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA OPEN (Continued)

B.C. chessplayers are urged to support this tournament which promises to be the biggest and best in B.C. this season. The site is on the OAK/FOURTH bus route, has windows on two sides plus fluorescent lighting and a high ceiling.

# PLAY TOURNAMENT CHESS!

## 3rd HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN October 7-8

Type: One section, 4 Rd. Swiss 40/2  
 Site: House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland  
 Entry fee: \$3.00 (club members \$2.00) plus USCF  
 Special 50% discount on USCF dues for  
 players joining USCF for first time.  
 Registration: 9:00-9:30 a.m. Sat. October 7  
 Schedule: Rd 1 - 10 a.m. Sat. Rd 2 - 3 p.m. Sat.  
 Rd 3 - 9 a.m. Sun. Rd 4 - 2 p.m. Sun.  
 Prizes: 1st Place - \$10.00 Guaranteed plus trophy  
 Trophies for 1st "B", 1st "C", 1st "D", &  
 1st Unrated.  
 For more information, write:  
 House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland 97214  
 Note: USCF ratings used for pairings and prizes.  
 Please bring sets, boards and clocks.  
 NOTE: HOUSE OF CHESS EVENTS ARE NOT NORTHWEST RATED.

## KITTITAS COUNTY OPEN October 14

3 Round Swiss 45/2  
 Site: Rooms 204-205 Student Union Building  
 Central Washington State College  
 Ellensburg, Washington  
 Entry fee: adults \$3.00, under 18 \$2.00, plus WCF  
 (E.F. \$1.00 for those joining WCF for  
 first time at tournament)  
 Registration: 10:00 to 10:30 a.m.  
 Prizes: Cash and U.S.C.F. memberships as entries  
 permit  
 T.D.: Dave Collyer  
 905 1/2 N. Kittitas Street  
 Ellensburg, Washington 98926  
 925-2432

## 4th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN October 14-15, 1972

Details same as House of Chess Open (see above.)

## SEATTLE CHESS AMATEUR 21-22 October

OPEN TO: USCF & WCF/OCF/BCCF members with USCF rating  
 below 2000, or unrated. Non-members may  
 join.  
 TYPE: 5 round Swiss, Time control 50/2  
 ENTRY: \$10 if mailed by 10/17, otherwise \$3 more if  
 paid at tournament. BRAND NEW USCF MEMBERS  
 get 50% off their entry fee!

CONTINUED NEXT COLUMN

REGISTRATION CLOSURE: 9 AM; Round 1 begins at 9:30  
 SITE: Edgewater Inn, Pier 67, Seattle (easy access  
 from 99 and I-5) Phone: (206) 624-7000

### \$250 CASH PRIZES GUARANTEED! (We hope to increase!)

1st-\$50 plus Cert (also eligible for rating \$\$\$)  
 Top rated 1800-1899 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated 1700-1799 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated 1600-1699 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated 1500-1599 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated 1400-1499 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated 1300-1399 - \$25 plus Certificate  
 Top rated Below 1300 - \$25 + Certificate  
 Top Unrated - \$25 plus Certificate  
 NOTE: Where USCF rating is unavailable or unknown,  
 NW rating will be used for pairing & prizes.

PLEASE BRING: SET, BOARDS, CLOCKS  
 DIRECTORS: Robert A. Karch and David P. Karch  
 ADVANCE ENTRY: AMERICAN CHESS SERVICE  
 5300 Keystone Place, N.  
 Seattle, Washington 98103  
 TELEPHONE: (206) 632-5594

## PACIFIC NORTHWEST OPEN October 21-22 (Ore.)

### OPEN

TYPE: 5 round Swiss Time Control 45/2  
 SITE: Park Haviland Hotel, SW Salmon & Park, Portland,  
 Oregon 97205  
 ENTRY FEE: \$10, under 18, \$8 if mailed by 10/16, all  
 \$5 more if paid at tournament. USCF mem-  
 bership plus WCF, OCF, or BCCF memberships  
 required-  
 REGISTRATION: 8:00-9:00 am 10/21  
 PRIZES: (based on approx 60 entries)  
 1st over all-\$75.00, 1st Master, Expert, Class "A"  
 Class "B" & under all \$75.00 each.  
 2nd in all above all \$50.00 each.

### RESERVE

TYPE: 6 round Swiss Limited to players with BOTH  
 Northwest and USCF rating 1599 & under  
 TIME CONTROL: 40/1 1/2  
 SITE: Park Haviland Hotel  
 ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 (under 18 \$4.00) IF MAILED by 10/16  
 Both \$5.00 more if paid at tournament. USCF plus  
 OCF or WCF or BCCF memberships required  
 REGISTRATION: 8:00-9:00 am 10/21 or in advance  
 PRIZES: (based on approx 30 entries) 1st overall- \$30.00  
 1st Class "C" & "D" \$30.00 each  
 2nd Class "C" & "D" \$15.00 each  
 1st "E" & under \$15.00

BOTH  
 ADVANCED ENTRIES: East-West Tournament Assoc.  
 P.O. Box 1631  
 Yakima, WA 98907  
 SPECIAL RATES FOR PLAYERS JOINING UNITED STATES CHESS  
 FEDERATION FOR FIRST TIME. USCF dues reduced \$2.00 for  
 Adults and \$1.00 for under 20.  
 HOTEL RATES: \$7.00, \$8.00 \$9.00 mention tournament when  
 registering  
 EQUIPMENT: BRING SETS BOARDS AND CLOCKS NONE SUPPLIED  
 PAIRINGS AND PRIZES: Northwest used for both  
 TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller

### ORGANIZERS:

Tournament announcements must be received at the  
 above address at least eight weeks prior to the  
 tournament to insure their appearing in Northwest  
 Chess. Include name, date, site, entry fee, time  
 control, registration time, prizes, and name and  
 address of the organizer or director. They must  
 be typed within borders of 4 1/2 inches.

Please send us the dates of your upcoming  
 tournaments as soon as they are definite, so  
 we can include them on the Tournament Schedule.  
 This is a help to other organizers who want to  
 schedule non-conflicting tournaments.

# 1973 TOURNAMENTS

WASHINGTON JUNIOR OPEN  
OCTOBER 14-15

Type: 5 Round Swiss Site: Basement, Masonic Temple  
Corner of Wetmore and Everett  
Entry Fee: Open to all under 21. 18 Avenue, Everett, Washington.  
and over, \$8.00, High School, Registration 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
\$6.00, under \$5.00 with W.C.F. First Round at 10:00  
and U.S.C.F. included.

Prizes: (Based on 60 entrants) 1st, 2nd,  
3rd, 1st High School each receive  
\$50 Savings Bond. 1st Junior High  
and Elementary will receive \$25  
Saving Bonds. Plus five trophies  
besides for Girl, 1st B, 1st C, 1st D  
1st Unrated.

Tournament Director: Stephen L. Chase Junior  
4723 Mermont Drive, Everett, Wash.

## JANUARY 1973

- 1 HOUSE OF CHESS TORNADO (Portland)
- 3 HOUSE OF CHESS WEDNESDAY EVENING OPEN
- 6 HILLSBORO OPEN
- 6 CORVALLIS TORNADO
- 6-7 WASHINGTON OPEN (Seattle)
- 10 HOUSE OF CHESS WEDNESDAY EVENING OPEN
- 13-14 PORTLAND WINTER OPEN
- 17 HOUSE OF CHESS WEDNESDAY EVENING OPEN
- 20-21 10th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)
- 24 HOUSE OF CHESS WEDNESDAY EVENING OPEN
- 27-28 EUGENE OPEN
- 27-28 PORTLAND ROUND ROBIN
- 27-28 YAKIMA WINTER OPEN
- 27-28 11th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)
- 31 HOUSE OF CHESS WEDNESDAY EVENING OPEN

## HALLOWEEN TORNADO October 28

Type: 5 Round Swiss!!

1st Round 30 mins. Per Game  
2nd Round Handicap; Weaker  
player may play at 60/30 or  
30/15 against stronger player  
3rd Round 40/1 1/2 hours.  
4th Round 15 minutes per game  
5th Round 1 hour per game.

Site: Forest Park Field House, Everett  
Entry Fee: Adults, \$5.00, \$4.00 for  
Juniors.

Registration: 8:30-9:30 a.m. First Rd. 10:00

Prizes: Beautiful trophies  
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 1st B,  
2nd B 1st C, 2nd C 1st D 1st Unrated

## FEBRUARY

- 2-3-4 12th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN (Portland)
- 10-11 ASTOR OPEN (Astoria)
- 10-11 HIGH SCHOOL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP (Grants Pass)
- 17-18 PORTLAND JUNIOR
- 3-4 WASHINGTON CHAMPIONSHIP (Seattle)
- 24-25 OSU OPEN (Corvallis)
- 10-11 WASHINGTON CHAMPIONSHIP (Seattle)

## POINT GREY OPEN October 28-29

Format: 5 Round Round Robins, with the top six rated players  
playing in one section, the next six in another section,  
and so on.

Site: Room 2225 in the Buchanan Building on the campus of the  
University of British Columbia, Vancouver B.C..

Entry Fee: \$4.00, plus BCCF membership.

Prizes: Following payment of fixed costs, the winner of each  
section will receive 2/3 of the prize fund for that  
section, while the second place finisher will get 1/3.  
Thus the winner of every section will receive the  
same amount of prize money.

Registration: 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. at the site or in advance by  
notifying the tournament director.

Tournament Director: Jonathan Berry 4430 W. 13th Van. 8  
Phone: 224-1678  
or phone Ken Morton 874-5067

## MARCH

- 2-3 WASHINGTON H.S. TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP (Fri-Sat)
- 3-4 PSU OPEN (Portland)
- 10-11 SALM JUNIOR
- 10-11 YAKIMA SPRING OPEN
- 17-18 SOUTHERN OREGON OPEN (Eugene)
- 24-25 PORTLAND AMATEUR OPEN

## APRIL

- 7-8 PORTLAND SPRING OPEN
- 14-15 WILLAMETTE VALLEY OPEN (Corvallis)
- 28 LANE COUNTY OPEN (Eugene)

## MAY

- 5-6 WASHINGTON H.S. IND. CHAMPIONSHIP
- 12-13 CHERRY CITY OPEN (Salem)
- 26-27-28 ROSE CITY OPEN (Portland)

## WEST EMPIRE OPEN OCTOBER 14

3 Rd Swiss TC: 40/1 1/2 REG: 8:30-8:45am  
SITE: Spokane Teachers Credit Union, W. 106  
Nora Ave., Spokane, Wash. Entry Fee: \$3.00  
Adults, \$2.00 under 21, \$1.00 unrated High  
School Students and Under if joining WCF for  
FIRST time, WCF or OCF or BCCF membership  
required PLUS Western Chess Assoc., Membership  
(WCA) which costs \$.50  
PRIZES: USCF memberships as entries warrant  
TD: Steve Christopher ph 489-8154

## MUKILTEO OPEN October 14-15

ADULTS ONLY

Type: 5 Rd. Swiss  
Site: Basement, Masonic Temple  
Corner of Wetmore and Everett  
Avenue, Everett, Washington  
Entry Fee: \$2.00 plus W.C.F. and U.S.  
C.F. membership included.  
Registration 8:30-9:30 a.m. October 14  
First Round at 10:00  
Prizes: (Based on 30 entrants) 1st \$50  
2nd \$35, 3rd \$25 with beautiful  
trophies to 1st A,B,C. 2nd, A,B,C,  
Unrated

## 6th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN December 9-10

Type: One section, 4 Rd. Swiss 40/2  
Site: House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland  
Entry fee: \$3 (club members \$2) plus USCF  
Special 50% discount on USCF dues for players  
joining USCF for first time

Registration: 9:00-9:30 a.m. Sat.

Round Schedule:

Rd 1 - 10 a.m. Sat. Rd 2 - 3 p.m. Sat.  
Rd 3 - 9 a.m. Sun. Rd 4 - 2 p.m. Sun.

Prizes: 1st Place - \$10.00 Guaranteed plus trophy  
Trophies for 1st "B", 1st "C", 1st "D", &  
1st Unrated.

For more information write:

House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland, 97214  
Note: USCF ratings used for pairings.

Please bring chess sets and clocks.  
NOTE: HOUSE OF CHESS EVENTS ARE NOT NORTHWEST RATED

**CHELAN COUNTY OPEN**

October 28 &amp; 29

Type: 5 Rd Swiss 40/1½ Sat.; 45/2 Sun.

Site: Wenatchee High School Commons

Entry Fee: Adults \$6.00; under 18 \$4.50; under 15 \$3.00

WCF, OCF, or BCCF membership required.

Registration: 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Sat. First Round: 10:00a.m.

Prizes: Trophies for 1st County Resident, 1st under 18,  
1st under 15, 1st under 12,  
1st Woman, 1st Unrated.Cash: 1st 35%; 2nd 20%; 3rd 10%; 1st B 15%;  
1st C 10%; 1st D 10%.Prize fund equals entry fees less cost  
of trophies and rating fee for tourn-  
ament. Limit one prize per person except  
1st County Resident gets trophy even  
should he claim a cash prize.

Equipment: Bring sets, boards, and clocks.

Co-Sponsors: Wenatchee High School Chess Club and  
Central Washington Chess Association.Advance Entries: Larry Allyn  
500 Ramona Ave.  
Wenatchee, Washington 98801  
Phone AC 509 / 662-2757**ROBERT A. MITCHELL MEMORIAL OPEN**

November 4-5

Type: 5 Rd Swiss Rds 1 &amp; 2 -- 50/2 Rds 3-5 -- 40/2

Site: Winema Motor Hotel, Main &amp; 11th, Klamath Falls, Ore.

Entry fee: \$7.00; under 19, \$5.00. USCF required plus  
OCF required of Oregon residents.Prizes: 1st - 30% of net & trophy  
2nd - 20% of net  
3rd - 15% of net  
1st A - 10% of net & trophy  
1st B - 10% of net & trophy  
1st C - 10% of net & trophy  
1st Unrated - 5% of net  
Trophy for Best Klamath County  
Each player eligible for one cash prize & one  
trophy.

Registration: 8 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 4

Round Schedule: Nov. 4 9:30, 1:30 and 5:30

Nov. 5 9:00 and 2:00

For more information: Wesley McKaig  
2739 Kane St.  
Klamath Falls, Ore. 97601

(Formerly the Klamath Falls Open)

**1972 HOUSE OF CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP**

October 28-29 &amp; November 4-5

Type: One section, 8 Round Swiss 40/2

Limited to House of Chess Members only

Entry fee: None. USCF membership required.

Registration: 9:00 to 9:30 a.m. Sat. Oct. 28.

Schedule: 1st Rd - 10 a.m. Sat. 2nd Rd - 3 p.m. Sat.

Subsequent rounds at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

each day, Sun., Oct. 29 and Sat. and Sun.

November 4-5.

Prizes: 1st Place: Champion of House of Chess  
& trophyTrophies for 2nd, 3rd, 1st B, 1st C, 1st D,  
1st Unrated.

For more information, write:

House of Chess

2118 S.E. 11th Avenue

Portland, Oregon 97214

Ties for the championship will be broken by a  
round robin event.

Please bring chess sets and chess clocks.

HOUSE OF CHESS EVENTS ARE NOT NORTHWEST RATED.

**CAPITAL CITY OPEN**

NOVEMBER 4

TYPE: 3 or 4 rd Swiss Several Sections

TIME CONTROL: 40/1

SITE: EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE, STUDENT UNION BLDG.

Aberdeen Freeway off I-5, Olympia, Wash.

REG: 8:00-9:00am 11/4

ENTRY FEE: \$3.00 for Adults, \$2.00 for College

Students and under, Plus WCF, OCF or BCCF.

Special \$.50 entry fee for those joining  
WCF for first time.PRIZES: United States Chess Federation Memberships  
as entries warrant.

EQUIPMENT: Bring sets, boards and clocks

MEALS: Food Service available in SU Bldg.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller

MORE INFOR: Edwin Kivi, 6014 15th Ave. S.E.

Lacey, WA 98503 ph 491-6122

ORGANIZERS: When you send in a tournament  
announcement, please include a self-addressed  
postcard. We will return it to verify that  
we received the announcement and tell you when  
it will appear.**PORTLAND FALL OPEN**

November 11-12

BOTH

SITE: Park Haviland Hotel, SW Salmon & Park  
Portland, OR 97205

HOTEL RATES: \$7, \$8, \$9 mention tournament

EQUIPMENT: Bring Sets Boards &amp; Clocks none supplied

PAIRINGS &amp; PRIZES: Northwest Ratings for both

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller

ADVANCED ENTRIES: East-West Tournament Assoc.

P.O. Box 1631

Yakima, WA 98907

REGISTRATION: 8:00-9:00am 11/11 or in advance 1st Rd 9:30  
OPEN SECTION

TYPE: 5 rd Swiss System TIME CONTROL: 45/2

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00, under 18 \$8.00 if mailed by 11/6

BOTH \$5.00 more if paid at tournament

USCF membership plus OCF, WCF or BCCF

membership are required

PRIZES: (based on approx 65 entries)

1st over all- \$75.00; 1st 2200 &amp; over-\$50.00;

2nd 2200 &amp; over-\$25.00; 1st 2000-2199-\$50.00

2nd 2000-2199-\$25.00; 1st 1900-1999-\$50.00;

2nd 1900-1999-\$25.00; 1st 1800-1899-\$50.00

2nd 1800-1899-\$25.00; 1st 1700-1799-\$50.00

2nd 1700-1799-\$25.00; 1st 1600-1699-\$50.00

2nd 1600-1699-\$25.00; 1st 1599&amp;und.-\$50.00

2nd 1599&amp;und.-\$25.00

**RESERVE SECTION**

TYPE: 6 Rd Swiss Rating 1499 &amp; Under Time: 40/1

ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 under 18 \$4.00 if mailed by 11/6

\$3.00 more if paid at tournament plus

OCF or WCF or BCCF membership SPECIAL

\$2.00 Entry fee for those joining OCF

or WCF or BCCF for first time

PRIZES: (based on approx 50 entries)

1st over all-\$30.00; 1st 1400-1499- \$30.00

2nd 1400-1499- \$15.00; 1st 1300-1399- \$30.00

2nd 1300-1399- \$15.00; 1st 1299&amp;Und.-\$30.00

2nd 1299&amp;und.-\$15.00

**SPOKANE COUNTY OPEN**

November 4 &amp; 5

TYPE: 5 Round Swiss Tournament, Time Control 45/2

SITE: Inland Empire Chess Club &amp; Spokane Press Club,

West 911 Sprague Ave., Spokane, Washington

Entry Fee: \$3.50 Plus WCF, OCF, IGA or BCCF

REGISTRATION: (9:00 - 9:30) 1st rd. 10:00 A.M.

November 4, Saturday

PRIZES: Cash prizes based on entry fees

Please bring chess sets and clocks.



4 Round Swiss 45/1½  
Site: Celeste Campbell Senior Center  
155 High Street  
Eugene, Oregon  
Registration: 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.  
Entry fee: \$3.00 plus O.C.F. membership  
Prizes: Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 1st B,  
1st C, 1st D, 1st Unr.  
& 1st Junior under 18.  
Sponsored by the Oregon Chess Club.  
T.D.: David Jones  
For more information: Oregon Chess Club  
c/o Lewis Richardson  
1136-14th Street  
Astoria, Oregon 97103

Site: Moses Lake Chess Club  
McCosh Park Recreation Center  
Type: 4 Round Swiss 40/1  
Entry Fee: \$3.00 plus WCF membership  
Registration: 2:00 - 8:30 am  
Schedule: 1st Rd. - 8:30 am  
Prizes: 1st - trophy plus 20%  
2nd - 15%  
3rd - 10%  
Equipment: Bring sets, boards, and clocks  
Tournament Director: Robert Schaden  
1221 S. Baker  
Moses Lake, Wash.  
98837

PORTLAND OPEN

November 18-19

Type: One section, 4 Rd. Swiss 40/2  
Site: House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland, Ore.  
Entry fee: \$3.00 (club members \$2.00) plus USCF  
Special 50% discount on USCF dues for players  
joining USCF for FIRST time.  
Registration: 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Saturday, November 18  
Schedule: 1st Rd - 10 a.m. Saturday  
2nd Rd - 3 p.m. Saturday  
3rd Rd - 9 a.m. Sunday  
4th Rd - 2 p.m. Sunday  
Prizes: 1st Place - \$10.00 Guaranteed! plus trophy  
Trophies for 1st "B", 1st "C", 1st "D", &  
1st Unrated.  
For more information, write:  
House of Chess  
2118 S.E. 11th Avenue  
Portland, Oregon 97214  
Note: USCF ratings used for pairings. Please bring  
chess sets and chess clocks.  
HOUSE OF CHESS EVENTS ARE NOT NORTHWEST RATED.

5th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN  
November 25-26, 1972

Type: One section, 4 Rd. Swiss 40/2  
Site: House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th, Portland  
Entry fee: \$3.00 (club members \$2.00) plus USCF  
Special 50% discount on USCF dues for players  
joining USCF for first time  
Registration: 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Sat. November 25  
Schedule: Rd 1 - 10 a.m. Sat. Rd 2 - 3 p.m. Sat.  
Rd 3 - 9 a.m. Sun. Rd 4 - 2 p.m. Sun.  
Prizes: 1st Place - \$10.00 Guaranteed plus trophy  
Trophies for 1st "B", 1st "C", 1st "D", &  
1st Unrated.  
For more information write:  
House of Chess, 2118 S.E. 11th Ave., Portland 97214  
Note: USCF ratings used for pairings.  
Please bring chess sets and clocks.  
NOTE: HOUSE OF CHESS EVENTS ARE NOT NORTHWEST RATED

WIDE OPEN  
November 25  
4 round swiss

SITE: Seattle Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St.,  
Seattle, Wa. 98104; 2 blocks east of the  
railroad stations in downtown Seattle;  
Bus service #'s 3, 7, and 10.  
Registration: 8:30 to 9:30 AM Nov. 25  
Entry Fee: \$5 + Northwest Membership, \$2 less  
to full paid members of the Seattle  
Chess Club.  
Prizes: 1st - 35% 2nd - 15% 3rd - 10%  
1st A, B, C, and D+unrated 10% each  
Time Control: 40/1½ then 30/1  
Rounds: 1-9:45 2-1:15 3-4:30 4-8:00  
these times are only approximate

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON OPEN

Nov. 18-19

TYPE: 4 round Swiss, Time Control 40/2  
SITE: HUB (Student Union Building)  
University of Washington, Seattle  
ENTRY FEE: \$5.00, U of W students and  
18 and under \$4.00. USCF membership  
plus WCF or OCF or BCCF memberships  
required.  
REGISTRATION: 9-9:45 am Sat.  
SCHEDULE: 10 am and 2:30 pm both days  
PRIZES: 1st-35% 2nd-25% 3rd-10%  
Class prizes if 3 or more in class  
1st 'A' 10%, 1st 'B' 10%, 1st 'C' and  
Unrated 10%  
NOTE: Please bring chess clocks.  
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Robert Ruotsalainen  
For more information, write:  
University of Washington Chess Club  
HUB Box 81  
Seattle, Washington 98105

OREGON JUNIOR OPEN  
November 25-26

Type: 5 Rd Swiss 45/2  
Site: See November issue of Northwest Chess.  
Entry fee: Open to all players below 21 years of age.  
\$5.00 in advance; after 11/18, \$7.00.  
plus OCF and USCF required.  
Prizes: 1st - \$75 plus trophy  
2nd - \$50  
3rd - \$25  
1st under 1800 - \$25  
1st under 1600 - \$25  
plus trophies for 1st A, 1st B, 1st C, 1st D,  
1st Unrated, 1st under 16.  
Sponsored by the Oregon Chess Federation  
Registration: 8:00 to 9:00 a.m.  
Advance Entries or more information: Lewis L. Richardson  
1136-14th St.  
Astoria, Oregon  
325-7953

SITE: Park Haviland Hotel, SW Salmon & Park  
Portland, OR 97205  
HOTEL RATES: \$7,\$8,\$9 mention tournament  
EQUIPMENT: Bring Sets Boards & Clocks none supplied  
PAIRINGS & PRIZES: Northwest Ratings for both  
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Russell W. Miller  
ADVANCED ENTRIES: East-West Tournament Assoc.  
P.O. Box 1631  
Yakima, WA 98907

REGISTRATION: 8:00-9:00am 12/2 or in advance 1st Rd 9:30  
OPEN SECTION

TYPE: 5 rd Swiss System TIME CONTROL: 45/2  
ENTRY FEE: \$10.00, under 18 \$8.00 if mailed by 11/24  
BOTH \$5.00 more if paid at tournament  
USCF membership plus OCF,WCF or BCCF  
membership are required

PRIZES: (based on approx 65 entries)  
1st over all- \$75.00; 1st 2200 & over-\$50.00;  
2nd 2200 & over-\$25.00; 1st 2000-2199-\$50.00  
2nd 2000-2199- \$25.00; 1st 1900-1999-\$50.00;  
2nd 1900-1999- \$25.00; 1st 1800-1899-\$50.00  
2nd 1800-1899- \$25.00; 1st 1700-1799-\$50.00  
2nd 1700-1799- \$25.00; 1st 1600-1699-\$50.00  
2nd 1600-1699- \$25.00; 1st 1599&und.-\$50.00  
2nd 1599&und.- \$25.00

RESERVE SECTION

TYPE: 6 Rd Swiss Rating 1499 & Under Time: 40/1  
ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 under 18 \$4.00 if mailed by 11/24  
\$3.00 more if paid at tournament plus  
OCF or WCF or BCCF membership SPECIAL  
\$2.00 Entry fee for those joining OCF  
or WCF or BCCF for first time

PRIZES: (based on approx 50 entries)  
1st over all-\$30.00; 1st 1400-1499- \$30.00  
2nd 1400-1499- \$15.00; 1st 1300-1399- \$30.00  
2nd 1300-1399- \$15.00; 1st 1299&Und.-\$30.00  
2nd 1299&und.-\$15.00

TACOMA OPEN

December 9-10, 1972

\$425 GUARANTEED PRIZE FUND!!

Site and Sponsor: Tacoma Chess Club  
719 South "I" Street  
Tacoma, Wn. 98405

Type: 6 round Swiss, Time Control: 50 moves in 2 hrs.

Entry Fee: \$8 if mailed by Dec. 1; \$10 at Registration.  
WCF or NW membership required

Registration: 8-9 A.M., December 9th

PRIZES

\$125.00 -- First Place  
75.00 -- First under 2000 (NWC ratings)  
50.00 -- First rating group 1800-1899  
50.00 -- First rating group 1700-1799  
25.00 -- First rating group 1600-1699  
25.00 -- First rating group 1500-1599  
25.00 -- First rating group 1400-1499  
25.00 -- First under 1400  
25.00 -- First Unrated

Equipment: Please bring boards, sets, and clocks.

Mail advance entries to the Tournament Director:

Bruce Beardsley  
915 South 8th St.  
Tacoma, Wa. 98405

Most tournament organizers no longer provide equipment. Unless the announcement states that it is provided, bring your own sets, boards, and clocks to assure you will have equipment to play on.

LEAVE THE DOOR OPEN

December 16

4 round swiss

Site: Seattle Chess Club, 617 S. Jackson St.,  
Seattle, Wa. 98104; phone: MA3-9899  
Registration: 8:00 to 9:00 AM December 16  
Entry Fee: \$5 + Northwest Membership, \$2 less  
to full paid members of the Seattle  
Chess Club.  
Prizes: 1st-35% 2nd-15% 3rd-10%  
1st 1700's,1600's,1500's,1400's, and  
1300's and below - 8% each

SAANICH FALL OPEN - NOVEMBER 11 & 12

TYPE: 5 ROUND SWISS

\*\*Championship Qualifying Event\*\*

SITE: Gordon Head Community Center  
1744 Feltham, Saanich.

ENTRY FEES: Adults & Juniors over 15  
\$5.00  
Juniors 14 & under: \$1.00  
TWO SECTION EVENT.  
BCCF or Northwest State  
Membership required.

TIME CONTROL: 40 moves in 1 1/2 hrs  
then 30 in 1 hr there  
after for all 5 games.

PRIZES: 1st - Trophy - 20% - Qualifying.  
2nd - 15%  
3rd - 10%  
4th - 10%

1st A - Trophy - 10%(1800-1999)

2nd A - 5%

1st B - Trophy - 10%(1600-1799)

2nd B - 5%

1st C - Trophy - 5% (1599 & under)

1st UNRATED - Trophy - 5%

1st LADY - Trophy - 5%

1st 14&under - Trophy

2nd - Trophy

3rd - Magazine subscription.

NWC Subscriptions with each prize.

1st C - Trophy (rated 1400 - 1599)

1st D - Trophy (rated 1399 & under)

1st Girl - Trophy

1st Unrated - Trophy

Bring sets boards and CLOCKS please....

REGISTRATION: At the site 8 am to 9 am  
Saturday Nov 11th.

Three rounds Saturday, two rounds Sunday  
with first Sunday round starting at 12:45pm.  
Last round at 5 pm (last ferry leaves for  
mainland at 10 pm\*\*) Food and drink avail  
able at the site.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Larry KIRSTEIN  
3042 Orillia St.,  
Victoria.

Advance entries accepted, Thankyou.

9th HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN  
December 30-31

Details same as 3rd House of Chess Open

TOURNAMENT PLAYERS:

Your advance registration for a tournament helps the director and saves you some money. With the larger tournaments now being held, the director can have first round pairings ready to go on time much more easily if you will register in advance.



Seattle Seafair July 29 - 30 1972

1. Peter Biyiasa	W54	W28	D22	W20	W4	4	1
2. John Walker	W37	W57	W15	W12	D3	4	1
3. Jon Berry	W52	W62	W17	W14	D2	4	1
4. James McCormick	W67	W34	W23	W6	L1	4	1
5. Fred Nedell	W49	D11	W35	W10	D12	4	1
6. Pat Hickey	W37	W58	W30	L4	W24	4	1
7. Jack Love	W31	L10	W49	W53	W32	4	1
8. Don Turner	L45	W55	W52	W22	W23	4	1
9. Tim Kauppilla	LF	W25	W62	W38	W25	4	1
10. Randy Dean	W21	W7	W17	L5	D16	3	1
11. Randy Preskitt	W78	D5	D16	W29	W14	3	1
12. Ken Grover	W71	W39	W24	L2	D5	3	1
13. John Garrott	W19	W25	L10	W46	D22	3	1
14. Walter Gentala	W46	W75	W47	L3	D11	3	1
15. Ben Thurston	W60	W59	L2	W51	D19	3	1
16. Phil Irwin	D50	W77	D11	W45	D10	3	1
17. Leo Wesley	W66	W48	L3	D18	W40	3	1
18. Geo. Dela Fuente	L22	W74	W39	D17	W35	3	1
19. Mike Koza	L13	W61	W58	W47	D15	3	1
20. Marvin Hayami	W68	D35	W65	L1	W37	3	1
21. Dave Calkins	L10	W72	D36	W69	W48	3	1
22. R. Routsalainen	W18	W26	D1	L8	D13	3	2
23. Bruce Bailey	W56	W38	L4	W31	L8	3	2
24. Wayne Hatcher	W55	W21	L12	W44	L6	3	2
25. Duane Polich	W33	L13	W31	W36	L9	3	2
26. Michael Kusnio	W29	L22	W50	L32	W55	3	2
27. Arnold Chin	L6	W76	W28	L23	W47	3	2
28. Bob Leu	W40	L1	L27	W56	W46	3	2
29. James Sparks	L26	W42	W48	L11	W45	3	2
30. Gary Turner	W74	W36	L6	L35	W53	3	2
31. Walter Nelson	L7	W71	L25	W54	W51	3	2
32. Robert Strohm	D77	D50	W54	W26	L7	3	2
33. Johnie Walker	L25	W56	W63	L49	W52	3	2
34. Leo Stefvrak	W64	L4	L46	W66	W49	3	2
35. Lowell Wickman	W51	D20	L5	W30	L18	2	2
36. Gary Beers	W42	L30	D21	L25	W64	2	2
37. Richard Okrent	L2	D40	W60	W57	L20	2	2
38. Steve Dean	W61	L23	W68	L9	D43	2	2
39. Gordon Gray	W72	L12	L18	W77	D42	2	2
40. Tom McGinty	L28	D37	W67	W64	L17	2	2
41. Ron Norman	L43	L53	W72	W68	D44	2	2
42. Ken Foltz	L36	L29	W73	W63	D39	2	2
43. William Petty	W41	L47	L51	W62	D38	2	2
44. James Garvin	L65	W69	W75	L24	D41	2	2
45. Steve Campau	W8	L24	W57	L16	L29	2	3
46. Don Christensen	L14	W73	W34	L13	L28	2	3
47. Borek Groschl	W68	W43	L14	L19	L27	2	3
48. Martin Van Parys	W63	L17	L29	W59	L21	2	3
49. Barrett Corrigan	L5	W78	L7	W33	L34	2	3
50. Bill Maoskasy	D16	D32	L26	L41	W71	2	3
51. Roy Sneath	L35	W68	W43	L15	L31	2	3
52. Dave Dawson	L3	Bye	L8	W76	L33	2	3
53. Ezio Manzini	L47	W41	W59	L8	L30	2	3
54. Robert McCurdy	L1	W70	L32	L31	W69	2	3
55. David Lester	L24	L8	W70	W75	L26	2	3
56. Randall Greenup	L23	L33	W78	L28	W76	2	3
57. Doug Dean	W70	L2	L45	L37	W66	2	3
58. Barry Neuhaus	W73	L6	L19	L68	W70	2	3
59. Gary McGreal	W69	L15	L53	L48	W73	2	3
60. Roger Garvin	L15	D65	L37	D67	W68	2	3
61. Edward Walsh	L38	L19	L69	W74	W67	2	3
62. Jim Pearson	Bye	L3	L9	L43	D63	1	3
63. Mike Zelensky	L48	WF	L33	L42	D62	1	3
64. Keith Miller	L34	D67	W77	L44	L36	1	3
65. Mike Spiegel	W44	D60	L20	F	F	1	3
66. Bill Lamar	L17	L9	W74	L34	L57	1	4
67. Steven Harrison	L4	D64	L40	D60	L61	1	4
68. Mark McGee	L20	L51	L38	W58	L60	1	4
69. Tim Streater	L59	L44	W61	L21	L54	1	4
70. Bill McGeary	L57	L54	L55	BYE	L58	1	4
71. Carl Bess	L12	L31	L76	W72	L50	1	4
72. Pat O'Donnel	L39	L21	L41	L71	W78	1	4
73. Mark Pfister	L58	L46	L42	W78	L59	1	4
74. Dave Rodstol	L30	L18	L25	L61	W77	1	4
75. Ben Carter	W76	L14	L44	L55	LF	1	4
76. Luther Paulson	L75	L27	W71	L52	L56	1	4
77. Gil Sautler	D32	L16	L64	L39	L74	1	4
78. Al Rajala	L11	L49	L56	L73	L72	0	5

Puget Sound Open April 29 - 30 1972

1. Robert Zuk	W10	W7	W5	D2	W4	4	1
2. Reter Biyiasas	W15	W12	W3	D1	W5	4	1
3. Jon Berry	W9	W6	L2	D10	W7	3	1
4. Joe Eggerston	W8	D17	W13	W11	L1	3	1
5. Fred Nedell	W11	W19	L1	W12	L2	3	2
6. Tom Rowan	W16	L3	W9	L7	W10	3	2
7. Patrick Hensen	W18	L1	W17	W6	L3	3	2
8. Walter Gentala	L4	W20	L10	W13	W12	3	2
9. Mike Emerson	L3	W18	L6	W17	W15	3	2
10. Michael Sohemm	L1	W14	W8	D3	L6	2	2
11. John Garrott	L5	D13	W19	L4	W14	2	2
12. David Shapero	W14	L2	W16	L5	L8	2	3
13. Pedro Garcia Pelayo	D19	D11	L4	L8	D16	1	3
14. Michael Spiegel	L12	L10	W15	D16	L11	1	3
15. Gary Beers	L2	D16	L14	W18	L9	1	3
16. Martin Van Parys	L6	D15	L12	D14	D13	1	3
17. Hal Wright	D20	D4	L7	L9	F	1	4
18. Eric Pearson	L7	L9	BYE	L15	F	1	4
19. Eero Jassaka	D13	L5	L11	F	F	1	4
20. Dave Williams	D17	L8	F	F	F	1	4

Puget Sound Closed

1. Borek Groschl	W7	W9	W2	W11	D4	W6	5	1
2. Sam McKibbin	W22	W12	L1	W14	W8	W4	5	1
3. Don Christensen	L4	W23	W26	W24	W5	W12	5	1
4. Leo Stefurak	W3	W18	D6	W9	D1	L2	4	1
5. Alan Dayton	W24	D8	D10	W21	L3	W11	4	1
6. Richard Okrent	W26	W21	D4	D8	W10	L1	4	1
7. Martin Lewitt	L1	W19	L24	W17	W22	W13	4	2
8. Wayne Rice	W27	D5	W28	D6	L2	W10	4	2
9. S. Christopher	W19	L1	W15	L4	D11	W17	3	2
10. Walt Nelson	W17	D11	D5	W13	L6	L8	3	3
11. Dave Delp	W20	D10	W14	L1	D9	L5	3	3
12. Roger Hanson	W13	L2	L21	W25	W23	L3	3	3
13. Duane Polich	L12	W22	W18	L10	W21	L7	3	3
14. Cliff Ellis	W15	W28	L11	L2	L17	W22	3	3
15. Fred Whalen	L14	W16	L9	L23	W19	W18	3	3
16. Steve Ellis	L28	L15	L22	W27	W25	W21	3	3
17. Bob McCurdy	L10	D20	W25	L7	W14	L9	2	3
18. Grant Dona	W23	L4	L13	D19	W26	L15	2	3
19. Scott Emerson	L9	L7	W20	D18	L15	W23	2	3
20. Steven Harrison	L11	D17	L19	L26	W27	L25	1	4
21. Neil Okrent	W25	L6	W12	L5	L13	L16	2	4
22. Myron Gemmer	L2	L13	W16	Bye	L7	L13	2	4
23. Terje Torjussen	L18	L3	W27	W25	L12	L19	2	4
24. Robert Strohm	L5	W27	W7	L3	F	F	2	4
25. John Chance	L21	D26	L17	L12	L16	W20	1	4
26. Mark Pfister	L6	D25	L3	W20	L18	L27	1	4
27. Dirk Singletery	L8	L24	L23	L16	L20	W26	1	5
28. David Williams	W16	L14	L8	F	F	F	1	5

SEATTLE OPEN May 12 13 14 1972

1. Walter Gentala	W19	W3	D14	W15	W7	4	1
2. Bruce Beardsley	W18	W17	L8	W14	D5	3	1
3. Leo Stefurak	W12	L1	W19	D5	W10	3	1
4. John Garrott	W13	L14	W6	L10	D3	3	2
5. Fred Pearson	W9	L7	W10	D3	D2	3	2
6. Ron Norman	L17	W5	D15	D8	L1	3	2
7. Vladimir Patnutieff	W16	W5	D15	D8	L1	3	2
8. Richard Pomfret	W20	D10	W2	D7	F	3	2
9. Steve Chase	L5	D18	W12	W11	L6	2	2
10. Gary Beers	W22	D8	L5	W4	L3	2	2
11. Bob McCurdy	L14	D21	W17	L9	W20	2	2
12. James Garvin	L3	W22	L9	W17	D15	2	2
13. Daniel Carter	L4	D19	W21	L6	W18	2	2
14. Paul Eggers	W11	W4	D1	L2	F	2	2
15. Frank Forgassey	W21	LF	D7	L1	D12	2	3
16. Stephen Miller	L7	LF	W18	W20	L4	2	3
17. Steven Harrison	W6	L2	L11	L12	W21	2	3
18. Randall Greenup	L2	D9	L16	W21	L13	1	3
19. Chris Eggers	L1	D13	L3	W22	F	1	3
20. Ken Scott	L8	L6	W22	L16	L11	1	4
21. R. J. Carr	L15	D11	L13	L6	L18	1	4
22. Jim Pearson	L10	L12	L20	L19	F	0	5

# BRITISH COLUMBIA

## SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING, NANAIMO, SEPT. 9th.

The meeting was called to order at 11:20 AM and present were: F. SCHULZ, D. LONGLEY, R. KERR, D. WIGHT, B. HARPER, D. SCOONES, A. HILL, J. BERRY, J. MCNEE.

Representing WCF interests was W. SKUBI.

Proxies present were L. KIRSTEIN & A. WOOD held by F. SCHULZ and H. BROWN held by J. BERRY.

Minutes taken by LONGLEY in absence of the Secretary and letter from A. WOOD of Kelowna read by LONGLEY referring to the Interiors proposed system of selecting the BC Champion.

The agenda was read by the President with the following results in voting on each of 13 motions and amendments attached:

1. To make the BCCF membership requirements for 72/73 - Adult 2.50, Junior 1.00, Senior 1.00, and magazine subscriptions optional to all members.....WITHDRAWN.

2. To make the BCCF membership requirements for 72/73 as follows:  
Adult: \$6.00 BCCF and includes subscription for one year to NORTHWEST CHESS.  
Junior: 1.00 BCCF (18yrs and under) and does not include subscription but is optional at an additional \$3.00.  
Senior: 1.00 BCCF (65yrs and over) and does not include subscription but is optional at an additional 4.00.

C.F.C. memberships are optional at \$5 Adult and \$3 Junior.

AMENDMENT: The \$6.00 membership fee to include subscription to NORTHWEST CHESS, but that the NORTHWEST CHESS portion be held in treasury and not paid out to NWC until NWC agrees that the B.C. subscription rate to NWC is \$6.00 and to include BCCF membership.

AMENDMENT: All W.B.C.C. Members may subscribe for \$4.00 to NORTHWEST CHESS and if a WBCC member wishes to join the BCCF under those conditions for an additional \$2.00 may do so.

Motion and two amendments passed.

A further amendment that a member of the WBCC can join the BCCF for \$5.00 was defeated.

3. The official ratings of the BCCF for 72/73 will be NORTHWEST RATINGS as published in NORTHWEST CHESS, for use in pairings in BCCF events.

Motion - passed.

4. The BCCF shall support in rental of facilities to conduct Tournaments to the following amounts:

A) Half the cost of rental for a Tournament being a Qualifying Event up to \$35 if the total cost is \$70 or more and  $\frac{1}{2}$  the cost paid if less than \$70.

B) Half the cost of rental for all non-qualifying events up to \$20 if the total cost is \$40 or more and  $\frac{1}{2}$  the cost shall be paid if less than \$40.

Rental receipts shall be forwarded as endorsed by the Facility management and the TD direct to the Treasurer for payment of the Federation portion.

Motion - part A - defeated, part B - passed with following amendment:

That all qualifying events and a maximum of 6 non-qualifying events at discretion of TD's will be covered under part B.

Amendment - passed.

5. The BCCF assist rental of facilities to amount of \$50 per event - WITHDRAWN.

6. The federation will assist the director of a BCCF recognized event by paying him \$10 per day on the event for his services and confidence in him.

AMENDMENT: The payment for the services of the TD will come from the prize fund.  
Motion and amendment - passed.

7. The federation will back an event held after meeting the requirements should the turnout be poor and a loss incurred due to low entry fees and high rent. This would require payment of rent in full so the small amount in the prize fund could pay for prizes.

Motion - defeated.

8. That the Special General Meeting ratify the decisions of the Tournament Committee of 5 AUGUST 72.

AMENDMENT: That the method of selecting the BC Champion as set out by the tournament committee be scrapped.

AMENDMENT: The BC Champion will be selected by the playoff method as set out by A. WOOD in his para 4 with the first round to be held Easter Weekend and the finals to be held on the weekend of May 24th at BCCF sponsored tournaments. The pairings will be made in order of NORTHWEST RATINGS and the oldest rating not more than 6 months old.  
Motion - defeated, Amendments - passed.

9. One guaranteed prize fund Tournament shall be sponsored by the Federation during this term, the amount to be fixed by the Tournament committee as well as the site. This event may be a Qualifying Event if desired and shall be titled the "BC OPEN". Details of the event shall be worked out by the TD for publication.  
Motion - passed.

10. That it shall not be the policy of the Federation to provide funds to anybody except the BC Champion for attending Canadian Championship and Tournament organizers. That monies so provided should be repaid in kind and should not be considered an outright gift by the recipient.  
Motion - defeated.

11. The BCCF assist the Qualifying players to the Canadian Junior Championships by paying the cost of their plane fare. The event held in London Ont the latter part of December 72.

AMENDMENT: The two players will receive a minimum of \$150 providing the BCCF does not lose a substantial amount of money on the BC OPEN. If the Open is judged as a success the amount is to be increased.  
Motion and amendment - passed.

12. That the Central Interior, Northern and Kootenay areas as well as Vancouver Island each be allowed to host a Qualifying event for the BC Championships and guaranteed an entry from their area from these events. The remainder of the events to be held in the lower mainland with the remaining entries from that area. This motion submitted in the event the decisions of the Tournament committee are NOT accepted.  
Motion - passed.

13. Should the decisions of the Tournament Committee be ratified the Federation allow a change in the Order of Play for the BC Championship, to wit: Numbers 1 and 2 are unchanged, number 3 changed as follows: Motion - defeated.

A letter of resignation from L. KIRSTEIN from the Tournament Committee read by F. SCHULZ. Ray KERR temporarily offered to fill this post.

Meeting adjourned at 3:40 PM.

There was lots of action after the tabling of the membership motions due to the introduction of the new Association in the lower mainland called the WBCC. Its unknown at this time what it stands for but understand from one of its founders Mike POTOMA its to promote amateur Chess in BC. It appears from the amendment to withhold funds from the WCF until an agreement is reached is to insure that persons from BC who wish to subscribe must do so via \$6. Have to wait and see! Its hard to agree to the promotion of Chess for the good of all without feeling your toes are being stepped on. Hopefully we can all work together. Sounds like a labour dispute!!!

The adopted system to reach a BC Champion this year will be as per A. WOOD as follows: 16 players.

8 players seated by their NORTHWEST RATING. 8 players selected by 8 qualifying events these to be the North - 1, Central - 1, Kootenay - 1, Vancouver Isl North - 1, Vancouver Isl South - 1, 3 Lower Mainland.

((At this point note that the BC Open set for OCT 7-8-9 will be reduced to ONE qualifying position leaving room for two other events for the lower mainland.))\*\*\*\*\*

Once the 16 players have been determined and lined up from highest rated to lowest rated they are placed in four groups of four players: 1-5-9-13 // 2-6-10-14 // 3-7-11-15 // 4-8-12-16

These groups shall play a double round robin within themselves with a winner of each group determined. The four winners will then play a final double round robin on May 24th for the Championship. The first double round robin being played at Easter.

Sounds good Alex! Now you have to win with it.

Motion #4 for assistance to rental of sites found lots of discussion as the Treasurer, Dennis LONGLEY gave a report on the finances. It was noted by him that after making \$145,50 profit from the sale of the raffle last year the BCCF ended up with only an increase of \$150 approximately on last years business. He felt that the passing of #4 would ruin the BCCF treasury and therefore an amendment was made to limit the funds used.

Up and coming events decided on will be:

BC OPEN - Oct 7-8-9 Qualifying  
 Port Alberni - Oct 21-22  
 UBC - Oct 28-29 Qualifying  
 Kelowna - Nov 4-5 Qualifying  
 Victoria- Nov 11-12 Qualifying  
 UBC - Nov 25-26

All these events appear to be definite. Watch for details. Get your Tournament dates in very soon for Qualifying Events.

The attendance at the Victoria Labour Day Open surpassed all previous records for Vancouver Island. A total of eighty-four players converged on the Silver Threads Centre in Centennial Square, a beautiful site which was obtained rent-free (special thanks to Mr. Walter Battye). When the dust had settled on Monday evening, it was discovered that Peter Biyiasas, the current Champion of both Canada and British Columbia, had won, with a fine score of 6½-1½. A full point back was Jonathan Berry with 5½-2½, while Gerry Lassen (who held Biyiasas to a draw in the last round), Peter Danenhower, Duncan Haines, Brian McLaren, Nigel Fullbrook and Ken Morton scored 5 points. In the Senior section, Arved Talaw's registered a 7-0 blitz to take first, while T. J. Stewart managed 5-2 for second. In the Junior section, Jeffrey Reeve edged out Glenn Morin of Burnaby on tiebreak. Both scored 6-1. Robert Schofield was third with 5½-1½. First A was Duncan Haines; first B was Gerry Forbes of Port Alberni; first C was Russ Evans, and Greg Boorman took home the unrated prize.

An unfortunate incident occurred in rnd. 4. Bruce Harper, thinking that the time control was 40 moves in 2 hrs. instead of 45, saw his flag fall in a won position against Roland Eagles.

The fair sex was well represented. Jaclene Schofield won the trophy for first lady by defeating Lynn Stringer. Her daughter Michelle, meanwhile, along with Lillian DePaoli, was striking terror into the hearts of many. Both Michelle and Lillian were tied for fourth with 5-2. It is hoped that this pleasant trend will continue.

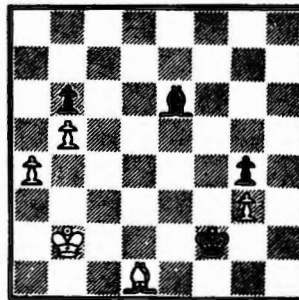
The A section was short one clock for each round, and so everyone had to play a rather interesting game called "musical clocks". Perhaps this is a good time to remind everyone to buy a clock for their next event to ensure fair conditions. They are only \$14.50, but are so useful.

See you all at next year's event!

Daniel Scoones  
 Tournament Director

Do YOU See It?

STOP!!! Cover everything below the diagram right NOW if you want to derive maximum pleasure (and instruction) from the following endgame. It is from the game Voloshin-Tarasov, USSR 1968. White to play and win:



Obviously White has no time to dawdle; he must create a passed pawn. So...

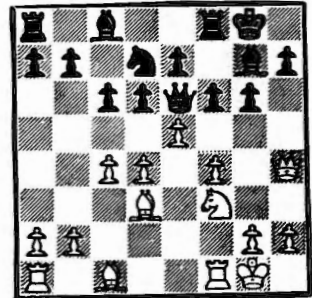
1. P-R5! PXP  
 Now if 2. P-N6 B-Q4 draws. Therefore:  
 2. BxP!! B-Q4

If 2...BxB 3. P-N6 B-B6 4. P-N4 wins.  
 If 2...B-B5 3. P-N6 B-R3 4. B-K2! and again the Black king is a helpless spectator to the release of White's KNP.

3. B-K6! B-N2  
 4. P-N4 . . .  
 Black resigns; he cannot stop both pawns.

Name	City	Rating	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
1. Peter BIYIASAS	Vancr	2423	W27	W7	W24	W3	W12	W2	D4	6 1/2
2. Jon BERRY	Vancr	2356	W16	D9	W26	W12	W13	L1	W3	5 1/2
3. Peter DANENHOWER	Burna	2016	W56	W29	W10	L1	W14	W9	L2	5
4. Gerry LASSEN	Vict	2017	W21	D15	W25	D14	W20	D6	D1	5
5. Duncan HAINES	Vict	1963	W36	L10	W21	W11	D26	D12	W16	5
6. Nigel FULLBROOK	Vancr	1993	W40	W30	L12	W16	W29	D4	D10	5
7. Brian McLAREN	Nan	1978	W34	L1	W30	L18	W21	W20	W15	5
8. Ken MORTON	Vancr	1940	W32	L24	L28	W35	W22	W18	W13	5
9. Earl JEWITT	Vict	1972	W22	D2	D11	W28	W18	L3	D12	4 1/2
10. Bruce HARPER	Vancr	2308	W23	W5	L3	L20	W17	W14	D6	4 1/2
11. Richard PONFRET	Burna	2053	L25	W34	D9	L5	W27	W30	W24	4 1/2
12. Ray KERR	Vict	2247	W31	W20	W6	L2	L1	D5	D9	4
13. Brian WILLIAMS	Vancr	2088	W18	D26	D14	W15	L2	W29	L8	4
14. Harry MOORE	Vict	1892	W35	W17	D13	D4	L3	L10	W25	4
15. Darrel HUNT	Vict	1885	W37	D4	D17	L13	W28	W26	L7	4
16. Roy MOLNAR	Burna	1814	L2	W22	W38	L6	W37	W24	L5	4
17. Chris JONES	Nan	2020	W41	L14	D15	W27	L10	D25	W31	4
18. Gerry FORBES	Pt ALB	1679	L13	W39	W33	W7	L9	L8	W26	4
19. Richard JEANPIERRE	Vic	1620	L24	W32	L20	W38	L25	W36	W29	4
20. Roland EAGLES	Vancr	1876	W28	L12	W19	W10	L4	L7	D21	4
21. Russ EVANS	Ladysm	1530	L4	W37	L5	W33	L7	W32	D20	3 1/2
22. Greg BOORMAN	Vict	UNR	L9	L16	W31	W30	L8	D23	W36	3 1/2
23. Tracy COOPER	Vict	1739	L10	W36	L27	W32	L24	D22	W33	3 1/2
24. Hee SEID	Vancr	2045	W19	W8	L1	L29	W23	L16	L11	3
25. Robert McCOY	Vict	1658	W11	D27	L4	L26	W19	D17	L14	3
26. Phil MORTIMER	Vict	1945	W39	D13	L2	W25	D5	L15	L18	3
27. John CLARKE	Vict	1820	L1	D25	W23	L17	L11	W40	D28	3
28. Dr. C. HODGKINSON	Vict	UNR	L20	W31	W8	L9	L15	D33	D27	3
29. William VAN CAMP	Vancr	1872	W38	L3	W35	W24	L6	L13	L19	3
30. Joseph MACH	Vancr	1752	W33	L6	L7	L22	W39	L11	W35	3
31. David CAVETT	Vict	1704	L12	L28	L22	W36	W35	W37	L17	3
32. Milos HAJSKY	Vancr	UNR	L8	L19	W40	L23	W41	L21	W37	3
33. Robert SCHOFIELD	Sr Vic	UNR	L30	W46	L18	L21	W40	D28	L23	2 1/2
34. Brian ALGUIRE	Vict	UNR	L7	L11	L37	L40	L42	W47	W45	2
35. Dave MOAR	Vict	UNR	L14	W41	L29	L8	L31	W44	L30	2
36. Peter FISCHER	Vict	UNR	L5	L23	W41	L31	W38	L19	L22	2
37. Richard MOORE	Vancr	UNR	L15	L21	W34	W47	L16	L31	L32	2
38. Jaclene SCHOFIELD	Vict	UNR	L29	W40	L16	L19	L36	L43	W41	2
39. Wally JOHNSTON	Dunc	UNR	L26	L18	LF	W41	L30	LF	LF	1
40. Gordon CAMPBELL	Vict	1239	L6	L38	L32	W34	L33	L27	L42	1
41. Lynn STRINGER	Vict	1540	L17	L35	L36	L39	L32	L45	L38	0

1. P-K4	P-Q3
2. P-Q4	N-KB3
3. N-QB3	P-KN3
4. P-B4	B-N2
5. N-B3	O-O
6. B-Q3	P-B3
7. O-O	N/1-Q2
8. Q-K1	Q-R4
9. P-K5	N-Q4
10. NxN	QxN
11. P-B4	Q-K3
12. Q-R4	P-B3



13. P-B5	PxBP
14. P-Q5	PxP
15. PxP	Q-B2
16. BxP	QxP
17. QxP+	1-O

BERRY - MORTIMER

LABOUR DAY OPEN

1. P-K4	P-K4
2. N-KB3	N-QB3
3. B-N5	P-QR3
4. B-R4	N-B3
5. O-O	P-Q3
6. BxN ch	PxB
7. P-Q4	NxP
8. PxP	P-Q4
9. QN-Q2	N-B4
10. N-N3	B-K2
11. N-R5	Q-Q2
12. N-Q4	B-N2
13. P-QN4	N-K3
14. NxB	R-QN1
15. NxN	PxN
16. N-B5	BxN
17. PxB	Q-K2
18. Q-Q4	R-N4
19. B-K3	O-O
20. QR-N1	KR-N1
21. R-N3	P-QR4
22. KR-N1	Resigns

BIYIASAS - LASSEN

LABOUR DAY OPEN

1. P-K4	P-QB4
2. N-KB3	P-Q3
3. N-QB3	N-KB3
4. P-Q4	PxP
5. NxP	P-QR3
6. B-K3	N-QB3
7. B-QB4	P-K3
8. B-N3	B-K2
9. P-KB4	O-O
10. Q-B3	N-QR4
11. O-O-O	NxB
12. NxN	Q-B2
13. P-N4	P-QN4
14. P-N5	N-K1
15. KR-N1	B-N2
16. P-B5	PxP
17. QxP	R-QB1
18. N-Q4	P-KN3
19. Q-B2	N-N2
20. N-Q5	BxN
21. PxB	P-KB3

SENIOR SECTION:

42 Arved TALVAS	Vict	UNR	W47	W43	W44	W45	W34	WF	W40	7
43 Raymond RIGBY	Vict	UNR	Bye	L42	W45	L44	W47	W38	W46	5
44 T.J. STEWART	Vict	UNR	W48	W45	L42	W43	W46	L35	W47	5
45 R.H. HANDFORD	Vict	UNR	W46	L44	L43	L42	W83	W41	L34	3
46 Sidney STEVENSON	Vict	1047	L45	L33	L47	W48	L44	W79	L43	2
47 Gladys MACPHERSON	Vict	1153	L42	D48	W46	L37	L43	L34	L44	1 1/2
48 Irene ABELS	Vict	UNR	L44	D47	LF	L46	LF	LF	LF	1/2

JUNIOR SECTION:

49 Jeffrey REEVE	Vict	UNR	W73	W60	W66	W61	W55	L50	W53	6
50 Glen MORIN	Burna	1383	W84	L62	W78	W69	W51	W49	W54	6
51 Robert SCHOFIELD	Vict	1910	D58	W75	W52	W56	L50	W68	W59	5 1/2
52 Andy PRUIM	Vict	1442	L55	W58	L51	W78	W69	W65	W64	5
53 Lillian DEPAOLI	Vict	1240	L54	W79	W81	W57	W63	W61	L49	5
54 Michelle SCHOFIELD	Vic	UNR	W53	W57	L61	W60	W65	W55	L50	5
55 Leonard MOLDEN	Vict	UNR	W52	W59	W65	W63	L49	L54	W58	5
56 Barry HUYBENS	Vict	1393	L3	W84	W71	L51	D57	W66	W61	4 1/2
57 Glenn DAVIDSON	Vict	UNR	W74	L54	W67	L53	D56	W75	W68	4 1/2
58 Donald NGAI	Vict	1339	D51	L52	W76	W75	D64	W62	L55	4
59 Joe McALLISTER	Vict	1282	W78	L55	L64	W74	W71	W63	L51	4
60 Mitchell IMPEY	Vict	1118	W79	L60	WF	L54	W67	L64	W71	4
61 Aaron DOYLE	Vict	UNR	W67	W81	W54	L49	W66	L53	L56	4
62 Jim McTAVISH	Vict	UNR	W75	W50	L63	L65	W73	L58	W70	4
63 Clive SAUNDERS	Vict	UNR	W70	W76	W62	L55	L53	L59	W69	4
64 Robin SCHOFIELD	Vict	UNR	L65	W68	W59	D66	D58	W60	L52	4
65 Tom CHANG	Vict	1190	W64	W77	L55	W62	L54	L52	D67	3 1/2
66 Stuart BLASNER	Vict	UNR	W80	W71	L49	D64	L61	L56	W75	3 1/2
67 Mark ZASITKO	Vict	UNR	L61	W70	L57	W76	L60	W77	D65	3 1/2
68 Jonathan IVES	Vict	1308	L71	L64	W80	W81	W77	L51	L57	3
69 Richard COVERDALE	Vict	UNR	L81	W80	W72	L50	L52	W74	L63	3
70 Graeme LITTLER	Vict	UNR	L63	L67	L75	W80	W82	W72	L62	3
71 Angus SHAW	Vict	UNR	W68	L66	L56	W83	L59	W73	L60	3
72 Chris TAYLOR	Vict	UNR	LF	W82	L69	L77	W78	L70	W80	3
73 Mark STRINGER	Vict	1322	L49	L78	WF	W79	L62	L71	D74	2 1/2
74 Morris YOBELL	Vict	UNR	L57	W83	LF	L59	W76	L69	D73	2 1/2
75 Gail STRINGER	Vict	1580	L62	L51	W70	L58	W81	L57	L66	2



76	Darren GRAY	Vict	UNR	W82	L63	L58	L67	L74	L81	W83	2
77	Mike PRANGLEY	Dunc	UNR	W83	L65	LF	W72	L68	LF	LF	2
78	Barbara SCHOFIELD	Vict	UNR	L59	W73	L50	L52	L72	L80	W81	2
79	Adrian SUTHERLAND	Vict	UNR	L60	L53	W83	L73	L46	WF	LF	2
80	Sean SUTHERLAND	Vict	UNR	L66	L69	L68	L70	W83	W78	L72	2
81	Greg WESTON	Vict	UNR	W69	L61	L53	L68	L75	W76	L78	2
82	Ian JOHNSTON	Dunc	UNR	L76	L72	LF	WF	LF	LF	LF	1
83	Blair LITTLER	Vict	UNR	L77	L74	L79	L71	L80	L45	L76	0
84	Larry OSTENSOE	Vict	UNR	L50	L56	LF	LF	LF	LF	LF	0

P. Biiyasas - P. Danenhower

1. P-K4 P-K4
2. N-KB3 N-QB3
3. B-N5 P-QR3
4. B-R4 N-B3
5. O-O B-K2
6. R-K1 P-QN4
7. B-N3 P-Q3
8. P-B3 O-O
9. P-KR3 P-KR3
10. P-Q4 R-K1
11. QN-Q2 B-B1
12. P-QR4 B-Q2
13. Q-K2 N-R4
14. B-B2 P-B4
15. P-Q5 P-B5
16. N-B1 Q-B2
17. P-KN4 N-N2
18. N-N3 P-N3
19. K-R2 N-B4
20. R-KN1 B-N2
21. B-K3 PxP
22. BxN QxB
23. BxP KR-N1
24. BxB NxB
25. R-R2 P-QR4
26. N-Q2 N-N3
27. N-B1 B-B3
28. N-K3 R-QB1
29. N-B3 P-R5
30. N-B2 N-Q2

GAMES FROM THE OPEN IN VICTORIA

BERRY - JEWITT

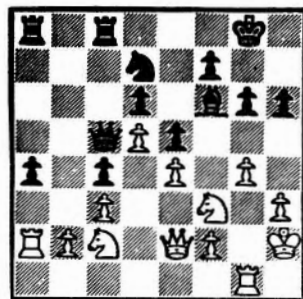
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  6. B-Q2 B-N2
  7. Q-B1 N-Q5
  8. KN-K2 O-O
  9. NxN PxN
  10. N-K2 Q-N3
  11. P-QR4 P-QR4
  12. R-QN1 B-Q2
  13. P-QN4 BxP
  14. PxP Q-B2
  15. NxP N-N5
  16. N-N3 KR-QB1
  17. P-QB4 BxN
  18. RxB RxP
  19. O-O R-R7
  20. B-R3 P-R4
  21. BxN PxP
  22. B-B3 R1-R1
  23. BxB KxB
  24. Q-B3 ch P-B3
  25. KR-N1 R1-R2
- Draw.

VAN CAMP - SEID

1. P-K4 P-KN3
  2. P-Q4 B-N2
  3. B-K3 P-QB4
  4. P-QB3 Q-N3
  5. N-QR3 QxNP
  6. N-N5 P-QR3
  7. R-N1 QxRP
  8. N-B7 ch K-Q1
  9. NxR Q-R4
  10. N-K2 P-B5
  11. P-KN3 N-KB3
  12. P-Q5 K-K1
  13. R-R1 QxR
  14. QxQ NxBP
  15. N-B7 ch K-B1
  16. B-N2 N-Q3
  17. B-R7 N-B3
  18. PxN QPxP
  19. O-O P-KR4
  20. B-Q4 P-K4
  21. B-B5 K-K2
  22. Q-R3 R-Q1
  23. BxN ch RxB
  24. R-Q1 Resigns
- Bad day Hee!

VAN CAMP - DANENHOWER

1. P-Q4 N-KB3
  2. P-QB4 P-B4
  3. P-Q5 P-Q3
  4. N-QB3 P-KN3
  5. P-K4 B-N2
  6. R-N1 O-O
  7. P-KB4 P-K3
  8. B-Q3 PxP
  9. KPxP R-K1 ch
  10. KN-K2 N-R4
  11. O-O B-N5
  12. Q-B2 N-Q2
  13. B-Q2 P-KB4
  14. B-K1 QN-B3
  15. N-N3 NxN
  16. BxN N-R4
  17. B-K1 RxB
  18. QRxR B-Q5 ch
  19. R-B2 NxP
  20. K-B1 BxR
  21. KxB Q-R5 ch
  22. K-B1 QxRP
  23. N-K2 QxNP
- MATE.



EAGLES - LASSEN

1. P-Q4 N-KB3
2. P-QB4 P-K3
3. N-QB4 B-N5
4. Q-B2 P-QN3
5. P-K4 B-N2
6. B-Q3 P-Q4
7. P-K5 PxP
8. PxN PxP
9. PxP R-N1
10. QxP RxP
11. N-KB3 Q-Q4
12. Q-B1 B-R3
13. Q-N1 Q-K5 ch
14. B-K3 Q-Q6
15. N-Q2 BxN
16. Q-B1 BxN ch
17. K-Q1 QxQ
18. RxB BxB
19. Resigns

31. N-N4 Q-N4
32. P-R4 N-B4
33. R-Q1 B-Q1
34. N-Q2 BxP
35. QxP Q-Q2
36. Q-K2 B-N4
37. N-B4 B-B5+
38. K-N2 Q-B2
39. N-B6 K-N2
40. R-QR1 R-B1
41. R-KN1 P-B4
42. NPxP PxP
43. K-B1+ K-R2
44. PxP RxP
45. P-N4 N-N2
46. Q-K4 Q-B2
47. N-R5 R-B1
48. NxN QxN
49. RxP Q-Q2
50. NxQP QxR
51. NxR Q-Q8+
52. K-N2 Q-N5+
53. N-N3+ K-R1
54. R-QR1 R-B2
55. R-R8+ K-N2
56. Q-K2 Q-N4
57. Q-R5 Q-B3
58. Q-N4+ Q-N4
59. QxQ+ BxQ
60. N-K4 B-B5
61. P-Q6 Resigns

BERRY - BIYIASAS

1. P-QB4 P-KN3
2. N-QB3 B-N2
3. P-KN3 P-QB4
4. B-N2 N-QB3
5. N-B3 P-K3
6. P-K3 KN-K2
7. P-Q4 PxP
8. NxP NxN
9. PxN Q-N3
10. P-Q5 PxP
11. PxP O-O
12. O-O P-Q3
13. R-K1 N-B4
14. Q-Q3 B-Q2
15. P-N3 Q-Q5
16. QxQ NxQ
17. R-K7 QR-Q1
18. B-N2 B-KB3
19. R-K4 B-B4
20. R-B4 P-KN4
21. N-K4 N-K7 ch
22. K-B1 BxB
23. RxB NxP ch
24. RPxN BxR
25. RxP ch K-R1
26. B-R3 KR-K1
27. B-B5 P-KR3
28. R-R5 B-N2
29. P-B4 K-N1
30. K-K2 R-K2
31. K-Q3 R-B2
32. R-R1 P-N4
33. K-Q2 P-N5
34. K-Q3 K-B1
35. R-K1 R-N1
36. P-N4 R-N4
37. Resigns

FULLBROOK - HARPER

1. P-K4 P-KN3
2. P-Q4 B-N2
3. P-KB4 P-Q4
4. P-K5 P-KR4
5. N-KB3 B-N5
6. P-KR3 BxN
7. QxB P-K3
8. B-K3 P-R5
9. N-Q2 N-KR3
10. O-O-O N-B4
11. B-Q3 NxB
12. QxN N-Q2
13. K-N1 Q-K2
14. P-B4 PxP
15. NxP N-N3
16. NxN RPxN
17. KR-K1 B-R3
18. P-Q5 PxP
19. Q-B3 O-O-O
20. P-B5 PxP
21. BxP ch K-N1
22. RxP RxR
23. QxR R-Q1
24. Q-N3 R-Q3
25. P-N4 PxP
26. QxP Q-N5
27. Q-N3 RxP ch
28. KxR QxR
29. QxP QxP ch
30. K-B2 B-N2
31. Q-K6 Q-B6 ch
32. K-Q1 Q-Q5 ch
33. K-K2 B-K4
34. Q-B7 P-B4
35. Q-K6 K-R2
36. Q-N3 B-B5
37. Q-Q3 Draw.

The Shortest Game!!

MORTIMER - FORBES

1. P-K4 P-K4
  2. N-KB3 N-KB3
  3. P-Q4 PxP
  4. P-K5 N-K5
  5. QxP P-Q4
  6. N-QB3? B-QB4
  7. QxP ?? BxPch
  8. Resigns
- What a disaster.



While attending the Labour Day Open in Victoria, Peter Biyiasas found himself besieged by new-found fans, who repeatedly asked what he frustratingly described as "stupid questions." In order to answer these questions, we here give thirty of the best.

1. "When did Suttles go to Yugoslavia?"
2. "Is Suttles a Grand Master yet?"
3. "Are you better than Suttles?"
4. "What board are you playing?"
5. "How long have you been playing?"
6. "Did you learn out of a book? Or did somebody teach you?"
7. "What opening do you play?"
8. "How long do you think it will be before you become a G. M.?"
9. "Do you know Divinsky?"
10. "Does he play good?"
11. "Is there something between Math and Chess?"
12. "What books should I get?"
13. "What do you think of Fischer and Spassky?"
14. "What do you think of Fischer?"
15. "What do you think of Spassky?"
16. "What do you think of Fischer showing up late?"
17. "Have you ever played Fischer?"
18. "What do you do besides chess?"
19. "What was your favourite subject at school?"
20. "Do you think it helps to play better players?"
21. "Do you think you'll be World's Champion?"
22. "What year are you in?"
23. "Are you going to win?"
24. "Boy, you're really running away with the tournament, aren't you?"
25. "What's first prize?"
26. "What do you think of moving your Bishops out early?"
27. "Are you Peter Biyiasas?"
28. "Is he Peter Biyiasas?"
29. "How much time do you take each move?"
30. "How do you say your name?"

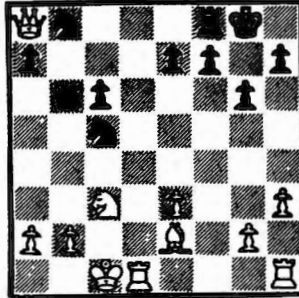
At the request of the Canadian Champion, the answers to these questions will be given below.

1. Last spring.
2. He never will be.
3. Yup.
4. Two.
5. Six years, actually seven and a half.
6. No, I took a book out of the library.
7. Uh hah hah hah.
8. About a year.
9. Yeah, he's no good.
10. Nah, nah.
11. Yeah, sometimes.
12. Something by Fred Reinfeld.
13. Fischer will win.
14. He's a good player, but he's crazy.
15. I don't like Russians.
16. Good psych out.
17. Not yet.
18. I don't.... I... don't....
19. Math
20. Oh yeah, it's the only way.
21. Yeah.
22. I graduated.
23. Uh, I don't know.
24. Yeah.
25. I don't know, I don't know.
26. It's O.K.
27. Yeah.
28. Yeah.
29. I don't think, I just move by impulse.
30. Bee-yiasses.

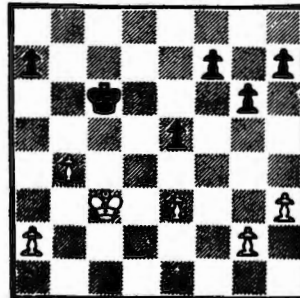
Finally a word from Biyiasas — "Please, please don't ask me anymore questions...."

### P. Biyiasas - R. Kerr

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|----------|--------|
| 1. P-K4  | P-Q4   |
| 2. PxP   | N-KB3  |
| 3. N-KB3 | NxP    |
| 4. P-Q4  | P-KN3  |
| 5. P-B4  | N-N3   |
| 6. B-K3  | B-N2   |
| 7. N-B3  | B-N5   |
| 8. P-KR3 | BxN    |
| 9. QxR   | BxP    |
| 10. P-B5 | BxB    |
| 11. PxB  | N/3-Q2 |
| 12. QxP  | P-QB3  |
| 13. Q-Q2 | O-O    |
| 14. B-B2 | NxP    |
| 15. QxR  | Q-N3   |



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| 16. N-Q5  | PxN   |
| 17. QxQP  | N-B3  |
| 18. K-N1  | R-N1  |
| 19. P-QN3 | P-K3  |
| 20. Q-B4  | N-R4  |
| 21. Q-B3  | N-K5  |
| 22. Q-B2  | N-B7  |
| 23. KR-B1 | NxR   |
| 24. BxN   | Q-B3  |
| 25. B-B3  | QxQ+  |
| 26. KxQ   | R-B1+ |
| 27. K-N2  | K-B1  |
| 28. R-B1  | RxR   |
| 29. KxR   | P-K4  |
| 30. K-Q2  | K-K2  |
| 31. K-B3  | K-Q3  |
| 32. P-N4  | N-B3  |
| 33. BxN   | KxB   |



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|-----------|---------|
| 34. K-B4  | P-B4    |
| 35. P-N5+ | K-N3    |
| 36. K-N4  | P-B5    |
| 37. PxP   | PxP     |
| 38. P-QR4 | P-N4    |
| 39. P-R5+ | K-B2    |
| 40. K-B3  | P-R4    |
| 41. K-Q3  | P-N5    |
| 42. P-R4  | K-Q3    |
| 43. K-K4  | P-B6    |
| 44. PxP   | PxP     |
| 45. KxP   | K-B4    |
| 46. K-B4  | Resigns |

### JEWITT - KERR

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|-----------|-------|
| 1. P-K4   | P-Q4  |
| 2. PxP    | N-KB3 |
| 3. P-Q4   | NxP   |
| 4. B-Q3   | P-KN3 |
| 5. N-KB3  | B-N2  |
| 6. O-O    | O-O   |
| 7. P-QB3  | N-Q2  |
| 8. R-K1   | P-QB4 |
| 9. B-B4   | N4-N3 |
| 10. B-QN3 | PxP   |
| 11. NxP   | N-B4  |
| 12. B-K3  | NxB   |
| 13. QxN   | P-K4  |
| 14. N-QN5 | B-K3  |
| 15. Q-Q1  | QxQ   |
| 16. RxQ   | N-B5  |
| 17. B-B1  | KR-Q1 |
| 18. R-K1  | R-Q2  |
| 19. QN-R3 | NxN   |
| 20. NxN   | R-B1  |
| 21. B-K3  | P-R3  |
| 22. KR-B1 | B-B1  |
| 23. N-B2  | P-B3  |
| 24. P-QR4 | B-QB4 |
| 25. P-R5  | B-N6  |
| 26. BxB   | RxB   |
| 27. N-K3  | Draw. |

### CLARKE - BIYIASAS

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|-------------|----------|
| 1. P-K4     | P-QB4    |
| 2. N-KB3    | P-Q3     |
| 3. P-Q4     | PxP      |
| 4. NxP      | N-KB3    |
| 5. N-QB3    | P-KN3    |
| 6. B-QB4    | B-N2     |
| 7. P-B3     | N-B3     |
| 8. B-K3     | B-Q2     |
| 9. Q-Q2     | O-O      |
| 10. O-O-O   | Q-R4     |
| 11. P-KN4   | N-K4     |
| 12. B-K2    | KR-B1    |
| 13. N-N3    | Q-Q1     |
| 14. P-N5    | N-R4     |
| 15. B-Q4    | P-QN4    |
| 16. Q-K3    | N-QB5    |
| 17. BxN     | PxB      |
| 18. N-Q2    | Q-R4     |
| 19. BxB     | NxB      |
| 20. P-B4    | R(R1)-N1 |
| 21. P-R3    | B-K3     |
| 22. N-B3    | R-B3     |
| 23. N-Q4    | R3-N3    |
| 24. K-Q2    | RxP      |
| 25. KR-B1   | B-Q2     |
| 26. P-KR4   | B-R5     |
| 27. R-QB1   | R-R7     |
| 28. R-QN1   | R1-N7    |
| 29. RxR     | RxR      |
| 30. R-B1    | P-K4     |
| 31. N-B3    | N-K3     |
| 32. P-B5    | N-B4     |
| 33. Resigns |          |

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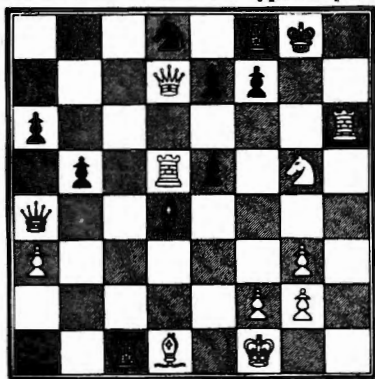
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Fun in Puerto Rico

When playing in the Swiss tournament which followed the Student team Championships in Puerto Rico, Duncan Suttles found himself in another typical position.



Gutierrez-Suttles Puerto Rico 1971.

This position is filled with Suttleties, such as an exposed King, an extra pawn, etc. However, all this has been calculated out with frightening accuracy.

The continuation:

1. R-R8ch! .....

Ho ho ho. If now 1.....KxR??: 2. Q-R3ch K-N2 3. Q-R7ch K-B3; 4. Q-R6ch K-B4; 5. P-KN4ch K-B5 6. P-KN3 mate.

1..... K-N2!  
2. R-R7ch K-N3!

How do you expect to become a winner if you don't win when you're a pawn up?

3. R-R6ch KxR!

3.....KxN??: 4. R-R5ch followed by Q-N4 is hardly what we're after.

4. Q-R3ch KxN

Looks like a Knight to me.

5. P-B4ch .....

If 5. Q-R5ch K-B3; 6. Q-R6ch K-B4; 7. QxR Q-B5ch and it's all over.

5..... K-N3  
6. Q-R5ch K-B3  
7. Q-N5ch K-K3  
8. RxPch BxR  
9. QxBch K-Q2  
Resigns

A tribute to the value of material.

BRUCE HARPER'S MOST MEMORIAL GAMES  
(by "B")

It is with great joy that I pluck my pen from atop my desk to start this series of magical games. One would hope that this veritable Pandora's Box of opportunities is given its due place in the pages of Northwest Chess.

First Frenzied Fight - January 26, 1968

Dutch Defence

White: Wayne M. Crookes

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|----------|-------|----------|------|
| 1. P-KN3 | P-KB4 | 6. N-KR3 | P-N4 |
| 2. B-N2  | N-KB3 | 7. O-O   | P-B3 |
| 3. P-QB4 | P-K3  | 8. P-Q3  | B-Q3 |
| 4. P-N3  | B-K2  | 9. N-Q2  | P-K4 |
| 5. B-N2  | O-O   |          |      |

White has played the opening so quietly that you could hear a pin drop. His pieces are so misplaced that he controls precisely none of the important central squares. Of course, Black's breaking out of his shell is thereby justified.

10. P-K4 P-Q5  
Also possible is 10. ...., PxP; first, setting up a strong passed QP.

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| 11. P-B4 | N-N5 | 13. R-B2 | Q-K2 |
| 12. Q-K2 | N-K6 | 14. N-B1 | NxB  |

White's pieces are still quite misplaced, so that black's temporary lag in development is quite unimportant.

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|---------|------|-----------|-------|
| 15. KxN | P-B4 | 18. P-KN4 | B-Q2  |
| 16. BxP | BxP  | 19. N-N5  | KxRch |
| 17. PxP | BxBP |           |       |

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| 20. K-N1   | N-Q2;  | where white's pieces are even more stupidly placed than in the actual game. |      |
| 20. NxB    | B-B5ch | 23. N-B5  | Q-B1 |
| 21. N-N1   | N-Q2   | 24. R-KB1   | N-B5 |
| 22. N/2-K4 | N-K1   | 25. P-N5  | NxN  |

If 26. RxN, K-N1, and on 27. Nx(P)?!, BxNch; 28. BxB, Q-K2; is quite favourable for black. In fact, white has no satisfactory remedy to the two B's, which move like a butterfly, and sting like a b

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| 26. ... | RxN | 28. RxN | B-B5! |
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27. HxQch RxB  
A mighty blow!

29. Q-N2? Cutting off the last escape route.

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| 29. ... | B-K6ch | 31. Q-N4 | N-B8ch |
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30. K-N1 R-B7 32. Resigns  
A fine game by Bruce, who is just thirteen at this juncture.

Colling around his opponent, patient as a constrictor, Bruce slowly cuts off the breathing space, and joyfully watches him expire of suffocation. This game is reminiscent of the arrival of the grim reaper

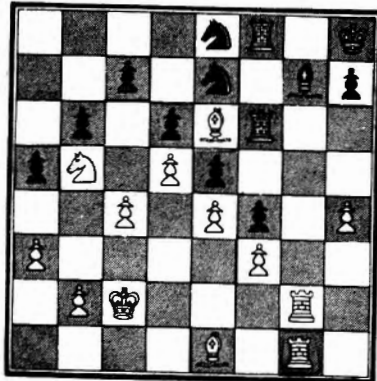
Second Saucy Scene - April 14, 1968

King's Indian Defence

Black: Alan Hill

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|-----------|-------|------------|-------|
| 1. P-Q4   | N-KB3 | 18. N-B2   | Q-Q2  |
| 2. P-QB4  | P-KN3 | 19. N-B3   | B-N3  |
| 3. N-QB3  | B-N2  | 20. NxB    | QxN   |
| 4. P-N4   | P-Q5  | 21. Q-N2   | Q-N4  |
| 5. P-B3   | O-O   | 22. B-B1   | K-N1  |
| 6. B-K3   | N-B5  | 23. Q-R3   | N-B2  |
| 7. B-Q3   | P-K4  | 24. QxQ    | NxQ   |
| 8. P-Q5   | N-N2  | 25. N-B2   | B-N2? |
| 9. N-N2   | N-K1  | 26. N-N5   | N-B3  |
| 10. P-KN4 | P-KB4 | 27. B-N3   | B-N3  |
| 11. NfPxP | PxP   | 28. N-N2   | QR-B1 |
| 12. Q-Q2  | N-N3  | 29. N/1-N1 | N-K1  |
| 13. O-O   | P-B5  | 30. P-N5   | B-N2  |
| 14. B-B2  | B-N6  | 31. B-K6   | N-B3  |
| 15. Q-N1  | P-N3! | 32. P-K4   | N-K2  |
| 16. N-Q1  | P-QN4 | 33. N-N5   |       |
| 17. B-N1  | N-N3  |            |       |

The game is so crystal clear that it needs no commentary. Black now makes a desperate attempt at combination, but, like the mouse who struggled to get free, only hastens the last raspy, gasping breath...



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|-----------|-------|-----------|---------|
| 33. ...   | R-B3? | 41. B-B3  | K-B1    |
| 34. HxP!  | HxP!  | 42. PxN   | BxP     |
| 35. NxB   | N-N3  | 43. NxB   | PxN     |
| 36. N-QB7 | PxP   | 44. BxP   | N-N7ch  |
| 37. BxR   | N-N1  | 45. N-Q5  | P-KN4   |
| 38. N-N7  | N-N2  | 46. B-KB6 | K-N7    |
| 39. RxN   | KxN   | 47. P-K6  | Resigns |
| 40. P-N5  | N-N1  |           |         |

"The teeth throng, turning thence upon the two foreheads, tormented them by throwing tableted tournament toward their table."

from 'The Tenacious Trapezoid'

Yes, tearful tragedians, this treasure is a real treat, a tumbrel of trepidation.

White: Alan Hill

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|----------|-------|---------|
| 1. P-Q4  | N-KB3 | 3. P-B3 |
| 2. P-QB4 | P-K43 |         |
- Though this tenacious tack tries to thrash the King's Indian, the thematic 3. ... P-Q4; 4. PxP, Nxf; 5. P-K4, N-K3; trims white's talons.
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|----------|------|---------|---------|
| 3. ...   | B-N2 | 6. B-K3 | P-B3    |
| 4. P-K4  | P-Q3 | 7. Q-Q2 | P-QK3!? |
| 5. N-QB3 | O-O  |         |         |

Temping the tight 8. P-Q4, P-K4; 9. P-Q5, Pxf; 10. Bxf, QN-Q2; , thereby threatening terror to O-O-O.

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|------------------|-----------|-----------|------|
| 8. B-Q3          | P-QN4     | 11. P-Q5  | BPXP |
| 9. KN-K2         | QN-Q2     | 12. BfxQP | N-B4 |
| 10. P-KN4?! P-K4 | 13. N-N3? |           |      |

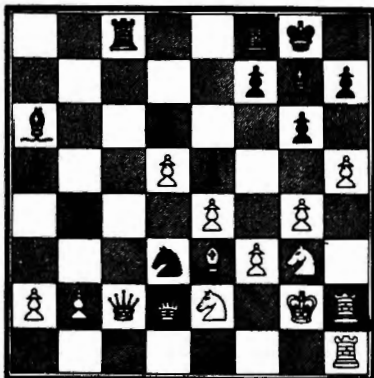
Tactically turid, this travesty throws tempo to the teeming black throngs. The taciturn 13. B-B2, temporarily thwarts black's threats.

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| 13. ...   | P-N5  | 17. C-Q2 | R-B1 |
| 14. QN-K2 | NxBch | 18. P-R5 | N-Q2 |
| 15. QxN   | P-QB4 | 19. K-B2 |      |
| 16. P-KR4 | B-QR3 |          |      |

If 19. B-R6, N-B4; 20. BxB, N-Q6ch; 21. K-Q1, KxB; 22. Pxf, N-B7oh; 23. K-K1, Nxf; , or 21. K-B1, Q-N3; turns the tide. Tantalum to tricky is 19. Pxf?, BfxP!; 20. B-R6, R-KB2; and the tower taxes a tremendous toll of attackers.

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| 19. ...  | N-B4   | 21. K-N2  | Q-B2 |
| 20. R-B2 | N-Q6ch | 22. QR-R1 | Q-B7 |

The termagant tries a timely thrust, trussing the white traitors into tatters!



A theoretical novelty of dubious merit, which clearly is designed to take White out of the books. This it does, as the move is not even mentioned in any texts.

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| 5....  | O-O    |
| 6.N-B3 | N-Q2   |
| 7.B-K2 | P-B4?! |

One would think the violent 7... P-K4! is called for, and after Pxf N-R4 followed by Pxf with an unclear position. Black falls into White's hands with this move, but unfortunately White drops him on the floor.

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| 8.P-Q5 | ....  |
| 8....  | Q-R4? |

A threat on the KP which is easily met.

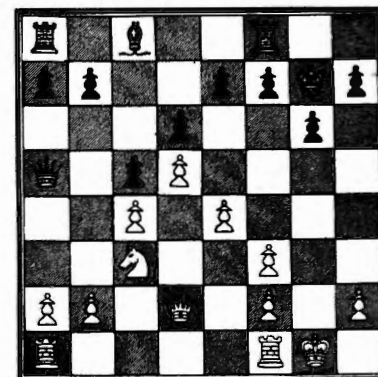
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| 9.O-O     | N-N5?! |
| 10.Q-Q2?! | ....   |

The beginning of an unsound plan which White does not refute.

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| 10.... | N/5-K4 |
|--------|--------|

Black seeks the exchange of several minor pieces so as to ease his problems of how to place his Knights.

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|----------|-------|
| 11.B-R6? | NxBch |
| 12.BxN   | N-K4  |
| 13.BxB   | NxBch |
| 14.PxN   | KxB   |



An interesting position has been reached out of this strange opening. In return for his doubled pawns, White has a predominance in the center. He also has something which no one would consider using.

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|------------|------|
| 15.K-RL!?  | Q-Q1 |
| 16.R-KN1!? | .... |

White has decided upon a direct and violent assault upon g6! Whether or not this plan will succeed depends on how badly Black plays.

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| 16....   | P-B4?! |
| 17.R-N2  | Pxf    |
| 18.Pxf   | P-K3   |
| 19.QR-N1 | Q-B3   |
| 20.Q-N5! | QxQ    |
| 21.RxQ   | P-QR3  |
| 22.P-KR4 | Pxf    |
| 23.Nxf!  | ....   |

In his notes at the time, J. Berry gives this an exclamation mark, so I can hardly do less.

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|-----------|-------|
| 23....    | R-B6! |
| 24.R/1-N3 | ....  |

Sadly necessary, or else R-R6ch and Rxf. Black now must trade Rooks of course, although he will still have a slightly worse game.

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|-----------|------|-----------|------|
| 23. Pxf   | RfxP | 25. Nxf   | R-B7 |
| 24. N-KB1 | QxQ  | 26. R-QN1 |      |
| 26. ...   | Nxf  | 30. NfxP  | Pxf  |
| 27. K-N3  | N-R5 | 31. Pxf   | Rxf  |
| 28. N-N3? | BxN  | 32. R-B2  | N-B6 |
| 29. Nxf   | P-B4 | 33. Rxf   | N-Q8 |

And white resigned after a few more incredulous moves. A fine workmanlike performance by Bruce, who is a recognized expert in telephony.

F. JONATHAN BERRY'S  
Most Memorable chess games  
selected and annotated by  
Bruce  
Harper

GAME 1 (Nov. 11, 1966)

White: J. Berry Black: Reynolds  
1.P-QB4 .....

This move has often been essayed by J. Berry during his long and successful career, which apparently is not yet over.

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|----------|-------|
| 1....    | N-KB3 |
| 2.P-Q4   | P-Q3  |
| 3.N-QB3  | P-KN3 |
| 4.P-K4   | B-N2  |
| 5.B-B4?! | ....  |

24..... RXP??  
 25.P-R5 RXP  
 The condemned man etc. etc. etc.  
 26.PxP R-N8ch  
 27.K-N2 R-N7ch  
 28.K-B3 PXP  
 29.RxPch K-B2  
 30.R-N7ch K-K3  
 31.N-B7ch K-K4  
 32.NxR Resigned on  
 move forty.

White's play resembled a newt moving steadily towards its goal across the bottom of a clear pond. A great achievement for a 13 year-old.

GAME 2 (May 20, 1967)

One must not reach the superficial conclusion that all J. Berry is capable of is shallow tactical threats, although admittedly this is his strongest area, even today. The following game is a positional masterpiece, which resembles a game Tchi-gorin might have played when he was stoned.

White: Jepson Black: J. Berry  
 1.P-Q4 N-KB3  
 2.P-QB4 P-K3  
 3.N-QB3 B-N5  
 4.Q-B2 P-QN3?!

Another TN to boggle his opponent in the openings. At this point in his career, Berry used his ignorance of variations to great effect.

5.N-KB3? .....

White forgets why he moved 4.Q-B2. He thinks it was to avoid doubled Bishop Pawns after BxN, but really it was to play 5.P-K4!, which he should now do, with the advantage.

5.... B-N2  
 6.P-KN3?! BxKN!

It was possible to play O-O with an equal game, but J. Berry, intuitively knowing that Knights are better than Bishops, takes this opportunity to dump one of his Bishops. White gets his doubled pawns anyway. Poetic justice!

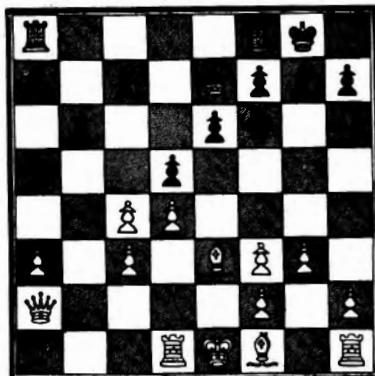
7.PxB N-B3  
 8.B-K3 P-Q4!

J. Berry has seized the initiative, never to relinquish it (unless for some tangible Material Gain.).

9.R-Q1 O-O  
 10.P-QR3 BxNch!  
 11.PxB Q-K2!

Threatening the subtle QxP-+.

12.Q-R2 N-R4!



As a result of his enterprising opening play, J. Berry is now ready for operations on the Queenside, while his opponent has not yet even

completed his development. As a result, there is little hope for White.

13.PxP NXP!?  
 Yet another threat, NxBQP.  
 14.B-Q2 N-N2

Now Black must recycle his pieces. For this reason it may well have been better to play 13...PxP! with a clear advantage. Black still has an edge, though.

15.P-QB4 N-B3  
 16.B-N4 P-B4  
 17.PxP NXP  
 18.B-N2 P-QR4  
 19.B-B3 QR-B1  
 20.O-O KR-Q1  
 21.Q-R1 N-R5!

The beginning of the harvest.

22.BxN QxB  
 23.QxQ PxB  
 24.RxRch RxB  
 25.R-QB1 R-Q6!  
 26.P-B4 RxRP  
 27.B-B6 R-QB6!  
 28.RxR NxB  
 29.K-N2 P-R5

Now the Bishop must give itself up for the Pawn. The superiority of a Knight over a Bishop!

30.BxP NxB  
 31.K-B3 N-N7  
 32.K-K4 NXP

White later resigned

(On move 49)

A game made notable by the masterly handling of the Knights by Black.

GAME 3 (May 21, 1967)

White: J. Berry Black: Hasse

1.P-K4 .....

J. Berry often plays this move when he is White, events have shown.

1..... P-QB4  
 2.P-KB4?! P-QN3?!  
 3.N-KB3 B-N2  
 4.N-QB3 P-K3  
 5.P-Q4 P-KN3?  
 6.B-K3 .....

A subtle move, which does not defend the QP so much as attack the enemy QBP!

6..... B-N2?

The weakness of Q3 is quickly realized by the ever astute J. Berry.

7.P-K5! N-K2  
 8.PxP N-B4  
 9.B-B2 N-B3  
 10.PxP PxB  
 11.P-KN4 N-R3  
 12.N-K4! .....

White already has a won game, in that he is not only a Pawn ahead, but is about to wipe his opponent off the board.

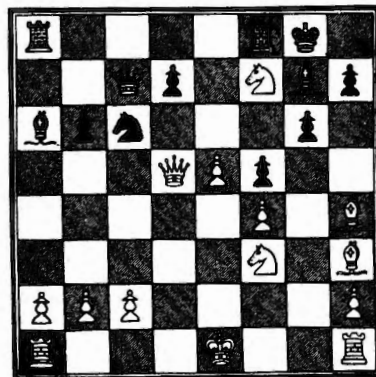
12..... O-O  
 13.N-Q6 B-R3  
 14.B-R3! P-B4?

Blake is understandably anxious to get his KN back into play, but now a severe weakening of the Kingside occurs. It still is difficult to imagine that Black will come to a violent end in only seven more moves, however.

15.B-R4 Q-B2  
 16.PxP .....

Now Black has a number of ways to recapture, and obviously the best is RxP, so as to activate the Knight, and exchange it off for one of White's pieces. Instead he chooses a way which is worst of all, and this includes the dubious option RxP. 17

16..... KPXP??  
 17.Q-Q5ch! N-B2??  
 18.NxN .....



Now Black must lose the exchange after 18.....RxN; 19.N-N5. But he apparently has relied upon a clever move which J. Berry evidently did not see.

18..... N-N5???

An interesting move. The Queen is attacked, therefore there are no useful discovered checks. If 19.Q-N3, so that there will still be a pin after RxN, then NxBch and NxB keeps the Queen under attack, and B-B5 will soon follow. Unfortunately for Black, his plan was refuted about 300 years ago.

19.N-R6ch! K-R1

For it is double check, which one would suppose Black overlooked.

20.Q-N8ch!! RxQ  
 21.N-B7 MaTe

At this point the youthful J. Berry leapt up from the table, and predicted that this will be known hundreds of years from now as "Berry's Legacy". When informed that the great Philidor had uncovered this idea more than three centuries earlier, he said pragmatically - "Well, a point's a point, anyway."

An interesting game from the historian's view, if not from the theoretician's.

CANADIAN CLOSED

PIASETSKI (W) SELICK (B)

1 P-K4 P-QB4  
 2 N-KB3 P-Q3  
 3 P-Q4 PxB  
 4 NxB N-KB3  
 5 N-B3 P-KN3  
 6 B-K3 B-N2  
 7 P-B3 N-B3  
 8 Q-Q2 O-O  
 9 O-O-O P-Q4  
 10 NxN PxB  
 11 PxP NxB  
 12 NxN PxB  
 13 QxP Q-B2  
 14 Q-B5 Q-N2  
 15 Q-N5 Q-B2  
 16 Q-B5 Q-N2  
 17 P-QN3 B-K3  
 18 Q-N5 Q-B2  
 19 Q-B5 Q-N2  
 20 Q-R5 KR-B1?  
 21 B-R6 B-B4  
 22 R-Q8 ch! resigns

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I.P-K4 P-K4  
2.N-KB3 N-QB3  
3.B-B4 B-B4  
4.O-O N-B3  
5.N-B3 P-Q3  
6.P-KR3 B-K3  
7.Q-K2 Q-Q2  
better 7....,N-QN5 as  
(a)8.B-N3,BxB9.BPxP  
(b)8.BxB,PxB9.Q-QI  
both favour Black  
8.P-QR3 P-QR3  
9.N-Q5 N-Q2  
hoping for 10.NxNch,  
PxN with an open KN  
file on the hostile  
King.  
10.P-Q3? N(2)xN  
11.PxN NxP  
12.N-N5 N-B3  
to free the QB from  
guard duty  
13.P-QB3 BxB  
14.PxB P-QR4!  
to immobilize White's  
Q-side;15.P-QN4,PxP  
and if 16.BPxP,BxP  
(17.PxB,RxR)  
15.B-Q2 P-R5  
now the threat of "en  
passant" capture makes  
P-QN4 impossible.  
16.QR-QI Q-B4  
17.B-K3 P-R3  
18.P-KN4 ? Q-N3  
19.BxB PxN  
as 19....,PxP 20.QxPch  
wins;PxN threatens  
both RP and B.  
20.R-Q3 ....  
to guard the RP, but  
the Bishop will soon  
need to interfere.  
20.... O-O-O  
probably favouring  
White would be the  
reply 20....,PxP 21.  
QxPch,K-BI 22.QxBP(4)  
ch.K-NI 23.R(I)-QI  
21.B-N4 ? ....  
White must give up  
the RP by 21.B-K3  
since Black's attack  
on the KR file will  
remain undiminished  
even with the entrap-  
ment of the Bishop  
21.... P-N3  
22.P-B5 ....  
hoping for 22....,NpXP  
and 23.B-R5 with 24.  
P-N4 to follow  
22.... QPxP  
23.RxRch. KxR  
since 23....,RxR re-  
moves the threat on  
the RP and allows  
White 24.Q-R6ch,  
(a)....,K-Q2 25.Q-N5

ch,K-K2 26.BxP,PxB  
27.QxPch,K moves  
28.QxP with 3 Pawns  
for the piece, or  
(b)....,K-NI 25.BxP,  
PxP 26.Q-N5ch,K-BI  
27.QxRP with threat  
of 28.Q-R6ch followed  
by perpetual check  
on the N,B, and R  
files or by 29.Q-R8ch,  
K-Q2 30.R-QI ch winning  
the Rook.  
24.R-QIch N-Q2  
25.Q-Q2 Q-QB3  
26.QxPch K-BI  
27.Q-K3 ....  
to guard the RP since  
its removal by RxP  
threatens mate or  
the win of the Rook  
by check on the back  
rank  
27.... PxB  
28.BPxP Q-B7  
29.R-Q3 ? ....  
R-Q2 is imperative.  
29.... QxNP  
30.Q-B3 Q-N8ch  
31.K-N2 R-R3  
32.R-B3 ....  
to free the Q from  
guarding the R and to  
threaten the QBP  
32.... R-KB3  
33.Q-R8ch N-NI  
34.Q-R7 ....  
a harmless threat  
which isolates the Q.  
34.... Q-K5ch  
35.K-BI R-QB3  
36. RESIGNS  
Just when the fun is  
beginning!  
36.RxR,QxR leaves the  
White K exposed and the  
White Q out on a limb;  
if the King stays on  
BI 37....,Q-B5 ( or  
N4 )ch and 38....,Q-  
R3 force an exchange  
of Queens and the  
Knight would win; if  
the King moves to NI  
or KI, the two Q-side  
pawns are lost to  
36....,Q-B8ch, and with  
them, the game.  
an even worse ( but  
much more interesting)  
fate awaits White if he  
plays the "inviting"  
36,R-K3 as follows:  
36....,Q-R8ch  
37.K-K2 R-B7ch  
38.K-Q3 Q-B8ch  
39.K-K4 R-B5ch  
40.K-B5 ....  
not KxP,N-B3ch winning  
the Queen  
40.... Q-Q2ch  
41.K-N5 Q-QIch  
42.K-R5 ....  
not K-B5,Q-B3mate  
42.... Q-RIch  
43.K-N5 Q-R3ch  
44.K-B5 Q-B3 mate!

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QUEEN'S GAMBIT ACCEPTED (accelerated  
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I.P-Q4 P-Q4  
2.P-QB4 PxP  
3.N-KB3 N-KB3  
4.P-K3 P-K3  
5.BxP P-QR3  
6.O-O P-B4  
7.N-B3 P-QN4  
8.B-N3 B-N2  
9.Q-K2 B-K2  
10.R-QI O-O  
standard here is  
10....,QN-Q2;I should  
at least have played  
Q-B2.  
11.P-Q5! PxP  
12.NxP QN-Q2  
naturally not 12....,  
NxN 13.BxN,BxB 14.P-K4  
followed by PxB and a  
strong passed pawn.  
13.N-K5 B-Q3  
of course,13....,NxKN  
loses at once to 14.NxN  
ch and 15.RxQ  
14.NxNch NxN  
15.N-N4 Q-B2!  
here I invite compli-  
cations to open the  
KN file;much safer  
would have been 15....  
NxN 16.QxN, Q-B2 with  
a solid position and a  
Queen side majority.  
16.NxNch PxN  
17.Q-N4 ch K-RI  
18.Q-KR4 .....  
the point I had missed  
now 18....,KR-KNI  
loses a bishop to  
QxPch.  
18.... B-K2  
19.B-B2 .....  
if 19.B-Q2,intending  
B-R3,then 19....,R-KNI  
20.B-B3,BxNP;if now,  
21.B-B2,B-K5 dis.ch.  
wins, and if 21.BxP(2),  
R-N2 holds, and keeps  
the attack,not only  
threatening(a)22....,  
B-B6dis.ch.and BxR,  
or (b) 22....,B-Q5 dis.  
ch. and BxB,but (c)  
22....,P-N5 and 23....,  
B-Q3 since 23.BxP is  
met by 23....,BxB  
24.QxB,QxB and wins.  
19..... P-B4  
20.Q-R3 B-K5  
21.BxB PxP  
22.R-Q7 ....  
played too hastily;  
22.B-Q2 is the move,  
and if 22....,B-B3  
23.B-B3,BxB 24.PxB,  
P-N5 25.PxP,PxP  
26.Q-B5 should hold,if well played  
22.... QR-QI  
23.RxR QxR!

now Black takes the  
initiative strongly.  
24.Q-N4 Q-Q6  
to prevent 25.Q-K2  
25.P-KN3 P-B4  
26.Q-R3 Q-Q8 ch  
27.Q-BI R-QI  
28.QxQ .....  
, forced, in view of  
the threat of Q-B6  
and R-Q8.Naturally,  
28.K-N2 loses to 28...  
Q-B6ch (a) 29.K-NI,  
R-Q8 wins Q for R,or  
(b)29.K-R3, R-Q3allows  
mate at R3. The  
alternative 28.P-KR4  
leads to the same bind  
as QxQ does when Black  
follows with 28....,  
Q-B6 29.K-R2,R-Q8  
30.Q-N2,QxQch 31.KxQ,  
B-B3.  
28. .... RxQch  
29.K-N2 B-B3  
30.P-B3 P-QR4  
31.PxP PxP  
32.K-B2 P-R5  
33.P-QR3 .....  
to avoid P-R6  
33.... P-N5  
34.PxP PxP  
35.R-NI .....  
if 35.K-K2,R-R8 wins  
as in Black's move 37  
35.... P-N6  
36.R-RI P-R6  
37.K-K2 R-R8  
38.RxP ....  
at last;if 38.K-Q2,PxP  
39.R-R8ch,K-N2  
40.R-R7ch,K-N3 wins  
since 41.BxP loses to  
41....,RxPch and RxB.  
38..... RxB  
39.RxP .....  
of course,39.K-Q2,  
R-B7ch wins more  
quickly.  
39..... R-B7ch  
40.O-BI RxP  
41.RxR BxR  
42.P-N4 K-N2  
43.K-B2 K-N3  
44.K-N3 B-K4ch  
45.K-N2 K-N4  
46.K-R3 BxP!  
simplification soon  
will win  
47.KxB KxP  
48.K-N2 P-R4  
49.K-B2 P-R5  
50.K-N2 P-R6ch  
51.K-B2 K-R5  
52.K-BI K-N6  
53.RESIGNS.



# HARPER 5 BERRY 5

KUPREJANOV (W) LABELLE (B)

The long awaited 3rd Harper-Berry match accomplished no more than did the previous one, which ended in a 3-3 tie. (The first was won by Harper, 2½-1½, in December 1967).

The match in fact produced few beautiful games, only four decisive results, proved nothing that wasn't known, added a limited amount to opening theory, and gained no new friends to our favorite game. One would not be cynical in asking "Why should this be written up in view of the Fullbrook-Chow, Morton-Williams, and Count-Duke matches that are likewise being played?" Many of the games in these encounters are exciting and dramatic, though marred by some errors. The answer is....unknown.

Being stuck for a move, Berry plays 1.P-QN3, but unfortunately for him Harper himself had considered playing this, but had rejected it because it leads only to equality. This he demonstrates, and by the fourth or fifth move a draw would not be an illegitimate result. Berry accepts the third draw offer on move 27.

## Game One

### NIMZOVITCH'S ATTACK

White: Berry Black: Harper  
1.P-QN3, P-Q4; 2.B-N2, N-KB3; 3.P-K3, P-K3; 4.N-KB3, B-K2; 5.B-K2, O-O; 6.O-O, P-B4; 7.N-K5, N/3-Q2; 8.P-KB4, NxN; 9.PxN, N-B3; 10.Q-K1, P-B3; 11.PxP, BxP; 12.BxB, RxB; 13.RxR, QxR; 14.N-B3, B-Q2; 15.Q-N3, R-KB1; 16.R-KB1, Q-K4; 17.QxQ, NxQ; 18.N-N5, RxBch; 19.KxR, BxN; 20.BxB, P-QR3; 21.B-K2, N-B3; 22.P-B3, K-B2; 23.K-B2, K-B3; 24.P-Q4, PxP; 25.KPxP, P-K4; 26.PxPch, KxP; 27.K-K3, Draw.

This time Berry has prepared a line, but sadly the line is no good. White's 6.P-KN3! refutes the idea of N-N3, as the Knight's field is then restricted. After 15 moves Black is lost, but in the time scramble gets chances, especially after Harper misses the subtle 32.B-K2!, which would have kept the Knight at its strong post. 36....PxP7 is the decisive error, of course, as 36...P-N5 would have led to an interesting and unclear position. Thus Berry is down 1½-½.

## Game Two

### BENONI

White: Harper Black: Berry  
1.P-Q4, P-QB4; 2.P-Q5, P-K3; 3.P-QB4, PxP; 4.PxP, P-Q3; 5.N-QB3, N-K2; 6.P-KN3, N-R3; 7.B-N2, N-B2; 8.P-QR4, P-QR3; 9.N-B3, B-Q2; 10.P-R5, N-N4; 11.O-O, P-KN3; 12.N-Q2, B-N2; 13.N-B4, O-O; 14.B-Q2, Q-B2; 15.N-R4, QR-K1; 16.P-K3, N-B1; 17.R-B1, B-B4; 18.B-K1, Q-K2; 19.P-QN4, PxP; 20.BxP, P-R4; 21.R-K1, B-N5; 22.Q-Q3, P-R5; 23.Q-Q3, P-R5; 23.P-K4, BxK4; 24.NxB, QxN; 25.B-Q2, P-R6; 26.B-B1, Q-R4; 27.N-B3, N/1-R2; 28.N-K2, R-K2; 29.N-B4, Q-R1; 30.R-B4, B-Q2; 31.R-N1, R/1-K1; 32.B-B1, P-N4; 33.B-QN2, Q-R3; 34.N-K2, Q-N3; 35.P-B3, P-B4; 36.N-B3, PxP; 37.NxP, P-N5; 38.N-B6ch, K-B2; 39.QxQch, KxQ; 40.NxR, RxN; 41.PxP Resigns.

Playing 1.P-K4, Berry finds himself facing the French. The closed system he plays is too artificial to give any advantage, and in fact Black has the better position after 12 or 13 moves. Better was 13...N-QN5! which would have caused White almost insoluble problems. Also weak was 22....PxNP7; giving White counterplay. After this the game is drawn.

## Game Three

### FRENCH - PHILIDOR'S REVERSED

1.P-K4, P-K3; 2.P-Q3, P-Q4; 3.N-Q2, N-KB3; 4.KN-B3, N-B3; 5.P-KN3, PxP; 6.PxP, B-B4; 7.B-N2, P-K4; 8.O-O, O-O; 9.P-KR3, P-QR4; 10.N-K1, P-QN3; 11.N-Q3, Q-K2; 12.R-K1, R-Q1; 13.N-N3, N-Q2; 14.Q-R5, P-R5; 15.N/NxB, NxN; 16.NxN, QxN; 17.B-K3, Q-K2; 18.QR-Q1, B-K3; 19.P-N3, RxR; 20.RxR, R-Q1; 21.P-KB4, RxRch; 22.QxR, PxNP; 23.RPxP, P-B3; 24.P-B5, Q-Q2; 25.Q-R1, B-B2; 26.Q-R8ch, B-K1; 27.B-KB1, Q-Q1; 28.B-B4ch, K-B1; 29.Q-R3ch, Q-K2; 30.Q-N2, Draw.

Berry comes back to equalize the score in a long and difficult game. 8.Q-Q3 is, as played by Botvinnik in 1936, supposedly the best move, but 9.P-K4 is premature. Both sides thought they had the better game out of the opening, but it was Black who was in trouble after 19.Q-B3!, which would have won a piece had White played first 20.8xN! then N-N4. As it happened, Black's compensation was more than enough for the exchange White could have won, and Black emerged with a winning endgame.

## Game Four

### CATALAN OPENING

1.P-Q4, N-KB3; 2.P-KN3, P-Q4; 3.B-N2, P-K3; 4.P-QB4, B-K2; 5.N-KB3, O-O; 6.O-O, P-B3; 7.N-B3, QN-Q2; 8.Q-Q3, P-QN3; 9.P-K4, B-R3; 10.P-N3, R-B1; 11.P-K5, N-K1; 12.R-Q1, N-B2; 13.P-QR4, P-B3; 14.PxKBP, BxKBP; 15.B-B4, Q-K2; 16.B-R3, K-R1; 17.R-K1, Q-N5; 18.N-R2, Q-R6; 19.Q-B3, PxP; 20.N-N4, QxNP; 21.QxQ, PxQ; 22.BxN, B-N2; 23.B-Q6, P-B4; 24.N-K5; BxN; 25.PxB, PxN; 26.BxKP, N-B4; 27.BxR(QB8), RxB; 28.P-K6, P-N7; 29.QR-N1, N-Q6; 30.KR-Q1, R-B8; 31.P-K7, B-B3; 32.BxP, RxR(N); 33.RxR, NxB; 34.RxP, N-Q4; 35.P-R5, K-B1; 36.PxP, PxP; 37.K-B1, K-B2; 38.K-K2, KxP; 39.K-Q3, K-Q3; 40.K-Q4, P-QN4; 41.P-R4, P-R4; 42.R-R2, P-N3; 43.R-R7, NxB2; 44.K-Q3, N-K3; 45.R-KB7, B-K1; 46.R-KR7, K-Q4; 47.K-B3, K-K4; 48.R-K7, B-B3; 49.R-KB7, B-K5; 50.K-N4, B-Q6; 51.P-B9, B-B4; 52.P-N4, PxP; 53.PxP, BxP; 54.KxP, N-Q5ch; 55.K-N4, N-B4; Resigns.

What no one thought would occur does. Berry, inspired by his good fortune, wins his second game in a row! In this he is assisted by a dubious opening plan on the part of his opponent. The correct procedure is seen in game 7. Harper's comment following this game was: "This does not happen to me very often." It doesn't happen to anyone very often, it should be noted.

## Game Five

### FRENCH DEFENSE

1.P-K4, P-K3; 2.P-Q4, P-Q4; 3.N-QB3, B-N5; 4.B-Q3, N-QB3; 5.KN-K2, P-K4; 6.KPxP, QxP; 7.O-O, BxN; 8.PxB, B-N5; 9.P-B3, B-R4; 10.P-QB4, Q-Q2; 11.P-Q5, N/3-K2; 12.N-N3, B-N3; 13.R-K1, P-KB3; 14.P-B4, BxB; 15.PxB, PxP; 16.BxP, P-KN4; 17.Q-R5ch, K-Q1; 18.N-K4, PxB; 19.N-B5, Q-B4; 20.Q-B7, Q-N3; 21.NxPch, K-Q2; 22.N-B5ch, K-Q3; 23.Q-K6ch, KxN; 24.P-Q4ch, KxQP; 25.P-Q6, Q-B4; 26.KR-Q1ch, K-B6; 27.Q-K1ch, KxP; 28.Q-K2ch, K-B4; 29.QR-B1ch, K-N3; 30.PxN, N-R3; 31.Q-N2ch, Q-N4; 32.QxKBPch, K-R4; 33.Q-B3ch, K-R3; 34.Q-R3ch Resigns.

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| 1  | P-K4  | P-QB4   |
| 2  | N-KB3 | N-QB3   |
| 3  | B-N5  | P-KN3   |
| 4  | P-B3  | N-B3    |
| 5  | Q-K2  | B-N2    |
| 6  | O-O   | O-O     |
| 7  | R-Q1  | P-Q3    |
| 8  | P-Q4  | PxP     |
| 9  | PxP   | B-N5    |
| 10 | N-B3  | R-B1    |
| 11 | B-K3  | P-Q4    |
| 12 | P-KR3 | PxKP    |
| 13 | PxB   | NxN     |
| 14 | QxP   | N-N5    |
| 15 | QR-B1 | N3-Q4   |
| 16 | B-N5  | NxN     |
| 17 | RxN   | N-B3    |
| 18 | BxN   | RxB     |
| 19 | RxR   | PxR     |
| 20 | QxP   | P-KR3   |
| 21 | B-R4  | P-N4    |
| 22 | B-N3  | Q-R4    |
| 23 | Q-B5  | QxQ     |
| 24 | PxQ   | BxP     |
| 25 | P-B6  | P-K6    |
| 26 | P-B7  | B-B3    |
| 27 | R-B1  | resigns |

Black-Allan Li

White-Paul Brown

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|-----|-----------|--------|
| 1.  | P-K4      | N-KB3  |
| 2.  | P-K5      | K-Q4   |
| 3.  | P-QB4     | N-N3   |
| 4.  | P-Q4      | P-K3   |
| 5.  | B-K2      | P-Q2   |
| 6.  | P-B5      | N-Q4   |
| 7.  | N-KB3     | P-QN3  |
| 8.  | P-QN4     | P-QR4  |
| 9.  | NFXP      | PxBP   |
| 10. | B-QN5     | B-R3   |
| 11. | R-B3      | PxP    |
| 12. | B-N5      | B-K2   |
| 13. | BxB       | QxB    |
| 14. | QXP       | O-O    |
| 15. | O-O       | BxB    |
| 16. | NxB       | P-QB4  |
| 17. | Q-Q2      | N-QB3  |
| 18. | KR-K1     | RXP    |
| 19. | N-B3      | KR-R1  |
| 20. | P-KR4     | P-Q5   |
| 21. | N-K2      | N(3)XP |
| 22. | NxN       | NxN    |
| 23. | N-B4      | N-B3   |
| 24. | P-R5      | N-N5   |
| 25. | P-R6      | RXP    |
| 26. | RxR       | RxR    |
| 27. | Q-Q1      | Q-N4   |
| 28. | P-N3      | P-K4   |
| 29. | Q-N3      | PxP    |
| 30. | N-K6      | Q-Q7   |
| 31. | R-KB1     | QxB7   |
| 32. | Q-KB3     | PxN    |
| 33. | Q-B6      | Q-N3   |
| 34. | QXP(K5)   | N-K6   |
| 35. | Q-N8+     | K-N2   |
| 36. | Q-N7+     | K-B3   |
| 37. | Q-N8      | K-N4   |
| 38. | Q-Q8+     | K-R4!! |
| 39. | Q-R4 MATE |        |

(Allan Li is the only person I have ever seen lose to Bly-iasas in 15 seconds!! Here he chooses the only possible way to get mated. Six moves before the unprecedented end, Paul told Allan he was going to lose!!)

# Oregon Chess NEWS



by OCF Vice-PRESIDENT Rob Larrance

It's YOUR move!

Some chess players can't stop talking, while others have trouble with a simple J'adoubé. But even the most reluctant to speak, when pushed, have an interesting story to tell, or a game their proud of. Yet, month after month only a handful of OCF members find the time to submit items to Oregon chess news.

Our part of Northwest Chess might look brighter now than a while back, but it lacks the personal touch that only the members can provide.

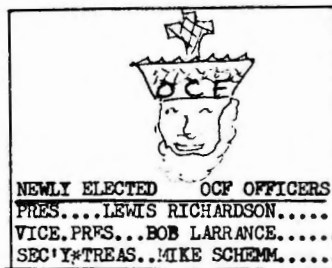
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## OREGON OPEN

Seven rounds of chess is a pretty grueling tournament, folks, in case you weren't among the 12 entrants in the annual Oregon Open held over Labor Day week end in the Park-Haviland Hotel in Portland.

Dennis Waterman's better tiebreakers earned him the first place trophy ahead of Clark Harmon and Bill Kiplinger, all finishing with 6-1. The three top finishers split \$200. Johnny Walker claimed the \$50 fourth place prize money with a 5 1/2-1 1/2.

Another \$50 went to Mike Schemm plus trophy for first Class A, for his 5 1/2-1 1/2 record. Rod Espey claimed the first Class B trophy, but split first and second prize money with Pat Herbers and Roger Ericher -- all with 5-2 scores.

First Class C trophy was awarded to Bruce Batzer, who split first and second prize money with Earl Granat for their 4-3 records. Terry Helling claimed first Class D trophy and \$50 with 4-3, while second Class B money went to Bruce Arnold, 3 1/2-3 1/2.

First Unrated trophy was earned by Mike Brame, with Duane Young and Lowell Wickman sharing in first and second prize money. All finished with 3 1/2-3 1/2.

Jon Niehe received \$50 and the first Under 19 trophy for his 5-2 score, while Kurt Granat and Phil McCreedy (4-3) split the second prize. Since there was only a single player under age 14, that prize was revised to Under 16, won by James Ericher, 5-2, for trophy and \$50. Second Under 16 prize money went to Phil Irwin, with 4 1/2-2 1/2.

Combined fifth place prize money and second Class A prize money was split four ways in the 5-2 group, going to Joe Brandenburg, Eugene Warner, Byron Perala and Mike Emerson.

Many times I have been asked: "Why on earth would you want to direct chess tournaments?" I could say that I like to feel I can make a contribution to chess (true), or even that I can free stronger players to participate in those tournaments (also true). However, I usually just smile and say, "Because chess players are courteous, intelligent, and a pleasure to work with." Very true.

Bob Larrance put in many long, hard hours as assistant T.D., and special thanks also go to Kathy Miller, Jack Schrader, and all the others "impressed into service" when the T.D. got into time pressure.

## FIRST HOUSE OF CHESS OPEN

Portland's newest chess club went into full swing on the weekend of September 15 and 16 with the first House of Chess Open tournament. 28 players attended and after 4 rounds Pat Herbers and Phil Irwin split the first place money, with Irwin taking the trophy.

Other winners were Tom Kuge, top 'C' & Terry Helling, top 'D'. (one wonders if Mr. Helling will ever get out of the 'D' area and give some other players a chance.)

According to Pat Maloney, founding father of House of Chess the club now has about 20 members after a few weeks recruiting.

The address of the club is 2118 SE eleventh street, Portland. It can be reached from downtown Portland on either the Sellwood or East Moreland bus lines. As of now there is not a phone at house of chess.

## SPEED CHESS

The House of chess will hold speed tournaments the first and third Thursday of every month, beginning with November '72.

Entry fee: \$2.00

Prizes: 1st-60%

2nd-40%

Time: 7:30 P.M.

Submitted by  
T.D. Esther Schrader



OREGON OPEN

PLAYERS	TOWN	USCF	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	SCORE
1. Dennis Writeman	Kyrle Pt, Oh	2210	W31	W10	W24	D9	W8	W6	D3	6 -1
2. Clark Harmon	Milwaukie, Oh	2192	W53	D34	D22	W33	W27	W7	W15	6 -1
3. Bill Kiplinger	Portland, Oh	2026	W67	D46	W43	W37	W16	W15	D1	6 -1
4. Johnny Walker	Seattle, WA	2007	W35	W21	W27	L6	W19	D5	W16	5 1-1 1/2
5. Mike Schemm	Portland, Oh	1012	W66	W41	W34	L7	W39	D4	W17	5 1-1 1/2
6. Jon Mische	Corvallis, Oh	1667	W59	W52	W36	W4	L7	L1	D10	5 -2
7. Joe Brandenburg	Portland, Oh	1675	W45	W76	W25	W5	D6	L2	D11	5 -2
8. Eugene Warner	Kennewick, Wa	2018	W26	W32	W29	L19	L1	W56	W24	5 -2
9. Byron Perala	Portland, Oh	2051	W42	W33	W39	D1	L15	D24	W22	5 -2
10. Rod Espy	Portland, Oh	1751	W70	L1	W57	W46	D18	W29	D6	5 -2
11. Pat Herbers	Spokane, Wa	1789	W75	L36	W26	D41	W23	W11	D7	5 -2
12. James Ericher	C Grove, Oh	1875	D54	D23	D31	W42	D37	W52	W26	5 -2
13. Mike Emerson	Portland, Oh	1806	L23	L22	W70	W66	W53	W25	W32	5 -2
14. Roger Ericher	C Grove, Oh	1662	W79	L15	D78	D51	W58	W50	W28	5 -2
15. Les Vitanyi	Vancouver, BC	1831	W55	W41	D37	W38	W9	L3	L2	4 1/2-2 1/2
16. Mark Erickson	Portland, Oh	1824	W57	D30	W23	W21	L3	W20	L4	4 1/2-2 1/2
17. Alan Dvorshak	Portland, OR	1871	W71	L29	W35	D20	W45	W19	L5	4 1/2-2 1/2
18. Phil Irwin	Beaverton, OR	1801	W62	D43	D30	W25	D10	L11	W41	4 1/2-2 1/2
19. Jeff Fox	Portland, OR	1780	D38	W75	W53	W8	L4	L17	W36	4 1/2-2 1/2
20. Wayne Matsen	Portland, OR	1675	L48	W72	W69	D17	W22	L16	W44	4 1/2-2 1/2
21. Raymond Wheeler	Sparks, NV	1737	W81	L4	W68	L16	W35	D19	W38	4 1/2-2 1/2
22. Martin Gray	Belleveue, WA	1752	D49	W13	D2	W30	L20	W37	L9	4 -3
23. Terry Melling	Portland, Oh	1319	W13	D12	L16	W46	L11	D30	W56	4 -3
24. Bruce Bailey	Seattle, WA	1799	W61	W40	L1	W52	D29	D9	L8	4 -3
25. Ron Cotton	Portland, OR	1649	W58	W28	L7	L18	W47	L13	W49	4 -3
26. Bruce Letzer	Portland, OR	1562	L8	W77	L11	W60	W33	W39	L12	4 -3
27. Gene Fomin	Issaquah, WA	1787	W69	W48	L4	W40	L2	D36	D31	4 -3
28. Gary Beers	Seattle, WA	1618	W64	L25	D42	W31	W41	D32	L14	4 -3
29. Steve Thomas	Kent, WA	1665	W78	W17	L8	W50	D24	L10	D40	4 -3
30. Bill Ballard	Portland, Oh	1635	W60	D16	D18	L22	D44	D23	W46	4 -3
31. Kurt Granat	Hillsboro, Oh	1612	L1	W70	D12	L28	W61	W57	D27	4 -3
32. Phil McCready	Eugene, Oh	1678	W77	L6	W51	W49	W38	D28	L13	4 -3
33. Jack Schrader	Salem, Oh	1734	W74	L5	W66	L2	L26	W51	W54	4 -3
34. John Cleveland	Bend, Oh	1750	W65	D2	L5	L45	D54	W64	W55	4 -3
35. Karl Granat	Hillsboro, Oh	1590	L4	W61	L17	W77	L21	W60	W50	4 -3
36. Michael Brame	Seattle, WA	UNR	W56	W11	L6	L39	W76	D27	L19	3 1/2-3 1/2
37. Paul Koberstein	Milwaukie, Oh	1625	W73	W50	D15	L3	D12	L22	D47	3 1/2-3 1/2
38. Bruce Arnold	Fresno, CA	1229	D19	W49	W46	L15	L32	W67	L21	3 1/2-3 1/2
39. Bill Haywood	Portland, Oh	1759	W72	W54	L9	W36	L5	L26	D45	3 1/2-3 1/2
40. Meryl Hickey	Warrenton, Oh	1617	W44	L24	W47	L27	D55	D45	D29	3 1/2-3 1/2
41. Greg Heese	Portland, Oh	1622	W82	L5	W63	D11	L28	W62	L18	3 1/2-3 1/2
42. Sam McKibbin	Seattle, WA	1589	L9	W74	D28	L12	W57	L44	W62	3 1/2-3 1/2
43. Dan Hoffmen	Milwaukie, OR	1620	W47	D18	L3	D44	L50	W65	D59	3 1/2-3 1/2
44. Duane Young	Corvallis, OR	UNR	L40	D61	W55	D43	D30	W42	L20	3 1/2-3 1/2
45. Lewis Richardson	Astoria, Oh	1547	L7	D60	W61	W34	L17	D40	D39	3 1/2-3 1/2
46. Joe Nelson	Hillsboro, OR	1700	W51	D3	L38	L23	L49	W77	W63	3 1/2-3 1/2
47. Lowell Wickman	Fed Way, WA	UNR	L43	W62	L40	W59	L25	W71	D37	3 1/2-3 1/2
48. Dennis Cotton	Woodburn, OR	UNR	W20	L27	W76	L10	L52	W53	L30	3 -4
49. Duane Polich	Seattle, WA	1367	D22	L38	W79	L32	W46	D21	L25	3 -4
50. Ben Thurston	Seattle, WA	1810	W66	L37	W71	L29	W43	L14	L35	3 -4
51. Roger Anderson	Troutdale, OR	UNR	L46	W67	D32	D14	L56	L33	W71	3 -4
52. Stephen Gordon	Anchorage, AK	1651	W63	L6	W58	L24	W48	L12	LF	3 -4
53. Vince Ericher	C Grove, Oh	1604	L2	W65	L19	W72	L13	L48	W69	3 -4
54. Gary Ward	Portland, Oh	1536	D12	L39	D60	D63	D34	W78	L33	3 -4
55. Dave Shafer	Portland, OR	1483	L15	D79	L44	W76	D40	W58	L34	3 -4
56. Barrett McMaugh	Woodburn, Oh	1682	L36	L69	W65	W66	W51	LF	L23	3 -4
57. Bob Ankeney	Portland, Oh	1481	L16	W80	L10	W61	L42	L31	W72	3 -4
58. Edwin Peterson	Portland, Oh	UNR	L25	W64	L52	W71	L14	L55	W68	3 -4
59. Tom Kuge	Portland, Oh	1504	L6	L63	W74	L47	D77	W73	D43	3 -4
60. Gary Gilmore	Westfir, OR	UNR	L70	D45	D54	L26	W48	L35	D66	2 1/2-4 1/2
61. Murlin Verner	E Wenatchee, WA	1386	L24	D44	L45	W73	L31	L63	W78	2 1/2-4 1/2
62. Paul Chance	Lake Oswego, OR	1389	L18	L47	D73	W40	W63	L41	L42	2 1/2-4 1/2
63. Charles Murphy	Eugene, OR	UNR	L52	W59	L41	D54	L62	W61	L46	2 1/2-4 1/2
64. Sunny Lou Espy	Portland, OR	1480	L28	L58	L77	W78	W70	L34	D65	2 1/2-4 1/2
65. Michael Purrey	Portland, OR	UNR	L34	L53	L56	W75	W61	L43	D64	2 1/2-4 1/2
66. Scott Hanson	Newberg, Oh	1399	L50	W73	L33	L56	L79	W80	D60	2 1/2-4 1/2
67. Martin Van Farys	Seattle, WA	1563	L3	L51	D81	W79	W69	L38	LF	2 1/2-4 1/2
68. Douglas Morse	Portland, Oh	1400	L5	W82	L21	L13	L60	W74	L58	2 -5
69. Tim Price	Portland, Oh	1245	L27	W56	L20	L76	L67	W70	L53	2 -5
70. Gerard Moshofsky	Portland, Oh	UNR	L10	L31	L13	W74	L64	L69	W81	2 -5
71. Doug Grisham	Portland, Oh	1516	L17	W78	L50	L58	W72	W47	L51	2 -5
72. Carl Haessler	Lake Oswego, OR	1201	L39	L20	W82	L53	L71	W79	L57	2 -5
73. William Kayner	Vancouver, BC	UNR	L37	L66	D62	L61	W80	L59	D75	2 -5
74. Dan Hinkes	Newberg, Oh	UNR	L33	L42	L59	L70	W78	L68	W79	2 -5
75. Richard Neve	Portland, Oh	1298	L11	L19	D80	L65	L78	W81	D73	2 -5
76. Brian Donnell	Portland, Oh	1666	W60	L7	L48	W69	L36	LF	LF	2 -5
77. Mick Bristol	Spokane, WA	UNR	L32	L26	W64	L35	D59	L46	LF	1 1/2-5 1/2
78. Thomas Green	W Linn, Oh	UNR	L29	L71	D44	L55	W75	L54	L61	1 1/2-5 1/2
79. David Hoekstra	Portland, Oh	UNR	L14	D55	L49	L67	W66	LF72	L74	1 1/2-5 1/2
80. Raymond Riberdy	Tualatin, OR	UNR	L30	L57	D75	L62	L73	L66	W78	1 1/2-5 1/2
81. David Rodstol	Yakima, WA	UNR	L21	L35	D67	L57	L65	L75	L70	1 1/2-6 1/2
82. Bill Standing	Portland, Oh	UNR	L41	L68	L72	LF	LF	LF	LF	0-7

WHITE: WARNER  
BLACK: THOMAS

- 1. P-Q4 N-KB3
- 2. P-Q4 P-KN 3
- 3. N-QB3 B-N2
- 4. P-K4 B-Q3
- 5. N-B3 O-O
- 6. B-K2 P-K4
- 7. O-O N-QB3
- 8. P-Q5 N-K2
- 9. N-K N-K
- 10. N-Q3 P-KB4
- 11. PXP PXP
- 12. P-B4 P-K5
- 13. N-K N-KB3
- 14. N-B2 P-QR4
- 15. B-K3 K-R
- 16. N-B R-KN
- 17. N-N5 B-Q2
- 18. N/2-Q4 BKN
- 19. NKB N -Q2
- 20. Q-Q2 N-B4
- 21. B-Q4 P-B 3
- 22. PXP PXP
- 23. NXP Q-KB
- 24. BKN Q-B 3
- 25. B-R5 N-N3
- 26. BKN QXB
- 27. Q-KB2 QR-Q
- 28. QR-Q B-B3
- 29. P-QB3 P-K6
- 30. NXP P-R3
- 31. P-B5 B-R5
- 32. P-N3 Q-R4
- 33. R-Q3 R-Q2
- 34. B-Q4 ch K-R2
- 35. B-K3 B-N5
- 36. K-R R-Q
- 37. PXB R/1-KN
- 38. R-N3 RKR
- 39. PXR 1-0

Caro-Syrup  
Round 4 W-Karl Granat  
B-Rick Bristol

- 1. P-K4 P-QB3
- 2. N-KB3 P-Q4
- 3. N-QB3 PXP
- 4. NXP B-B4
- 5. N-B3 B-N3
- 6. P-KR4 P-KR3
- 7. N-K5 N-Q2
- 8. NKB PKN
- 9. P-Q4 Kn-B3
- 10. B-Q3 K-B2
- 11. P-R5 P-N4
- 12. B-N5 ch K-N1
- 13. Q-K2 Q-R4 ch
- 14. B-Q2 Q-Q4
- 15. P-QB4 Q-Q3
- 16. N-B5 (1-0) sweet

Battle of the

TITANS

W-L Richardson  
B-Bary Gilmore

- 1. P-QB4 P-K4
- 2. N-QB3 N-KB3
- 3. N-B 3 N-B3
- 4. P-K3 B-Q3

J.K. GILL'S NORTHWEST CHAMPIONSHIP

	1	2	3	4	5	6		
1. Clark Harmon Milwaukie	2230	x	1	1	0	1	1	4-1
2. Roger Calhoun Pullman	1888	0	x	0	1/2	0	1/2	1-4
3. Jo Brandenburg Portland	2043	0	1	x	0	1	0	2-3
4. Bill Kiplinger Portland	2123	1	1/2	1	x	1	1/2	4-1
5. Walter Gentala Bremerton	2133	0	1	0	0	x	0	1-4
6. Jerry Wolfe Eugene	2001	0	1/2	1	1/2	1	x	3-2

Bill Kiplinger took home a stone chess set from Korea valued at \$325.00 for his win in the J.K. Gill's Northwest Championship held September 16 & 17 in Portland. The prize was awarded at a special presentation at the Lloyd Center Sunday afternoon. Kiplinger received the set from the president of J.K. Gill Company.

Kiplinger won on tie-breaking points over Oregon Champion Clark Harmon after defeating Harmon in the 4th round in a game lasting six hours. Kiplinger then played to a short draw with Calhoun in his last round game. Jerry Wolfe was the only other player able to get even a draw with Kiplinger.

The Oregon Chess Federation wishes to thank Gills for their efforts in setting up the Invitational and Championship events and for their interest in chess in the Northwest.

Lewis Richardson  
Director

OREGON OPEN GAMES

Rd. III W-Kurt Granat  
B.J. Bricher

Round 3 bd. 14  
White...V.Bricher  
Black....J. Fox..

1.P-K4	N-KB3
2.N-QB3	P-Q4
3.P-K5	Kn-Q2
4.P-Q4	P-K3
5.P-B4	P-QB4
6.PXP	BXP
7.Q-N4	O-O
8.B-Q3	N-QB3
9.N-B3	P-B4
10.Q-R3	R-K1
11.P-KN4	P-KN3
12.PXP	KXP
13.B-Q2	P-QR3
14.O-O-O	P-QN4
15.B-K1	B-K6ch
16.B-Q2	BXB ch
17.NXB	N-B4
18.KR-N1	N-K5
19.BXN	BFXN
20.Q-R6	N-K2
21.N/2XP	N-B4

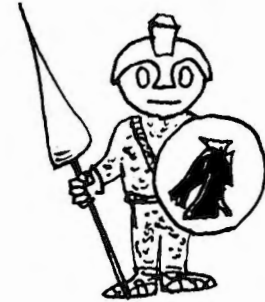
1.P-Q4	N-KB3
2.P-QB4	P-Q3
3.N-QB3	QN-Q2
4.P-K4	P-K4
5.P-Q5	N-B4
6.B-N5	B-K2
7.BXN	B XN
8.P-QN4	N-Q2
9.B-Q3	O-O
10.N-K2	P-KN3
11.P-QR4	P-QR4
12.PXP	RXP
13.N-B1	N-B4
14.B-B2	B-N4
15.O-O	P-B4
16.N-N3	NXN
17.BXN	B-B5
18.N-N5	R-B3
19.B-B2	Q-R5
20.P-N3	Q-N4
21.P-R4	Q-R3
22.PxB	QXBP
23.K-N2	PXP
24.Q-K2	B-N5
25.Q-K3	B-B6ch
26.K-N1	Q-N5ch
O-1	

W-Betzer  
B-Warner

1.P-K4	P-QB4
2.N-KB3	N-QB3
3.P-Q4	PXP
4.NXP	P-K4
5.N-N3	N-B3
6.P-KB3	P-Q4
7.PXP	NXP
8.P-QB4	B-N5ch
9.B-Q2	N-K6
10.Q-B	B-KB4
11.N-R3	NXB
12.BXB	NXB
13.KXN	O-O
14.Q-B3	Q-QR4
15.N-N5	R-B
16.P-QR3	RXP
17.QXKP	Q-Q6ch
18.K-B2	N-B3
19.Q-K3	R-B7ch
O-1	

Round 1 W-R. Bristol  
D. McCready

1.P-K4	P-Q3
2.P-Q4	N-KB3
3.N-QB3	P-KN3
4.B-N5	B-N2
5.N-B3	O-O
6.B-K2	P-B3
7.Q-Q2	P-N4
8.P-QR3	R-K1
9.O-O-O	P-QR4
10.P-K5	P-N5
11.BXN	PXN
12.BXP	FXQ ch
O-1	



THE END FOR NOW

NEXT MONTH OCF MEETING MINUTES  
(Hopefully)

ROBERT KARCH WINS THE  
SNOHOMISH COUNTY OPEN

The turnout was much higher than expected, which pleased everyone because there was more chance of finding someone among the middle of the field in all rounds, instead of a player on the top or bottom of the pack. Robert Karch played very precise Chess, and seemed to have little trouble even after the fierce resistance of John Heathcote. Brian Nelson pulled a stunning upset over John Garratt for second, and top rated Richard Pomfret and Gene Fomin walked all over their opponents to cop the third and fourth prize. To decide places by Solkoff in this short and large tournament is ridiculous. Next time I will have two sections. Other prize winners were Fred Pearson, High School, Myron Gemmer, C, Al White, B, Malcolm Dewesse, D, and Yaseir Seirawan, a scrappy youngster, the top Jr. High. The tournament was directed by Stephen L. Chase Jr., who received many compliments on the handsome trophies that were used for the prizes.

1. Robert Karch	W-5	W-9	W-6	3-0
2. Brian Nelson	W-10	W-19	W-8	3-0
3. Richard Pomfret	W-12	W-20	W-11	3-0
4. Gene Fomin	W-22	W-28	W-7	3-0
5. Alfred White	L-1	W-17	W-25	2-1
6. John Heathcote	W-27	W-16	L-1	2-1
7. Fred Pearson	W-23	W-25	L-4	2-1
8. John Garratt	W-24	W-18	L-2	2-1
9. Gene Natt-och-dag	W-29	L-1	W-24	2-1
10. Myron Gemmer	L-2	W-26	W-21	2-1
11. Eero Jaaska	W-31	W-21	L-3	2-1
12. Malcolm Dewesse	L-3	W-32	W-17	2-1
13. Joe Foth	L-14	W-27	W-18	2-1
14. Robert Strohm	L-19	W-33	W-23	2-1
15. Yaseir Seirawan	L-18	W-30	W-22	2-1
16. Jim Franke	W-13	L-6	D-17	1 1/2-1 1/2
17. Don Emigh	W-33	L-5	D-16	1 1/2-1 1/2
18. Bob McCurdy	W-15	L-8	L-13	1-2
19. Mike Markert	W-14	L-2	L-26	1-2
20. Paul Weston	W-32	L-3	L-12	1-2
21. Holly Mulky	W-30	L-11	LL-10	1-2
22. Mark Davis	L-4	W-34	L-15	1-2
23. Carl Bess	L-7	W-29	L-14	1-2
24. Mark McGee	L-8	W-30	L-9	1-2
25. Gary Dickinson	W-26	L-7	L-5	1-2
26. Steve Chase	L-25	L-10	W-29	1-2
27. Mike Ridgeway	L-6	L-13	W-34	1-2
28. Dean Bjornson	W-34	L-4	LF	1-2
29. Fred Martin	L-18	L-23	W-31	1-2
30. Larry Swan	L-21	L-24	W-32	1-2
31. Jill Chase	L-11	L-15	L-29	0-3
32. Tom Heathcote	L-20	L-12	L-30	0-3
33. Jerry Hand	L-17	L-14	LF	0-3
34. Gary Martin	L-28	L-22	L-27	0-3

Karpov - Taimanov, USSR Champ 1971  
 By S. Furman  
 "Chess In Russia" 12/71

- 1 P-K4 P-QB4
- 2 N-KB3 P-K3
- 3 P-Q4 PxP
- 4 NcP N-QB3
- 5 N-N5 P-Q3
- 6 B-KB4 P-K4
- 7 B-K3 N-B3
- 8 B-N5 B-K3
- 9 QN-B3 P-QP3
- 10 BxN PxB
- 11 N-R3 ....

This position was met in two candidates matches: Fischer-Taimanov and Fischer-Petrosian. In the first there followed: 11...N-Q5 12.N-B4 P-B4 13.PxP NcKBP 14.B-Q3 R-B1 15.PxN RxD 16.BxB PxB 17.Q-K2 and White had the advantage.

Petrosian, for this match with Fischer prepared the sharp move 11...P-Q4. However, this game was played before the Petrosian-Fischer match.

- 11 .... N-K2
- 12 N-B4 P-Q4
- 13 PxP NcP
- 14 NcN BxN
- 15 N-K3 B-B3
- 16 B-B4 ....

The correct decision. After the sharp 16.Q-R5 Q-R4ch 17.P-B3 O-O-O Black gets excellent counterplay.

- 16 .... QxQch
- 17 RxD R-B1
- 18 B-Q5 BxB
- 19 RxB ....

In spite of the innovation adopted, the Black position is not all that smooth. If white succeeds in blocking the doubled KB pawns, White will have a serious advantage.

- 19 .... K-K2
- 20 K-K2 K-K3
- 21 KR-Q1 P-B4

Threatening 22...P-B5 with an attack on the QBP, and after 22.P-QB3 P-B5 Black can face the future without fear- the knight on K3 doesn't have a good square to retreat to.

- 22 P-KN3! ....

It is very important for White to keep his knight on K3. After the quiet 22...P-B3 23.P-QB5 he has a positional advantage. However, passive defense is not in the spirit of Taimanov.

- 22 .... P-B5

This advance weakens the position of the Black king.

- 23 PxP PxB
- 24 N-N2 RxBch
- 25 K-B3 B-B4

Very dangerous was 25...RcNP 26.NcPch K-B3 27.R-K1 with the threat 28.N-R5ch.

- 26 NcPch K-B3
- 27 N-Q3 R-QB1
- 28 R-Q7 P-N4

This natural looking move is the decisive mistake. Better was 28...P-N3 and with the bishop defended in many variations Black is then able to defend his K-side pawns.

- 29 R-K1 K-N2
- 30 R-K4 R-B5

With the pawn on QN3 30...R-B3 would now be possible. Now this would allow 31.R-B4 R-B3 32.RcR KcR 33.R-B7 winning a piece.

- 31 N-K5 ....

The most accurate. After 31.RcR PxB 32. N-K5 K-B3 Black gets some good counter-chances.

- 31 .... RcR
- 32 KcR K-M1
- 33 P-D4 ....

White is not tempted to win a pawn immediately, as after 33.RcP B-Q3 Black would have chances for a draw in the rook ending.

- 33 .... B-B1

Black again plays for an active defense, as the passive 33...R-B1 is without prospects for him.

- 34 NcP R-B7
- 35 N-N5 B-R3

The threat was 36.R-Q3 and 37.N-K6.

36 N-K6 RcRP  
 More stubborn was 36...RcNP 37.K-B5 BxP 38.KcP RxBP 39.R-N7ch K-R1 40.R-R7 and continuing as in the game. With this order of moves White is deprived of the chance worked out in the note to the 36th move.

- 37 K-B5 RxB

Black is forced to give up the bishop as 38.K-B6 was threatened, and if this is prevented by 37...R-N7, then 38.R-Q8! K-B2 39. R-KR8 decides.

38 KxB ....  
 Karpov misses a chance of ending the game immediately with 38.NcB RxB 39.K-B6 P-R3 40. R-N7ch K-B1 41.N-K6ch K-K1 42.R-K7 mate.

- 38 .... RxB
- 39 R-N7ch K-R1
- 40 R-R7 P-KR4
- 41 RxB P-N5

Even though White is a piece ahead, the win is not easy as Black is always threatening to exchange off the last White pawn.

- 42 N-Q4 R-N7

In this position the game was adjourned, and Karpov failed to seal the strongest move.

This allowed Taimanov with accurate defense to create maximum difficulties for White.

- 43 K-B3 ....

Stronger was 43.K-B5! stopping the advance of the KRP and intending to advance the King to KB6 via K5 or KN5.

- 43 .... R-Q7
- 44 K-K3 R-QN7

Black uses waiting tactics and allows his opponent to correct his mistake. Considerably more persistent was 44...R-R7, in order to advance the RP. The White king is then, depending upon the circumstances, directed either to the Q-side or his passed pawn. Greater defensive chances were even given by 44...R-KN7. In both cases White's forces would be confronted with great difficulties in winning.

- 45 K-B4 R-Q7
- 46 N-B5 R-QN7

The threat to exchange pawns is not real now. White's earlier progress has created mating threats. Black's chances of salvation were contained only in 46...K-N1 now.

- 47 K-N5 P-N6
- 48 R-R6ch! K-N1
- 49 K-B6! Resigns.

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Translated by  
 Dick Parsons

Your postal editor has got many good games and analysis from Russian sources that will be translated and published as time and space permits. '64' ran an interesting opening article on 1.P-K4 P-QB4 2.N-KB3 P-KN3 with a near forced win for White that will be coming up shortly.

Round 2  
 W-Price B-McLaughh

- 1.P-K4 P-QB4
- 2.N-QB3 P-Q3
- 3.P-KN3 P-QN3
- 4.B-N2 B-N2
- 5.P-Q3 B-KB3
- 6.P-B4 P-K3
- 7.KB-K2 B-K2
- 8.O-O P-QR3
- 9.P-K5 BXB
- 10.PXN B XR
- 11.PXB BxN
- 12.PXQ ch BxQ
- 1-O

RD.II  
 W-V.Brigher  
 B.C.Harmon

- 1.P-Q4 N-KB3
- 2.P-QB4 P-K3
- 3.N-QB3 B-N5
- 4.Q-B2 P-B4
- 5.P-K3 O-O
- 6.P-QR3 PXP
- 7.FXP BxNch
- 8.PXB P-Q3
- 9.B-Q3 QN-Q2
- 10.N-B3 P-K4
- 11.O-O R-K1
- 12.R-K1 Q-B2
- 13.N-Q2 P-QN3
- 14.P-B3 B-R3
- 15.R-N1 QR-B1
- 16.B-N2 P-R3
- 17.P-QR4 N-B1
- 18.K-R1 N-K3
- 19.B-B1 Kr-Q1
- 20.R-K3 PXP
- 21.PXP P-Q4
- 22.Q-N3 PXP
- 23.Q-N4 N-Q4
- 24.Q-R3 P-B6
- 25.RxN BXB
- 26.R-K5 B-R3
- 27.B-B1 PKN
- 28.BXP Q-N3
- 29.R-N2 Q-B5
- 30.P-R3 QxQP
- 31.R-K4 Q-B4
- 32.Q-R2 N-B6
- 33.BxN QXB
- 34.R-B2 R-Q8ch
- 35.K-R2 B-B5
- 0-1

# RATINGS

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DE LA FUENTE, GEORGE	WA	1886*
DICKINSON, GARY	WA	1588*
DIETSCH, KRESTON	WA	1808*
DITTMAN, RON	WA	1722
DOGGETT, WILLIAM	OR	1307*
DOLAN, PAT	OR	1403
DONNELL, BRIAN	OR	1750
DOYLE, AARON	CD	1302*
DOYLE, DENNIS	WA	1123*
OUNCAN, PATRICK	WA	1335*
DUNCAN, S. M. C.	WA	1421
DVORSHAK, ALAN	OR	1974
EAGLES, ROLAND	CD	1884
ECLIPSE, LARRY	WA	1471*
EDDY, BUZ	WA	1713
EGGERS, PAUL	WA	2331
ELKINS, BOB	WA	1495*
ELLS, CLIFF JR	WA	1440
ELLS, STEVE	WA	1230
EMERSON, MICHAEL	OR	1918
EMIGH, DONALD	WA	1694*
EMIG, MARTIN	CD	1973
ERIKSSON, MARK	OR	1934
ESPESY, RODNEY	OR	1894
ESPESY, SUNNY LOU	OR	1579
ESTES, DAVE	WA	965*
ESTES, WALTER	WA	922*
EVANS, JOHN	WA	1774
EVANS, RUSS	CD	1592
FATTAL, FRANK JR	WA	1665*
FATTAL, FRANK	WA	1180*
FEIST, RICK	WA	1541
FINN, DENNIS	WA	1370*
FISCHER, PETER	CD	1504*
FOGARASSY, FRANK	CD	1809
FOLTZ, KEN	WA	1973
FOMIN, GENE	WA	1954
FORBES, GERRY	CD	1773
FOSBURY, DAVE	OR	1566*
FOX, JEFF	WA	1962
FRANETT, MIKE	WA	2295
FRANKE, JIM	WA	1551*
FREUERICKS, GARY	OR	1598*
FULLBROOK, NIGEL	CD	2040
FULLER, ALBERT	CD	2236*
FURLY, MIKE	OR	1558*
GAMBLE, BILL	WA	1145*
GARROTT, JOHN	WA	1842
GARVER, CHUCK	OR	195*
GARVIN, JAMES	WA	1619
GEMMER, MYRON	WA	1683*
GENTALA, WALT	WA	2077
GERVIN, ROGER	WA	1621*
GIBSON, STEVE	WA	1362*
GILL, BOB	WA	1213*
GILMORE, GAFY	OR	1528
GLAD, RICK	WA	1682
GOEDJE, GLEN	ID	973*
GOLPHENEE, GREG	WA	1924
GORDON, STEVE	AL	1793*
GRANAT, KARL	OR	1770*
GRANAT, KURT	OR	1774
GRAY, DARREN	CD	882*
GRAY, GORDON	WA	1680*
GRAY, MARTY	WA	1910
GREENUP, RANDY	WA	1511
GREEN, ORLANDO	OR	1368
GREEN, TOM	OR	1452*
GRUGRICH, FRANK	WA	1936
GRIGSBY, JACK	WA	1543*
GRISHAM, DON	OR	2026
GRISHAM, DOUG	OR	1583
GRONDM, MIKE	WA	2437*
GROSCHL, BOREK	WA	1395
GROVER, KEN	WA	2151*
GRUJICH, JOE	WA	1172*
GUYER, DAVE	OR	1352*
GUYER, DAVID	OR	1295*
HAESSLER, CARL	OR	1210
HAINES, DUNCAN	CD	2029
HAJSKY, HILOS	CD	1508*
HALFANI, MATTHEW	OR	1763
HALLER, RICHARD	OR	1233*
HAMPTON, PAUL	WA	1999*
HANFORD, R. H.	CD	1393*
HAND, JERRY	WA	1229*
HANLEN, RICH	WA	1945
HANSON, JEFF	WA	1721
HANSON, SCOTT	OR	1591
HARMON, CLARK	OR	2261
HARPER, BRUCE	CD	2269
HARRESCHOU, BROCK	OR	1378
HARRISON, STEVEN	WA	1322
HARVEY, FRED	WA	1565*
HATGHER, WAYNE	WA	1956
HAUFF, STEVE	WA	1263
HAYAMI, MARVIN	WA	1738
HEATHCOTE, JOHN	WA	1739
HEATHCOTE, TOM	WA	904*
HELLING, JERRY	WA	1886
HERBERS, PAT	WA	2012
HEYWOOD, BILL	OR	1837
HICKEY, PAT	OR	2336
HILLS, STEVE	OR	194*
HILL, LANDY	OR	1459*
HILTON, DEVON	WA	973*
HINSHA, CAPRICE	WA	905*
HODGKINS, C.	CD	1732*
HOEKSTRA, DAVID	OR	1327*
HOFFMAN, DAN	OR	1698
HOLDERMAN, MIKE	WA	1358*
HOLZKNECHT, A	CD	1935
HOLZNER, BRADLEY	WA	1972

Brian Williams 2 1/2 - Morton 1 1/2, Paul Eggers 3 - Salmon 3, Oregon Championship, Tacoma Woodpushers, Western Fishing Derby, J. K. Gills Eugene Invitational, Interstate Allyn Invitational, Grigsby 4 1/2 - Kidman 2 1/2, King's Knight CC Championship, Oregon Open, Victoria Labor Day Open, Inland Empire Hexangular Open, Monarch Open, Snohomish County Open, Eastmont Scholastic Open, J. K. Gills Northwest Championship. The list contains all players active since July 1, 1972.

A few notes at random.... First, I will again follow the USCF lead and stop rating matches after 1/1/73. I haven't seen any evidence of thrown matches here in the Northwest, but it is WCF policy to follow the USCF rating rules. So get those matches played and reported, or send me your comments - we don't HAVE to do everything the USCF way. Good news for TDs: you can now report round robin events as they were played. It is no longer necessary for you to transpose them into pseudo-swiss format. Also for TDs: remember to send me States and indications for Unrateds, please, and the date of play. Some of you have been getting careless about these details. And keep up the prompt reporting. About rating fees: The schedule in effect is \$1.00 for each 15 players or fraction thereof up to a top of \$5.00. In view of our increasingly many large events, many of you have been sending me a little extra for the big jobs. It's welcome, but just to ensure equity, let me suggest two things: Extend the \$1.00 per 15 rate above the \$5.00 top, and make it \$1.50 per 15 for events of over 7 rounds. These are just suggestions, and I will of course continue to rate events submitted with the correct fee by the old rules, pending a WCF vote to change those rules.

Bruce Bailey

ABELS, IRENE	CD	901*
ABRAHAMSON, LYNN	WA	1662
ACTION, WAYNE	WA	1522*
ADAMS, DOUG	WA	1955*
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### SEATTLE CHESS CLUB NEWS

With over 100 paid members and the treasury out of the red, the Seattle Chess Club is in the middle of a very good year thanks to the recent Fischer-Spassky match. Along with the doubling of the membership of 1971 has come an increased demand for activity in the club in 1972. To meet part of this demand, the club will hold monthly tournaments which are WCF rated. These tournaments will begin in November and will be announced in Northwest Chess. In October, the club is holding a free team tournament for all paid members of the club. By the time this article is printed, activities, currently underway, will have been completed. These include a Johnny Walker simultaneous and a round robin tournament which Kristen Dietsch is leading for the moment.

Club members reading this should thank Phil Geis for the improved lighting and the extra tables and chairs all of which he got at a great savings to the club. Thanks also goes out to Bruce Delaplain and Jerry Nealy for helping to extend club hours to Thursday and Wednesday nights. Our new hours are:

TUESDAY THRU FRIDAY NIGHTS  
7 to 12  
SUNDAY AFTERNOONS  
1 to 6

Tacoma Chess Club, 719 S. "I"  
Tuesday - 7:30PM  
Friday - 7:30PM  
Sunday - 12:30 to 6PM

Ellensburg Chess Club, Room 206 in S.U.B.  
CWSC (925-2432)  
Wednesday - 7PM to 11PM

Bellevue Chess Club  
Call Dave or Rich Neil  
at SH 6 7413 for information.

Moses Lake Chess Club, McCosh Park Rec Center  
Wednesday - 7:30PM  
Friday - 7:30PM

Tri-Cities Chess Club, United First Methodist  
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Tuesday - 6PM

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Wednesday - 6PM

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So you're to give a nationwide tour of prisons, hospitals, childrens' homes, and many clubs, too. Un-huh. Sounds like a starvation manual and a walk through Death Valley barefooted in one day. But okay, here's what to do about knocking them dead, coast to coast.

Begin by reading Adventures of a Chess Master by George Koltanowski, a thoroughly entertaining book which illustrates how your play, lecture, travel, and personality must be systematically enthusiastic at all points if you intend to bind body and soul together at the end of 1971.

Here we go. Rule number one is to expect the unexpected. In Baton Rouge, Louisiana, three hoodlums hold you up and dump you in a ditch in a bad news neighborhood. They take your shoes, wallet, and papers. By a miracle, you are unharmed as they drive away leaving you with \$154 in your left pants' pocket. You are laughing hysterically at this irony but still must wind your way out of the sticks at 3 a.m. All the addresses and phone numbers are scratched off highway telephone booths so you can't tell cab company or police where you are. And you keep moving for hours until you see the most beautiful structure on earth--the eighth wonder of the world--a yellow cab. And again you survive against bad odds because you are a good guy, brilliant, and, oh so quiet and modest. Your shirt is covered with blood and scares the taxi driver. You are unharmed, shoeless, shaken. You mumble "3001 Chestnut" and make a getaway. The cabby is courteous and glad you survived. So are your girlfriends!

In Pasco, Washington you are making a plane connection. You wanted to go by bus and told your nationwide tour manager (Russell W. Miller) exactly that. Your uncanny instincts which have saved your life at least six times are right again. An old man is getting on the plane, a heavy equipment salesman. He's crippled and having trouble getting his sales material aboard. "Hi! I'll take that." you say and haul the heaviest contraption aboard. Can't mind your own business, can you? Just have to get involved, right? Right. The old man is very grateful. As you climb aboard a knockout stewardess says, "Hi, what is that?" You smile and say, "Well, ma'am, I don't know, really, but I certainly hope it's not a bomb." Two minutes pass. "Where's the joker, Miss Reynolds? Just show me where he is!" the captain is screaming. Boom, you're off the plane despite pleading and courtesy. You're stuck in Pasco overnight with no cash to speak of. But your first problem is how to get out of the airline terminal

alive and well. The captain tells you "I called the FBI and local police every time I've done this. But you're obviously a nice chap. Let this be a lesson to you." Yeah. Suddenly you're in bad trouble, anyway. The whole airline terminal watches you. The airport security police are crawling around the telephone booth, eyes aglow with unsavory intentions of mashing you somehow. You phone long distance three times in four minutes flat. Eugene Warner, your host when you'd given exhibitions here earlier, advises, "Check the train schedules. Get out of there." You move out of the airline terminal faster than Walter Browne and Jesse Owens but not before you'd torn up your airline ticket in front of the amazed airline manager. "We're sorry it happened," he says. You say nothing but think things that are unprintable. You move to the loneliest deserted train depot in the world by cab and wait. Now things really begin to happen. Russell Miller is cracking up with laughter at the whole mess but recovers when he realizes you're in bad trouble. "We should call the FBI," the station manager is told by a secretary as you left the airline terminal. Everybody waits and the rescue train is on the way. Will Jude Acers get out of Pasco, Washington alive or will he be gunned down at the station at dawn? Two city policemen, aware of what has happened, walk into the train depot and size you up. Scary, man, scary. You are courteous, supercool. "Yes, sir; no, sir. I don't know, officer. They leave. Telephone calls to people begin to fly into Pasco, Washington. Miller is hard at work at saving your hide. He checks seats available, soothes, calms, and tries to get you out of town before the goblins get you. Jude Acers.



public enemy number 1, is aboard the 2 a.m. special and steams toward Seattle where Vladimir Pafnutieff, veteran Russian and U.S. master, is waiting to whisk you away. Pafnutieff realizes how really scary and truly dangerous the whole experience was for you. One explosion of temper, one false step and you would have shared the fate of all those before you, the caboose for ninety days or worse. After this, Russell Miller books through flights to keep you out of trouble. Pafnutieff had met the plane in Seattle the night before. No Jude Acers! "What happened?" he asked the captain. "Nicest guy I ever put off of the plane. Called the police all the other times," the captain told Pafnutieff. Yeah. Other things are going to happen that are right from Boris Karloff's late, late show reruns. Fate really is ready with the axe on your New Orleans-St. Louis bus ride. Picture this unbelievable scene. You've got ten minutes before your St. Louis bus leaves. Naturally, your four suitcases of chess literature (world's largest portable chess library) has been lost by the bus company 5 days before but easily found a day later. Naturally, the night watch has not been told that no storage fees are required for lost luggage being at last reclaimed by the owner. He hits you for \$19.75 and that leaves you with twenty-five cents for 19½ hours of travel by the last available bus, baby. Naturally, you're already hungry having neglected to eat much in the past day or so. The first ten hours of the ride are killing. No time to phone San Francisco insurance millionaire Karl Bach. No time to contact Carl W. Cavanaugh, a crack Denham Springs attorney who has whisked you out of several terrific jams before. You're just on a bus, miserable and starving. No help from driver or passengers. (New Yorkers are cold?) That's when you meet her. Beautiful, luscious 60 year old Fay Moore in the Blytheville, Arkansas bus station. Miss Moore, over the strenuous objections of her supervisor, buys three slurpy, good sandwiches to help a great American chess master survive the night. You reward her with a simultaneous eating exhibition. First, she saw all three sandwiches and then she didn't. Her supervisor warns, "He'll never pay, Fay. You're just throwing your money in the dirt." Silently, you curse the supervisor. The sandwiches are \$1.50. And you know that not even God himself is going to prevent 60 year old Fay Moore from getting ten times her money in return. You get her address on a dirty, coffee-stained napkin, writing with a half-broken black Bic pen. And you climb back on the bus, saved. When you hit St. Louis, you storm after your \$19.75, but it isn't necessary, the bus company says "we're sorry" and refunds it. Then all you can think of is that little lady and her ugly, unfeeling supervisor. You blast to a mailbox and plop Miss Moore's reward into the box. Now, only now, you give yourself permission to relax, even die if necessary. It is 10 p.m. in St. Louis, Missouri on September 9, 1971. Miss Moore and Jude Acers have won. The supervisor and the cold, unfeeling creatures of the world like hers have lost again. You will remember Miss Moore's eyes, her smile, her trembling fear of her supervisor as she fought back from the mundane nothingness that surrounds her every working hour in Blytheville, Arkansas. Your first annotated game collection will be dedicated to her, your next three prison exhibitions already have been. Nobody at the exhibitions knows who Miss Fay Moore is, but you know, don't you? And you are the luckiest person who ever lived Jude Acers!

We've mentioned negative, depressing things on the nationwide tour that are just certain to happen in one form or another. You are probably afraid, upset, giving up your planned tour which will entertain thousands of people at a near hysterical pitch, notable children and convicts. Now let's stop right here and give ten reasons for our 1971 U.S. Tour:

1. The ladies are very nice. Be like Walter Browne, alert, cheerful and oh so modest! The ladies will love you in airline terminals, buses, trains, planes and cars. But most of all - on foot. Watch out though, while you're reading this one, possible two ladies passed you by and walked into Walter's open arms. Interesting, the ladies like strange people. Beth Cassidy was right, "Chess players are very sensual!"

2. The standing-room-only crowds and ovations following a dynamic, well-prepared lecture in a prison or Buttner's Childrens' Home in Lubbock, Texas can float you past agonizing loneliness, self-doubt and a hundred worries.

3. To see America.
4. To meet people.
5. To develop tolerance, patience and self-reliance under tremendous pressure (like in the boy scouts) while teaching and playing the great game.
6. To reaffirm your greatness.
7. To help all promoters possible including a 54 year old school teacher who dreamed that after she'd just taught 60 youngsters to play chess, you came along to wow 'em in 1 hour, 15 minutes flat!
8. Because nobody else does anything this crazy, this year. Just imagine the possibilities!
9. It's fun, funny, scary, corny, vaudeville, tiring, but secretly you'll delight in the fact that the shoe must go on.

10. Russell Miller. Who's he? He's the greatest promoter, most reliable, brilliant, unrelenting, and organized chess arranger in the nation, that's who! Seeing him in operation April 6-8, 1971 was to watch forty-five exhibitions in schools, clubs and shopping centers booked from absolutely nothing. Promoting in Yakima, Washington he is second to none in thoroughness at both prison, hospital and public exhibitions. He handles the press totally before and after all Miller promoted exhibitions. He personally handles all tour arrangements for Jude Acers from supplying the chess sets to housing and airline schedule. His efficiency, timing and experience totally explain why he's the Acers' nationwide tour manager in 1972. He is also totally responsible for the fact that Acers will do another tour, period.

Miller is long-time President of the Washington Chess Federation and also heads the East-West Tournament Association as well. No person even approaches the clocklike planning of a Miller Event. His promotional ideas (advertising, wording, exhibitions in shopping centers, chain exhibitions, i.e. 1 high school 1 club-1 hospital-1 shopping center when you hit a town within 24 hours) were refined and put into effect by hundreds of Miller phone calls. He also set up the world-wide photograph of a King County Jail-22 board simultaneous used by all wire services, probably the greatest single promotional play ever used for a touring player up to that time. It was printed in Bombay and the Canary Islands! Boston! Vancouver! Miller's ideas of chess promotion is accurate personal control and knowledge of all phases of his events. HE uses postcard or letter notices to all radio, TV, and newspapers one week or less before a scheduled exhibition. He books all exhibitions and confirms all of them personally. He is totally responsible for the nationwide shopping center circuit which Lubomir Kavelek and Jude Acers used in 1971. HE tries to locate WATTS-line (free long distance) telephones in his area so that in off-business hours he can promote by telephone as well. Ask Miller why he does it.

"It's knowing I do it better than anybody else and trying to be thorough. It's a challenge and interesting. If I don't do it, nobody will." he once said. But just because Miller really is the best in the promoter business doesn't mean that USCF organizers on a local, state, and national level cannot use things that Miller devised for his exhibitions and tournaments. Here are some amazingly simple tips to help readers promote chess in the United States as devised for the Washington Chess Federation appearances of Kavalek and Acers.

1. All exhibitions start on time, period.
2. The master exhibitor has a coke, whistles a tune, watches girls but AVOIDS going near the exhibition hall or classroom, library, etc. until everything is absolutely ready to go. This means the organizer should personally set up all chess sets, tables, chairs, etc. and check sets being set up by players as well. The organizer tips the master on who really worked on the exhibition locally and should be thanked.
3. Only on instruction from the organizer does the exhibitor enter the room and delivers immediately a prepared, entertaining address with at least one problem and game on a demonstration board. (According to Miller the lightweight metal model rushed to Seattle by the United States Chess Federation for an Acers' simultaneous proved entirely adequate for more than twenty different types of exhibitions later booked. It

also withstood the tremendous punishment which Acers' travel places on man and machine, over 8 months. Acers' for example, just comes in and blasts away!

4. Some radio and television stations are visited, if possible, personally by organizer and exhibitor in each city where chess promotion is known to be difficult. In Yakima, Washington alone, Jude Acers did six radio interviews, a 30-minute interview on "Viewpoint" for the education television station and other items.

5. Signboards in every city are a novel way to promote chess. It's just a matter of having a short message in mind, walking into the board location, (i.e. paintshop, hardware store, shopping center) and asking the manager courteously.

6. USCF "how to join", "how to get 'Chess Life & Review'" and local chess club information at each event is an absolute must. No exceptions are allowed under penalty of being hung from the roof of the nearest club. (Miller never missed once!) Sample copies of Chess Life and Regional publications also should be on hand.

7. An exhibition monitor or referee is certain to be kept busy by explaining "en passant" "castling out of check is illegal" "you can take a knight, rook or bishop instead of the queen when pushing your pawn to the eighth rank" etc. In an unbelievable 50 board exhibition at Lancaster, Pennsylvania, two adult opponents were caught moving twice before Acers returned to the board. Acers somehow won anyway, but was visibly shaken by this and other small worries such as players moving the pieces about, analyzing and replacing them in his sight as he approached the board. The Lancaster exhibition happened solely by chance (and the inexperience of the organizers) to be a class in no-noes for the promotion and execution of a simultaneous lecture and exhibition. Here is, according to Acers, exactly what happened:

"I entered the shopping mall at two minutes before 6 pm and had made it clear that I expected to begin immediately at 6 pm. Only two of about thirty people at the chess tables were placing twenty or thirty box sets out. No order prevailed. I just skipped the lecture and introduction entirely and went around and made opening moves on the few boards available. The whole exhibition was poor showmanship on my part (three sets were improperly placed with black square on the right). A large crowd was asking questions nobody could answer. Publicity of the event had played up the sponsor so heavily that local media did not use it at all and many people did not play thinking that the event was for grandmasters. In my opinion, in spite of the large crowd at the shopping center, not one person was introduced to USCF or area chess organizations and the exhibition must be classed as a near failure on that account. And to think I had arrived in the area 72 hours early and had never thought to organize or check last minute promotion or arrangements. Never again!" Don't let this happen to your club exhibition.

8. An exhibition is a gimmick to promote chess. It should be treated as a show and very professionally too.

9. Under no circumstances should the master be required to do anything but lecture, play and leave immediately; collecting money, exhibition tickets, explaining rules, etc. is out. It's hard work, according to grandmaster Browne and Kavalek, and especially for Acers who plays more of them than anyone else in the world.

10. More crowd the better--school cafeterias, a college library. Don't hide a simultaneous.

11. In exhibitions for blind, cripple or very young kids, it is best to throw out the rulebook. Arrive on time with a few simple chess problems and one or two early checkmates and pour on the enthusiasm and warmth. Samples: find the checkmates possible for White:

White: Queen at B8  
King at C3  
Black: King at C1  
or  
White: Queen at B8  
King at C3  
Black: King at A1

Using a few games like Gibaud-Lazard: 1. P-Q4 N-KB3, 2. N-Q2 P-K4, 3. PxP N-N5, 4. P-KR3 N-K6! 5. RESIGNS, or Keres-Opochenky: 1. P-K4 P-QB3 2. P-Q4, P-Q4 3. N-QB3 PxP 4. NxP QN-Q2 5. Q-K2 KN-KB3? 6. N-Q6 Mate, Jude Acers was able to create wild enthusiasm among very young audiences without a miss. Also absolute beginner audiences such as the Techachapi, California prison audiences found Acers' simple explanations of development with the symmetrical Guico Piano very interesting: 1. P-K4 P-K4 2. N-KB3 N-QB3 3. B-B4 B-B4 4. P-Q3 P-Q3 5. N-B3 N-B3 6. B-K3 B-N3! 7. Q-Q2 B-K3 8. B-N3! Q-Q2 9. O-O-O O-O-O 10. KR-K1 KR-K1 and easy to follow general principles were packed into his lecture.

12. Acers' method of opening an exhibition is the best Miller has ever seen. "He enters, acknowledges and thanks the local promoter or warden responsible for the exhibition and simply blasts out a powerful 1 or 2 game lecture with great enthusiasm. He builds his audiences to a peak interest and self confidence and exerts a tremendous power, a kind of chess showmanship. I recommend a 20 minute lecture but have seen Acers do one 2 hours long with a paralyzing grip on listeners. Again, I emphasize that Acers just pours it on non-stop while the audience has fun."

13. If you get an idea to promote an exhibition, try it. Many of my best ideas seemed absurd at first.

14. The most agreeable, easily booked exhibitions are the ones done by players with a lot of experience in this type of show each year. In the United States these Masters are Walter Browne, Arthur Bisquier, Lubomir Kavalek and Acers. Others sometimes available are Larry Evans, William Lombardy, and William Addison. Svetozar Gligoric is among the best foreign exhibitors. He will lecture but you must request it especially.

15. Advance booking of exhibition should be at least six weeks in advance for the best effect.

16. Remember - absolute beginners must know that they are welcome, particularly children or your exhibition is a failure before it begins.

17. A handwritten (!) note report on legal size paper after an exhibition does wonders when dropped under the door or in the mailbox of the local newspaper. We even did this on prison and hospital exhibitions. These reports were invariably used immediately. They should always include local chess club information or at least the name and address of the nearest USCF member.

18. If you have special problems in promotion, make it a special point to write R. W. Miller, President, Washington Chess Federation, PO Box 1631, Yakima WA 98907. We'll both go to work on your area immediately. We are particularly interested in prisons and hospitals (FREE!) as well as large fee exhibitions at shopping center throughout the nation. (We may not be perfect, but we have a great record so far!)

19. The cardinal rule is: "When in doubt, do it yourself!" All housing, meeting the exhibitor at airline terminals, fees and other arrangements should be totally handled by the local organizers. The effect of a successful exhibition and lecture can be stunning and lasts for many years in the minds of young and old alike. One fellow on my 1971 tour told me of a game he played 10-15 years before in a simultaneous against Samuel Reshevsky.

20. We find that publicizing of a chess master is much easier if he does at least one prison or hospital freebee as well. And, of course, the reception of a master and key organizer at a prison is always one of great appreciation.

For Players:

1. Know about Addison, Kaplan, Fischer, Evans, Tarjan, Browne, Rogoff, Koltanowski.
2. Keep an eye out for the ladies.
3. Be a ham; knock those kiddies and the 65 year old ladies in the aisles.
4. Don't be discouraged. Some things go wrong.
5. Lecture and demo board: Full power and prepared. Come on like gangbusters, popping Walter Browne and Fischer wherever you can. Anecdotes left and right are great. IN prisons, walk in like you own the place and pour out enthusiasm.
6. Keep it moving
7. If you can't say something nice about somebody, don't, etc.

8. Fischer comments are a must. Critical evaluation instead of hero worship.

9. Objectivity on the demo board

10. Must give to get: FREEBEEES

11. John Grefe (quiet, nice, deadly simultaneous player)  
Arthur Bisquiere (All American good guy)  
Ken Smith (Catch him on the run)

Walter Browne (likes to get paid but nice when pressed.)

John Hall (The nation's most dangerous dark horse, personable, willing to help, underrated, defines play at Senior Master level. Can be reached at Chess Digest.)

James Tarjan (quiet joker, terrific talent and knowledge)

12. Be as nice as humanly possible. Thank you, Gligorich.

13. Kibitzers are part of the game.

14. Passes avoided.

15. Newspapers, media people are important, high schools, PTA, prisons, clubs bookings.

And now it is almost over, 82 cities in eight months. Somehow, it was priceless, wonderful. I operate best on the move. For something to think about when there was nothing to think about (in places like that horrible Pasco, Washington train depot for instance) I wish to mention my very special thanks to Karl Bach, Mary Elain Mckenize, Suzi Brain, Cam & Fram, Robert Caradien, "Willard" the New York Rock Ensemble, Mary Anne Jones, Helen Milner, Robert Zuk, Cary G. Debessonnet, Karl W. Cavanaugh, Claire "Super Mommy" Baker, Alfred Hitchcock, Dennis "the hustler" Waterman, Susan "Samantha Beckett" Peterson, Willie Sutton, Bobby Fischer, Ed Edmondson, Burt Hochburg, Houdini, Chuck Berry plus the Rolling Stones. Like all professional players, I do not think about Bobby Fischer. I worry about him. Like the Jolly Green Giant, he grows a foot in height daily! To critics and friends alike, my best wishes always,

Jude F. Acers

Trinity College  
Hartford, Connecticut  
September 29, 1971

SNOWHISH COUNTY OPEN, EVERETT  
16 Sept 1972

WHITE: JOHN M. HEATHCOTE  
BLACK: ROBERT A. KARCH

RUY LOPEZ, CLOSED  
Notes by Karch

I spent 3 months in England, and I'm back! While there, I co-directed an international tournament at Southport (U.S., Canada, France, New Zealand, Pakistan, Germany, Holland and Yugoslavia). I was also Controller for a 2500-member postal chess club, and helped edit the CHESSE magazine, circulation 8500. Also played some chess, had long talks with English organizers, was on British TV, and observed the chess congresses at Manchester, Paignton and Brighton.

We've now bought a house in Seattle (Wallingford area). It appears I will become Tournament Director for the Seattle Chess Club and for the Washington Chess Federation (both subject to confirmation).

After the disastrous 1-4 score in the M/E section of the Rose City Open (May 72), I have since scored 100% in Washington events; 5-0 at Spokane (June) and now 3-0 at Everett. John M. Heathcote was my strongest opponent and we mixed it up in the last round. John held winning chances for most of the game.

- 1. PK4 PK4
- 2. NK33 NQB3
- 3. BN5 PQR3
- 4. BR4 NB3
- 5. O0 BK2

In Round 1, I had played 5... NXP against Al White, which continued 6 PQ4 PQN4 7 BN3 PQ4 8 PXP BK3 9 PB3 BQB4 10 QN2 00 11 BB2 NxBP going in to the speculative Dilworth variation which I had lost to John E. Pintar at Portland! Anyway, I always assume that

My oponents will have looked at any games played in earlier rounds.

- 6. RK PQN4
- 7. BN3 PQ3
- 8. PB3 O0
- 9. PKR3 RK

Inaccurate. Black intends the Smyslov system (MCO-11 page 40, col 61) but he waits too long to play ... PR3. Now White can play NKN5 at will, focusing on Elack's weak f7 square.

10. PQ4 BN2  
Intending exchanges on d4 to put pressure on the White KP. If White pushes PQ5, Black moves the QN and then uses the pawn lever (...PQB3) to dissolve the White center.

11. QN2 PXP  
When playing chess, one very often gets an idea and follows it through regardless of consequence. Such as Elack here. Much safer for Elack is ...PR3 to keep out the White Knight.

- 12. PXP NQN5
- 13. PR3

An immediate 13 BXPch is unsound.

- .... NQ6
- 14. BXPch KxB
- 15. QN3ch PQ4
- 16. QxN PXP?

I knew that ...NXP would recover the pawn, but Black is in one of those moods which I think is understandable to every tournament chessplayer.

- 17. NN5ch KN
- 18. N5xKP

Whether to exchange all or some of the minor pieces absorbed a lot of Elack's thinking time in the next few moves. Remember, he is a pawn down and can't be too anxious for the endgame. I thought there might be possibilities either to exploit White's pinned QP or to create favorable complications, using a mate threat along the a8-h1 diagonal.

18.... PB4  
Elack wants his pawn back. If 19 NxBch PxB 20 QKN3ch KR and ...RKN with threats against the g2 square.

19. NN5 QQ4  
Very ambitious. ...QXP, offering the exchange of Queens, could have given Elack fair endgame prospects with his Bishop pair.

20. N2B3 PR3  
This is what it was all about. Elack thinks White's Knight will get trapped.

- 21. RK5 QQ2
- 22. NK6 QRB
- 23. BXP

The crisis. After White made this move, I had that sinking feeling that no defense was possible. I

could just "see" White's Queen on g6 (in fact, why didn't she go there last move?). Finally decided to play a few more moves, and perhaps try to hold the g7 square.

- 23. .... BQ3
- 24. RN5

After the game, White suggested 24 NxBP, which appears to give White an advantage, e.g. (A) 24... RxB 25 PxB BxB 26 NxB QxQ 27 NxB EK5 and 28... KR2. Elack recovers the piece but White's three passed pawns are too much.

(B) 24...BxB 25 NxB RxB 26 NxB wins. In summary, White's initial attacking idea was sound and he could have won.

- 24. .... RxDN
- 25. RXPch QxR
- 26. BxQ EK5
- 27. QK3 KxB
- 28. QN5ch KB2
- 29. RK RKN
- 30. QK3 PXP
- 31. QN3

White was in time trouble. He had about 3 minutes for 9 moves.

- 31. .... BQ4
- 32. RxB BxQ
- 33. RxB BQ4
- 34. NR4 PQ6
- 35. KB RK
- 36. NB5 PQ7

White resigned. It is always discouraging when you lose a "won" game.

For those interested, the American Chess Academy is a definite "Go!" for summer 1973, except that it will be in or near Seattle. No dates set, but either June or July (August conflicts with the U.S. Open). Qualified instructors will be needed - please define your area of emphasis:

- Combinations
- Openings (state which)
- Positional play
- Endings
- Modern Masters

At the moment, I am wide open to ideas. The Northwest will become the cradle of national champions!

EDITORS NOTE:

Robert Karch is new Washington Chess Federation Tournament Director. Steve Chase has resigned but will run Wash. Jr. & Woodpu-sher. Hope to have many more articles from Mr. Karch in future issues. He is going to be able to work full time on chess! He will be running the normally sponsored WCF events starting with Northwest Jr.

# High School In Chess

By Polich

Hello Again! Chess team competition is about ready to commence once again. On the incompetence of your High School Director I schedule the High School meeting for Sept. 9 which happened to be the day that Northwest Chess came out so nobody knew about the meeting. So I will try again to schedule a meeting with all former league directors and team coaches and captains. Also if any of you out there would like to help with the High School Branch this year. So lets try for a meeting date of Nov. 4th at the Burien Library 14700 6th Ave SW Seattle 98146. For those not familiar with high school team competition it goes sort of like this. Each school has a team of five players and each player is assigned a board number beginning at one and ending at five the top player which is the best on the team is assigned board one and this continues on down the line. This probably bores the people that already know about this but I had to think of something to fill up all this space. Anyway, each school is a member of a league and when they play another school Board one plays board one of the other team and board two plays board two and so on. A win on board one gives that team 1 point and a lost gives nothing a draw gives each team 1/2 points and after everybody is done they add up the points and the team with the most points wins. I have found somebody to help with the high school play in the Seattle Area, Theodore Schlager from Ballard High School. Mr. Christopher has found somebody to help in Spokane, Now I need somebody in Bellingham, Everett (Do you here me Howie?) Olympia, Vancouver Washington and other places in Washington that there may be some interest. As for the tournaments to get the Unrated high school players rated. Our great president of the Washington Chess Federation and also the Editor of this magazine does not cease to devote his energy to our favorite pastime and by this time has directed tournaments in Yakima and in Pasco for the purpose of getting the young player's rated. However I did not tell him in time to get it properly announced. So all you high school players in Spokane there will be a tournament in Spokane for you on Oct. 14 so look in the tournament section or a little after that for an announcement about it and for more information. Mr. Stephen Christopher will probably be directing if I can't make it over there. A note to all the high schools should be coming out pretty soon for more information and on registration. Remember the important meet-

ing on Nov 4th at the Burien Library. 14700 6th Ave SW. I have some of last years league results so I will present them now. Also the results from the Eastmont Scholastic Open held Sept. 16. Dave Collyer directed.

## Final Standings for Leagues Puget Sound League Bill Latrop Director

1. Olympic Junior High	8-2
2. Auburn High	7½-2½
3. Mt. Rainier High	7½-2½
4. Sumner High	7-3
5. Enumclaw	6½-3½
6. Kentridge	6½-3½
7. Evergreen	4-6
8. Glacier	3½-6½
9. Federal Way	2½-7½
10. Kent-Meridan	1½-8½
11. Tye	½-9½

## Seattle Metro League SMC Duncan Director

1. Franklin	10½-1
2. Roosevelt	10-1
3. Rainier Beach	9-2
4. Kennedy	8½-2½
5. Foster	7-4
6. Lincoln	4½-6½
7. Hazen	4-7
8. Seattle Prep	3½-7½
9. Ballard	3-8
10. West Seattle	3-8
11. Ingraham	2½-8½

Each Score includes one buy

## Kingco League Stephen Christopher Director

1. Bothell	4½-½
2. Redmond	4-1
3. Belluvue	3-2
4. Mercer Island	2-3
5. Newport	1-4
6. Lake Washington	½-4½

## Pierce County League

1. Sumner	5-0
2. Mt. Tahoma	4-1
3. Lincoln	3-2
4. Lakes	2-3
5. Clover Park	1-4
6. Peninsula	0-5

1. Bellarmine	5-0
2. Stadium	4-1
3. Wilson	3-2
4. Curtis	2-3
5. Rogers	1-4
6. Washington	0-5

## Fastmont Scholastic Open Sept. 16-Wenatchee

Dave Collyer-Director		
1. Bob Allyn	1510	3-0
2. Steve Yeager	1671	3-0
3. Tom Allyn	1231	2-1
4. Todd Damish	Unr	2-1
5. Dave Sandberg	Unr.	2-1
6. Hugh Putnam	1136	2-1
7. Jim Kirschner	Unr	1½-1½
8. Paul Carlson	Unr.	1½-1½
9. Tom Meekin	1229	1-2
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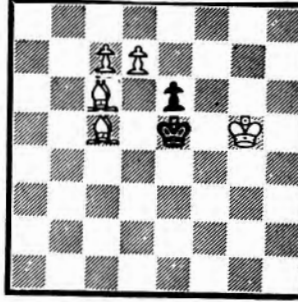
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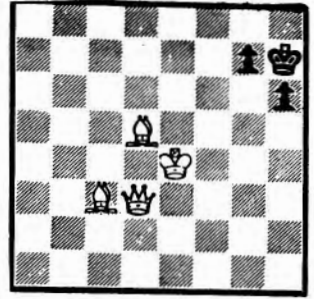


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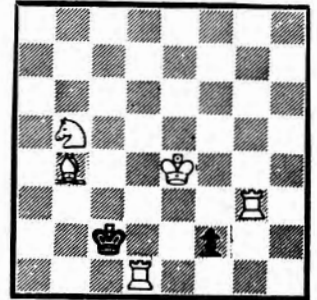
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## INLAND EMPIRE TRIANGULAR OPEN September 9 & 10

1. Ron Deike	1474	W20	W19	W5	W3	D2	4-1
2. Wilfred Ross	1789	W16	W12	W9	W7	D1	4-1
3. Al Sackett	1638	W15	W8	W4	L1	W7	4-1
4. Doug Adams	1970	W11	W10	L3	W13	W9	4-1
5. Roger Calhoun	1888	W24	W13	L1	W12	W10	4-1
6. Eric Trail	1500	W23	L7	W24	W11	W8	4-1
7. Mike Wickwire	Unr.	W22	W6	W14	L2	L3	3-2
8. Don Buffington	Unr.	W31	L3	W18	W14	L6	3-2
9. Bob Bowley	Unr.	W17	W32	L2	W19	L4	3-2
10. Bob Jacobsen	1395	W18	L4	W28	W17	L5	3-2
11. Dennis Finn	Unr.	L4	W23	W27	L6	W17	3-2
12. Dave Winkel	1263	W34	L2	W25	L5	W21	3-2
13. Allen Thompson	1331	W29	L5	W30	L4	W18	3-2
14. Stephen Sala	1520	W25	W27	L7	L8	W20	3-2
15. Joe Huffman	Unr.	L3	L17	W34	W27	W19	3-2
16. Bob Gill	Unr.	L2	L18	W29	D25	W24	2-2
17. Darrell Schwartz	Unr.	L9	W15	W26	L10	L11	2-3
18. Ermae Morris	Unr.	L10	W16	L8	W30	L13	2-3
19. Stephen Christopher	1707	W28	L1	W21	L9	L15	2-3
20. Joey Monforton	Unr.	L1	L24	W22	W28	L14	2-3
21. Steve Rowles	Unr.	D26	W22	L19	D24	L12	2-3
22. Dennis Doyle	Unr.	L7	L21	L20	W29	W25	2-3
23. Charlton Mills	Unr.	L6	L11	LF	W26	W28	2-3
24. Bill Gamble	Unr.	L5	W20	L6	D21	L16	1-3
25. Vern Johnson	Unr.	L14	W31	L12	D16	L22	1-3
26. Rick Blumhagen	Unr.	D21	L33	L17	L23	W27	1-3
27. Dennis Williams	Unr.	Bye	L14	L11	L15	L26	1-4
28. Glen Goedde	Unr.	L19	W29	L10	L20	L23	1-4
29. Richard Myers	Unr.	L13	L28	L16	L22	Bye	1-4
30. Joe Grubich	Unr.	L32	W34	L13	LF	LF	1-4
31. Boyde Veltri	Unr.	L8	L25	Bye	LF	LF	1-4
32. Jim White	1696	W30	L9	LF	LF	LF	1-4
33. Dave Rupel	2030	LF	W26	LF	LF	LF	1-4
34. Jeff Rice	Unr.	L12	L30	LF	LF	LF	0-5

## MONARCH OPEN Inland Empire Chess Club

1. S. Christopher	1707	W5	W8	W4	W7	W3	5-0
2. Pat Herbers	2050	L3	W5	W14	W4	W7	4-1
3. Al Sackett	1638	W2	D10	W13	W6	L1	3-1
4. Jim Tamura	1736	W12	W9	L1	L2	W10	3-2
5. Bob Bowley	Unr.	L1	L2	W12	W15	W14	3-2
6. Ed Rodriguez	Unr.	L8	W12	W9	L3	W11	3-2
7. Thomas Samsel	1716	D14	W11	W10	L1	L2	2-2
8. Eric Berman	1650	W6	L1	L11	W14	D9	2-2
9. Vern McCrea	1657	W15	L4	L6	W13	D8	2-2
10. Stu Pearson	1815	W13	D3	L7	D11	L4	2-3
11. Rick Bristol	Unr.	D16	L7	W8	D10	L6	2-3
12. Robert Stamps	938	L4	L6	L5	Bye	W15	2-3
13. Eric Trail	1500	L10	W15	L3	L9	Bye	2-3
14. Allen Thompson	1331	D7	W16	L2	L8	L5	1-3
15. Mike Means	Unr.	L9	L13	Bye	L5	L12	1-4
16. Jim White	1696	D11	L14	LF	LF	LF	1-4

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10	Abrahamson	1903

## CLASS "A"

11	Holmberg	1888
12	Mitchell	1888
13	Nourse	1867
14	Norman	1849
15	Groschl	1818
16	Briker J.	1804
17	Espey R.	1804
18	Vannatta F.	1778
19	Price	1768
20	Briker R.	1765
21	Hanlen	1764
22	Nalepa	1748
23	Drake	1726
24	Reh	1723
25	Hargreaves	1719
26	Lamb	1690
27	Vanatta R.	1684
28	Kern	1631
29	Becker	1607
30	Bjornson	1619
31	Weke	1616
32	Moye	1606
33	Dalman	1601
34	Wolthausen	1601

## Results from Aug 27 to Sept 27

72W07A	Becker	8	Wickham
72W07B	Becker	8	Wickham
71B2B 1/2	Espey S.	31	Becker
72AA3A	Weke	8	Wickham
72AA3B	Weke	8	Wickham
71AM2A	Norman	20	Reid
71AM3E	Norman	16	Reid
72XA4B	Groschl	55	VanNatta
71AA10A	LaVergne	13	Espey R.
71AA10B	LaVergne	10	Espey R.
72AA3A	LaVergne	8	Wickham
72AA3B	LaVergne	8	Wickham
71AH5B	Wolthausen	63	Hargreaves
72C1A	McCord	62	Evans
72C1B	McCord	56	Evans
72C1A	Wickham	78	Evans
72C1B	Wickham	70	Evans
72AA1A	Abrahamson	63	Mitchell
72A1B	Mitchell	17	Anderson
71M4B	Norman	58	Hanlen J.
71W06A	Englehard	33	Neubauer
71W06B	Englehard	26	Neubauer
72AA2A	Moye	60	Dalman
72AA2B	Holmes	8	Moye
72A1A	Becker	48	Anderson
72A1B	Becker	39	Anderson
71AM5B	F.Vannatta	59	McClenan
72A4A	Wagner	39	Hayami
72A4B	Hayami	31	Wagner
72A3A	Wagner	53	Chase
72A3B	Wagner	42	Chase
71AM1B	Drake	25	Running
72B3A	Lamb	50	Payne
72B3B	Lamb	40	Payne
71AH6A	Nourse	29	Wolthausen
72B3A	Hargreaves	46	Payne
72B3B	Hargreaves	37	Payne
72C2A	Jones	26	Webb
72A8B	Parsons	18	Norman
72M1D	Drake	40	Norman
71W02A	Norman	42	Becker
72AA1B	Norman	62	Abrahamson
72AA2A	Holmes	8	Dalman
72A4A 1/2	Moye	22	Groschl
72M7A	Skarsten	99	R. Vanatta
71AH7A	Mitchell	20	Becker
71AA8A	Abrahamson	61	Mitchell
71AH5A	Groschl	23	Galloway
71AH5B	Groschl	18	Galloway
71AH5B	Dalman	45	Galloway

## 1970 B4

Hargreaves	A 1-1 1/2	B 1-2 1/2	4-2
*Hagen	1-1 1/2	1-1 1/2	5-1
McCord	1-0 1/2	1-0 1/2	2-4
Cyr	0-0 1/2	0-0 1/2	1-5

## 1970 B6

*Dalman	A -1 1/2	B -1 1/2	5 1/2 - 1/2
Hardy	0-1 1/2	0-1 1/2	2-4
Webb	0 1/2 - 1/2	0 1/2 - 1/2	2-4
Hargreaves	0 1/2 - 1/2	1 1/2 - 1/2	2 1/2 - 3 1/2

## 1972 AA1

Mitchell	A -1 1/2	B -1 1/2	4-2
Bieker	0-0 0	0-0 0	0-6
Norman	0 1 - 0	0 1 - 1	3-3
*Abrahamson	1 1/2 - 1	1 1/2 - 1	5-1

## 1971 AH7

Becker	A -0 1/2	B -0 1/2	4-2
*Mitchell	1-1 1/2	1-1 1/2	6-0
Bieker	0 0 - 1	0 0 - 1	2-4
Gartner	0 0 - 0	0 0 - 0	0-6

## 1971AA9

.....	A -0 0	B -0 0	0-6
Mitchell	1-0 0	1-1 1/2	2 1/2 - 3 1/2
*Briker J.	1 1 - 1	1 1 - 1	5-1
Abrahamson	1 1/2 - 1	1 1/2 - 1	4 1/2 - 1 1/2

## 1971 AH5

Dalman	A -0 1/2	B -1 1/2	3 1/2 - 2 1/2
*Groschl	1-1 1/2	1-1 1/2	5-1
Mitchell	0 1/2 - 1	1 0 - 1	3 1/2 - 2 1/2
Galloway	0 0 - 0	0 0 - 0	0-6

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