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## Congress results

The 1995-96 NZ Championship title has been shared by IM Russell Dive, FM Martin Dreyer and NM Bob Smith - it is Bob's first title, and Martin qualified for NZ Master. The Reserve Championship has been won by Nigel Metge and the Major Open by Nigel's son, Russell. The NZ Rapid title has been won by Russell Dive.

## 1996 NZCF events

The 1996-97 Congress will be held at North Shore in Auckland, and the NZ Junior and Age Group Championships in Wellington in the second week of the July vacation. Venues are still under consideration for the NI and SI Championships and for the NZ Women's Championship.

## Olympiad team

At Congress the selectors announced that FM Anthony Ker, FM Martin Dreyer and NM Bob Smith have been selected for the 1996 Olympiad team, with Mark Sinclair also confirmed at board 6 . That leaves two vacancies.

Also confirmed was the selection of Vivian Smith in the women's team.

## FIDE rating list

The January 1996 FIDE rating list includes IM Russell Dive at 2430 . GM V Kramnik has joined Kasparov on 2775 at the top of the list (see Horgen result, p 25 ), ahead of Karpov and Ivanchuk.

COVER: A new face has appeared at the top in world chess. Kirsan $N$ Iljumzhinov who is President of the Kalmyk Republic in Russia (centre of the cover photo) has taken over as President of FIDE from Florencio Campomanes, who has been appointed FIDE Chairman. FIDE world champion Anatoly Karpov is at left.

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## 5th World Senior Championship

The 5th World Senior Championship was held in Bad Liebenzell in the Black Forest， Germany，from November 12 to 26 ．There was a record entry this year－ 213 players， 193 men and 24 women－and the field included $8 \mathrm{GMs}, 5 \mathrm{IMs}$ and 11 FMs ．There were 20 players without titles from Russia！
The defending champion Mark Taimanov could not make it three in a row．The 11－ round swiss was won by Moscow GM Evgeny Vasiukov with 9 points．The main surprise was the success of Austrian Heinz Baumgartner 2295 who shared second place with Boris Katalymov 2460，of Kazakstan，on $81 / 2$ ．Baumgartner gained an IM with this result．
In 4th to 9 th place on 8 were Gms A Khasin RUS，M Taimanov RUS，A Suetin RUS，A Lein USA and $B$ Gurgenidze GEO，and $J$ Muchin UZB．Among 10 players on $71 / 2$ was New Zealand expatriate IM Bob Wade ENG， and sharing $20=$ on 7 was IM Ortvin Sarapu． GM Matulovic YUG was 43＝．
The women＇s championship was clearly won by ex－world champion Nona Gaprindashvili GEO，with $101 / 2 / 11$ ！Well back in second place on 8 were T Khmiadashvili GEO and V Kozlovskaya RUS．
Bob Wade played as well as ever and won a game when 2 pawns down！He had 2 losses and 6 wins．I was pleased that I did not lose a single game，but my plan to get $71 / 2$ did not materialise．In my 4 senior championships I have played 44 games for 14 wins， 2 losses and 28 draws，which is not bad．But 28 draws is too much！

## Acknowledgement

NZCF acting president Ted Frost and council member Tim Frost wish to acknowledge the many messages of sympathy received following the death of Ted＇s wife Adrienne，on November 28，after a short illness．

15．0－0－0 Exg7 16．Bhel e6 17．Id4 日g
 21．见b3 日c6 22. 亿xe6！1－0
After 22．．．fxe6 $23.9 \times \mathrm{e} 6+$（8d8 24.0 e 7 wins a rook．

My third win was in round 8 ，against a Geman who also scored 7 points．

Sarapu，O－Bierwisch，B
Sicilian Defence
Notes by Ortvin Sarapu
1．e4 c5 2． 2 f 3 \＆c6 $3 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.5 \times \mathrm{d} 4$ \＆f6 5． 2 c 3 d 6 6． 1 g 5 e 6 7．．．d2 a6 8．0－0－0 h6 9．${ }^{\text {Le }} 3$
In the 9th round Katalymov lost a pawn against Khasin by quickly playing 9．©h4？ Black played 9．．． $5 \times 4$ ！etc．

## 9．．．Ad7 10．f3 Ec8

Here the books prefer 씁c7．
11．©b1 Exd4 12．© xd4 2c6 13．g4 ©d7 14．h4 b5 15．2d3 乌e5 16．븨f2 皆e7 17．a3？！ This gives Black counterplay on the b－file． 17．．．씁b7 18．g5 b4 19．axb4 $0 \times \mathrm{d} 320 . \mathrm{cxd} 3$ e5？


21．\＆b6！\＆e7 22．Bhg1 g6 23．f4 h×g5 24．h×g5 \＃b8 25 ．\＆as exf4 $26.4 \times f 4$ घc8 27．d4 5 f8 28．d5 \＆b5
It is clear that White has a big advantage in position，and a pawn as well．
29．e5 Ec4 30．ㅆ．قe3 Md7 31．e6？
Both players are in time trouble．I should have opened the e－file by exd6 and egel etc． 31．．．fxe6 32．dxe6 늡6 33．2d5 $\quad$ Ef5 34．．．a7？

With the idea of giving mate，but now with only seconds left my opponent misses a forced win！
34．．．今c1＋！！35．由a2
Not 35．
35．．．畄c4＋？？
35．．．Ac4＋wins． $36 . \mathrm{b} 3$ 씁a4＋ 37. 亩b2 $^{\text {b }}$畑a1＂．

Black resigned，but he had already lost on time！

## All－Canterbury Championship

By Alistair Compton
For the second year in succession the All－ Canterbury championship was held as a weekend swiss．It was played over 5 rounds with a time limit of 36 in 90 minutes，then the clocks came back 30 minutes to finish the game．
There were 12 entries，including 3 from Ashburton and Gavin Dawes，a correspondence player from Christchurch Only 8 players from Canterbury CC entered．
The result was a win for Nick Cummings， who was unbeaten on 4／5．Second place was share by Arie Nijman and Matthew McNabb． Alistair Compton，Thor Russell and Tony Norriss were next on 3 ，and Norriss won the B grade．
The big surprise of the tournament was the defeat of number 1 seed，Alistair Compton， by Gavin Dawes in round 2．This was only the second game Gavin has played in over－ the－board competition！

## Cummings， $\mathbf{N}$－Scarf， $\mathbf{R}$

1．d4 d5 2．g3 \＆f6 3．Ig2 e6 4．0f3 Ec6？ $5.0-0$ dd6 $6 . \mathrm{c} 4$ 씁d7！ $7.8 \mathrm{bd} 2 \mathrm{~b} 68 . \mathrm{b3}$ Sb7 Sb2 0－0－0？10．Ec1 h6 11．c5 le7 12．b4！b5 $13 . a 4$ Exb4？14．母e5 怕e8 15．씁b3 乌c6 16．axb5 \＆xe5 17．dxe5 \＆e4
 21．Id4 笪xd4 22．씁xd4 甾d8 23．븝xd8

 tya6 30． g b3 1－0

## Where＇s my cut Paul？

What makes a game worthy of a best game prize？Most people would agree that among the required ingredients are logic，creativity and perhaps a certain unexpected twist to press home the advantage．

But there is another element that is often overlooked，but even more essential．I＇m referring to the person on the other side of the board－the loser．His or her input is crucial． If the opponent＂lays down and dies＂without a fight，there can be no best game award． Only fierce resistance at a decent standard can help to win the victor the prize．

As the victim in the following game，I would like to think that my contribution helped to create an interesting fight and earn Paul Garbett the best game award for this year＇s Waitakere Trust Open．All three judges ［Anthony Ker，Ortvin Sarapu and Ewen Green］gave top marks to the game，making it the clear winner．
Paul makes a habit of winning best game awards at the Waitakere Trust Open－and I am often his co－author．On behalf of all players everywhere who have come second in ＂best games＂，I ask［tongue in cheek］where＇s my cut，Paul？The prize this time was $\$ 50.00$ ．

## Garbett，P－Smith，R W French Defence <br> Notes by Anthony Ker

1．e4 e6 $2 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{~d} 53.5 \mathrm{c} 3$ 0f6 4．2g5 De7 5．e5 Qfd7 6．h 4

The Alekhine－Chatard variation of the French Defence．It is considered very dangerous for Black to accept the pawn White offers with his last move．Incidentally， a message on the Internet suggests a boycott of the French Defence，following France＇s resumption of nuclear testing at Mururoa． This game was played before the boycott was suggested．

## $6 . . . c 5$

Black may have considered 6．．．a6，to stop White＇s next move．
covers $e 8$ and 45 ，and none of his pawns can move without loss．
 41． $2 \times b 5$ 是b8 42．Lc6 $9 \times b 443 . \$ \times d 5 \mathrm{~d} 3$

Black will lose his remaining pawns and White still has one pawn left．Bishop and rook $v$ rook is a draw［although difficult to defend sometimes］．Here the extra pawn ensures a win to White．
The B grade best game prize went to Aaron Taupaki for his win over Mark Gilmour， which also impressed the judges［August $N Z$ Chess， p 9］and the C grade prize was won by fast－improving Daniel Goudie，for his game against Steve Te Kani．

1996 Asian teams tourney
The 1996 Asian teams tournament will be held in Dubai，in the United Arab Emirates， from June 16 to June 30，and the organising committee has distributed an attractive coloured brochure about the popular event．
The tournament will be held shortly before the 1996 Olympiad，which could limit the opportunity for New Zealand players to take part－or，if they have the time available，it could encourage entry．Any player， preferably with a rating of $2000+$ ，who is interested in joining a team to go to Dubai，or wants more information about $i t$ ，is invited to advise NZCF．

## Howick－Pakuranga invitational 30／30

Following on from last year，the Howick－ Pakuranga CC organised three $30 / 30$ events， played concurrently over a 5 －week period in October．Invitations were sent to other Auckland clubs，and players accepting were Paul Frost and Nigel Hopewell from ACC， Bruce Tidey，Viv Smith and Bob Smith from Waitemata．
Groups consisted of 9 players，graded on rating，and playing a round－robin format．
Group 1 had an average rating over 1900 and included last year＇s winner Bob Smith， former NZ champion Ewen Green，current NZ correspondence champion Graham Banks and NZ women＇s champion Vivian Smith． Bob demonstrated good form to win with $71 / 2 / 8,1 \frac{1}{2}$ points clear of second placegetters Paul Spiller and Nigel Hopewell on 6. Ewen＇s early losses to both Spiller and Hopewell meant he had to settle for 4th on 5.

Group 2 was won by Clive Wilson with $51 / 2 / 8$ ，despite losing his last 2 games．Jim Porter was 2nd on 5，followed by Julius Bojtor and Bruce Tidey on 4．This group was very closely contested，with only $11 / 2$ points separating the top 7.
Group 3 saw a runaway victory for improving local，Rhys Starr，who scored 8／8． NZ Chess

By Paul Spiller
David Rawnsley put in a good effort to finish second on 7／8．
The game between the runners－up in group 1.

## Hopewell， N －Spiller， P

1．d4 Ef6 $2 . \boxminus \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~d} 5$ 3．具g Ee4！？4．0xe4
 8． Axd 2 ec6 9．e3 e5 $10 . \mathrm{b} 4$ a5 $11 . \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{axb} 4$ 12．cxb4 تa3 13．Ac4 Je7 14．乌e2 0－0 15．0－0 Efd8 16．Ac3 \＆g4 17．f3 Ah5 18．©f2
 Sg5 22．bf2 Sh4＋［

## FIDE World Championships

The FIDE Women＇s World Championship final between reigning champion Xie Jun CHI and Szuzsa Polgar HUN will be held in Jaen，Spain，between January 30 and February 23，1996．There will be a prize fund of US $\$ 200,000$ ．
Negotiations for the men＇s final are still under way，and the 1995 FIDE Congress was advised that a company known as High Rank Productions holds an option for the event to held in the northern summer of 1996 in Montreal，under the auspices of the Chess Federation of Canada．

## S．I．decider－was White really better？

Tony Dowden writes to the editor of $N Z$ Chess：
The Bennett－Coates game which decided the 1995 South Island Championship［ $N Z$ Chess，October，p．12］intrigued me． happened to drop into the tournament for half an hour while on the way to a conference in Christchurch and so saw the passage of play from about move 10 to move 14．At the time everyone was convinced that White had managed to win right in the first few moves of the opening －however，I felt unconvinced
My insights into the game are given in the notes which follow．

## Bennett，H－Coates，S

South Island Championship（R 9）， 1995 Notes by Tony Dowden




## 8．$勹 \mathrm{f} 3+71$

In my view a mistake．I＇ve played the White pieces before and felt that $8 . \searrow \mathrm{f} 3+$ is too optimistic．Better is 8.5 g 6 which I have tried with success（but should be $=$ ）． Probably best is $8 . d 4$ ！which I would like to try．The black 尚 should be able to emerge or cost White too much material． 8．．．定 7 9．d4 d6 10. ©f4
What if $10 . @$ e3！？It seems better，since the $\Phi$ can＇t be hit by g5．However，10．．．$Q 4$ 11. Obd2 Sf6！seems effective－if the white $\mathbb{H}$ moves to f 2 then ．．．$\delta \mathrm{e} 4$ liquidates，
e．g．， $12.0-0-0$ 0－0 13．Wf 4 E4． $10 . . \Phi g 4$ $11.5 \mathrm{bd} 20-0-0$ ？
10．．．©g4 11．©bd2


11．．．0－0－0？
A serious mistake and should lose the game．It looks o．k．but the $Q_{\mathrm{e}} \mathrm{e} 7$ is loose and the $\Phi \mathrm{c} 8$ is exposed to a $Q \mathrm{~h} 3 \mathrm{pin} /$ check． Best is $11 \ldots . .{ }^{\circ} 8$ ，perhaps with a ！！．It appears to win easily，e．g．， $12.0-0-0 \mathrm{~g} 5$ ！ ［best］13．Qe3［13．Qg27 尚xh2 wins every time－the 愭e2 is unprotected］Qxf3 14.6 xf 3 ［there is no $14 . Q \mathrm{~h} 3$ escape clause］ g 4 etc．
12．0－0－0 g5 13．＠e3＠f6 14．崮f 2 气h6
 18．Уf1 Exe3＋19． $5 x=3$＠xd4 20．hxg4＠xe3





## President to visit clubs

Newly－elected NZCF President Ted Frost reports that he intends to visit as many clubs as possible during the coming year． In the course of a personal visit to Christchurch in January he will meet Canterbury CC officers．
He will attend the NZ Masters Games in Dunedin early in February，and will visit Ashburton and Otago Ccs．He also hopes to meet players in Timaru and Oamaru．

Our selection of games starts with two played by Russell Dive and one by Ben Martin in British toumaments．British GM Raymond Keene published the first game in his column in The Times，calling it＂a masterpiece of strategic strangulation．＂

## Dive，R J－Fink

Sixth Cafe Baroque tournament，London

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\text { (R2), } 1995
$$

 d6 6．0－0 §c6 7．今c3 e5 8．d5 今e7 9．e4 Qg4

 17．fxe4 a6 18．b4 Og4 19．Qg1 Qh6 20．We2


 1－0

Dive，R J－McMahon
Sixth Cafe Baroque toumament，London （R3）， 1995
1．d4 Sf6 2．c4 e6 3．2c3 d5 4．cxd5 exd5 5．Qg5今bd7 6．e3 ©b4 7．Qd3 0－0 8．பge2 c5 9．0－0 c4
 14．bxc3＠b7 15．©h4 刿6 16．＠f2 a6 17．今g 3 g6 18．تfel h5 19．马e2 Qc6 20 ．马ae1 刿7 $21 . e 4$ h4 22．⿹f5 gxf5 23．Wg5＋由h8 24．e5 Sh7
 28．（1） $6+1-0$

## Martin，B－Condie，M

 SCCU ， 1995$1 . \mathrm{e} 4$ 〇f6 2．e5 今（15 3．d4 d6 4．今f3 Qg4 5．Qe2

 0 仑ी
 20．㲂 7 1－0

NZ Junior selection
Wong，K－Guthrie，D
NZ Junior，Auckland（R5）， 1995
Notes by David Guthrie
1．d4 d5 2．c4 e6 3．©c 3 －̂f6 4．cxd5 exd5 5．Qg 5 c6 6．Wc2 Qe7 7．e3 0－0 8．Wd3 乌́bd7 9．h3 辺e8 10.5 ge 2 今f8 $11 . \mathrm{g4}$＠e6！

11．．．a5
12．0－0－0 0 6d7 13．＠f4 +
NZ Chess

## Games

## 13．©xe7

13．．．b5 14． 5 g 3 ？a5？
14．．．g5！
15．）f5 $\Phi x f 5$ 16．gxf5I？a4 17. Edg1
With the idea of Bh6．
 21．堍2！

21．．．c4 22．＠c2 今b6？
22．．．Bf6
23． © 7 ？
23．Be5 f6 $24 . \mathrm{Qg} 4$ or $23 .$. Bf6 $24 . \mathrm{Bf} 6 \mathrm{gxf} 6$ $25 . \mathrm{Qg} 4$
档5干27．＠d6 写ee8 28．档e2


28．．．54xa4 29．bxa4 岮66 30．＠f4 b3 31．axb3
诣b＋
35．Kd1 b2 36．e4 dxe4
0－1
Hartigan， $\mathbf{C}$－Ramachandran，$M$
NZ Junior \＆Age Group Champs， 1995
 5．Ge1 0－0 6．c3 a6 7．©a4 b5 8 ．©c2 ©c5 9．d4 ＠d6 10． 0 bd2 exd4 11．cxd4＠b4 12．a3 $\oplus \mathbf{e} 7$ 13．⿹勹f1 d5 14．exd5 岮xd5 15．Шd3 b4 16．Qg5

 22．．．${ }^{\text {Exe7 }}$ 23．哕6．23．©b3＋1－0

Te Kani，S－Goudie，D
NZ Junior \＆Age Group Champs， 1995 $1 . \mathrm{c} 4$ Yf6 $2.0 \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{e} 63 . \mathrm{d} 3 \mathrm{c5} 4 . \mathrm{e} 4$ 气⿵ c 65. ． g 5 Qe7 6．＠f4 d6 7．§f3 a6 8．© 2 2 0－0 9．0－0 ©d7 $10 . a 4$ §ुb4 11．＠e3 e5 12.9 d5 Sfxd5 13．exd5 f5 14．Qd2 a5 15．今́el g5 16．b3 召f7 17．h3 由g7

18． 5 c 2 日f8 19． 2 xb 4 axb4 $20 . \mathrm{g} 4$ f4 21. ． f 3
 25．Th2 b5 26．cxb5 ©xb5 27．Ehh1＠a6 28．岁e4 ©f6 29．怕e2 e4 30．＠xe4＠xa1 31．日xa1
 35．©xd3 Uxd3 36．${ }^{-1} h 3$ h5 37．hxg5 hxg4＋


## A sharp finish

Dreyer，M－Wheeler，B
Auckland CC Champs， 1995
1．d4 e6 2. 〇ff 0 ff $3 . \mathrm{c} 4 \mathrm{d5} 4.5 \mathrm{cc} 3 \mathrm{c5} 5 . \mathrm{cxd5}$仑xd5 6．e4 Exc3 7．bxc3 cxd4 8．cxd4 Sc6 9．©e2＠b4＋10．＠d2＠xd2＋11．Шxd2 0－0 12．0－0 当f6 13．＠b5＠d7 14．马ab1 思fd8 15．Ifd1 ©e8 16．We3 Eac8 17．d5 exd5 18．exd5 今ie7 19．Qxe8 Exe8 20．Uxa7 Ef5

 28． 2 e 5 与g8


29．${ }^{\text {Ig }}$ 6！1－0
Decisive Otago game
John Sutherland won his second Otago Easter tourney，and to succeed had to win this decisive game against FM Tony Love．

[^0] e5 9．dxe6
This move looks obvious enough，but 9．＠g3 is preferable．Black＇s development now becomes very easy．
9．．．Qxe6 10．e4 气c6 $11 . ⿹ 勹 \mathrm{O} 3$
Not 11．©xd67 登d8 12．e5 今xe5．
11．．．0－0－0 12．＠e2 ©e7 13．0－0 d5
A safe alternative is 13 ．．． $\mathrm{E}=514$. ．xe5 ［14．b4 $\Theta x f 3$＠xf3 g5，with advantage to
 edge for Black．

A real clanger after which White＇s dark－ squared bishop becomes very powerful．
 16．．．Exd6 17．Rfd1 Rhd8，when Black retains a small plus．
16．9d2！
Threatening $17 . \mathrm{Qg}_{\mathrm{g}}$ followed by $18 . \mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{c}} \mathrm{c} 4$ ． The black king is starting to feel decidedly uncomfortable．
16．．．8e7
Black has no good move．
17．Qg4＋©e6 18．今c4 㞱a6 19．©xe6＋Шxe6？
Black is forced to play 19．fxe6．White has a considerable advantage，but at least Black is still in the game．

The end is swift after $22 \ldots$ ．．．axb6 23. ． b a 8 $\ddagger \mathrm{d} 7$ 24． $\mathrm{G} \times \mathrm{xb} 7 \#$

## Canterbury game

Canterbury vice－president Geoff Davies scored a $6 / 6$ picket fence to win the Cas $L$ Hart tournament，helped by a couple of opponenents who turned winning edges into losses．

Russell，T－Davies，G
Chas L Hart Trophy，Christchurch， 1995
1．d4 d5 $2 . \mathrm{c} 4$ e6 3． 5 c 3 c5 $4 . \mathrm{cxd5}$ cxd4 5 ．Uxd4
 Qc5 10．e3 Ue7 11．＠c4 0－0－0 $12.0-0$ g5
今g4 17．g3 仓xh2！18．b4

18．由xh2 h4 19．©h $5 \mathrm{hxg} 3+20 . \mathrm{fxg} 3 \mathrm{~g} 4$ ！ 18．．．今xf1 19．बxf1 安d6 20．芭c1 由b8 21．今e2


 32． ©h 2 \＃h $8+33$ ．$\oplus h 3$ Exh $3+0-1$

## 11－year－olds beat IMs and a GM

By IM Ortvin Sarapu

There was a sensational result in a 1995 tournament in Calcutta，when an 11－year－ old beat a grandmaster．Bobby Fischer was 15 when he beat his first GM，and 30 years later Judit Polgar was 13 when she beat her first GM．In Calcutta 11－year－old Surya Shekhar Ganguly beat a GM at the Goodricke Open．His opponent was $G$ Serper ELO 2590，from Uzbekistan，who played at baord 2 in the Manila Olympiad 1992，when Uzbekistan finished second to Russia．

Serper，G－Ganguly，S S
Goodrich Open，Calcutta， 1995 Notes by Ortvin Sarapu
$1 . \mathrm{c} 4$ §f6 $2.5 \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{d5} 3 . \mathrm{cxd5}$ 今xd5 $4 . \mathrm{g} 3 \mathrm{~g} 6$
 9．Qh6 ©h8 10．h4
The G．M．bopes for a short game so he can take part in a tour of the city！
10．．．c6 11．h5 Ed5 12．hxg6 hxg6
White intended $13 . \mathrm{U}_{\mathrm{g}} 5$ and $14 . \S \mathrm{h} 4$ ，but this plan is met by Exc3！
13．〇f 3 § 7 14． 8 g 5 §7f6 15．Qf3
To stop Êg4．Black is very cool！
15．．．©g4 16． ®xd5 $^{\text {cxd5 17．0－0－0 }}$
Against another GM Serper would probably play $\mathrm{g}_{\mathrm{f}} 1$ and $\mathrm{\Phi}_{\mathrm{g}} 2$ here．
17．．．䣊6 18． $\mathrm{Eh}^{2}$ ©xf3 19．exf3？
White does not like $\Theta x f 3$ ，as then $U_{\mathrm{Eff}} \mathrm{x}$ wins a pawn．Perhaps then his $\ddagger$－side attack could break through．

With the idea of Bb 5 ，for example 21． E dh 1 Zb 522. Qf8 今h5．

## 21．Sh 3 d4

With the idea of Gh5 for defence！
22．⿹勹g5 气d5 23．\＃dh1 马ac8 24．＠f8＠f6！

$26 .$. ©f6 also wins material and the game， but the junior saw a favourable endgame．

Here 28．Фxcl loses to $28 \ldots$ ．． $\mathrm{Qf} 6 \pm 29$ ．Nxf6昭xf6 and $9 \mathrm{c} 7-\mathrm{e} 6$ wins the $Q$ on $\mathrm{f8}$ ．


White cannot save his d 3 pawn and the endgame is winning for Black．Perhaps Serper hopes to get a perpetual？！








## Britain＇s youngest qualifier

In Britain another 11－year－old，Luke McShane，has also made a spectacular mark，beating four IMs in a short burst during 1995，and becoming the youngest player ever to qualify for the British Championship－beating Nigel Short＇s record by nearly a year．

Littlewood，P－McShane，L
St Albans Open， 1995
1．d4 今f6 2．c4 g6 3．©c3＠g7 4．e4 d6 5．We2

 dxe5 14．＠c4 कh8 $15 . \mathrm{h} 4$ h6 $16 . \mathrm{h5}$ g5 17．تe1 e4 18．Əd4 今g8 19．今e6 ©xe6

 27．Шxe7 Exe7 28．gxf4 是ad8 29．تd6 今g8 30．Qxg8 官xg8 31．Exh6 Ef7 32．Ze6 Ed2 33.94 g 3 34． $\mathrm{Bl}_{\mathrm{f}} \mathrm{g} 2$ 35．Eb1 Gfd7 0－1

Pein，M－McShane，L
Isle of Lewis Open， 1995

 §e8 10．b4 f5 11．今g 5 h6 12．今̀e6 Qxe6 13．dxe6 c6 14．exf5 §xf5 $15 . f 4$ e4 16． 0 xe4 ©xa1 17．Uxa1 乌f6 18．©d3 Sxe4 19．©xe4
 Luke McShane has become noted for his zwischenzugs．Here is another of them． 23．Qc2 国xe1＋24． 26．Фf2 今xe1 27．＠xc4＋d5 28．＠e2 今c2



## New Zealand news

## Waitemata

Vivian Smith headed a field of 24 in the Waitemata CC's championship preliminaries, conceding two draws (against J van Pelt and J $O^{\prime}$ Connor) in scoring 6/7. O'Connor was half a point back, with van Pelt, B Tidey and J Kerry all another half-point back on 5 . They were followed by B Pollard and Alan McFarlane $41 / 2$; B Palmer, A Jones and C Walker 4; and V Collingwood, A Kesseler, J Shields, M Stewart and N Easterlow $31 / 2$.

## North Shore

Matthew Barlow won has won the North Shore CC Championship for 1995 , with $5 / 8$ in a 4-round tournament with Leonard McLaren 4 and Peter Stuart 3. Five of the 12 games were won, 3 by Barlow and 2 by McLaren, and there were 7 draws.

In a 12 -player $B$ grade round robin Prashant Mistry, $8 / 11$, just edged out Peter Snelson, $7 \frac{1}{2}$, with a triple tie for third on 7 between Daniel Johns, Arnold van den Heuvel and Ben Giles.
The C grade also saw a tight finish, with Anthony Whitehouse, $6 / 8$, just holding off Patrick Baldwin and Mark Le Brocq, $51 / 2$,
The fourth leg of the club's rapid championship was won by, with $51 / 2 / 6$, a point ahead of Slobodan Jeutic, with Wolfgang Leonhardt and Peter van der Mey on 4.

## Kapiti

Alvaro Lacunza was unbeaten in winning Kapiri CC's championship with $5 / 6$, well clear of John Whibley and Les Jones, both on 3.

Bert Leggett just held out Mark Gosnell in the B grade, with 6/7. Gosnell beat Leggett in their game, but Gosnell lost to Glenys Mills and drew with Don Jeffs. Jeffs was 3= on 4 with Guy Burns. In the C grade Paul Hurring had a comfortable win with $51 / 2 / 7$, with John Holland 2nd on 4, half a point ahead of Rose Kingston and Chris Hurring. 12

## Wairarapa

An open $30 / 30$ tournament was held by Wairarapa Gambit CC, and Stewart Holdaway, of Pahiatua, who plays in Palmerston North, won with a picket fence of 5/5. Terry Powell, of Eketahuna, was second on 4, a point ahead of Chris van Gerven, Andrew Wratt and Tudor Griffiths.

## Upper Hutt

Tom Plackic has won Upper Hutt CC's 1995 championship, but after a flying start he nearly let Gerald Carter overtake him. Plackic started with 6 wins, which put him 2 points clear, but a loss to Chris Bell in round 7 while Carter beat Anton Reid reduced the margin to a point. Plackic lost to Don Stracy in the next round, while Carter drew with A J Price, so the gap was down to half a point. Plackic and Carter met in the decisive game in the next round, and a win assured Plackic of the title, even after another loss in the last round. Carter was rumner-up on 6 , with Don Stracy sharing 3rd on $51 / 2$ with the fastfinishing Price, who scored $4: 1$ in the last 5 rounds.
The B grade title was shared by Alan Drake and Matthew Reweti, each with $7 / 8$, with Anthony Allsobrook well back on 4.

## Civic

This year's Civic B grade championship saw a fiercely close battle between three players and it was not decided until the last game when Peter King beat Bruce Kay in a marathon game with two adjournments. This gave him the title by half a point over Brent Southgate. Congratulations, Peter, after coming so close in previous years. It was Brent's first year in the $B$ grade and he caused a surprise by nearly walking away with a share of the title. Scores: 1 P King 5/6; 2 B Southgate $41 / 2$; 3 B Kay $31 / 2$.
Eddie Sarfas won the C grade with 7/8, his dropped point being a loss to Marcus

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Gordon. Second, on 6, was John Gilmartin, and $3=$ on $51 / 2$ were Marcus Gordon and Adam Jackson.

## Wellington

Zyg Frankel won Wellington CC's spring open tournament, with a clean sweep of $6 / 6$, two points clear of Ross Jackson, with Aaron Barlow 3rd on $31 / 2$, half a point ahead of Lawrence Farrington and Michael Nyberg.

Wellington CC's rapid championship attracted only a small field, and the tournament was won by Michael Nyberg with $41 / 2 / 5$, from Zyg Frankel 4 and John Cook 21/2.

## Ashburton

The Ashburton club has had a good year, winning its annual match with Canterbury CC for the first time ever, with the score $51 / 2-$
$31 / 2$.The club also ran a successful open rapid toumament which was well supported by players from outside Ashburton. N Cummings CA was the winner.

For the first time in eight years the quadrangular toumament in Dunedin was cancelled, and so was the annual event for the Oat trophy at Timaru. We hope to rectify these situations in the coming year.
The Ashburton town centre now has an outside chess board with its own huge pieces. We hope the publicity this has created will help with our membership.
The club is sorry to lose S Taylor, who has taken a position in Dannervirke. Stephen is an able DOP, and controlled the 1993 S>I> Championships.

Our club champlon is $D$ Burridge, who remained unbeaten through our championship tournament.

## Surprises at FIDE Congress

The 1995 FIDE Congress, held in France, opened with the sensation of President Florencio Campomanes announcing that his terms of reference from the Moscow Congress included securing agreement between FIDE and the PCA, and as he had been unable to achieve this, he would retire at the end of this Congress. He gave one condition - that Kirsan N Iljumshinov, president of the Malmyk Republic in Russia, should become FIDE president.
Mr Campomanes said Mr Iljumshinjov was on very good terms with both FIDE and PCA leaders, and was the person who could most confidently be expected to conclude an agreement between the two groups.
The final stumbling block in the way of a FIDE-PCA agreement was Kasparov's condition that in the event of a tie in the playoff for the world title, he would be declared the winner - which meant that in effect he would be regarded as defending champion. Mr Campomanes said he could not put the FIDE champion on a lower level than the

PCA champion, so he could not sign the agreement.
Discussion on unity within FIDE dominated the Congress, and another surprise came when FIDE world champion Anatoly Karpov - who was offside with FIDE at the Moscow Congress a year ago - called for a vote of total confidence in President Campomanes. After further negotiation, a resolution of unity was carried. It provided for Mr Iljumzhinov to be appointed chairman, with the special responsibility of unifying the PCA and FIDE, while the Deputy President, Mohammed Ghobash, assumed the powers of president, to be in charge of the administration of FIDE. Mr Campomanes was appointed chairman by consensus - but what powers and responsibilities this entails was not spelt out.

A by-election for the position of FIDE President will be held at the 1996 FIDE Congress in Yerevan to hold office for the remainder of the term up to 1998.

## Correspondence chess

Progress with nine international events in which New Zealand correspondence chess teams are competing is reported in the latest issue of the ICC Newsletter.
New Zealand holds a lead of $151 / 2-111 / 2$ in a 20-board match with Canada, and also has a solid score of 19-14 in the North AmericanPacific zone PATT/3 tourmament.
The New Zealand team is not doing so well in the XII correspondence Olympiad, with a progress score of 8-20.
There have been two withdrawals from the team playing Wales, so team captain Scott Wastney [5B Grey Street, Rotorua] has been looking for two replacements.

Michael Hampl is the top-rated New Zealander in the latest ICCF Elo ratings. His rating is 2485 , followed by P W Stuart 2455, ICM R Chapman 2445, R J Dive 2430, J M Barrance 2395, M R Freeman 2390, G B Banks 2385, H P Whitlock 2385, R W Smith 2315, G A Hoskyn 2310, IM M F Noble 2300, M V R Steadman 2280, B F Bamard 2275, R E Strevens 2235, A V Reid 2230, J N Metge 2225, B W Millar 2205, H P Bennett 2200, J O Bishop 2195, R S Mitchell 2170, I M Sims 2170, P B Goffin 2115, B W Anderson 2075, K R Austin 2070.

## Third ICM

Michael Freeman, of Stratford, who has been captain of two over-the-board New Zealand chess teams, has become NZ's third International Correspondence Master.
The latest ICC Newsletter reports that the title was conferred on Michael at the last ICCF Congress held in Norway, and was achieved through norms obtained in the 1st Anglo-Pacific Championship and the ICCF Asbonyi (now Master Norm) tournaments. Michael joins Roger Chapman (1989) and Mark Noble (1992) as ICM titleholders. $N Z$ Chess will review Michael's correspondence chess achievements in a future issue.

A game from the 3rd Pacific area teams ournament.

## Anderson, B NZ - Wang SIN

 1.d4 ©f6 $2 . \mathrm{cf} 4 \mathrm{c} 53 . \mathrm{d} 5 \mathrm{b5} 4.2 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{b4} 5$. mc 2 g6 6.e4 $\Omega \mathrm{g} 7$ 7.\&.d3 d6 8.h3 a5 9.5bd2 Øbd7 10.2f1 0-0 11.g4 e5 12.0 g 3 Eb6



 $24 . \mathrm{g5}$ Eg6 $25 . \mathrm{Bg} 1$ \& $\mathrm{c} 8 \quad 26.5 \mathrm{~g} 4$ 畄c7
 31.8cg1 日a7 32. Bh 4 1-0

Players intending to join in NZCCA correspondence play in 1996 should write to NZCCA at PO Box 3278, Wellington.

## 1996 juniors

Under the FIDE definition of juniors, which is applied to New Zealand tournament, players who have not reached their 20th birthday by January 1, 1996, are classified as juniors for the whole calendar year
This means that New Zealand juniors will be eligible for age group events in 1996 as follows:
Junior (under 20), born on or after January 1, 1976.
Under 16, born on or after Jan 1, 1980. Under 12, born on or after Jan 1, 1984.

NZCF Combined Rating List for 2-1995
Standard tournaments rated this period were the North Island Ch'p; South Island Ch'p; NZ Junior \& Age Group Ch'p; Wellington CC Ch'p A,B,C; Colthart Cup; Wellington CC Winter Open and Queen's B'day A,B; Wellington Interclub B,C; Pctone CC Ch'p B,C; Papatoetoe Summer Cup; Invercargill Queen's B'day; Waitemata Winter Cup; 18th Waitakere Trust A,B,C; Chas L Hart Trophy; ACC Ch'p A,B; OCC Ch'p Senior,Intermediate,Junior grades; North Shore Open A,B; Wanganui CC Ch'p A,B,C; Canterbury CC Ch'p A,B; All-Wellinglon Ch'p; Petone Labour W/e; Invercargill CC Ch'p R1-A,B R2-A,B; Claptrap Cup: Civic v Wellington; Civic Ch'p A; Civie B\&C Knockout Cup; Civic Mini RR; Civic RR 1/95; Pctone Ch'p A; Waitemata Ch'p Prelims
Rapid Tournaments rated in this period are North Island Ch'p; South Island Ch'p; North Shore Rapid Ch'p 2nd, 3rd Legs; Otagn Mini A,B,C; WCC U-10, U-12 Ch'ps; Wellington U-10, U-12 Ch'ps; Canterbury Rapid Ch'p; Auckland Open Rapid Ch'p; Kapiti 30/30; Upper Hutt 40-40 A,B,C; All-Wellington Rapid; Petone Rapid; Otago Westpac Rapid; Mid Canterbury Rapid Ch'p; Otago CC Autumn Rapid; Otagn CC Winter Rapid; Otago Labour W/e

Only players who have played in the last 2 yenrs and are known to belong to an affiliated club of the NZ Chess Federation are listed. Each line shows Rank, Name, Club, Code, Standard games played this period, Standard rating, Rapid games played this period, Rapid rating. An asterix indicates a provisional rating. Ranking is based on standard rating where one exists.




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Simon Grainger in Australia
Wellington＇s Simon Grainger，who represented NZ in the World Junior Championship in 1993，has been pursuing university studies in Melbourne，and has played little chess in Australia．He has competed in one tournament this year，the under－2000 category at the 1995 Australian rapidplay championships，and reports that he found out how our of practice he was．H managed $41 / 2 / 11$ ，including a last－round bye．
Bill Ramsay CI scored $5 / 11$ in the under－ 1600 category，after a promising start，and in the open kiwi expatriate Adrian Lloyd scored $6 / 11$ ．Stephen Solomon won the open．
Simon says for amusement he encloses his most interesting loss，which has a nice finish．

Grainger，S－Chow，J
Australian rapidplay，under 2000，Round 9
Melbourne， 13 August 1995
Notes by Simon Grainger
1．d4 Df6 $2 . c 4$ g6 3．0c3 $\lg 74 . e 4 \mathrm{~d} 65 . f 3$ 0－0 6．．e3 e5 7．d5 c6 8．Qd3 cxd5 9．cxd5 a6 10． 0 ge 2 气bd7 11．b4？
A waste of time，if ．．． $4 \subset 5$ ，$\Omega \mathrm{c} 2$
11．．．8e8 12．0－0 f5 13．exf5 gxf5 14．目c1

f4 may be better．
置g8
Uh oh！
$20.4 \times f 6$
This can＇t be helpful，opening lines for Black．


Not only does $25 . \mathrm{Nxg} 5$ not lose as much material，but it stops the threat in Black＇s 22nd，which I never saw coming．
$25 .$. 当 $\times h 2+1-0$
26．Kxh2 Rh5＋27．Bh4 Rxh4\＃
Simon was back in Wellington over Christmas and played in the New Zealand RapidChampionship．

## PCA world championship

This completes the record of games played between Garry Kasparov and Viswanathan Anand in the PCA world championship final in New York．We start with the position in which Anand missed a win in the third round， after draws in the first two rounds．

## Anand－Kasparov

Game 3，14／9／95
Sicilian defence
Notes by IM Russell Dive


Position after 19．．．思8
Instead of
$20 . \Omega \times C 5$ ？
throwing away the win，Anand should have played the masterful 20．exf6 Bxf6 21．Bxh7＋！！which wins with the following variations：
21．．． $8 \times h 722.0 g 5+2 \times g 5$
or 22 ．．． $\mathrm{Bg} 623 . \mathrm{f5}+$ ！exf5 $24.0 \mathrm{e} 4+$ 苗h 7 25． $0 \times f 6+$ with 8 g 4 to follow；or 22 ．．．${ }^{\text {© }} \mathrm{E} 8$



 29． $0 \times \mathrm{g} 7+$ threatening 30.5 ff 8 and $30 . \mathrm{e}$ 等 $\times 647$
 winning for White；and if $22 .$. ．छg8 23 ．敞 4 Q $\times \mathrm{g} 5$ 24．f $\times \mathrm{g} 5$ gff then $25 . \mathrm{g} 6$ e5 $26 . \mathrm{gh}^{\mathrm{g}} 7+$都8 27 ．
 26．${ }^{\text {M }} \mathrm{h} 3$ wins．

## Anand－Kasparoy

Game 7 21／9／95
Sicilian Najdorf
1．e4 c5 $2.0 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44 . ⿹ \times \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{Ef6}$ 5.5 c 3 a6 6．2e2 e6 7．0－0 凡e7 8．a4 \＆c6
 Qb4 $13 . \mathrm{a} 5$ Id 714.2 f 3 Eac8 $15.2 . \mathrm{b} 6$ Mb8
 19．Ee1 h6 $20 . c 3$ Exd3 21．苗xd3 Onc5



## Kasparov－Anand <br> Game 8 22／9／95

Scotch game

 \＆a6 9．b3 g5 10．8a3 d6 11．exd6 Mee2＋



 $1 / 2-1 / 2$

## Anand－Kasparov

Game 9 25／9／95
Sicilian Najdorf
1．e4 $\mathrm{c} 5 \quad 2.2 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.2 \times \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{Ef6}$ 5．Enc3 a6 6．\＆e2 e6 7．0－0 \＆e7 8．a4 ©c6 9．Le3 0－0 10．f4 Mc7 11．th 1 Ee8 12．2f3
 Gad8 16．日fd1 9c6 17．b4 Mc7 18．b5 9d7 19． $\mathrm{Bab} 1 \mathrm{a} \times \mathrm{b} 5 \quad 20.5 \times \mathrm{b} 5 \quad \& \times b 5 \quad 21 . \mathrm{G} \times \mathrm{b} 5$ Ea8 22．c4 e5 23．2b6 씁c8 24．fxe5 dxe5
 28．exd5 ㅃ．g6 29．c5 e4 30．de2 Be5 31．Md7 ${ }^{\mathrm{M}} \mathrm{g} 5$ 32．日g1 e3 33．d6 g g 3


## Kasparov－Anand <br> Game 10 26／9／95 <br> Ruy Lopez

 5．0－0 气xe4 6．d4 b5 7．\＆b3 d5 8．dxe5 le6 $9.2 \mathrm{bd} 2 \quad$ Oc5 $10 . \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~d} 4 \quad 11.0 \mathrm{~g} 5 \mathrm{dxc} 3$
 15． 2 b 3 气×b3 16．\＆$\times \mathrm{b} 3$ 气d 4 17．씁g4 츨 $\times a 1$


 a4 28．ee3 b4 29．\＆d1 a3 30．g4 Ed5
 34．Ed5 Ec8 35．f5 日c4＋36．＊e3 Ec5 $37 . \mathrm{g} 5 \mathrm{glc} 138.9 \mathrm{~d} 61-0$

## Kasparov－Anand <br> Game 12，29／9／95 <br> Ruy Lopez

1．e4 e5 $2.8 f 3$ Ec6 $3.9 \mathrm{bb} \mathrm{a6} 4.2 \mathrm{~A} 4$ Ef6 $5.0-0 \mathrm{~b} 56.9 \mathrm{~b} 3 \mathrm{gc} 7.14 \mathrm{~g} 788 . \mathrm{d} 3 \mathrm{~d} 6$ $9.0 \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~b} 4 \quad 10.0 \mathrm{~d} 5$ हाa5 $11.5 \times f 6+\mathrm{m} \times f 6$ 12．\＆a2 h6 13．c3 bxc3 14．b×c3 0－0 15．．ee3 Ead8 16．Eb1 \＆c8 17．${ }^{\text {E．e2 }}$ 2 le6 18．h3


 28．安d3 Bg 7 29．d5 exd5 30. exd5 g4



 43． Ba 8 h $4^{1 / 2-1 / 2}$

## Anand－Kasparov

Game 13，2／10／95
Sicilian Defence
Notes by FM Anthony Ker
1．e4 c5 $2.8 \mathrm{ff} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.4 \times \mathrm{d} 4$ \＆f6 $5 . \unrhd \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~g} 6$
This is the dragon variation，aptly named since it is extremely dangerous for both sides． After playing 5．．．a6，the Najdorf variation，in his first four games with Black，Kasparov selects an opening guaranteed to produce a decisive result．

White plans to castle queenside and throw everything at the Black king．Anand＇s problem in this game is that he never gets around to castling queenside

## 9．．． $2 \mathrm{~d} 710 . \mathrm{h} 4$

The attack is launched．
10． 15

A delaying move．White＇s attacking prospects are considerably enahnced if he is allowed to play h 5 ，opening the h －file．
11．2b3 $8 \mathrm{Bc} 812.5 \times \mathrm{c} 6 \mathrm{bxc} 6$
This may look strange，blocking the file the rook has just moved to，but there are two advantages in recapturing this way．Black＇s centre is strengthened and the most useful b－ file is opened．

## 13． 8 h 6 c 5

Threatens ．．．c4，trappping the bishop，which explains White＇s next move．
14．\＆c 4 皆b6 15． $8 \times \mathrm{g} 7$ 宴 $\times \mathrm{g} 716 . \mathrm{b} 3$
A good moment for 0－0－0．Anand probably didn＇t like the thought of Black＇s ready－made attack down the b－file．
16．．．\＆e6 17．Ød5
This looks wrong．Anand has six pawns on the same coloured square as his bishop． Logically he should edchange it by 17 ．\＆$\times 6$ instead of preserving it as he does．
17．．． $2 \times d 5$ 18．exd5 e5！
Now White＇s bishop is really bad．Anand decided to open the game up，seldom wise when your king is still uncastled．
19．dxe6？d5！20．Qe2 c4
Stops 0－0．The king must stay where he is！ 21．c3 日ce8
The open e－file is a highway to white＇s king．
 $25.8 \times c 4$


It＇s not hard to see that despite being a pawn up，White is in real trouble．Kasparov finds a deadly continuation．

## 25．．．Ee4！0－1

If 26．fxe4 8 gf6＋27．家e1 品xe4＋28．贝e2
 Black wins．If $26 .{ }^{\text {mel }}$ El Ef6 and White＇s position is horrible．Anand chooses a third option and resigns．

## Kasparov－Anand <br> Game 14，3／10／95

## Scandinavian


 9．0－0 \＄g7 10．©h1 \＆f5 11．2c4 e6 12．\＆e2 h5 13．\＆e3 Ed8 14．\＆g1 0－0 15.2 .83 Ed5 $16.0 \times \mathrm{d} 5$ exd5 17．2．f2 쓸c7 18．岂c1 f6 19．もd3 $\mathrm{Efe8} 20 . \mathrm{b} 3$ もb6 $21 . \mathrm{a} 4$ \＆c8 $22 . \mathrm{c} 4$
 $26 . a 6$ b6 27．乌e5 쓸e6 $28 . \mathrm{g} 4 \mathrm{~h} \times \mathrm{g} 429.4 \times \mathrm{g} 4$ 2g7 30．日c7 Ee4 31．もe3 2h3 32．日g1 g5
 £d6 36．2f2 ©b5 37.5 Bb 7 Be 4 38．f5 Exg 4 $39 . \varepsilon \times \mathrm{g} 4 \mathrm{Ec} 840 . \mathrm{Ed} 7 \mathrm{Ec} \mathrm{E} 41$ ． $\mathrm{E} \times \mathrm{d} 51-0$

## Anand－Kasparov

Game 15，5／10／95
Sicilian Dragon
1．e4 c5 $2.8 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.8 \times \mathrm{d} 48 \mathrm{f} 6$ 5.5 c 3 g 6 6．2e3 gig7 7．f3 0－0 8．씁d2 घc6 $9 . g 4$ \＆e6 10．0－0－0 $\quad \sum \times \mathrm{d} 4 \quad 11.9 \times \mathrm{d} 4$ Ma512．＊b1 Efc8 13．a3 Eab8 14．©d 5


## Kasparov－Anand

Game 16，6／10／95
Sicilian Najdorf
1．e4 $\mathrm{c} 5 \quad 2.0 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.0 \times \mathrm{d} 4 \quad \mathrm{Df6}$ 5．®c3 a6 6．2e2 e6 7．0－0 \＆e7 8．a4 ©c6 9．\＆e3 0－0 10．f4 Mc7 11．©h1 日e8 12 ．\＆d3

 19．Ag1 Mc7 20． 2 d $41 / 2-1 / 2$

## Anand－Kasparov

Game 17，9／10／95
Sicilian Dragon
1．e4 c5 $2.8 \mathrm{ff} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.8 \times \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{ff} 6$
 9．2c4 2d7 10．h4 h5 11．\＆b3 Ec8 12．0－0－0

De5 13．Og5 㽞c5 14．\＄b1 Ee8 15．Ehel Ma5 16．a3 b5 17． $\mathrm{H} \times \mathrm{f6}$ exf6 $18 . \varrho \mathrm{de} 2$ 日c6 19.8 d 5 皆 $\times \mathrm{d} 220$ ． $\mathrm{Z} \times \mathrm{d} 2$ Ec4 21． Exc 4 bxc 4 22．Eed1 f5 23．exf5 \＆xf5 24.0 d 4 是 $\times \mathrm{d} 4$



 37. Exh4 cxb2＋ $38.8 \times b 2 \quad$ 日g5 $39 . \mathrm{a} 4 \mathrm{f} 5$




 57．f7 皆f4 58．©g8 d4 59．f8＝皆 $8 \times f 8+$
 63 ．${ }^{3} \times \mathrm{d} 31 / 2-1 / 2$

## Kasparov－Anand <br> Game 18，10／10／95

Sicilian Najdorf
1．e4 c5 $2.9 f 3$ d6 3．d4 cxd4 4．もxd4 $0 f 6$ 5．€c3 a6 6．员e2 e6 7．0－0 Le7 8．a4 £c6 9．县e3 0－0 10．f4 皆c7 11．©h1 是e8 12．2．f3 $1 / 2^{-1 / 2}$

## Chandler attacks

Ben Martin played for Wood Green again in the 1995 Four Nations League interclub tournament，and in the last round they beat Murray Chandler＇s BCM team to finish third， with the BCM team in mid－field．
Although his team lost，Chandler unleashed this attack to win his game in the last round．

Chandler，M－Levitt，J
Four Nations League Interclub，
BCM $\vee$ Wood Green， 1995
$1 . \mathrm{c} 4 \mathrm{c5} 2 . ⿹ 勹 \mathrm{f} 3$ 乌f6 $3 . ⿹ \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~b} 64 . \mathrm{e} 4$＠b7 5．e5




 22．©d $6+$ 今有 23 ．马e1 1－0

## Reykjavik

A tournament in the Icelandic capital marked the 60th birthday of former candidate and FIDE president Fridrik Olafsson in September．Among the guest players were erstwhile rivals Svetozar Gligoric，Bent Larsen and Vassily Smyslov．Icelandic Gms took the top four places，with GM Stefansson winning with $8 / 11$ ahead of GM Margeir Petursson on 7．On $61 / 2$ were Gms Johann Hjartarson and Helgi Olafsson，while Zsofia Polgar was next on 6．Then came：6－7 GM Arnason ICE \＆GM Smyslov RUS 51／2；8－10 GM Gligoric YUG，GM Larsen DEN \＆GM Olafsson ICE $41 / 2 ; 11-12 \mathrm{GM}$ Gretarsson ICE \＆IM Thorhallsson ICE 31／2， $1 / 2$

## Timman $\mathbf{v}$ Piket

Although there was 100,000 guilders at stake in this match in Amsterdam，the prestige in the title of Netherlands＇number 1 player was probably more in the players＇ minds．Jeroen Piket 2630 is currently rated comfortably ahead of Timman 2590，though neither has been conspicuously successful this year．
Timman scored with his first two whites （games 2 and 4）to take a clear lead and Piket was unable to make an effective comeback－ his game 5 victory was immediately cancelled by Timman＇s win in game 6 and the remaining 4 games were drawn to give Timman the match by 6：4

## Hamburg

The 3rd Wichen Open in September／October was won by Viktor Korchnoi with 71／2／9 from a field of 373．No fewer than 16 players scored 7 points and these included Gms Ftacnik SLO，Malaniuk UKR and the German contingent of Bischoff，Hickl，Kindermann， Lutz and Wahls．England＇s Tony Miles was among those on $61 / 2$ ．The following game is a typically combative effort from the Swiss veteran．

## Lutz－Korchno

Sicilian［B66］
$1 . e 4 \mathrm{c} 52.9 \mathrm{f} 3 \mathrm{~d} 63 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{cxd} 44.0 \times \mathrm{d} 4$ थf6
 9．Le3 县e7 10．f3 Exad4 11．首xd4 b5 12．e5 dxe5 13．씁e5 씁a5 14．©b1 \＄b7 15．de2 Ec8 16．\＆d2 Mb6 17．呈e3 0c5 18．\＆xc5
 22．씁d6 Ec6 23．씁d4 씁c7 24．Ad3 Ec8

 31．4c1


31．．．



 46．日e7 씁h3 47．Edd7 Ne4＋48．© d2

 54.0 b 7 皆f6 55．日e3 h4 56．0bb3 风f5 57．©ite1 a5 58．Ebc3 a4 59．0f3 씁c5

 $66 .{ }^{\text {E }} \mathrm{e} 3$
The point is that $66 . \mathrm{Rxh} 2$ loses to $66 \ldots \mathrm{a}$ ！


## World Junior Championship

Germany gained its first World Junior （under 20）Champion when Roman Slobodjan scored $10 / 13$ to win on tie－break from top－
rated Ukrainian GM Alexander Onischuk． Argentine IM Hugo Spangenberg had third place to himself on $91 / 2$ and likewise IM Vescovi BRA who was fourth on 9.
Georgia＇s Nino Churtzidze won the World Under－20 Girls＇Championship played concurrently in the eastern German city of Halle．Her score of $11 / 13$ gave her a $11 / 2$－point margin on Peptan ROM，Repkova SLO and Schukova UKR．

## Oral－Vescovi

Sicilian［B22］
1．e4 c5 2．c3 d6 3．d4 ©f6 4．8．d3 g6 5．dxc5 $\mathrm{dxc5} 6 . \mathrm{e} 5$ \＆fd7 7．e6 fxe6 8．$\triangle \mathrm{ff}$ \＆c6




15． $5 \times h 7$ ！$\quad \mathbf{\theta} \times \mathrm{h} 7 \quad 16.0 \mathrm{c} 4 \quad \Delta \times \mathrm{c} 4 \quad 17 . \mathrm{h} \times \mathrm{g} 6+$

 कf6 $23 . \mathrm{f} 4!$
It is mate after 23．．．〇4e5 $24 . \mathrm{fxe5}+\mathrm{E} \times \mathrm{e} 5$ 25．0．g5． $1-0$

Slobodjan－Kaminski
French［C07］
1．e4 e6 2．d4 d5 3．0d2 c5 4． 5 gf 3 cxd 4 5．exd5 当xd5 6．日c4 Md8 7．0－0 a6 8．0b3



16．．．g×h6 17．9ad1＋－
17．．．g8＋©d7


 draws by repetition．It is doubtful if White has more．




 35．当b3 $1-0$

## Korchnol v Xie Jun

As part of her build－up for her forthcoming Women＇s World Championship match， China＇s Xie Jun played a friendly match against the redoubtable Voktor Klorchnoi． After 2 draws Korchnoi won games 3 and 4 to take the match 3：1．

## Burgas

An all－GM category 15 tournament in this Bulgarian Black Sea town in October was won by the host country＇s top players Kiril Georgiev and Veselin Topalov who scored 6／9．A point behind were Nigel Short ENG and Sergei Dolmatov RUS and then came： 5 6 Gulko USA \＆Miladinovic GRE 4．5；7－8 Azmaiparashvili BIH and Tukmakov UKR 4； 9 Alterman ISR 3．5； 10 Kolev BUL 2．5．

## Topalov－Kolev

Sicilian［B81］
1．e4 c5 2．2）f3 d6 3．d4 cxd4 4．Eิxd4 Ef6 5．\＆c3 a6 6．． Re e e6 7．g4 h6 8．f4 乞c6 9．Met3
 Exg 413.2 g 3 2b4 $14 . \mathrm{a} 3 \Omega \times \mathrm{c} 3+15.4 \times \mathrm{c} 3$
 4） $\mathrm{d} 3+$ 19．cxd3 $\mathrm{h} \times \mathrm{g} 5$ 20． B d 2 2d7
 24．d5 f6 25．Be1 日d8 26．©c3 \＄h3 27．0d4 2g2 28．2c7 Ed7 29．d6 f7 30．Ee3 be6 $31 . e 5 \mathrm{f} 532.8 \mathrm{~g} 3$ Ac6 $33.8 \times \mathrm{g} 5 \mathrm{f} 434 . \mathrm{h} 4 \mathrm{f} 3$
 38．\＆c3 \＆e6 39．h5 कc6 40．8g1 ©d7






Topalov－Short
Ruy Lopez［C88］
1．e4 e5 2．£f3 ©c6 $3.2 \mathrm{~b} 5 \mathrm{a6} 4.8 \mathrm{a} 4$ 』f6 $5.0-0$ Яe7 6． Ee e b5 7．2b3 0－0 8．h3 2b7 9．d3 Ee8 $10 . \mathrm{c} 3$ \＆f8 11．\＆g5 h6 12．\＆h4 d6 13． 2 bd 2 g 6 14．ঘf1 \＆g7 15．M d2 Me7 16．2e3 留f8 17．a4 0e7 18．Qxf6 \＆xf6 $19.0 \mathrm{~g} 4 \AA \mathrm{~g} 720 . \mathrm{axb} 5 \mathrm{axb} 521 . \square \times \mathrm{a} 8 \mathrm{Q} \times \mathrm{a} 8$
 $25.0 \mathrm{~h} 2 \mathrm{~d} 526.9 \times \mathrm{b} 5$ 씁c5 27.8 al 气b6 $28 . e \times d 55 \times d 529.2 \times d 58 \times d 530.2 f 3 \mathrm{Bb} 8$

 37．9b3 Ed5 38．bh2 h4 39．日e8 \＆b5
 $43 . \Delta h 7-\mathrm{d} 2$ and $1-0$

## Short－Kolev

Sicilian［B23］
 5．．c4 e6 6．d4 cxd4 7． $0 \times \mathrm{d} 4$ 4e7 8．Db3 0
 12．昜ad1 b5 13．a3 Eb8 14.8 de2 d5 15．f5 exf5 16．exds $\quad 0 \times b 317 . c \times b 3 \quad 2 b 7 \quad 18 . \unrhd f 4$ Md7 19．2d4 1 h 620.2 f 6 Md6 21．Md4





## Piket v Polgar

Jeroen Piket had another unhappy match experience when he was hammered $6: 2$ by Judit Polgar on the Caribbean island of Aruba．After 5 of the 8 games Polgar led only $3: 2$ but the world＇s leading lady won the last 3 games．Like the Amsterdam match this was sponsored by the Monaco－based Max Euwe Association and Joop van Oosterom．

## Horgen

The 2nd Credit Suisse Masters，a category 17 ＂PCA Classic＂，saw a close race between Vassily Ivanchuk and Vladimir Kramnik end in a dead－heat．The two winners had the first two byes，but were nevertheless occupying the top two places after 6 rounds．Indeed， Ivanchuk started with a first round loss but，
fter his bye，reeled off 4 consecutive wins including the prize scalp of Garry Kasparov in round 6．This victory gave the Ukarainian the sole lead，which he kept to the end， although Kramni kept him company from time to time，especially over the last 2 rounds．
The final round saw Ivanchuk playing white against back－marker Timman，while Kramnik defended against Korchnoi．Ivanchuk gained some pressure，but the Dutchman held firm， even if it appeared that the former was sitting on the position in case Kramnik managed to win．Korchnoi sacrificed a knight and the Russian＇s king fled to the queenside； Korchnoi eventually regained the piece， chased his opponent＇s king back to the kingside，and even had an extra pawn in a queen and pawn ending which he did not attempt to convert．
Kasparov，fresh（tired？）from his match with Viswanathan Anand，gained a number of small advantages，but was unable to convert them，other than his solitary win against Korchnoi．
As well as the main event there was a category 11 （2507）GM tournament which was won by the Hungarian GM Zoltan Almasi with $71 / 2 / 9$ ，a full point ahead of England＇s GM Julian Hodgson．

## Kasparav－Ivanchuk

French［C16］
$1 . e 4$ e6 2．d4 d5 3．0c3 $2 \mathrm{bb4} 4 . \mathrm{e5} \mathrm{b65.a3}$ d．f8 6.8 f3 be7 7．h4 h6 8．h5 a5 9．Qb5 +c 6 10．2a4 \＆d7 11．乌e2 b5 12．2b3 c5 13．c3
 17．\＆f4 \＆e7 18．\＆g3 gb8 19．0h2 md8 20．0g4 b4 21．a×b4 axb4 22．cxb4 $仑 \times b 4$


 1－0
Castling is not often the final move－and not often is a world champion reduced to such pathetic passivity with the white pieces！


## Korchnoi－Ivanchuk <br> －Queen＇s Indian［E 12］

$1 . \mathrm{d} 4$ e6 $2 . \mathrm{c} 4 \quad 8 f 6 \quad 3.8 f 3 \quad \mathrm{~b} 6 \quad 4.8 \mathrm{c} 3 \quad \mathbf{~} \mathrm{Lb} 7$


 15．b3 c6 16．Whe1 dxc4 17．b×c4 夏fd8 18．Oh3 Ef5 19．0xf5 exf5 20．f3 \＆e8




 $37 . a 5 \mathrm{~h} 438 . a 6 \mathrm{~g} 4$ 39． $\mathrm{B} \mathrm{b} 2 \mathrm{Ef} 4+40 . \mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{b}} \mathrm{c} 5$


Short－Ivanchuk
French［C19］
1．e4 e6 2．d4 d5 3．5c3 \＄．b4 4．e5 घe7 5．a3 \＆xc3＋6．b×c3 c5 7． 2 ff Hc7 8．h4 Id7 $9 . \mathrm{h} 5 \mathrm{~h} 610.2 \mathrm{~d} 3$ 2 $14411 . \mathrm{dxc} 5$ \＆d7 12 ．Eh4

 exf5 19．日gf4 皆a1＋20．当d1 当xd1＋
 $24 . \Xi \mathrm{g} 3$ 宴h7 25．Ad4 Ehe8 26．Ef4 Ef8
 30． $\mathrm{g} 5+$ t






48．g4 dd6 49．c3 ©c6 50．2e5 Ec5 51．©d 4 ©d3 52．Lg3 日c5 53．Qff 1－0

Korchnoi－Kramnik
Slav［D12］
1．d4 d5 2．c4 c6 3．e3 \＆f6 4．8f3 \＆f5 5．2d3 e6 6．0－0 \＆g6 7． 9． $\mathrm{l} \times \mathrm{g} 6 \mathrm{~h} \times \mathrm{g} 610 . \mathrm{e} 4 \mathrm{dxe} 411.0 \times \mathrm{e} 4$ 光a5

 18．b4 \＆d8 19．Eac1 \＆b6 $20 . a 4$ Mas 21．Mc4 Efd8 $22 . \mathrm{g} 3$－ Eb 8 23．Qe3 24．Mc2 2c7 $25 . \mathrm{h} 4$ …f5 26 ．늡a2 씁d5 27．씁e2 』d6


28． $2 \mathrm{e} 5 \mathrm{f6} 29.0 \times \mathrm{g} 6 \mathrm{f} \times \mathrm{g} 530 \mathrm{~h} \times \mathrm{g} 5 \mathrm{~d} 7$











 65．쓸44＋कe8 $1 / 2-1 / 2$

Timman－Short
Nimzoindian［E34］

 cxd4 9．exd4 乡e4 10．2d2 \＆c6 11．a3 \＆xc3 12．bxc3 \＆d7 13．Wc2 日c8 14．©d3

 $17 . a^{4}$ 쓸 $\times \mathrm{g} 2 \quad 18.8 \mathrm{Be} 1$ 쓸 $\times \mathrm{h} 2$ 19．2e4 g6
 $23.0 \mathrm{~b} 5 \quad \Omega \times \mathrm{b} 5 \quad 24 . \mathrm{a} \times \mathrm{b} 5 \quad 0-0 \quad 25.9 \times 27 \mathrm{Efd} 8$ 26．呈a2
 0－1

## Kramnik－Vaganian

Queen＇s Indian［E12］
$1.9 f 3$ Df6 2．d4 e6 3．c4 b6 $4 . \mathrm{a} 3 \mathrm{Qb7}$ 5． 5 c 3 हe4 $6.5 \times \mathrm{e} 4$ Qxe4 7．e3 Qe7 8．Ad3 d5 $9.2 \times e 4$ dxe4 $10 . \unrhd \mathrm{d} 2 \mathrm{f} 511 . \mathrm{f3}$ Qd6 12．늘 $4+\mathrm{c} 6$ 13．0－0 m 44 14．f4 0－0 $15 . \mathrm{cs}$ bacs 16．8c4 we7 17．dxcs \＆$\times \mathrm{c} 518 . \mathrm{b} 4$ Qd6 19．\＆b2 ac7 20. ．8fd c5 21．bxc5
 $24 . a 4 \Omega \mathrm{C} 5 \quad 25.2 \mathrm{~d} 4 \quad \& \times \mathrm{d} 4 \quad 26 . E \times \mathrm{d} 4 \quad 16$ 27．Mb6 Ea7 28．4d6 Ed7 29．Ex8 8×c8

\＄e8 33．씁e6＋\＄d8 34．씁b6＋（ce8 35． $4 \mathrm{~d} 6+1-0$

## Korchnoi－Timman

Nimzoindian［E52］
1．d4 ©f6 $2 . \mathrm{c} 4$ e6 3．5c3 2b4 4．e3 0－0 5．2d3 d5 6．\＆f3 b6 7．a3 $2 \mathrm{~d} 68 . \mathrm{e}^{2} \mathrm{dxe} 4$ $9 . \sum x e 4$ \＆bd $710.0-0$ \＄b7 11． $0 \times d 6 \mathrm{cxd} 6$ 12． Rg 5 h 6 13．2h4 d5 14．cxd5 Exd 5

 21．Eael Mc5 22． Bg 4 Ec7 23．\＆h7
Threat：24．뿌xh6．
23．．．g5 24．』g3 f6



 ［31．．．씐7 32．f7＋＋－；31．．．썹f 32．g4］32．f7＋

 32．．．荘xf7 33，尚c2．
1－0
Kasparov－Korchnoi
Queen＇s Gambit［D43］
1．2f3 eff $2 . \mathrm{c} 4 \mathrm{e} 63.4 \mathrm{c} 3 \mathrm{~d} 54 . \mathrm{d} 4 \mathrm{c} 65 . \mathrm{Lg} 5$ h6 6．Rh4 dxc4 7．e4 2b4 8． $\mathrm{exc4}$ exc3 9．bxc3 tas 10．0－0 Exe4 11．厄）e5 \＆d7
 15．Eab1 h3 16． $\mathrm{Efd} \mathrm{Eg} 817 . \mathrm{g} 3$ Eg5 18．f4


 1－0

## Improve vour play

## The king＇s flexibility of movement

At the International chess seminar in Sukhumi［1988］which I attended，Averbakh stated that the four studies which follow are very important for chess teaching．

## Reti，R

Study， 1927


By FM Jonathan Sarfati
White is outside the square of the 8 on $h 5$ ， while Black is inside the square of the 8 on c6．But White can exploit the ${ }^{\text {© }}$＇s flexibility to threaten simultaneously to enter the $h-8$＇s squares and to escort his own \＆to the queening square．

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2．．．h3 3．由e6 h2 $4 . c 7$ h1莦 5．c8荘＋$=$ Queens with check，so Black has no time to play ．．飳3＋
3．由e5
With the double threat of $\Phi f 4$ entering the h8̊＇s square and $\ddagger \mathrm{d} 6$ promoting his own 8 in ime．
3．．．h3 4．由d6 h2 5．c7 h1莦6．c8岶＝1／2－1／2

## International junior strength

## By Ted Frost

The greatly increased strength of intemational junior competition in recent years－which also indicates the extent to which New Zealand has fallen behind－is shown in Australian reports on this year＇s world and Asian Junior Championships．
Australian junior champion J P Wallace reports in the latest issue of Australian Chess Magazine that 73 countries were represented at the World Junior in Germany．The top seed was GM Alexander Onischuk UKR，on 2575，and he was one of 25 players rated 2400 or more．
In the girls＇championship there were 13 players rated over 2300，with Hoang Th Trang VIE top seed on 2405．However， Wallace points out that in addition to that strength，many of the fast－improving young players performed well above their ratings－WGM Nino Khurtidze GEO on 2295 scored 11／13 to win the title．

Wallace scored $6 \frac{1}{2}$ ，to finish 35 th $=$ in the boys＇event，and in the girls＇Veronic Klimenko scored 5 to finish a disappointing 54th．
Neil Steffensen reports that in the Asian Junior in Iran he had travel difficulties to start with，with flight changes and a $61 / 2-$ hour bus ride just before playing his first game．He scored a creditable $6 / 9$ to finish 4th on count－back behind Darmen Sadvakasov KAZ 2260，Sharma IND and Andador PHL．

Steffenson says：＂I was the only competitor without a coach or second at the tournament．I was the only competitor who had to pay for their trip，with all the other competitors＇travelling costs paid for by their federation or government．＂He lists the sponsors without whose assistance he would not have been able to make the trip．

From Pawn Endings，Averback \＆Maizelis 1924，p． 26


To draw，Black must be in a position to reply to ${ }^{6} \mathrm{xa} 7$ with $\Phi \mathrm{c} 7 / 8$ ．White must try to stop this．
1．もe6 末c3 2．末d6？
2． $\mathrm{Dd}^{\mathrm{d}} 5$ Maizelis pointed out this solution before 1927．This route is just as quick as the horizontal route，and it causes Black to lose a vital tempo．Averbakh called this restricting manoeuvre＂shouldering．＂2．．．ђd3 3．屯c6 ఉd4

2．．．すd4 3．Фc6（ちe5
Note that this route via e5 takes the same number of moves as a more vertical route．


Sackman
Study， 1924


## 1．あh8！

Prevents＂shouldering＂．1．Фf8 allows ＂shouldering＂．1．．．ஏf6（1．．．Фf5？＝）2．Фe8 Фe5





Grigoriev
Conclusion of a study， 1931


1．. $\mathrm{tg}^{2} 3$
White is going to lose his 8 ，so he must prepare to reply to $\Phi_{\mathrm{ab}} \mathrm{x} 6$ ，gaining the opposition．

## 1．．．ぁc22．ぁf2！！




2．．．屯d3
2．．．$\ddagger \mathrm{d} 2$［This changes nothing，because both players are losing the same number of tempi．
 7． $\mathrm{b}_{\mathrm{b}} 4=$ ］3．ఉe1［his route ensures that he is not＂shouldered＂without an equal loss of time for Black．］


## Coming events

Sun，March 31 Howick－Pakuranga＇s Latvian Gambit tourney
Sun，October 6 Mid－Canterbury rapid championships
Sat－Mon，June 1－3，Wellington CC Queen＇s Birthday tounney
Sat，June 22 Upper Hutt $40 / 40$

## NZCF Council Report

## Council restructuring

Following Bill Poole's move to Invercargill, and the return of Russell Dive to New Zealand, also an approach to Dave Capper to return to Council, the Council has agreed to a measure of restructuring. This is partly to spread the workload but also to focus attention on specific areas of development. The election of officers at the annual meeting has assisted these changes, which include:
Election of Ted Frost as president and Russell Dive as vice-president, with Alan Aldridge as secretary. There is still no nomination as treasurer, but Council has taken urgent action to bring the accounts up to date.
Arthur Pomeroy continues as tournament convenor, with Tim Frost on the committee and Russell Dive a member ex officio. This committee has responsibility for oversight both of New Zealand competitions and international play. Arthur is convenor of selectors, with Bob Gibbons remaining on the panel. Graham Haase has accepted appointment as a South Island member of the panel.
Bob Gibbons is reappointed convenor of the technical committee, with Peter Stuart as member, and responsibility for reviewing tournament rules (currently looking at the swiss system) and other procedural matters such as recognition of tournament directors.
Dave Capper has accepted appointment as convenor of the junior development committee, which will look after such areas as chess in schools (except competitions) and coaching. Dave is being assisted initially by Jonathan Sarfati and Michael Nyberg, with Ted Frost as ex officio member of the committee. Graham Banks and Ken Pow agreed last year to be consultants in this area.

Jim Simmons remains rating officer and the "rating committee"
Ted Frost is editor of NZ Chess, with councillors assisting with proofreading.
The council team will handle day-to-day financial transactions, under the guidance and supervision of Russell Dive.

Stop press - annual meeting decisions
Key decisions made by the NZCF annual meeting include:

Provision for a form of "associate membership" which will enable groups not fully affiliated to conduct rated tournaments, but without voting power in the federation
Provision for registration of individual players, from both fully affiliated and associate clubs (the registration fee replaces the existing affiliation fee).
Clubs are required to notify open rated tournaments they plan to hold, and requirements for reporting on tournaments have been revised.
The NZ Championship is to be played as a Swiss with a minimum of 18 players. Detailed arrangements have yet to be finalised.
In line with international practice, play at Congress will be continuous, based on a maximum 7-hour session ( 40 in 2, 20 in l, 1 hour to finish).
Some clubs registered disapproval at late presentation of the annual report and lack of financial statements. The report was adopted, with Council giving undertakings regarding completion of the accounts.

## 1996 club programmes

Clubs which have forwarded their 1996 programmes to NZCF are HowickPakuranga, Upper Hutt and Wellington. Clubs will shortly receive requests to advise their arrangements for open rated tournaments, as mentioned above.

## Affiliated Clubs

Ashburton PO Box 204, Ashburton. Meets Mondays 7.30 pm (Feb-Oct), Room 1 (upstairs), Public Library, cnr Havelock and West Streets. Contacts, Roy Keeling (03)86936, Stephen Taylor (03)85-761.
Auckland Chess Centre Mondays 7.15 pm , 17 Cromwell St, Mt Eden, Auckland 1003. Tel (09)630-2042 clubroom
Canterbury 227 Bealey Avenue, Christchurch. Wednesdays, 7.30 pm . Tel (03)366-3935 clubroom. Pres, Mark Guy, 9 Bennett St (03)352_6991. Sec, Pat Jordan (03)338_4274.

Civic Tuesdays 7.30 pm , Museum Room, Turnbull House, Bowen Street, Wellington 1. John Gillespie, 1 Wavell Street, Karori (04)476-3729.

Gambit Sec, Ted Frost, 17 Croydon St, Karori, Wellington 5 (04)476-4098
Hamilton Inquiries Pres, Hilton Bennett, 65 Te Aroha St (07)855-1037.
Howick_Pakuranga Tuesdays 7.30 pm , St John Ambulance Hall, Howick-Pakuranga Highway, Highland Park. Pres, Paul Spiller (09)535_4962.

Hastings_Havelock North P.O. Box 184, Hastings. Wednesdays 7pm, Library, Havelock N High School, Te Mata Rd. Sec, Chris Smith (06)877_4583.
Invercargill Wednesdays 8 pm , staff room, South School, Ness St. Sec, Robert Mackway Jones, 5 Pine Cres, Invercargill (03)2171154.

Kapiti Tuesdays, 7.30 pm , Salvation Army Hall, Bluegum Rd. Paraparaumu Beach. Pres, Guy Burns, 226 Main Road Sth, Paraparaumu (04)297-0462. Sec, Bill Cox, 25 Jeep Rd, Raumati Sth (04)298-8589.
New Plymouth 11 Gilbert St, New Plymouth. Tuesdays, 7.30 pm . Pres, R P Bowler, 17a Hori St (06)753-6282. Contact, Keith Okey, 253d Coronation Ave (06)758-8811.
North Shore P.O. Box 33_587, Takapuna, Auckland 9. Wednesdays 7.30 pm , Northcote Community Centre, cnr College Rd/Ernie

Mays St, Northcote. Club capt, Peter Stuart, 24 Seacliffe Ave, Belmont (09)445_ 6377.
Otago 7 Maitland St, Dunedin. Wednesdays and Saturdays, 7.30 pm . Tel (03)477_6919 clubroom. Pres, Paul Vecovsky, (03)4780063.

Papatoetoe Wednesdays 7.30 pm , St George's Anglican Church Hall, Landscape Rd, Papatoetoe. Contacts, John McRae (09)2784520 or Katrine Metge (sec) 278-7173.
Petone Gambit Thursdays 7.30 pm Central Bowling Club, Roxburgh St, Petone. Pres, Mark Noble, 97 Seddon St, Naenae, Lower Hutt (04)567_0467.
Upper Hutt Mondays 7.30 pm , Hapai Club, 879 Fergusson Drive. Sec, Glen Sullivan, 6a Totara Street, Upper Hutt (04)528-6783.
Waitemata Thursdays 7.30 pm , Kelston Community Centre, cnr Great North Rd and Awaroa Rd, Kelston. Pres, Bob Smith, 2 Autumn Ave, Glen Eden (09)818_4113 or contact Steve Lawson (09)818_5137.
Wanganui Mondays, 1st floor, Commercial Club, St Hill St. Pres, Gordon Hoskyn, 7 Pehi St (06)343-6101; sec, K Yorston, 5 Mitchell St (06)343-7166.
Wellington Saturday nights in Blind Social Club, Westbrook House, 181 Willis Street. 6 pm , juniors; 7.30 pm club play. Pres, Tim Frost (04)476_ 3541. Sec, Ted Frost (04)476_4098.

Auckland Chess Assn, Pres, Peter Stuart, 24 Seacliffe Ave, Belmont, Auckland 9. (09)445-6377.

NZ Correspondence Chess Assn, P.O. Box 3278, Wellington. Sec, J W (Sandy) Maxwell, (04)237_4753.
Wellington District Chess Assn Inc, sec, Ted Frost, 17 Croydon St, Karori, Wellington 5; (04)476_4098.


[^0]:    Sutherland，J－Love，A J
    Otago Easter Open， 1995
    Notes by Tony Love
    1．d4 乌f6 2．ゆg5 c5 3．d5
    3．Qxf6 cutting down Black＇s options is more accurate．

    ## 3．．．Êe4 4．h4？！

    This move looks somewhat strange but it is not completely without merit．However， 4．©f4 is more sensible．

[^1]:    5151 1518
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