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The Oceania Zonal winner, Alexander Wohl  
 (foreground, left) playing Russell Dive in round 7

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## STOP PRESS

Croad takes NZ Junior title  
Wellington's Nic Croad scored 6/6 to take the NZ Junior title from a field of 16 in the tournament played in Wanganui. Colin Hartigan (Auckland) was runner-up and was also first in the under 18 and under 16 sections, as well as taking the NZ School pupil title. In the under 14 section Thomas Kuhn, Waata Hipango and Jeffery Stuart (all Wanganui) were first equal in the under 14 section. Thomas Kuhn and Joseph Tuapawa (Gisborne) were first equal for the best game prize.

### 2000 Olympiad

The first Olympic of the new millennium will be held in Istanbul, starting late October. NZCF officials are busy sounding out possible participants for open and women's teams, and shortly will be launching an appeal for funds to support the team.

### Late stop press

Michael Freeman advises the following names for the 2000 Olympiad team:  
Men, R J Dive, B Martin, A Ker, P Green, R W Smith, S G Lukey; women (possibles), V Smith, E Otene, H Courtney.

*Cover photo: Auckland Chess Centre provided the venue for the 2000 zonal tournament, in which 14 players took part.*

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## 2000 North Island Championship

An 8-round open Swiss

July 10 - 14 (Mon - Fri), St Patrick's College, Wellington

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## Oceania Zonal, Auckland, May 2000

By NM Peter Stuart (Chief Arbiter and NZCF President)

One drawback of the Zonal split is that Australia and New Zealand are faced with organising a zonal tournament each year and we will have to be prepared to do it every second or third year. Funding is probably harder to find in New Zealand than in Australia but then the main prizes in these tournaments are IM titles and the one place in the World Championship where defeat in the first round is still quite lucrative. So we did not need a big prize fund for this year's event. Indeed, it was run on a shoestring budget with the Auckland Chess Centre offering the use of its rooms for a very modest rental and two of the three free place holders from overseas being billeted. Entry was not cheap for the other players - \$400 regardless of rating or title

Most of the credit for the organisation belongs to Michael Freeman who, with his twin hats as NZCF Councillor and "FIDE dignitary", was ideally placed. In consultation with Zone president Graham Gardiner (Australia) the Council decided on a nine-round Swiss with a (FIDE) rating limit of 2100. In fact one player, Ilija Ilic of Australia, was admitted with a rating of 2096; after his performance in Auckland, however, he will need to do some remedial work on his rating to gain entry in the future!

With a nine round Swiss it looked as though we might have enormous pairing problems due to the (lack of) size of the field. Early in the planning stage we were fairly confident of a strong Australian presence but gradually it became clear that this would not be the case.

There were four free places, two from Australia and one each from Fiji and New Zealand. Alex Wohl was one of the two original Australian selections but the ACF had a major problem finding the second, eventually settling on 13-year old Zhao Zong Yuan who had already entered as a fee (\$400) paying competitor. Fortunately there was a good entry from New Zealand's top players with practically everyone with a realistic chance of gaining an IM title in the field and we finished up with 14 players, rather borderline for nine rounds but at least feasible.

Looking at the seedings it appeared that only Alex Wohl would be likely to challenge the top New Zealanders. Indeed, the comparatively weak field (i.e. weak compared to what it could have been if the top Aussies had turned up) gave very good chances for IM titles.

Of the top six seeds, those rated 2300 or higher, only Wohl and Anthony Ker played consistently well throughout but the latter had too many draws to mount a realistic challenge. Thus Wohl was able to dominate the tournament quite convincingly, his only bad moment coming in round 3 when, with both players in only mild time pressure, he allowed mate in one!

Russell Dive soon showed that he was not in his best form, scoring only 1½ points from his first four games. New Zealand hopes, however, still looked bright when Alexei Kulashko started with three wins and Paul Garbett with two. Both players, however, then went into an abrupt decline with Alexei scoring only half a point from his next four games while Paul lost three in a row starting in round three.

### Two IM's, two FM's

Meanwhile, Ker was grinding along undefeated and when he scored his third win in round ten the IM title was almost in the bag. A quick draw in the final round gained him the title while Bruce Watson and Stephen Lukey qualified for FM titles by scoring 50% or more.

The sensation of the tournament was undoubtedly Zhao, who not only gained the IM title at the age of 13 but also came in clear second. Such a result did not look likely when he lost rather miserably to Wohl in the first round when he was recovering from a cold. It turns out, though, that Alex is one of the few players in Australia who can count the youngster as a good customer. Zhao never lost again and exhibited a maturity beyond his years.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			
1 Wohl A.	2438	♦	1	½	½	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	½	-	-	7½	1
2 Zhao, Z.	2242	0	♦	½	½	1	-	-	1	1	½	1	1	-	-	6½	2
3 Ker, A.	2321	½	½	♦	1	½	½	½	½	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	2
4 Garbett, P.	2360	½	½	0	♦	0	1	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	1	5	3-6
5 Watson, B.	2260	0	0	½	1	♦	-	-	1	½	½	-	-	1	½	5	3-6
6 Dive, R. J.	2443	0	-	½	0	-	♦	0	1	1	-	½	-	1	1	5	3-6
7 Tindall, B.	2194	0	-	½	0	-	1	♦	-	0	-	1	½	1	1	5	3-6
8 Kulashko, A.	2382	0	0	½	1	0	0	-	♦	-	1	-	1	1	-	4½	8-10
9 Levi, E.	2246	-	0	-	0	½	0	1	-	♦	-	½	1	½	1	4½	8-10
10 Lukey, S.	2235	0	½	0	-	½	-	-	0	-	♦	½	1	1	1	5½	8-10
11 Guthrie, D.	2138	-	0	0	-	-	½	0	-	½	½	♦	½	½	½	4½	11-12
12 Smith, R. W.	2300	½	0	-	-	-	-	½	0	0	0	½	♦	1	1	3½	11-12
13 Saksena, K.	2000	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	½	0	½	0	♦	½	1½	13
14 Ilic, I.	2096	-	-	-	0	½	0	0	-	0	0	0	½	♦	1	14	

### Round 1

Levi-Dive	0-1
Wohl-Zhao	1-0
Lukey-Kulashko	0-1
Garbett-Tindall	1-0
Guthrie-Ker	0-1
Smith-Ilic	1-0
Saksena-Watson	0-1

52.♙g3 ♜g6 53.♙f2 ♚c4 54.♞c3 ♚d4 55.♞c2 ♚d5 56.♞d2 ♚b7 57.♙e2 ♚c5 58.♞b2 ♚a8 59.♞d2 ♞c4 60.♞d3 ♚b7 61.♞b3 ♚d5 62.♞c3 ♚d4 63.♞a3 ♚c5 64.♞c3 ♚b6 65.♞a3 ♚c6 66.♙f3 ♞b4 67.♙f4 ♚c8 68.♞d3 ♚b7+ 69.♙g3 ♚c5 70.♞c3 ♚a7 71.♞a3 ♚b8 72.♞a5

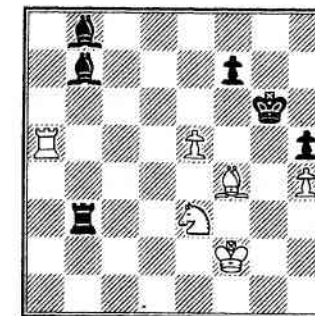
72.♞c2 ♞b1 73.♞e3 (Fritz 5).

72...♞b3 73.♙f2

Levi-Dive reached an ending where the top seed, Dive, had R+2B+2P vs R+B+N+2P with all pawns on the kingside. Even with the reduced material the bishop pair gave Dive a definite advantage and Levi's fortress was gradually dismantled.

Levi, E (2246) - Dive, R (2443)  
Zonal R 1 [B02] Alekhine, 2P attack

1.e4 ♗f6 2.♗c3 d5 3.e5 ♗e4 4.♙f3 ♗xc3 5.dxc3 e6 6.♚d3 g6 7.♙f4 ♙g7 8.♙g3 ♙b6 9.♞b1 ♗a6 10.♗f3 ♗c5 11.0-0 ♗xd3 12.cxd3 ♙a6 13.♗d4 c5 14.♗b3 b6 15.a3 ♗f5 16.♞fd1 ♙a4 17.♗d2 ♙b5 18.c4 dxc4 19.♙f3 0-0 20.dxc4 ♙d7 21.♗e4 ♙e6 22.♞d5 ♙c6 23.♞e1 ♚e6 24.♞d3 ♙a4 25.♞e1 ♞ad8 26.♙d1 ♙xd1+ 27.♞xd1 ♞xd3 28.♞xd3 ♗xc4 29.♞d7 ♗e6 30.♞xe7 ♞d8 31.f3 h6 32.♞xa7 g5 33.♙g3 ♞d1+ 34.♙f2 ♞b1 35.♞b7 ♞xb2+ 36.♙f1 ♚c4+ 37.♙g1 ♚d5 38.♞b8+ ♙h7 39.♗xc5 h5 40.h4 gxh4 41.♙f4 h3 42.gxh3 ♗xf3 43.♗d3 ♞g2+ 44.♙f1 ♞a2 45.♗b4 ♞xa3 46.♞xb6 ♙f8 47.♗c2 ♞a2 48.♗e3 ♚c5 49.♞b3 ♚c2+ 50.♙e1 ♚a6 51.h4 ♞a4



73...f6 74.♞c5 ♚a7 75.♞c7 fxe5 76.♙g5 ♚d4 77.♞d7 ♞b6 78.♙g3 ♚e4 79.♞e7 ♞b7 80.♞c6+ ♙g7 81.♗c4 ♚d5 82.♞xe5 ♗xe5+ 83.♗xe5 ♞b4 84.♚e3 ♞e4 85.♙f4 ♚b7 86.♗d3 ♙g6 87.♗c5 ♞b4 88.♗e6 ♞b3+ 89.♙h2 ♚d5 90.♗d4 ♞d3 91.♗c2 ♙f5 92.♙g5 ♙g4 93.♙f6 ♞d2 0-1

Zhao made things easy for Wohl, the second seed, by allowing Wohl's rook on to the seventh rank on move 20 with win of material. This result could have given Zhao opponents a false

sense of security, for just 7 rounds later, with 5 wins and 2 draws, he qualified for the IM title.

Wohl,A (2438) – Zhao,Z (2242)

Zonal R 1 [A04] Dutch

1.d4 e6 2.b3 f5 3.♘b2 ♠f6 4.d3 b6 5.g3 ♘b7 6.♙g2 d5 7.0–0 ♘d6 8.♗bd2 0–0 9.e4 fxe4 10.dxe4 ♗e4 11.♗xe4 dxe4 12.♗d2 ♗d7 13.♗xe4 ♖e7 14.♖h5 ♜f5 15.♖e2 15...♙e5

15...Nc5 (Fritz 5).

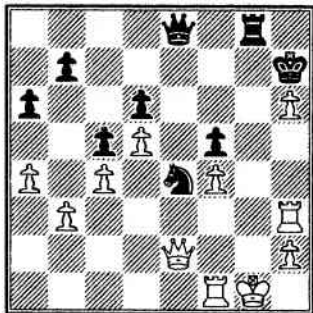
16.♙xe5 ♗xe5 17.f4 ♗c6 18.♗ad1 e5 19.♙h3 ♜ff8 20.♗d7 ♖b4 21.c3 ♖a3 22.♜xc7 ♙c8 23.♙xc8 ♜axc8 24.♖c4+ 1–0

Lukey-Kulashko was the most interesting game of the round. Lukey obtained a kingside attack and (temporarily) gained a pawn; a small combination won a second pawn, but Kulashko then had enough counterplay to equalise. Lukey, however, blundered in time trouble on move 40, losing his queen instead of reaching a drawn rook ending.

Lukey,S (2235) – Kulashko,A (2382)

Zonal R 1 [A56] Old Indian Def.

1.d4 ♠f6 2.c4 e5 3.d5 d6 4.♗c3 g6 5.e4 ♙g7 6.♗f3 ♙g4 7.♙e2 ♙xf3 8.♙xf3 0–0 9.0–0 ♗fd7 10.♙g5 ♗a6 11.♖d2 ♗c7 12.♙h6 ♗b8 13.♙g7 ♗xg7 14.♙e2 a6 15.a4 ♗e8 16.f4 ♖a5 17.♗a3 ♗ef6 18.♖e3 ♖c7 19.g4 ♗be8 20.♖g3 ♗g8 21.♖h4 e6 22.g5 ♖b6 23.♗d1 exd5 24.♙g4 ♖d8 25.♗h3 h6 26.exd5 ♗e4 27.♗e3 f6 28.gxh6+ ♗h7 29.♙e6 ♗e7 30.♖g4 f5 31.♖g2 ♗f6 32.b3 ♖e8 33.♙xf5 ♗xf5 34.♗xf5 ♗e2 35.♖g3 ♗e4 36.♖g4 ♗f6 37.♖g3 ♗e4 38.♖f3 gxf5 39.♖xc2 ♜g8+



40.♗h1?

40.♜g3 ♗xg3 41.♖xe8 ♜xe8 42.hxg3 ♜c3 43.♗b1 ♜xg3+ 44.♗f2.

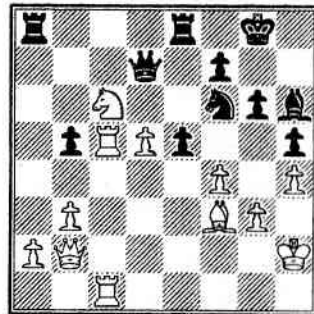
40...♗g3+ 0–1

Garbett won a pawn in the middle-game against Tindall, who later sacrificed a piece in lieu of simply losing a second pawn. It was all downhill after this.

Garbett,P (2360) – Tindall,B (2194)

Zonal R 1 [B70] Sicilian, Dragon Var.

1.e4 c5 2.♗f3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.♗xd4 ♠f6 5.♗c3 g6 6.g3 ♙g7 7.♙g2 0–0 8.h3 ♗c6 9.♗de2 ♙e6 10.0–0 ♗b8 11.b3 ♖d7 12.♗h2 ♜fd8 13.f4 ♗bc8 14.♗b2 a6 15.♗b1 b5 16.♗d5 ♙xd5 17.exd5 ♗b8 18.♖d2 ♖c7 19.♜fc1 ♗bd7 20.♗d4 ♗e8 21.c4 ♖b7 22.♗c6 ♗c5 23.♙d4 ♖d7 24.cxb5 axb5 25.♙xc5 dxc5 26.♜xc5 h5 27.♗bc1 ♗a8 28.♙f3 ♙h6 29.h4 e5 30.♖b2



30...exf4

Fritz 5 suggests 30...e4, but the advantage remains with White.

31.♖xf6 fxxg3+ 32.♗xg3 ♙xc1 33.♜xc1 ♗e3 34.♗e5 ♖a7 35.d6 ♜f8 36.♗c6 ♖d7 37.♖f4 ♗e6 38.♗d1 ♜fe8 39.♗e7+ ♗g7 40.♙c6 ♖d8 41.♙xe8 ♖xe8 42.♖d4+ ♗h7 43.♗d5 f5 44.d7 ♖d8 45.♖f4 ♗e4 46.♗f6+ ♙xf6 47.d8 ♖c3+ 48.♖d3 ♖f6 49.♖dxe4 1–0

Guthrie-Ker was a good advert for the Benko Gambit, White leaving himself a pawn up but with two weak pawns which eventually dropped off.

Guthrie,D (2138) – Ker,A (2321)

Zonal R 1 [A57] Wolga-Benko Gambit

1.d4 ♗f6 2.c4 e5 3.d5 b5 4.♗f3 g6 5.cxb5 a6 6.♖c2 d6 7.e4 ♙g7 8.♗c3 0–0 9.a4 ♗bd7 10.♗b1 ♗e8 11.♙e2 axb5 12.axb5 ♗b6 13.0–0 ♙d7 14.♙e3 f5 15.exf5 ♙xf5 16.♙d3 ♗c7 17.♗bd1 ♖d7 18.♜fe1 ♗cxd5 19.♗xd5 ♗xd5 20.♖b3 e6 21.♙c1 ♙xd3 22.♜xd3 ♗h8 23.♗g5 ♙d4 24.♗f3 ♙f6 25.♙h6 ♜fe8 26.♗g5 ♗ab8 27.♜f3 ♖xb5 28.♖a4 ♗b7 29.♖g4 ♗b4 30.♗e4 ♙xb2 31.♙g5 ♙g7 32.♖g3 e5 33.h4 ♗f4 34.♙xf4 exf4 35.♖xf4 d5 36.♗d3 ♖e6 37.♖c7 ♗xe4 38.♗de3 ♖e7 39.♗xe4 dxe4 0–1

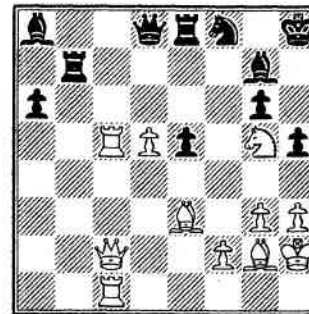
Smith gained a strong initiative which was in no danger of petering out given the tangle in which Black's pieces found themselves. When White's major pieces penetrated down the c-file the black position collapsed.

Smith,R (2300) – Ilic,I (2096)

Zonal R 1

[E69] King's Ind Def, Fianchetto Var.

1.♗f3 d6 2.d4 ♗f6 3.g3 g6 4.♙g2 ♙g7 5.0–0 0–0 6.c4 e6 7.♗c3 ♗bd7 8.h3 e5 9.e4 a6 10.a4 ♗e8 11.♙e3 ♖e7 12.d5 e5 13.a5 h6 14.♖d2 ♗h7 15.♗e1 ♗f8 16.♗a4 ♗d7 17.b4 cxb4 18.♗b1 f5 19.♗xb4 fxe4 20.c5 dxc5 21.♗xe4 ♖d6 22.♗h4 h5 23.♗c4 b5 24.axb6 ♗xb6 25.♗xb6 ♖xb6 26.♗xc5 ♖d8 27.♗f3 ♗b7 28.♗b1 ♗b8 29.♗h2 ♙a8 30.♗bc1 ♗b7 31.♗g5+ ♗h8 32.♖c2



32...♖b8 33.♗c8 ♗xc8 34.♖xc8 ♗b5 35.♗e6 ♖xc8 36.♗xc8 ♗b7 37.♗d8 ♗g8 38.♗xf8 ♙f6 39.♗b8 ♗f7 40.♗d7 ♙g7 41.♗c5 ♙c6 42.♗xa6 ♗xb8 43.♗xb8 ♗b7 44.♗c6 1–0

Saksena, the Fijian representative, outplayed Watson in the middle-game, winning a pawn. Watson, however, defended grimly and later re-

gained the pawn to reach an approximately equal rook ending which Saksena butchered.

Saksena,K (2000) – Watson,B (2260)

Zonal R 1 [C50] Evans Gambit

1.e4 e5 2.♗f3 ♗c6 3.♙c4 ♙c5 4.0–0 ♗f6 5.♗c3 d6 6.h3 h6 7.d3 g5 8.♗h2 ♗d4 9.♗e2 ♖e7 10.c3 ♗xe2+ 11.♖xe2 ♙d4 12.♗h1 ♗b6 13.f3 ♗h5 14.♖e1 0–0 15.a4 a6 16.b4 ♗f4 17.♙e3 h5 18.♙xb6 cxb6 19.♖e3 ♗c7 20.a5 b5 21.♙d5 ♗xd5 22.exd5 f5 23.c4 ♙e8 24.♖a7 bxc4 25.dxc4 ♗c8 26.b5 ♗d8 27.bxa6 bxa6 28.♖xa6 ♖c7 29.♜fb1 ♗h7 30.♗b6 ♗d7 31.♜c1 ♖c5 32.♗f1 g4 33.♗c6 ♗xc6 34.dxc6 ♖c7 35.♖b5 ♖xc6 36.♖xc6 ♙xc6 37.fxxg4 hxxg4 38.hxxg4 fxxg4 39.♗e3 g3 40.♗f5 ♗h7+ 41.♗g1 ♗h2 42.♗e3 ♗c7 43.♗b1 ♗h4 44.a6 ♗h8 45.♗f5 ♙e4 46.♗f1 ♙d3 47.♗f3 ♙xf5 48.♗xf5 ♗a8 49.♗f3 ♗xa6 50.♗xg3 ♗e6 51.♜g8 ♗c5 52.♗c8+ ♗d4 53.g4 ♗e4 54.c5 dxc5 55.♗xc5 ♗g6 56.♗c4+ ♗f3 57.♗f1 e4 58.♗c8 ♗xg4 59.♗f8+ ♗e3 60.♗f7 ♗g3 61.♗f8 ♗f3+ 62.♗f3+ ♗xf3 63.♗e1 ♗e3 0–1

## Round 2

A draw between Wohl and Ker allowed Kulashko and Garbett (with a win over Dive) to secure the early lead.

Dive-Garbett	0-1
Ker-Wohl	½-½
Kulashko-Smith	1-0
Watson-Levi	½-½
Zhao-Guthrie	1-0
Ilic-Lukey	0-1
Tindall-Saksena	1-0

After the disappearance of the centre pawns Garbett gained a strong initiative and this, combined with Dive's time shortage, quickly proved decisive. A good result for Paul who has been a surprisingly good customer for Russell over the last few years.

Dive,R – Garbett,P

Zonal R 2 [A53] Old Indian Def.

1.d4 ♗f6 2.c4 d6 3.♗c3 e5 4.g3 c6 5.♙g2 ♙e7 6.e4 0–0 7.h3 a6 8.♗f3 ♖c7 9.♙e3 h5 10.cxb5 axb5 11.a3 ♗bd7 12.0–0 ♗e8 13.♖c2 ♖b7 14.b4 ♙f8 15.♗d2 ♗b6 16.♜fc1 ♙e6 17.♙f1 g6

18. d1 ♖ac8 19. b2 exd4 20. Qxd4 Qg7 21. Qg2 d5 22. exd5 Qxd5 23. Qxd5 f2xd5 24. Qxg7 Qxg7 25. ♖e1 ♗d7 26. Qh2 h5 27. Qf3 ♗d6 28. Qd3 Qc4 29. a4 ♗f6 30. Qg1 h4 31. axb5 cxb5 32. ♖xe8 ♖xe8 33. ♖d1 hxg3+ 34. Qxg3 ♗d6+ 35. Qf3 ♖e6 36. Qc5 ♗f4+ 0-1

Ker and -Wohl: both played carefully to reach a double rook ending where there was really nothing left to play for.

**Ker, A – Wohl, A**  
Zonal, R 2 [A45] Old Benoni

1. d4 Qf6 2. Qg5 e6 3. Qd2 c5 4. Qe4 d5 5. Qxf6 gxf6 6. Qxc5 Qxc5 7. dxc5 ♗a5+ 8. ♗d2 ♗xc5 9. g3 Qc6 10. Qf3 e5 11. Qg2 Qe6 12. 0-0 h5 13. Qh4 0-0-0 14. c3 Qb8 15. e3 Qe7 16. ♗d3 ♗c8 17. ♖f1 Qh3 18. e4 Qxg2 19. Qxg2 ♗c6 20. Qg1 ♗e6 21. exd5 ♖xd5 22. ♗f3 e4 23. ♗f4+ ♖e5 24. c4 ♖g8 25. Qg2 Qg6 26. ♗d2 ♖c5 27. Qf4 Qxf4 28. ♗xf4+ ♗e5 29. ♗xe5+ fxe5 30. b3 h4 31. ♖d7 f5 32. ♖h7 hxg3 33. hxg3 ♖c7 34. ♖h5 ♖f7 35. ♖d1 e3 36. fxe3 ♖xg3+ 37. Qf2 ♖g6 38. ♖d5 ♖e6 39. e4 fxe4+ 40. Qe3 ♖a6 41. ♖h2 ♖e6 42. ♖h5 ♖a6 43. ♖d2 ♖e6 44. ♖d5 ½-½

Kulashko played his IQP position very well against Smith, to gain a strong kingside attack, not to mention a pawn on the queenside.

**Kulashko, A – Smith, R**  
Zonal, R 2 [B14] Caro-Kann, Panov Att.

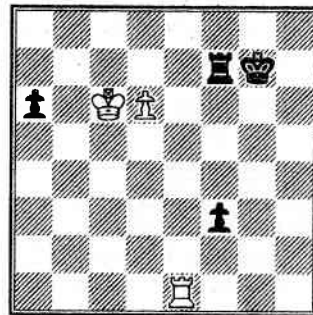
1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4. c4 Qf6 5. Qc3 e6 6. Qf3 Qb4 7. cxd5 Qxd5 8. Qd2 0-0 9. Qd3 Qe7 10. 0-0 Qc6 11. Qxd5 ♗xd5 12. Qc3 Qf6 13. ♗c2 g6 14. Qe4 ♗d6 15. ♖ad1 Qe7 16. h4 Qd5 17. h5 Qd7 18. ♖f1 Qg7 19. Qe5 Qxc3 20. ♗xc3 ♖ac8 21. ♗f3 Qe7 22. Qxb7 ♖c2 23. d5 ♗c7 24. h6+ Qxh6 25. Qg4+ Qg5 26. d6 Qxd6 27. ♗f6+ Qxg4 28. Qf3# 1-0

Watson and Levi ground their way through to a R+P ending which petered out into a draw.

**Watson, B – Levi, E**  
Zonal, R 2 [A07] Barcza System

1. Qf3 d5 2. g3 Qg4 3. Qg2 Qd7 4. d4 Qf6 5. c4 e6 6. Qc3 c5 7. cxd5 exd5 8. 0-0 Qe7 9. h3 Qe6 10. Qe3 c4 11. Qe5 Qb4 12. Qg5 Qxc3 13. bxc3

♗a5 14. Qxd7 Qxd7 15. ♗c2 0-0 16. ♖f1 Qb6 17. a4 Qd7 18. ♖b4 ♖fe8 19. e3 Qc6 20. Qf4 Qd7 21. ♗f5 Qf6 22. Qe5 ♖e6 23. Qxf6 ♖xf6 24. ♗b1 ♖e8 25. ♖a3 ♗d8 26. a5 a6 27. ♖b2 ♗d6 28. ♖aa2 h5 29. h4 g6 30. ♖e2 ♖fe6 31. ♗b6 ♖e7 32. ♗c5 ♗d7 33. ♖ab2 ♗f5 34. e4 dxe4 35. ♗xf5 gxf5 36. Qh3 e3 37. Qxf5 Qf3 38. ♖xe3 ♖xc3 39. fxe3 ♖xe3 40. ♖c2 Qd5 41. Qh2 ♖e1 42. g4 hxg4 43. Qxg4 ♖a1 44. Qg3 ♖xa5 45. Qf3 Qxf3 46. Qxf3 ♖a3 47. Qe4 ♖a1 48. Qd5 ♖h1 49. Qxc4 ♖xh4 50. Qc5 ♖h6 51. c4 Qf8 52. ♖b2 ♖c6+ 53. Qd5 ♖c7 54. c5 Qe7 55. Qc4 f5 56. d5 Qf6 57. d6 ♖d7 58. Qd5 f4 59. ♖e2 ♖f7 60. ♖e6+ Qg7 61. c6 bxc6+ 62. Qxc6 f3 63. ♖e1



63... Qg6

Drawn at this point.

Not 63... Qf8, 64. d7 and White wins. Black fares no better than the text move with 63... f2 64. ♖f1 Qf8 65. d7 Qe7 66. Qc7 Qe6 67. ♖xf2 ♖xd7+ 68. Qb6 (Fritz 5). The main line given by Fritz 5 is:

64. d7 ♖xd7

Not 64... ♖f8 65. ♖f1 (65. ♖d1 Qg5 66. d8♗+ ♖xd8 67. ♖xd8=) 65... a5 66. Qd6 Qg7 67. Qc7+; nor 64... ♖f6+ 65. Qc7 ♖f7 66. ♖f1 Qh5 67. ♖xf3+.

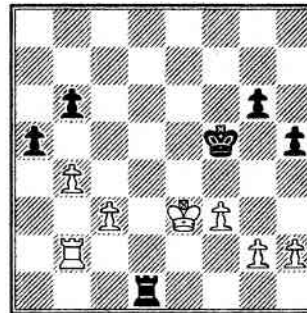
65. Qxd7 Qg5 66. ♖a1 Qf4 67. ♖f1 = ½-½

Zhao won a pawn from Guthrie in the middle-game, but would have struggled to take the full point if Guthrie hadn't blundered another pawn.

**Zhao, Z – Guthrie, D**  
Zonal R 2 [B22] Sicilian Def, Alapin Var

1. e4 c5 2. c3 Qf6 3. e5 Qd5 4. d4 exd4 5. Qf3 e6 6. cxd4 b6 7. Qc3 Qxc3 8. bxc3 ♗c7 9. Qd2 Qb7 10. Qd3 d6 11. 0-0 Qd7 12. Qg5 dxe5 13. ♗h5 g6

14. ♗h3 Qe7 15. ♖ae1 Qxg5 16. Qxg5 0-0 17. dxe5 Qxe5 18. Qf4 f6 19. Qxe5 fxe5 20. ♗xe6+ ♗f7 21. Qc4 ♗xe6 22. Qxe6+ Qg7 23. ♖xe5 ♖fe8 24. ♖f1 ♖ad8 25. Qb3 ♖xe5 26. ♖xe5 ♖d7 27. f3 Qf6 28. ♖e6+ Qf5 29. Qf2 Qd5 30. ♖e2 Qxb3 31. axb3 ♖d3 32. ♖c2 ♖d1 33. Qe3 a5 34. ♖b2 h5 35. b4



35... axb4?

35... a4]

36. ♖xb4 ♖g1 37. ♖b5+ 1-0

Lukey won a pawn and this, with the bishop pair versus B+N, was quite enough to win from Ilic.

**Ilic, I – Lukey, S**  
Zonal, R 2 [D00] Q P Game

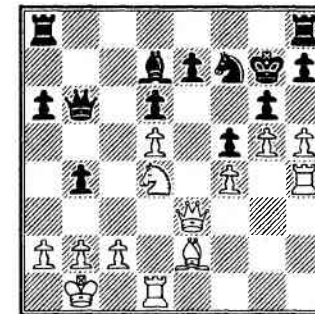
1. d4 d5 2. Qc3 Qf6 3. f3 e6 4. e3 c5 5. a3 Qc6 6. Qe2 Qd7 7. g3 ♖c8 8. Qg2 ♗b6 9. 0-0 exd4 10. exd4 Qe7 11. Qh1 0-0 12. h4 ♖fd8 13. ♗d2 a6 14. Qa4 ♗a7 15. b3 b5 16. Qb2 a5 17. c3 ♖c7 18. Qd3 ♖dc8 19. Qb2 Qe8 20. ♖fc1 Qd7 21. Qef4 Qb6 22. Qh3 ♗b8 23. ♗e1 Qd6 24. Qe2 Qe7 25. ♖ab1 ♗a8 26. Qef4 Qh8 27. h5 h6 28. Qe5 Qd7 29. Qfd3 Qc6 30. f4 Qf6 31. g4 Qe4 32. Qg2 Qxe5 33. dxe5 Qe7 34. Qh2 ♗b7 35. Qh3 Qc6 36. ♗e2 ♗b6 37. ♖e1 Qb7 38. Qxe4 dxe4 39. Qf2 ♖d7 40. ♖bd1 ♖cd8 41. ♖xd7 ♖xd7 42. Qc1 e3 43. Qxe3 ♗c6 44. Qd1 Qxa3 45. ♖g1 Qe7 46. g5 hxg5 47. fxg5 ♗f3+ 48. ♗xf3 Qxf3 49. Qf2 Qxh5 50. Qg3 Qg6 51. ♖a1 Qd8 52. Qf4 Qc2 53. c4 b4 54. c5 Qc7 55. ♖a2 Qxb3 56. ♖d2 ♖xd2 57. Qxd2 Qc2 58. Qe4 Qxe4 59. Qxe4 Qg8 60. Qd4 Qf8 61. c6 Qe8 62. Qc5 Qd8 63. Qb5 Qxe5 0-1

Against Tindall, Saksena allowed his knight on f7 to be trapped and the Aussie won after he

obtained a menacing looking attack.

**Tindall, B – Saksena, K**  
Zonal R 2 [B76]  
Sicilian Def, Modern Dragon Var

1. e4 c5 2. Qf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Qxd4 Qf6 5. Qc3 g6 6. f3 Qg7 7. Qe3 Qc6 8. ♗d2 0-0 9. g4 Qe5 10. 0-0-0 a6 11. Qe2 b5 12. Qh6 b4 13. Qd5 Qxd5 14. exd5 ♗a5 15. Qb1 ♗b6 16. h4 f6 17. Qxg7 Qxg7 18. g5 f5 19. h5 Qd7 20. ♖h4 ♖h8 21. f4 Qf7 22. ♗e3



22... ♗d8 23. Qe6+ Qxe6 24. dxe6 ♗c7 25. h6+ Qf8 26. ♗d4 ♖c8 27. ♗g7+ Qe8 28. ♗xf7+ Qd8 29. Qd3 a5 30. ♗g7 ♖e8 31. ♗xh7 a4 32. ♗xg6 b3 33. axb3 axb3 34. cxb3 ♗b6 35. ♗xe8+ Qxe8 36. h7 Qd8 37. h8♗+ Qc7 38. ♖c1+ 1-0

**Round 3**

In an incident-filled round, a Garbett blunder let Kulashko take solo lead, while Watson misses a mate in one against Wohl and instead was himself mated on the move, and Lukey-Zhao ended in a stalemate.

Garbett-Kulashko	0-1
Wohl-Watson	1-0
Dive-Ker	½-½
Smith-Tindall	½-½
Lukey-Zhao	½-½
Levi-Guthrie	½-½
Saksena-Ilic	½-½

Leading scores: Kulashko, 3; Wohl, 2½; Ker, Garbett, 2; Zhao, Watson, Dive, Tindall, Lukey, Smith, 1½.



Garbett blundered just out of the opening and Kulashko, with a piece for just one pawn, had no trouble winning.

### Garbett,P – Kulashko,A

Zonal R 3 [B06] Modern Defence

1.e4 g6 2.d4 Qg7 3.2c3 d6 4.2f3 a6 5.2e3 b5 6.2d3 Qb7 7.2d2 2d7 8.d5 e5 9.dxc6 Qxc6 10.2d4 2g7 11.0-0 0-0 12.2fe1 e5 13.2e3 b4 14.2d5

14.2e2 (Fritz 5).

14...2xd5 15.2xb4

15.exd5.

15...2xe4 16.2xe4 d5 17.2ad1 dxe4 18.2xe5 2b8 19.2xb8 2xb8 20.2d2 2e8 21.2c4 2bd7 22.2ed1 2e5 23.2b6 2ab8 24.b3 2eg4 25.2c4 2xe3 26.2xe3 Qf8 27.h3 2e7 28.c4 2f8 29.g4 h6 30.2g2 2b4 31.2d4 2c5 32.2d4d2 2xe3 33.fxe3 2e7 34.2g3 g5 35.2f1 2ed8 36.2df2 2b6 37.h4 2d3 38.hxg5 hxg5 39.2e2 2d7 40.2ff5 f6 41.2a5 2c6 42.2f2 2e5 43.2g3 2e6 44.2a4 2d1 45.c5 2d5 0-1

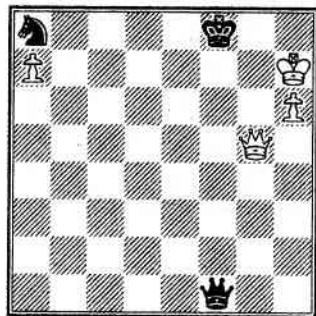
Watson sacrificed a pawn against Wohl, but the following complications worked out better for Wohl, who won a second one. The next act in this drama, now a minor piece ending, saw Wohl losing his bishop for a passed pawn leaving a very interesting ending of K+5P versus K+N+2P. Wohl could win Watson's knight on the queenside or his pawn on h6 but neither was winning; he opted for the latter and soon both sides promoted. Then came a farcical finish as Wohl allowed mate in one and Watson, eschewing this fine possibility, himself allowed mate in one!

### Wohl,A – Watson,B

Zonal R 3 [B50] Sicilian Def, Paulsen Var.

1.e4 c5 2.2f3 e6 3.b3 d6 4.2b2 2f6 5.2b5+ Qd7 6.2e2 2c6 7.0-0 2e7 8.c3 a6 9.2d3 0-0 10.2c2 e5 11.d3 g6 12.2bd2 2h5 13.2ad1 b5 14.d4 2c7 15.2c1 2fe8 16.2e3 2f8 17.2d1 2a7 18.dxe5 dxe5 19.g3 h6 20.2h4 2f6 21.2f3 2e6 22.2g2 2ed8 23.2fd1 2d7 24.2e2 2ad8 25.2e3 c4 26.bxc4 bxc4 27.2dxc4 2c5 28.2xd7 2xd7 29.2g2 a5 30.2a3 a4 31.2xe5 2xc5 32.2b1 2a5 33.2b6 2b7 34.2b5 2xc3 35.2xa4 2c7 36.2c5 2d8 37.h4 2b1 38.2c3 2d4 39.2c7 2a1 40.2c2 2b6 41.2xf7 2xf7 42.2xa1 2d4 43.2e1

24.2xd4 2xd4 25.2xd4 2xd4 26.2f3 2d3 27.2xd3 2dxd3 28.2g1 2f8 29.2ad1 2c5 30.2xd3 2xd3 31.2f3 f6 32.2c1 2b6 33.2c2 2d7 34.2d2 2c7 35.2e2 2f7 36.g4 g5 37.2h2 2e6 38.2f1 2d6 39.2d2+ 2c6 40.a3 2c5 41.b4 2d4 42.2xc2+ 2d6 43.2xc7 2xc7 44.2e3 2xe3 45.fxe3 1/2-1/2



84.2g6?? 2c4?? 85.2d8# 1-0

Dive-Ker was a very symmetrical English, quickly agreed drawn.

### Dive,R – Ker,A

Zonal R 3 [A36] English, Symmetrical Var.

1.c4 c5 2.2c3 g6 3.g3 Qg7 4.Qg2 2c6 5.e3 e6 6.2ge2 2ge7 7.d4 cxd4 8.exd4 d5 9.cxd5 exd5 10.Qg5 2e6 11.2d2 0-0 12.0-0 2d7 13.2fe1 2f5 14.2e3 2fe8 15.2ad1 2ad8 1/2-1/2

Smith became rather passive in the middle game against Tindall, but exchanges gradually freed his position while Tindall seemed unable to infiltrate successfully.

### Smith,R – Tindall,B

Zonal R 3 [A04] Dutch

1.e4 c5 2.d3 2c6 3.g3 g6 4.Qg2 Qg7 5.2f3 e6 6.0-0 2ge7 7.2bd2 0-0 8.2e1 d6 9.2f1 2d7 10.h4 b5 11.h5 2c8 12.2h2 e5 13.c3 d5 14.hxg6 hxg6 15.2g5 d4 16.2h3 c4 17.cxd4 2xd4 18.2xd7 2xd7 19.dxc4 2xc4 20.2c3 2ec6 21.2g2 2d8 22.b3 2c2 23.2g3 2c3

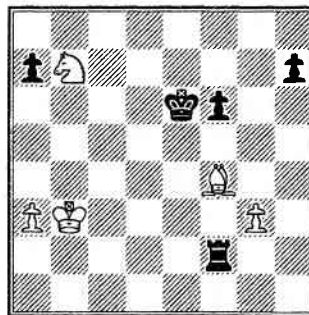
24.2xd4 2xd4 25.2xd4 2xd4 26.2f3 2d3 27.2xd3 2dxd3 28.2g1 2f8 29.2ad1 2c5 30.2xd3 2xd3 31.2f3 f6 32.2c1 2b6 33.2c2 2d7 34.2d2 2c7 35.2e2 2f7 36.g4 g5 37.2h2 2e6 38.2f1 2d6 39.2d2+ 2c6 40.a3 2c5 41.b4 2d4 42.2xc2+ 2d6 43.2xc7 2xc7 44.2e3 2xe3 45.fxe3 1/2-1/2

Lukey won two pieces for a rook from Zhao, but at the cost of two pawns. The chances were probably level when Zhao came up with an enterprising sacrifice which led into the ending of N + Ps v Ps; the second example of this rare creature in the same round. This game actually ended in a stalemate when Zhao captured Lukey's steed on h1 with ensuing stalemate.

### Lukey,S – Zhao,Z

Zonal R 3 [D85] Grunfeld Def, Main Line

1.d4 2f6 2.c4 g6 3.2c3 d5 4.cxd5 2xd5 5.e4 2xc3 6.bxc3 Qg7 7.2f3 e5 8.2e3 0-0 9.2c1 cxd4 10.cxd4 2a5+ 11.2d2 2xd2+ 12.2xd2 2c6 13.2b3 2d8 14.d5 2b4 15.a3 2a2 16.2c2 2c3 17.2d3 e6 18.2g5 2d6 19.2d2 exd5 20.e5 2xe5 21.2xc3 f6 22.2h4 2xc3+ 23.2xc3 2f5 24.2xf5 gxf5 25.2g3 2c8+ 26.2b2 2e6 27.2d1 2e2+ 28.2d2 2xd2+ 29.2xd2 d4 30.2f4 2f7 31.2f3 2e8 32.g3 2e2+ 33.2b3 2xf2 34.2xd4 2xh2 35.2xf5 2e6 36.2d6 2f2 37.2xb7



37...2xf4 38.gxf4 h5 39.2c3 h4 40.2d2 h3 41.2c5+ 2f5 42.2e3 h2 43.2e4 2g4 44.2f2+ 2g3 45.f5 2g2 46.2e2 2g3 47.2e3 a6 48.a4 a5 49.2h1+ 2g2 50.2e2 2xh1 51.2f1 1/2-1/2

Levi sacrificed a pawn but his attack against Guthrie was repulsed. The following major piece ending saw pawns disappearing rapidly until a position was reached where Guthrie had the choice of capturing either of two undefended rooks or an undefended queen. None were partic-

ularly satisfactory and, as he had somehow shed two pawns along the way, Guthrie found himself in a rook ending a pawn down. It was a fairly simple draw.

### Levi,E – Guthrie,D

Zonal R 3 [B23] Sicilian Def, Closed System

1.e4 c5 2.2c3 2c6 3.f4 g6 4.2f3 Qg7 5.2b5 2d4 6.0-0 2xb5 7.2xb5 d5 8.e5 2g4 9.d4 a6 10.2c3 cxd4 11.2xd4 e6 12.b3 2f8 13.2a3 2xa3 14.2a4+ b5 15.2xa3 2b6+ 16.2h1 2c8 17.2e2 2e7 18.2ed4 2c7 19.2d6 2c8 20.2b4 2c5 21.2d2 2c3 22.2d1 2e7 23.h3 2f5 24.2e2 0-0 25.2f2 2e4 26.2g5 2f5 27.2xf5 exf5 28.2h4 h5 29.e6 f6 30.2xe4 dxe4 31.2ad1 2c6 32.2e1 2xe6 33.2b4 e3 34.2fe1 2xc2 35.2d6 2e7 36.2d4 2e8 37.2xf6 2h7 38.2xa6 2c7 39.2b6 2g7 40.2xe3 2b7 41.2c5 2c7 42.2b6 2b7 43.2a7 2xb6 44.2xg7+ 2xg7 45.2xe8 2a6 46.2b8 2xa2 47.2xb5 2f2 48.2b4 2b2 49.h4 2f6 50.2b8 2f2 51.g3 2b2 52.b4 2e6 53.2b6+ 2d5 54.2xg6 2c4 55.2g5 2f3 56.2xf5 2b1+ 57.2h2 2b2+ 58.2h3 2b1 59.2h2 2b2+ 1/2-1/2

In an interesting game against Saksena, Illic won a pawn but Saksena got counterplay against the black king. Not only did Saksena regain his pawn but he won another; however, the simplified rook ending was dead drawn.

### Saksena,K – Illic,I

Zonal R 3 [B07] Pirc Defence

1.e4 d6 2.2f3 2f6 3.d3 g6 4.2e2 Qg7 5.2c3 c5 6.h3 2c6 7.a3 2d4 8.2xd4 cxd4 9.2b1 e5 10.c3 dxc3 11.2xc3 0-0 12.0-0 2d7 13.2e3 2c6 14.f4 exf4 15.2xf4 2b6+ 16.2h1 2xb2 17.2c1 2xa3 18.2b1 2b2 19.2xd6 2fe8 20.2a3 2e5 21.2b3 2e6 22.2d1 2ad8 23.2xe6 fxe6 24.2e2 2b5 25.e5 2d7 26.2c3 2c6 27.d4 a6 28.2f3 2b8 29.2d6 2xf3 30.2xf3 2c6 31.2e2 2f8 32.2xf8 2xf8 33.2b3 2f7 34.2cb1 2f2 35.2c3 b5 36.2e4 2f4 37.2f6+ 2g7 38.2c3 2xd4 39.2c7+ 2h6 40.2xh7+ 2g5 41.2f7 2f5 42.2e1 2h8 43.2e4 2f1+ 44.2h2 2f5 45.2g4+ 2h6 46.2e4 2e1 47.2f6 2g8 48.2xe6 a5 49.2f6 a4 50.2g5 a3 51.2f7+ 2h7 52.2a6 2a1 53.2a7 2g7 54.e6 a2 55.2e4 g5 56.2e2 2g6 57.2exa2 2xa2 58.2xa2 2d4 59.2a6 2f6 60.2d6 2e7 61.2a5 2xe6 62.2xb5 2f5 63.2a2 2g6 64.2f2 2a6 65.2c3 2a5 66.2e4 2e5 67.2d2 2a5 68.2f3 2d5 69.2e2 2f6 70.2f2 2g6 71.2b2 2h4 72.2b6+ 2h5 73.2xh4+ gxf4 74.2b4 2g5 75.2g4+ 2h5 76.2f4 2d1 77.2c4 1/2-1/2

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## 23<sup>rd</sup> Waitakere Licensing Trust Open

By FM Bob Smith

The 23rd annual edition of the Waitakere Licensing Trust Open once again offered the most prize-money of any weekender in the country - \$3600 - and again attracted a large and very strong field.

Seventy-six players fronted up at the Lincoln Green Motor Hotel in Waitakere City on May 6, including the top five players on the active rating list and twelve in all rated over 2000.

Among the favourites were NZ Champion Alexei Kulashko, IM Russell Dive and FMs Bob Smith, Paul Garbett and Anthony Ker.

But the list of possibilities didn't end there, with past winners Leonard McLaren, Peter Green and Peter Stuart expected to provide stern opposition, as well as a resurgent Bruce Watson.

One factor likely to have an impact was the relatively fast time control - 45 moves in 90 minutes plus 15 minutes each to finish.

The carpeted venue provided ideal playing conditions, and digital clocks were used on all boards, thanks to North Shore, Howick and Papatōetoe clubs boosting Waitemata's stock of DGT's.

The competition was run, as usual, in three separate grades, so all players were guaranteed a good quota of tough games.

### Round One

The tournament began with an upset, with Paul Beach (1944) outplaying Garbett (2339) in a Sicilian. This was the only game to spoil a perfect swiss result.

### B and C grade results

Leading scores in the B and C grades were:

B grade (22 players): A. Machina (4.5/5) 1; M. Brimble, A. Taupaki (4) 2-3; L. Rawnsley, H. Vital (3.5) 4-5; N. Gunn, G. Pocock, C. Dale (3) 6-8.

C grade (29 players): I. Phileva (5/5) 1; R. Harish, K. Bartocci, C. Jeong, A. Porter (4) 2-5; E. Pindur, B. Stewart, A. Jones, P. Sweetsur, D. Wong, A. Tibble, J. Francis, T. Gothorp, M. Jackson (3) 6-14.

**Fuatai, F - Kulashko, A**  
R 1 [B06] Pirc/Modern Defence

1.e4 g6 2.d4 ♘g7 3.♙c3 e5 4.c3 ♗f6 5.f3 d5 6.e5 ♗fd7 7.♗d2 ♗c6 8.♗e2 ♗b6 9.b3 cxd4 10.cxd4 a5 11.♗a3 f6 12.♗h6 ♗xh6 13.♗xb6 fxe5 14.♗g7 ♗f8 15.♗xh7 ♗d6 16.♗c2 ♗f5 17.♗e3 exd4 18.♗xf5 ♗xf5 19.♗h8+ ♗d7 20.♗h3 d3 21.♗c3 ♗b4 22.♗c1 ♗c8 23.♗d1 d4 24.a3 dxc3 25.axb4 c2+ 0-1

**Perry, R - McNabb, M**  
R 1 [B20] Alapin Variation

1.e4 c5 2.c3 ♗f6 3.e5 ♗d5 4.d4 e6 5.♗f3 cxd4 6.cxd4 ♗c6 7.♗c4 d6 8.0-0 dxe5 9.dxc5 ♗e7 10.♗e2 0-0 11.♗d1 ♗a5 12.a3 ♗d8 13.♗d2 ♗c7 14.♗c3 a6 15.♗a1 b5 16.♗xb5 axb5 17.♗xb5 ♗b7 18.♗xc6 ♗xc6 19.♗d4 ♗b5 20.♗xb5 ♗xe5 21.♗c6 ♗db8 22.♗xe7+ ♗h8 23.♗c5 ♗xb2 24.♗xd5 exd5 25.♗b4 ♗d8 26.♗d4 1-0

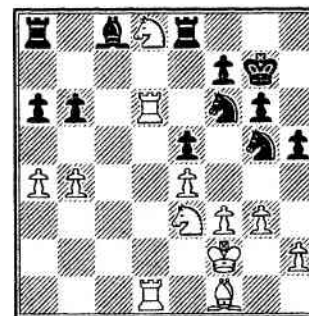
**Beach, P - Garbett, P**  
R 1 [B20] Sicilian

1.e4 c5 2.♗f3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.♗xd4 ♗c6 5.♗c3 ♗c7 6.♗db5 ♗b8 7.a4 ♗f6 8.♗d3 ♗e7 9.0-0 b6 10.f4 d6 11.♗e3 ♗b7 12.♗e2 0-0 13.♗a1 ♗d8 14.f5 ♗e5 15.fxe6 fxe6 16.♗d4 ♗c8 17.h3 ♗h8 18.♗f3 ♗f8 19.♗xe5 dxe5 20.♗h2 ♗b4 21.♗d2 a6 22.♗c3 ♗c6 23.♗g5 ♗ad8 24.♗h1 ♗d6 25.♗f3 ♗c7 26.♗ef1 ♗e7 27.♗e3 ♗f7 28.♗h4 ♗ff8 29.♗f2 ♗d6 30.♗e2 ♗dd8 31.♗xa6 ♗xe4 32.♗xb7 ♗xc3 33.♗xf8+ ♗xf8 34.♗xf8+ ♗xf8 35.♗f3 ♗d6 36.bxc3 ♗g8 37.♗c6 ♗e7 38.♗xb6 g5 39.♗c8+ ♗g7 40.♗c6 ♗h6 41.♗d7 ♗f8 42.♗xe6+ ♗g7 43.♗d7+ ♗h6 44.♗e4 1-0

**Smith, R - Bennett, H**  
R 1 [E68] Main Variation with e2-e4

1.♗f3 g6 2.g3 ♘g7 3.d4 d6 4.♗g2 ♗f6 5.0-0 0-0 6.c4 ♗bd7 7.♗c3 e5 8.e4 ♗h5 9.♗e3 ♗b6 10.♗b3 ♗e6 11.d5 ♗d7 12.c5 dxc5 13.♗xc5 ♗e8 14.a4 ♗c8 15.♗f1 ♗d7 16.♗e3 b6 17.♗a1 a6 18.♗a2 ♗b7 19.♗b4 ♗c8 20.♗h3 ♗e7 21.♗c6 ♗d6 22.♗d2 ♗hf6 23.♗c2 h5 24.f3 ♗a8 25.b4 ♗f8 26.♗c4 ♗h6 27.♗d2 ♗h7 28.♗xh6 ♗xh6 29.♗xh6+ ♗xh6 30.♗e3 ♗f8 31.d6 cxd6 32.♗xd6 ♗g7 33.♗cd1 ♗h8 34.♗d8 ♗c8 35.♗f1 ♗g5 36.♗f2

	Rtg	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	Pts	TB
1	Kulashko A.	2367	W15	W4	D3	W2	W7	4½
2	Dive R.J.	2368	W21	W16	W5	L1	W3	4
3	Ker A.F.	2333	W11	W8	D1	W13	L2	3½ 17
4	Stuart P.W.	2179	W22	L1	W17	W8	D5	3½ 14½
5	McLaren L.J.	2237	W25	W9	L2	W12	D4	3½ 14
6	Garbett P.A.	2339	L12	W19	W21	D7	W10	3½ 11½
7	Smith R.W.	2364	W23	W10	D13	D6	L1	3 15
8	Krstev A.	2041	W14	L3	W24	L4	W18	3 12
9	Perry R.L.	2048	W17	L5	L14	W19	W13	3 11½
10	Spain G.A.	2091	W24	L7	W18	W14	L6	3 11½
11	Dunn A.S.	1878	L3	L24	W25	W22	W16	3 9
12	Beach P.K.	1944	W6	L21	W16	L5	D14	2½ 12½
13	Green P.R.	2185	W19	W20	D7	L3	L9	2½ 12½
14	Wojnar J.	unr	L8	Bye	W9	♣10	D12	2½ 12
15	Fuatai F.	1955	L1	D22	D20	D17	W23	2½ 11
16	Watson B.R.	2203	W18	L2	L12	W20	L11	2 13
17	McNabb M.	1801	L9	W25	L4	D15	D20	2 11½
18	Sims M.T.	1851	L16	W23	L10	W21	L8	2 11
19	Trass R.	1857	L13	L6	Bye	L9	W24	2 10½
20	van den Heuvel A.	1758	Bye	L13	D15	L16	D17	2 9½
21	Lim B.U.	1976	L2	W12	L6	L18	D22	1½ 13½
22	Huggins J.	1847	L4	D15	D23	L11	D21	1½ 12
23	Bennett H.P.	1946	L7	L18	D22	W24	L15	1½ 10
24	Hair P.I.	1840	L10	W11	L8	L23	L19	1
25	Mistry P.	1862	L5	L17	L11	with drew		0



36...♗gxe4+ 37.fxe4 ♗xe4+ 38.♗g1 ♗xd6 39.♗xd6 ♗g4 40.♗c6 ♗e6 41.♗xe6 ♗xe6 42.♗xe5 a5 43.bxa5 ♗xa5 44.♗b5 ♗b3 45.♗5c4 ♗a8 46.♗xb6 ♗d8 47.♗d7 ♗f6 48.a5 ♗e7 49.a6 1-0

**Ker, A - Dunn, A**  
R 1 [A00] d4 others

1.d4 ♗f6 2.♗g5 ♗e4 3.♗h4 g5 4.f3 gxf4 5.fxe4 ♗g7 6.e3 0-0 7.♗c3 c5 8.♗d2 ♗c6 9.♗f3 e6 10.0-0-0 a6 11.e5 d5 12.g3 b5 13.gxf4 b4 14.♗g1 ♗h8 15.♗g5 f6 16.exf6 ♗xf6 17.♗e2 ♗a5 18.♗xh7 ♗d7 19.♗xf8 ♗xf8 20.e4 ♗g7 21.♗g5 ♗f7 22.exd5 ♗e7 23.♗b1 ♗xd5 24.h5 ♗b5 25.h6 ♗c4 26.hxg7+ ♗g8 27.♗h6 1-0

### Round 2

The heavyweight battles began already, with Watson playing Dive and Stuart against Kulashko. Watson overlooked an early tactic and swapped into a lost endgame, while Stuart eventually paid the price for a weakened king side.

In other games Smith beat Spain, Ker beat

Krstev, McLaren defeated Perry and Green beat the lowest rated player in the A grade, Arnold Van Den Heuvel (1758). Garbett bounced back with a steady win over Ryan Trass (1857).

**Watson,B – Dive,R**

R 2 [A05] King's Indian Attack

1.♠f3 ♠f6 2.g3 b6 3.♙g2 ♗b7 4.0-0 c5 5.d3 d5 6.♗bd2 e6 7.c3 ♗e7 8.♞e1 0-0 9.e4 dxe4 10.dxe4 ♗xe4 11.♗e5 ♗d6 12.♗xb7 ♗xb7 13.♣g4 ♗f6 14.♗df3 ♗d7 15.♗f4 ♗xe5 16.♗xe5 ♣e8 17.♞ad1 ♞d8 18.♣h5 ♗xe5 19.♣xe5 ♞xd1 20.♞xd1 f6 21.♣c7 ♞f7 22.♣b8 ♣xb8 23.♗xb8 a6 24.b4 c4 25.b5 axb5 26.♞b1 ♗c5 27.♞xb5 ♣b7 28.♗d6 ♗a4 29.♗b4 ♗f7 30.f4 ♗e8 31.f5 exf5 32.♞xf5 ♞d7 33.♞f4 ♞d1+ 34.♗g2 ♞d2+ 35.♗h3 ♗b2 36.a4 ♗f7 37.♗a3-g5 38.♞e4 h5 39.g4 hxg4+ 40.♗xg4 ♗g6 41.♗g3 ♗xa4 42.♞xc4 ♞d3+ 43.♗g2 ♗xc3 44.♗e7 ♗d5 45.♞e4 ♞e3 46.♞xe3 ♗xe3+ 47.♗f3 ♗d5 48.♗d8? ♗f5 49.♗g3 ♗e6 50.♗g4 ♗d7 0-1

**Kulashko,A – Stuart,P**

R 2 [B50] Sicilian

1.e4 c5 2.♗f3 e6 3.b3 ♗c6 4.♗b2 d6 5.♗b5 ♗d7 6.0-0 ♗f6 7.♞e1 ♗e7 8.d4 cxd4 9.♗xd4 ♗xd4 10.♗xd7+ ♣xd7 11.♣xd4 ♣c7 12.c4 0-0 13.♗c3 a6 14.♞ad1 ♞fd8 15.♣d3 ♞ab8 16.♗e2 b5 17.cxb5 axb5 18.♞c1 ♣b7 19.♗d4 ♞e8 20.♗c6 ♞a8 21.♗xe7+ ♣xe7 22.♣xb5 ♞eb8 23.♣e2 ♣a7 24.♗xf6 gxf6 25.♣g4+ ♗f6 26.♣f4 ♗e7 27.♞ed1 ♞d8 28.a4 ♞ab8 29.♞c3 ♣a5 30.♞dc1 ♞dc8 31.♞xc8 ♞xc8 32.♣e3 ♞c5 33.♞xc5 dxc5 34.h3 c4 35.bxc4 ♣xa4 36.♣c5+ ♗d8 37.♣f8+ ♗d7 38.♣xf7+ ♗d6 39.c5+ ♗xc5 40.♣xe6 ♣a1+ 41.♗h2 ♣e1 42.♣f5+ ♗c4 43.♣d5+ ♗b4 44.♣d4+ ♗b5 45.♣d7+ ♗c4 46.♣f5 ♣e2 47.♣e6+ ♗b5 48.f4 ♗b4 49.♣e7+ ♗c4 50.♣xh7 ♣e3 51.♣f5 ♗d3 52.e5+ ♗e2 53.♣g4+ ♗e1 54.♣g3+ 1-0

**Round 3**

Saturday night rounds in the past have seen some peculiar play, either as a result of tiredness or perhaps over relaxing in the adjacent bar.

This year was no exception. McLaren made an uncharacteristic oversight against Dive, losing two pieces for a rook early on and later losing on time. Kulashko could make no headway against Ker with black and had to make do with a draw.

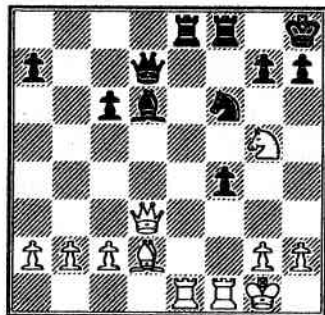
Smith and Green handled the time particularly badly and were left with less than 2 minutes each to make 15 moves when they agreed a draw. Garbett and Stuart both came back into the running with wins over Lim and McNabb. But Watson suffered an unexpected setback against giant-killer Paul Beach, overlooking a tactical trick and losing in just 24 moves.

Leading scores: Dive 3; Kulashko, Smith, Ker, Green 2.5; Garbett, McLaren, Stuart, Spain, Krstev, Beach, Wojnar 2.

**Beach,P – Watson,B**

R 3 [C36] King's Gambit

1.e4 e5 2.f4 exf4 3.♗f3 d5 4.exd5 ♗f6 5.♗b5+ c6 6.dxc6 ♗xc6 7.d4 ♗d6 8.♣e2+ ♗e6 9.♗g5 0-0 10.♗xe6 fxe6 11.♗xc6 bxc6 12.0-0 ♣c7 13.♗d2 e5 14.dxe5 ♗xe5 15.♗f3 ♗d6 16.♗d2 ♞ae8 17.♣c4+ ♗h8 18.♞ae1 ♗d5 19.♗g5 ♣d7 20.♣d3 ♗f6



21.♞xe8 ♞xe8 22.♣xd6 ♣xd6 23.♗f7+ ♗g8 24.♗xd6 1-0

**Round 4**

Sunday morning – the crucial penultimate round. Dive, the only player still hunting the \$100 bonus for a perfect score, had black against Kulashko. Smith also had black, against Garbett, while Ker had black against Green.

In the top game some tricky tactical play liquidated to a knight ending, with Kulashko having an extra pawn, which he duly converted. Smith gained a clear and possibly winning advantage against Garbett, but threw it all away with a careless move and had to work hard to draw. Green ventured into the white side of the Benko

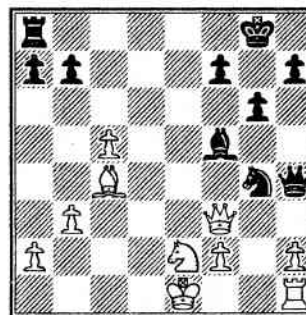
gambit – perhaps unwisely for a relatively fast time control – and succumbed to Ker's pressure. In other significant games McLaren beat Beach, Stuart beat Krstev and Spain beat Wojnar.

Leading scores with one round to go: Kulashko, Ker 3.5; Dive, Smith, McLaren, Stuart, Spain 3; Garbett, P. Green 2.5.

**Kulashko,A – Dive,R**

R 4 [B03]

1.e4 ♗f6 2.e5 ♗d5 3.d4 d6 4.c4 ♗b6 5.exd6 cxd6 6.♗c3 g6 7.♗e3 ♗g7 8.♞c1 0-0 9.h3 e5 10.dxe5 dxe5 11.c5 ♗6d7 12.♗c4 ♗c6 13.♗b5 ♗d4 14.♗xd4 exd4 15.♗xd4 ♗xd4 16.♣xd4 ♣g5 17.♗e2 ♣xg2 18.♣d5 ♣g4 19.♞c3 ♗f6 20.♣f3 ♣h4 21.♞e3 ♗g4 22.♞e8 ♗f5 23.♞xa8 ♞xa8



24.♗xf7+ ♗xf7 25.♣xb7+ ♣e7 26.♣xa8 ♗e4 27.♣h8 ♗f6 28.0-0 ♗d3 29.♗g3 ♗xf1 30.♗xf1 ♣xc5 31.♣b8 ♣g5+ 32.♣g3 ♣a5 33.a4 ♣b6 34.♣f3 ♗g7 35.♣c3 ♗f7 36.♣c4+ ♗e7 37.♣e2+ ♗f7 38.♣f3 ♗g7 39.♗g3 a5 40.♗g2 h5 41.♣e3 ♣b4 42.h3 ♗h7 43.♗e2 ♗d5 44.♣f3 ♗b6 45.♣f7+ ♗h6 46.♣f4+ ♣xf4 47.♗xf4 ♗g5 48.♗e6+ ♗h4 49.♗d4 ♗g5 50.♗c6 ♗d5 51.♗xa5 ♗f4+ 52.♗g3 h4+ 53.♗h2 ♗d3 54.♗c6 ♗f4 55.a5 ♗c5 56.b4 ♗e4 57.a6 ♗f3 58.♗e5+ ♗xf2 59.♗g4+ ♗f3 60.a7 1-0

**Garbett,P – Smith,R**

R 4 [B10] Caro-Kann

1.e4 c6 2.♗e2 e5 3.d4 d6 4.♗bc3 ♗e7 5.♗e3 ♗f6 6.h3 b5 7.dxe5 dxe5 8.♣xd8+ ♗xd8 9.♗g3 g6 10.a4 b4 11.♗a2 a5 12.♗c1 h5 13.♗d3 ♗e6 14.♗b3 ♗bd7 15.♗f1 ♗b6 16.♗xb6 ♗xb6 17.♗c5 ♗e7 18.♗e3 ♗fd7 19.♗xe6 ♗xe6 20.♗c4 ♗xc4 21.♗xc4+ ♗e7 22.0-0-0 ♗b6 23.♗b3 ♞ad8 24.c3 bxc3 25.bxc3 ♗d7 26.♗c2 ♗c5

**Clean sweep for Phileva**

The C grade featured the only clean sweep in the Waitakere Licensing Trust Open, with local player Irene Phileva winning all five games. Phileva did not even play at a club before entering the tournament, and only read about it in the newspaper. But her performance clearly makes her a contender for this year's New Zealand Women's Olympiad team. Phileva also won the \$50 prize for best woman player, while the prize for best junior went to Puchen Wang, with 2.5/5 in the B grade.

27.♞xd8 ♞xd8 28.♗c4 ♞b8 29.♞a1 f6 30.f3 h4 31.♞a2 f5 32.exf5 gxf5 33.♞a1 ♗f6 34.♞d1 ♗xa4 35.♞d6+ ♗g5 36.♞xc6 ♞b2+ 37.♗c1 ♞xg2 38.♗b3 ♗b2 39.♗c2 ♗f4 40.♗xb2 ♗xf3 41.♞c5 ♗f4 42.♞xa5 ♞h2 43.♞a8 ♞xh3 44.♞h8 e4 45.c4 ♗e5 46.♞h5 ♞f3 47.♞xh4 e3 48.♗c3 ♞f2 49.♗d3 ♞a2 50.♞h8 ♞a3+ 51.♗c2 ♞a2+ 52.♗b3 ♞d2 53.♗c3 f4 Time scramble, remaining moves not recorded. ½-½

**Green,P – Ker,A**

R 4 [A56] Main Variation

1.d4 ♗f6 2.c4 c5 3.d5 b5 4.cxb5 a6 5.bxa6 ♗xa6 6.♗c3 g6 7.♗f3 ♗g7 8.e4 ♗xf1 9.♗xf1 d6 10.h3 0-0 11.♗g1 ♗hd7 12.♗h2 ♣c7 13.♞e1 ♞fb8 14.♣c2 ♣a5 15.♞e2 ♗b6 16.♗g1 ♗fd7 17.♗d2 ♗c4 18.♗d1 ♗xd2 19.♗xd2 ♗b6 20.♗e3 ♣a6 21.♗dc4 ♗xc4 22.♗xc4 ♗b4 23.♞c1 ♣xa2 24.e5 ♗h6 25.h3 ♣xb3 26.♣xb3 ♞xb3 27.♞d1 ♞d8 28.♗a5 ♞a3 29.♗c6 ♞d7 30.exd6 exd6 31.♞e8+ ♗g7 32.g3 ♗g5 33.♞c8 ♗f6 34.♗b8 ♞b7 35.♗c6 c4 36.♞c1 c3 37.♗d8 ♞b2 38.♗xf7 0-1

**Round 5**

Smith had white against Kulashko and went all out for the win. Kulashko also didn't hold back and a complex game was eventually decided in a mutual time scramble. Kulashko came out on top after Smith missed a good chance. Ker could still tie for first if he won, but Dive was in determined mood. He gained the advantage with a somewhat unorthodox line and finished the game in pretty style. Meanwhile Stuart and McLaren agreed a draw in 28 moves, allowing Garbett to join them and Ker in third place with a win over



Spain. Green unexpectedly missed out on the money, going down to Perry in an endgame, and Watson rounded off a disappointing tournament with a loss to Dunn.

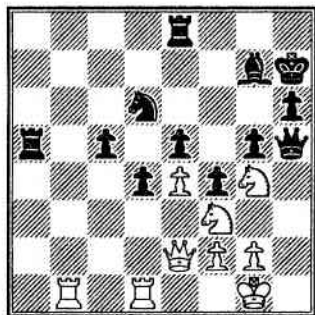
Kulashko took home \$650 for his efforts, while Dive won \$430 and the four third place-getters got \$140 each.

### Smith,R – Kulashko,A

R 5 [B06] Pirc/Modern Defence

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.d4 g6 2.e4 g7 3.c3 d6 4.xf3 d7 5.♗d3 e6 6.0-0 e7 7.♗e1 h6 8.♗b2 b6 9.♗e2 a6 10.a4 ♗b7 11.h3 0-0 12.♗f1 ♗h7 13.♗1h2 e5 14.♗d2 f5 15.dxe5 dxe5 16.♗c2 f4 17.♗ad1 ♗c8 18.c4 a5 19.♗c3 ♗d6 20.♗d2 ♗e7 21.b4 axb4 22.♗xb4 c5 23.♗c3 ♗fd8 24.♗a1 ♗a6 25.♗d3 ♗b7 26.♗ab1 ♗d6 27.♗ed1 ♗c6 28.♗c2 ♗c7 29.h4 ♗f8 30.h5 g5 31.♗df3 ♗e6 32.♗d3 ♗d4 33.♗c2 ♗d6 34.♗g4 ♗e8 35.♗bc1 ♗f7 36.♗xd4 exd4 37.c5 bxc5 38.♗xa6 ♗xa6 39.♗b1 ♗d6 40.a5 ♗xh5 41.♗e2 ♗xa5



42.♗xe5! ♗h4

42...♗h8 43.♗f6 ♗xc2 44.♗g6#.

43.♗b6

43.♗b3! ♗xe5 44.♗h3 ♗xh3 45.gxh3 unclear.

43...♗xe5 44.♗xe5 ♗xe5 45.♗xd6 ♗a7 46.♗b5 ♗ae7 47.♗e1?!

47.♗d7.

47...g4 48.♗d7 g3 49.♗xe7+ ♗xe7 50.fxg3 fxg3 51.♗xc5 ♗f7 0-1

### Dive,R – Ker,A

R 5 [A36] Symmetrical Variation

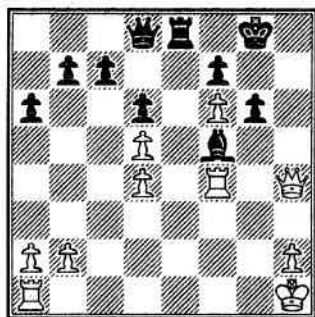
1.c4 c5 2.♗c3 g6 3.g3 ♗g7 4.♗g2 ♗c6 5.e3 e6 6.♗ge2 ♗ge7 7.♗f4 a6 8.h4 b5 9.♗e4 d6 10.cxb5 axb5 11.h5 ♗g8 12.h6 ♗e5 13.♗d3 ♗h8 14.♗g5 c4 15.♗f4 d5 16.d4 ♗f5 17.♗xh7 g5 18.♗h5 ♗xh6 19.♗5f6+ ♗xf6 20.♗xh6 ♗e7 21.e4 ♗b4 22.♗f1 dxe4 23.♗xe4 ♗a6 24.a3 ♗d3 25.♗e3 ♗xb2 26.♗c2 ♗d3 27.♗b1 ♗xa3 28.♗xb5 ♗a1+ 29.♗b1 ♗b4 30.♗d1 ♗xb1 31.♗xb1 c3 32.♗f6+ ♗xf6 33.♗xb4 ♗g7 34.♗h5 ♗c7 35.♗xg5 ♗d7 36.♗b3 ♗e7 37.♗c5 ♗a7 38.♗xc3 ♗b8 39.♗c7 ♗a6+ 40.♗g2 ♗c8 41.♗c5+ ♗d6 42.♗xc8 ♗xc8 43.♗xc8 ♗xd4 44.♗g5+ f6 45.♗h6 ♗f7 46.♗b7+ ♗e8 47.♗g6+ ♗d8 48.♗f8 ♗c7 49.♗e7+ 1-0

### Dunn,A – Watson,B

R 5 [C45] Scotch

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.e4 e5 2.♗f3 ♗c6 3.d4 exd4 4.♗xd4 ♗c5 5.♗c3 ♗f6 6.c3 ♗ge7 7.♗c4 0-0 8.0-0 ♗g6 9.f4 d6 10.♗a3 ♗d7 11.♗ac2 ♗ae8 12.♗d3 ♗b6 13.♗h1 ♗h4 14.f5 ♗ge5 15.♗f4 ♗f6 16.♗e2 a6 17.g4 ♗a5 18.♗g1 ♗ac4 19.g5 ♗d8 20.f6 ♗xe3 21.♗xe3 ♗g6 22.♗g3 ♗e5 23.♗h5 ♗xd4 24.exd4 ♗b5 25.♗xg6 hxg6 26.♗d5 ♗xd5 27.exd5 ♗f5 28.♗h4 gxh6 29.gxf6 ♗e8



30.♗g5

30.♗xf5 gxh5 31.♗g1+ ♗f8 32.♗h8#

30...♗e4+ 31.♗g1 1-0

### Organisation and support

The tournament was once again a great success for the organising club, Waitemata. Director of Play Graham Banks did his usual smooth job, and there were no disputes.

The number of late entries (ten) did put pres-

sure on Graham and myself, as the organiser, but round one started only a little late. I am at a loss to know why so many people could not decide until the day that they would be playing, when entry forms were distributed at least six weeks in advance.

Welcome new visitors this year were Brian and Colleen Foster, of NZ Chess Supplies, who brought along an extensive display of wares.

The continuing support of the Waitakere Licensing Trust provided not only a brilliant chess playing venue, but a generous prize-fund.

And the tradition of free drinks and refreshments for players and officials was continued after the prize-giving.

### Obituary

#### Zoltan Shardy

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Zoltan Shardy was undoubtedly one of the more colourful characters on the Wellington chess scene. He was a man whose full story was not well known by most chessplayers. A Hungarian Jew, his entire immediate family - brother, sister and parents - were killed by the Nazis. He survived by being fit enough to work in a German labour corps. He made his way to New Zealand in 1960, but having trouble finding suitable employment spent periods working in Canada and the U.S. before returning to Wellington. Once back he invested in property and became a successful and wealthy property owner.

Zoltan found it hard to heal the wounds caused by the loss of his family and this seemed to manifest itself in his willingness to defend himself through the courts whenever he believed his rights were being threatened. He was well known in Wellington legal circles for taking court action against various individuals as well as the Inland Revenue Department, Wellington City Council and the Wellington Hospital Board. Zoltan had a very sharp mind, a fact not readily apparent when trying to understand him through his painfully thick Hungarian accent. He had trained

### Unregistered players

One matter of concern was the large number of unregistered players.

To fulfil NZCF regulations Waitemata had to register 23 players who are not members of our club - more than a quarter of the total entries. This seems to highlight a problem with the current system: clubs who do not nationally rate their internal tournaments do not seem to be registering their players, thereby handing over the responsibility of doing this to clubs who organise outside tournaments. This needs addressing, as I do not see why already busy club officials should do the work of other clubs.

as an economist and he represented himself in court, gaining a number of victories.

His last and most famous court appearance occurred last September when he became the first individual to prepare a case and represent himself before the Privy Council in London. This was the climax of an ongoing property case battle Zoltan had been doggedly pursuing through the courts. He was undeterred despite losing every step of the way, including at the Privy Council.

In recent years Zoltan began making trips back to Hungary where he tried (unsuccessfully) to sue the Hungarian government for the loss of his parent's properties. This year he visited Budapest solely to have a new set of teeth installed.

Zoltan's main recreational passion was chess. The impression he gave of never quite comprehending what was happening when Tournament Directors were giving instructions, led many to underestimate his skills over the board. Regularly I would hear players complaining that by some injustice they had been beaten by Zoltan. He played for the Civic Club for many years and was a life member of the club.

Alan Aldridge

## 2000 N.Z. Women's Championship

By FM Bob Smith

Waitemata Chess Club agreed to run this year's NZ Women's Championships at late notice after no other offers were forthcoming.

We duly arranged a good venue, a director of play and distributed entry forms to clubs and all known female players throughout the country well in advance. Given the effort put in the response was most disappointing. Just four women entered and questions were raised about whether the Championship should be held at all. In the event, the competition did go ahead, in the form of a double round robin.

Defending champion Viv Smith (1685) was the clear favourite to win her third title in a row. She was rated nearly 250 points higher than second seed Edith Otene (1426). The other players were Helen Courtney (1319) and Amy Millano (1277), formerly Amy Cater.

### Round 1

Smith took everything Otene gave her and easily wrapped up the win. Millano outplayed Courtney in an ending after the latter missed an early chance to reach a winning position.

#### Smith, V – Otene, E

R 1 [B06] Modern Defence

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.e4 d6 2.d4 g6 3.♘e3 ♘g7 4.c3 ♘f6 5.♘d3 c6 6.h3 0-0 7.♘f3 ♘c7 8.0-0 e5 9.dxe5 dxe5 10.♘c2 b5?! 11.c4 b4?

Fritz 5 suggests Na6 or bxc4.

12.♘c5 ♘d8 13.♘xb4 c5 14.♘a3 ♘a6 15.♘c3 ♘b4 16.♘xb4 cxb4 17.♘d5 ♘c5 18.♘fe1 a5? 19.♘xe5 ♘a6 20.♘ae1 ♘ac8 21.♘f3 ♘c6 22.b3 ♘h6 23.♘ed1 ♘e8 24.♘e2 ♘ce6 25.♘de1 ♘d7 26.♘d1 ♘e5?? 27.♘xe5 ♘xe5 28.♘f6+ ♘f8 29.♘xe8 ♘xe8 30.♘b1 ♘c8 31.♘d3 ♘f8 32.♘d1 ♘g7 33.♘d6 ♘xd6 34.♘xd6 ♘f5 35.♘d5 ♘e7 36.♘xa5 ♘f4 37.♘f3 ♘f7 38.♘d2 ♘g7 39.♘f1 ♘e6 40.♘d6 ♘e5?? 41.♘xe5 ♘xc4+ 42.bxc4 ♘xe5 43.♘d5 ♘e6 44.♘e2 h5 45.h4 ♘f6 46.♘xe5 ♘xe5 47.♘d3 ♘f6 48.♘d4 g5 49.hxg5+ ♘xg5 50.e5 ♘h4 51.♘f5 1-0

#### Millano, A – Courtney, H

R 1 [C11] Rubinstein System

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.♘c3 dxe4 4.♘xe4 ♘f6 5.♘g5 ♘e7 6.♘xf6+ ♘xf6 7.♘xf6 ♘xf6 8.♘f3 0-0 9.g3 b6 10.♘g2 ♘b7 11.0-0 ♘d8 12.♘e1 ♘d7 13.c3 c5 14.♘e5 ♘xg2 15.♘xg2 ♘ac8 16.f4 cxd4 17.♘xd4 ♘f8?!

17...♘xe5 18.♘xe5 ♘xe5 19.♘xe5 or fxe5 19...♘d2+--.

18.♘e4 ♘d2+ 19.♘e2 ♘xe2+ 20.♘xe2 ♘d8 21.♘d1 ♘xd1 22.♘xd1 ♘e7 23.b4 ♘c7 24.♘d4 b5 25.♘c5 ♘b7+ 26.♘c6 ♘b8 27.a4 bxa4 28.♘xa4 ♘b7+ 29.♘c6 ♘b6 30.♘xb6 axb6 31.c4 ♘f6 32.♘c6 ♘d7

32...♘f7.

33.♘f3 ♘f7 34.♘e4 g6 35.♘d4 h6 36.c5 g5 37.cxb6 ♘xb6 38.b5 ♘d7 39.♘a5 ♘e7 40.♘b7 ♘e8 41.♘c4 e5 42.fxe5 ♘xe5+ 43.♘d5 ♘d7 44.♘c6 ♘f5? 45.♘d6+ ♘d8 46.♘xf5 h5 47.b6 ♘b8+ 48.♘b7 ♘d7 49.♘d6 h4? 50.♘f7+ ♘e8 51.♘xg5 hxg3 52.hxg3 ♘e7 53.♘c6 ♘xb6 54.♘xb6 ♘f6 55.♘f3 ♘f5 56.♘d4+ ♘g4 57.♘e2 ♘f3 58.♘c5 ♘g4 59.♘d5 ♘f5 60.♘d4 ♘g4 61.♘e3 ♘f5 62.♘f3 ♘g5 63.g4 ♘f6 64.♘f4 ♘g6 65.g5 ♘f7 66.♘f5 ♘g7 67.g6 ♘f8 68.♘f6 ♘g8 1-0

### Round 2

Millano overlooked a deadly pin by Smith and succumbed in just 17 moves. Otene could not beat Courtney despite the latter blundering a piece; a curious drawn position was eventually reached.

#### Otene, E – Courtney, H

R 2 [A17] Nimzo-Indian

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.c4 ♘f6 2.♘c3 e6 3.d4 ♘b4 4.♘d2 0-0 5.c5 b6 6.a3 ♘xc3 7.♘xc3 ♘b7 8.♘f3 d6 9.b4 ♘e4 10.♘b2 ♘d7

10...dxc5.

11.g3 ♘df6?!

11...dxc5.

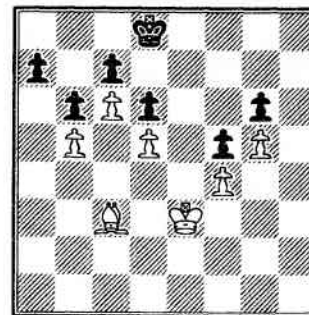
12.♘g2 ♘g4?!

12...dxc5.

13.0-0 ♘d5

13...dxc5.

14.♘c2 ♘c8 15.c6 ♘g5?? 16.♘xg5 ♘xg5 17.e4 ♘ce8 18.exd5 exd5 19.♘ae1 ♘e6 20.h3 ♘f6 21.♘e2 ♘fe8 22.♘fe1 ♘xe2 23.♘xe2 ♘e6 24.♘d3 ♘h5 25.♘xe6 fxe6 26.♘e3 ♘e8 27.f4 ♘f7 28.b5 g6 29.g4 ♘e7 30.g5?! ♘h5 31.h4 ♘g7 32.♘h3 ♘e8 33.♘g4 ♘f5 34.♘xf5 exf5 35.♘f2 ♘e4 36.♘h2 ♘d3 37.a4 ♘b3 38.♘g2 ♘c4 39.♘g1 ♘e6 40.h5 ♘xa4 41.hxg6 hxg6 42.♘e2+ ♘f7 43.♘d3 ♘b4 44.♘c3 ♘c4 45.♘xc4 dxc4 46.d5 ♘e8 47.♘f6 c3 48.♘xc3 ♘d8 49.♘f2 ♘c8 50.♘e3 ♘d8



51.♘e5 ♘c8 52.♘d4 ♘d8 53.♘g7 ♘c8 1/2-1/2

### Round 3

Courtney pushed her pawns too early and then sacrificed a piece on move six for a lost position against Smith. Otene's dubious opening worked, but only after Millano trapped her own bishop on the edge of the board.

Scores: Smith 3/3, Otene 1.5, Millano 1, Courtney 0.5

### Round 4

Smith continued on her winning way, though with white Otene put up much more resistance until being lured by a flight of fancy in the endgame. Millano blundered a piece on move 27 after reaching a difficult endgame.

Scores: Smith 4/4, Otene, Courtney 1.5, Millano 1

#### Otene, E – Smith, V

R 4 [E72] Fianchetto System

Notes by FM Bob Smith

1.c4 ♘f6 2.♘c3 g6 3.g3 ♘g7 4.♘g2 0-0 5.d4 d6 6.e4 ♘c6 7.♘ge2 e5 8.dxe5

8.d5.

8...dxe5 9.♘xd8 ♘xd8?!

9...♘d8.

10.♘b5 ♘e6 11.♘c3 a6 12.♘a3 ♘d7 13.♘d5 c6

14.♘xf6+ ♘xf6 15.♘h6 ♘g7

Better 15...♘ff8.

16.♘xg7 ♘xg7 17.♘h3 ♘c5

Better 17...♘ad8.

18.♘d7 ♘xd7 19.b4 ♘f6

Better 19...♘ff8 idea ♘f8-e6-d4.

20.f3 ♘f8 21.♘e2 ♘d4 22.♘hd1 ♘ad8 23.♘xd4 ♘xd4 24.♘d1 ♘xd1 25.♘xd1 ♘d7 26.♘d2 ♘f5 27.♘e3 ♘f6 28.h4 h5 29.f4 ♘e6 30.c5? a5 31.exf5+ gxf5 32.bxa5 ♘xc5 33.♘c4 ♘d7 34.a3 ♘d5 35.fxe5?? ♘xc4 36.e6 ♘f6 37.♘f4 ♘d5 38.♘xf5 ♘e8 39.g4 hxg4 40.♘xg4 ♘xe6 41.♘f4 ♘f6 42.♘e3 ♘d5 43.♘d3 ♘c5 44.a4 ♘b4 45.a6 bxa6 46.♘d4 c5+ 47.♘e5 ♘h5 48.♘f5 c4 49.♘g5 c3 50.♘h5 c2 51.♘g6 c1 ♘f2 52.h5 ♘xa4 53.h6 ♘b4 54.h7 ♘c3 0-1

### Round 5

Smith won in good attacking style against Millano, while Otene beat Courtney despite blundering a piece on move 16.

Scores: Smith 5/5, Otene 2.5, Courtney 1.5, Millano 1.

#### Millano, A – Smith, V

R 5 [B86] Paulsen

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.♘xd4 a6 5.♘c3 d6 6.♘c4 ♘f6 7.♘g5 ♘e7 8.0-0 0-0 9.♘e1 b5 10.♘b3 ♘c7 11.a3 ♘b7 12.♘d3 ♘bd7 13.♘f3 ♘c5 14.♘e3 ♘xb3 15.cxb3 ♘g4 16.♘f4 ♘xg5 17.♘xg5 ♘e5 18.♘e3 h6 19.f4? ♘g4 20.♘g3 ♘c5+ 21.♘f1 ♘xh2+ 22.♘xh2 hxg5 23.e5 gxf4 24.♘xf4 d5 25.♘ad1 ♘f6 26.♘g3 fxe5+ 27.♘e2 d4 28.♘b1 e4 29.♘c1 d3+ 30.♘d2 ♘f2+ 31.♘d1 ♘h5+ 32.♘e2 ♘xe2# 0-1

### Round 6

Smith gave a good illustration of what to do when your opponent is doing nothing, crashing through on the king-side to overwhelm Courtney. Millano made her worst move of the tournament, leaving her queen en prise on move 12 to gift Otene an easy point.

Final placings: Viv Smith (6/6) 1, Edith Otene (3.5) 2, Helen Courtney (1.5) 3, Amy Millano (1) 4.

**Smith,V – Courtney,H**  
R 6 [B23] Closed Sicilian

1.e4 c5 2.♗c3 ♗c6 3.f4 e6 4.♗f3 d5 5.d3 d4 6.♗e2 ♗f6 7.g3 b6 8.♗g2 ♗b7 9.0-0 ♗e7 10.h3 0-0 11.♗d2 ♗c7 12.♗e1 ♗ad8 13.♗f2 ♗d7 14.g4 ♗e8 15.♗g3 ♗h8 16.h4 ♗f6 17.h5 a5 18.♗h3 ♗b8 19.g5 ♗g8 20.g6 fxxg6 21.hxxg6 h6 22.♗g5 ♗xxg5 23.fxxg5 ♗xxf1+ 24.♗xxf1 ♗e8 25.gxxh6 ♗xxh6 26.♗xxh6 gxxh6 27.♗xxh6+ ♗g8 28.♗h3 ♗g7 29.♗f6 ♗d8 30.♗f4 ♗c8 31.♗h5 ♗c7 32.g7 ♗f7 33.♗xxf7 ♗xxf7 34.♗f6 1-0

**Long way ahead**

Viv Smith was clearly a deserving winner of her seventh New Zealand Women's Championship. She was a long way ahead of her rivals in this event in her understanding and play. It is a pity that some of our better female players - e.g. Teresa and Rosaleen Sheehan, Fenella Foster,

Katrine Metge - were not able to play and give her some serious competition.

Second place-getter Edith Otene made the most of her chances, but was almost as prone to serious errors as third place-getter Helen Courtney and tail-ender Amy Millano. Millano was clearly out of practice after a lengthy break from chess, while Courtney perhaps suffers from lack of regular club play.

Away from the board, Kelston Girls High School deserves mention for providing an excellent venue that could have accommodated a much bigger field.

As Director of Play Bruce Pollard gave up three days of his time for a miserly payment, while Bob Smith put in a lot of work behind the scenes, including producing daily bulletins.

It should be mentioned that this is the third time in recent years that Waitemata has hosted the NZ Women's Championships; it could well be someone else's turn.

**Open tournaments scheduled for 1999 and 2000**

*Details of each event are available from the organising club*

**North Island Championship**, Wellington CC, 10-15 July, 8r open Swiss, 40/105+30 entry \$60 (jun \$30). Enquiries John Gillespie, 1 Wavell St, Karori, Wellington 6005.

**North Island Rapid**, Wellington, Sun 9 July. Enquiries John Gillespie.

**Waikato Open**, Hamilton CC, 28-30 July. 6r open Swiss, 45/90+15. Entry \$30 (jun \$20). Enquiries William Lynn, PO Box 1028, Hamilton.

**Waikato Round-robin rapid**, Hamilton CC, 10 Sept, graded groups of 6, 30/30, Entry fees \$25 (jun \$15). Enquiries William Lynn.

**South Island Championship**, 25-30 Sept, Otago CC.

**Birkenhead Licensing Trust Open**, North Shore CC, 7-8 Oct, 6r Swiss, r1-2,30/30, r3-6 45/90+20. Enquiries North Shore CC, PO Box 33587, Takapuna, North Shore City.

**Mid-Canterbury 30-30**, Ashburton CC, 15 Oct, 6r 30/30 open Swiss, 2 grades. Entry \$15 (jun \$10). Enquiries Ken Pow, 148 William St, Ashburton.

**All-Canterbury Champ**, Canterbury CC, 9-10 Dec, 5r open Swiss, entry \$20. Enquiries Gavin Dawes PO Box 25-242, Christchurch.

**NZ Championship & Major Open**, 2000-2001, Waitemata CC, Auckland, Dec 28 - Jan 9.

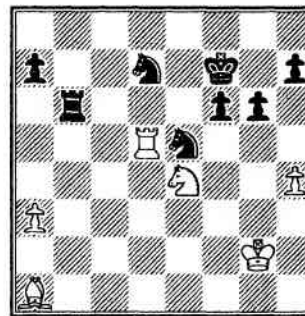
**NZ Rapid Championship**, 2001, Waitemata CC, Jan 10-11, 2001.

*Clubs are asked to supply details of 2000 events as soon as dates are finalised*

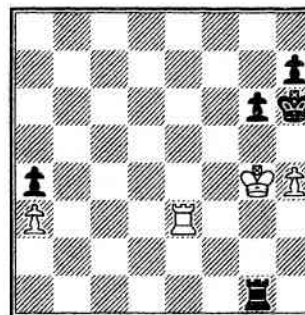
**Ian Rogers picks a flaw in Ian Rogers analysis**

Dear Editor,  
Ian Rogers shows a surprising lack of knowledge of basic rook endgames in his analysis of the game Dive-Rogers in the April 2000 issue of *NZ Chess*.

**Dive,R (2448) – Rogers,I (2574)**  
R 7 [E62] Fianchetto System



46.♗xf6! ♗xf6 47.♗xe5 ♗xe5 48.♗xe5 ♗a6 49.♗e3 ♗a4 50.♗g3 ♗g7 51.♗b3 ♗h6 52.♗c3 ♗d4 53.♗b3 a5 54.♗c3 a4 55.♗e3 ♗d1 56.♗f4 ♗h1 57.♗g4 ♗g1+



Rogers writes: In his note to White's 58.♗f4?? he (Rogers) analyses 58.♗h3! ♗b1 59.♗e7 ♗b3+ 60.♗g4 ♗xa3 61.♗a7 ♗a1 62.♗g3 a3 63.♗h3 g5! 64.hxxg5+ ♗xxg5 and says "Black's king has time to wander to a2 while White is worrying about the h-pawn. As Rogers should have known, after 65.♗g2, the position is a 'book' draw. White simply keeps his rook on a7 or a8 and as soon as Black's king crosses > the d file, the rook

switches to the f file and starts checking on f4,f3,f2 and f1. If the White king tries to approach the rook, it switches to the a file again.

So Dive's 46.Nxxf6! was good enough to reach a drawn rook endgame - it was only 58.Kf4?? which threw the game away.

Yours sincerely,  
Ian Rogers

The game concluded: 58...♗h5 59.♗e7 h6 60.♗e2 ♗g4+ 0-1

**Kapiti 30-30**

*By Guy Burns*

The Kapiti Chess club held its annual 30 -30 (minutes per player) 6-round tournament on Saturday, May 20. The total field of 22 was well down on previous years, with several top players in Auckland for the zonal tournament.

This left the way open for up-and-coming young Turks to have a crack at the total prize pool of \$1000. Mark Sinclair survived an upset loss to Justin Davis and led the charge in the A grade, coming home with 5 wins on his belt. Scott Wastney's trip from the South Island was not in vain as he shared 2nd equal with Gavin Marnor of Wellington, both finishing on 4.5.

Barry Williams (Wanganui) gave a perpetual check in his last game, which earned half a point to carry him through to 4.5 and give him first in the B grade. Wellington players took out 2nd and 3rd places with Nicholas Croad on 4 points, followed by Jeffrey Boardman on 3.

Kapiti players continued their dominance of the C grade. Glenys Mills of Waikanae (a former Olympiad player) played superbly and shared 1st equal (3 points) with Macrej Wojnar, a black horse from Wellington who should have been in the B grade. Once again Alistair McGowan from Paraparaumu came from behind to walk away with money in his pocket with 2.5. The Tournament was played without a sponsor and to insure future viability the Kapiti Chess Club is seeking a sponsor for next years competition. For more information about this Phone Guy Burns: 04 9042002.

## Correspondence chess

By Gordon Hoskyn

Last year a new name appeared in the Trophy Tourney list. It was 34-year-old school-teacher Allan John Short who, upon joining the Wanganui Chess Club, was invited by the writer to play C.C.

Short began his chess career at the age of 13 at Runcorn Chess Club, which is near his birthplace, Liverpool England. While attending Lancaster University in the north of England, Allan's playing strength rose to BCF 165 (approx 1900 Elo). Prior to his arrival in New Zealand 18 months ago, Allan played chess for the Witney Club and Oxfordshire Country.

Short's previous experience of playing correspondence chess was in the 1981-82 British Junior Championship, in which he finished 3<sup>rd</sup> equal.

After joining NZCCA, Short played in the 1999-2000 Reserve Championship, finishing with 6 wins and 2 draws from 8 games to take first place. He was promoted to the 2000-01 Championship, and has made a flier of a start, partly due to playing some games by phone and email. Already he has recorded 4 wins and 1 draw from 5 games.

Here are two of Allan Short's games from the current championship.

### Short,A – Millar,B [C42]

NZCCA Championship, 2000

1.e4 e5 2.♗f3 ♗f6 3.♗xe5 d6 4.♗f3 ♗xe4 5.d4 d5 6.♗d3 ♗c6 7.0-0 ♗e7 8.♗e1 ♗g4 9.c4 ♗f6 10.cxd5 ♗xd5 11.♗c3 0-0 12.h3 ♗e6 13.a3 ♗xc3 14.bxc3 ♗a5 15.♖c2 h6 16.♖e2 ♗b3

Fritz 5 suggests 12.Qd3 or Ne5.

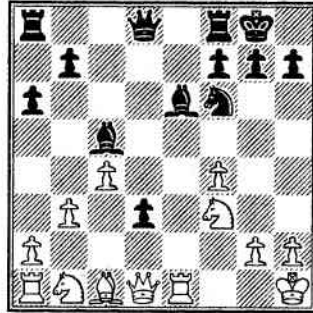
17.♖e4 g6 18.♗xh6 ♗e8 19.♗ab1 c6 20.♖e5 ♗f8 21.♗xf8 ♗xf8 22.♗xg6 1-0

### Voss,P – Short,A [B21]

NZCCA Championship, 2000

1.e4 c5 2.f4 d5 3.exd5 ♗f6 4.♗b5+ ♗bd7 5.c4 a6 6.♗xd7+ ♗xd7 7.d4 cxd4 8.♗f3 e6 9.0-0

♗c5 10.♗e1 0-0 11.dxe6 ♗xe6 12.b3 d3+ 13.♗h1



13...♗g4 14.♗f1 ♖f6 15.♗e5 ♗xh2 16.g3 ♖h6 17.♗f3 ♗f1+ 0-1

### 1999-2000 Trophy Tourney results

Reserve Championship: 1 A J Short 7; 2 E N Roberts 6.5; 3 J C Rapp 5; 4 C A Mold 4; 5-6 E G A Frost and G E Lovelock 3.5; 7 B M Williams 3; 8 R S Phillips 2; 9 K G Reed 1.5.

TT2: 1 J C V Larsen 10; 2 B J Edwards 8.5; 3 D E Dolejs 7; 4 E A Gidman 5; 5 P C King 4.5; 6-7 W Anderson and J Veldhuizen 3.5.

TT3: 1-3 C M Ford, A N Hignett, P E Rossiter 7.5; 4 R G A Taylor 7; 5 P G Coghini 6.5; 6 G H Mills 5.5; 7 A W Hendry 4; 8 L R Cotton 3.5; 9 S A Holdaway 2.5; 10 B C Sullivan 1.5; 11 J W H Atkinson 1.

TT4: 1 C L Ward 7; 2 R R Trevis 5.5; 3 A Clark 4.5; 4 L I Purvis 3; 5 S R Chowdhury 0.

Results of adjudications by ICM Michael Freeman: Dive b Dunwoody, Bennett. Vetharaniam b Goffin, Voss. Bennett b Goffin. Dunwoody drew Doyle. Lovelock b Mold. Phillips b Reed. Reed b Roberts. Rossiter b Mills. Coghini drew Atkinson. Ward b Chowdhury.

## 1999-2000 NZCCA Howard P Whitlock Memorial Championship

			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
1	T J Doyle	Wgtn 2851	♦	½	0	½	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	1
2	L B Frost	Auck 2758	½	♦	½	½	1	1	½	½	1	1	1	7.5	2
3	G A Hoskyn.	Wang 2769	1	½	♦	0	1	1	½	½	½	1	½	6.5	3
4	ML Dunwoody	TAwa 2725	½	½	1	♦	0	1	½	1	1	0	½	6	4
5	R J Dive	Wgtn 2748	00	0	1	♦	0	0	1	1	1½	1	5	5-6	
6	PAR Vetharaniam	Wang 2715	0	0	0	0	1	♦	1	0	1	1	5	5-6	
7	P B Goffin	Auck 2633	0	½	½	½	1	0	♦	0	1	0	4.5	7-8	
8	B W Millar	Auck 2655	0	½	½	0	0	1	1	♦	0	½	4.5	7-8	
9	P J Voss	Blen 2659	0	0	½	0	0	0	0	1	♦	1	½	3	9
10	H P Bennett	Ham 2683	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	½	0	♦	0	2.5	10-11
11	D J Cooper	Wang 2658	0	0	½	½	0	0	0	0	½	1	♦	2.5	10-11

## Fist fight at the Doerberl Cup

The Annual Doerberl Cup in Canberra in April was won by IM Alex Wohl (he defeated Ian Rogers in round 6) half a point clear of GM Darryl Johansen and Mark Chapman. Rogers was a further half point behind.

The event achieved wider media coverage than might have been expected because of a fight that took place during round four. The incident occurred when David Beaumont of Melbourne became upset by the noisy comments made by another player, Sydney's Alexander Gaft, whose game had already concluded.

Beaumont politely asked Gaft to keep quiet but Gaft replied with abuse followed by an invitation to step outside to settle the matter. Despite having only a few minutes left on his chess clock to finish the game, Beaumont left his seat and moved towards Gaft. A violent brawl ensued, spilling over from the playing room to the corridor, with Gaft being repeatedly punched and Beaumont thrown onto a glass door.

The fight was broken up after a few minutes by other players, whereupon Beaumont returned to his game.

"Beaumont was sorely provoked," admitted chief arbiter Shaun Press, "but retaliation is no excuse." "We have had people thrown out of the tournament before but never for fighting," said

Press.

Despite having only 20 seconds left upon his return to his game from the fight, Beaumont succeeded in achieving a draw. However the organisers of the tournament immediately decided to expel both players from the tournament.

Press said that he expected Gaft to be banned from tournament play in Australia for a considerable period.

### Junior committee and web page

NZCF Council has appointed Bob Gibbons and Ted Frost to its junior committee and Ted, who is editor of *NZ Chess*, has opened an Internet homepage which is intended to provide information for juniors and offer some coaching notes.

The homepage is experimental, and while it is hoped to update weekly, this is a target and not a commitment.

The page, in the Microsoft Internet Explorer Communities group, offers the opportunity for members of the group to contribute to discussion and exchange information. In particular it is hoped that schools will join the group.

The page can be accessed at

<http://communities.msn.com/Chessplus>

To service this page Ted has opened a second email address: [tedfrost@hotmail.com](mailto:tedfrost@hotmail.com)

## NZCF rating list for 1-2000 (541 players)

Code	Stan	Ga	Rapid	G	66	4467	MISTRY P	NS	1881	9	1902	18
1 4989	KULASHKO A	AC	2400	17	2317	6	67 5008 SEREBRIANY D	CA	1880		1988*	
2 3383	KER AF	CI	2378	32	2309	9	68 4393 DUNN AS	PT	1878		1776	
3 3459	DIVE RJ	CI	2370	25	2372	9	69 3038 GOFFIN PB	AC	1874		unr	
4 3088	SMITH RW	WT	2364	23	2302	21	70 5383 HEREMAJA D	UH	1869*	9	1786*	
5 3002	GARBETT PA	NS	2352	11	2360	12	71 3913 GILL G	AC	1864		1938	135 3055 FOORD MRR 5349jHAN D
6 3255	NOBLE MF	PE	2281		2299		4740 MACDONALD P	AC	1864		1720*	137 3351 DOLEJS DE 3618 EDWARDS R
7 3003	SUTTON RJ	CI	2265		2266	73	5019 FEENSTRA J	OT	1861		1829	139 3180 FROST EGA 140 3633 BEESLEY R
8 3460	DREYER MP	AC	2244		2238	12	74 5067 DAVIES RE	ET	1857	12	1769*	141 4367 ROSSITER 142 3927 FORSTER W
9 3314	MCLAREN LJ	GA	2236	9	2256	24	5127jTRASS R	GA	1857		1881	143 3651 KELLY S 4886jMACFARLAN 144 3644 ABURN S
10 3696	LUKEY SG	CA	2235	12	2224	76	3986 VINCENT MB	OT	1856		1809	5082 DONALDSON 147 4798 HARTIGAN 3064 STRACY DA
11 3206	WATSON BR	NS	2216	17	2247	77	5155 STEPANOVIC S		1848*		1669*	149 5371 WOOD DA 150 4466 BURN MR
12 3007	GREEN EM	HP	2193	11	2104	6	78 4359 COATES S	CA	1845		1856	151 4451 NYBERG M 152 4885 GODFREY E
13 3199	GREEN PR	AC	2185		2230	15	79 3434 HURLEY A	UH	1843	9	unr	153 3798 GOLD HR 154 3268 KING PC
14 3830	WASTNEY SC	GA	2178	11	2137	80	5431 CORKER K		1842*		unr	155 5130 BOARDMAN 156 3126 ADAMS JM 3056 KAY JB
15 3009	WANSINK R	OT	2177		2207	81	3550 VETHARANIAM PAR					158 4103 EAST S 159 4692 STEINER M 160 5208 TODD N
16 3005	STUART PW	NS	2170	9	2172	24		WA	1837	8	1904	161 4833jSAVAGE P 162 3054 GLOISTEIN 163 3194 FRANKEL Z 4265 WYLIE MW
17 4364	WINCLAIR M	PE	2169		2236	82	4360 RUSSELL T	CA	1836		1900	165 5076jCHENG H 4871 GIBSON GN 167 4160 SADLER M 168 4148 EASTERLON 169 4580 BATCHELOR 170 4302 DAVIS JM 4586 LE BROCC 172 5197 GUNN NJ 173 4905jMUNROE DE 5399 SMITH RG
18 4140	GORIS R	GA	2137		2001	83	4617 CUMMINGS NV	CA	1835		2085	175 4766 CLARK C 176 4753 BARLOW A 177 5356 PORTOUGAL 178 4704 BAY-PETER 4095 BOAG PW 180 4252 HIMONA P 181 4173 DUFFIELD 182 5487 WEINHOLD 183 4436 COGHINI I 3855 EMMETT BG 185 3258 HOWARD M 186 3103 MAZUR JU 187 4328 GUY M 188 4493jHARRIS P 5060 PARTRIDGE 190 4243 LIM DH 191 5032 KERRIGAN 192 5490 HAMEED A 193 4087 BENSON C 194 3367 STEWART I 195 4747 PUTT G 196 5024 TUMAI A 197 3243 CAPPER D
19 3176	LOVE AJ	OT	2137		2242	84	3698 BLAXALL CS	HP	1831		1789	
20 3395	BOYD KM	OT	2131		2135	85	3632 JOHNSON Q	CA	1830		1832	
21 3379	HOPWELL NH	AC	2122		2123	86	3079 HOSKYN GA	WA	1823		1661 3	
22 5496	WHALEY MG	NS	2116		1930*	6	87 3993 HAIR PI	NS	1813	11	1731 29	
23 4190	GUTHRIE DW	OT	2113	5	2107	88	5359 GLADKIKH A	CA	1809		1801*	
24 3201	STEADMAN MVR	CI	2109		unr		4176 HUDSON S	CA	1809		1560	
25 3041	METGE JN	PT	2103	11	2023	90	4708 VAN DEN HEUVEL A					
26 4872j	BJELOBRK I	AC	2099	17	2035	9		NS	1805	9	unr	
27 3148	DOWDEN RA	OT	2094		2129	91	3032 LYNN KW	HA	1798	11	1891 6	
28 3482	SPAIN GA	GA	2091		2149	92	3554 SINTON PJ	OT	1792		1811	
29 3151	FREEMAN MR	NP	2086		2110	93	4953 HENDERSON M	AC	1789		1862*	
30 3350	COOPER DJ	WA	2078	8	2042	94	4997 HUGGINS J	AC	1788	7	unr	
31 3291	BARLOW MJ	NS	2066	20	2149	9	95 3238 CARTER GS	UH	1784	9	1752	
32 3011	LEONHARDT W	NS	2054		2022		5205 JOVANOVSKI S		1784*		1693*	
33 5279	SATONEN A	HA	2052*		2100*		3105 SIMS IM		1784		1629*	
3369	WALSH BG	HA	2052		1762*	98	5083 CROAD N	WE	1780	33	1873 9	
35 5104	KRSTEV A	WT	2048	9	2054	27	99 3423 BURRIDGE D	AS	1779*		1847	
36 3507	HART R	NS	2045		2096		3027 POWER PW	NS	1779*		1710*	
37 3013	POMEROY AJ	CI	2044	15	2051	101	5495* SHORT A	WA	1775* 8		1603*10	
38 3052	WEIR PB	NS	2037		1988	102	5337 JARINA MT	NS	1772*		1745*	
39 3977	ELLIOT DB	NS	2024		1988	103	3072 NIJMAN AJ	CA	1768	5	1718	
40 3029	JACKSON JR	NE	2018		unr	104	4068 MACKWAY-JONES RA					
41 3393	POST MJ	WA	2013	8	1874			IN	1766		1722	
42 4830	PERRY R	AC	2004	17	1813	105	3259 BOOTH AJ	HP	1765		1509 8	
43 3454	SUTHERLAND JL	OT	1983	11	2024	9	106 5484 RULIK O	CA	1763* 5		unr	
44 3089	BENNETT HP	HA	1975	11	1990	6	107 4656 TIDEY SB	WT	1760		1687	
4124	LIM BU	HP	1975	6	1907	15	108 3028 HAASE GG	OT	1756	6	1782	
46 5355	LEE ES	WT	1970*		unr	109	3635 GOODWILLIE C	HA	1753		1658*	
47 3386	WHEELER B	AC	1966		2048	110	5268jWANG PC	WT	1747	18	1726 14	
48 4333	JACKSON LR	WE	1960	17	1750	111	4931 MACLEOD S	HA	1746		1793	
49 4300	BURNS CJ	WA	1954	8	1855	112	4796 GOUDIE D	WT	1744		1598*	
50 3253	MARNER G	PE	1953	15	1897		5297jTKATCHENKO S	WE	1744*		unr	
51 5068	BEACH PK	AC	1949	17	unr	114	3232 RAWNSLEY LD	AC	1743		1722 6	
52 4231	FUATAI F	PT	1947	6	1730	115	3345 SMITH VJ	WT	1737	12	1743 12	
53 3037	GIBBONS RE	GA	1934	11	1993	9	116 3218 BRIMBLE MT	PT	1735	12	1690 6	
54 3293	VAN GINKEL JP	NE	1930		1868	117	3412 ALDRIDGE AL	CI	1734	11	1791	
55 3162	SPILLER PS	HP	1923	10	1955	118	4196 WARD K	AC	1733	7	1717*	
56 4691	LATIMER B	AC	1922		1915*	119	4261 WONG KA	PE	1732		1821	
57 3558	DUNN P	CI	1915	16	1930	120	4361 FRASER C	CA	1731		1746	
58 3845	WINFIELD AW	CI	1914	15	1736	121	3204 LARK D	HP	1719		1649 6	
59 5402	SULAIMAN O	AC	1911	6	1876*	122	5021 VAN DER WALT G	HP	1714		1833	
60 5488	WOUNAR J	CI	1910*	5	unr	123	5238 VITAL H	AC	1712	17	1715* 9	
61 4027	RUPASINGHE SD	WE	1908		1890	124	5137 JOVIC Z	WT	1710		1803	
62 4320	PHILLIPS J	WE	1907	17	1938	125	3073 WILLIAMS BM	AC	1697		1571*	
63 5486	SILVER D	CI	1891*	6	unr	126	4469 GILES BJ	NS	1690		1777 18	
64 3461	MULLAN AB	CI	1890	12	1528*	127	4353 REWETT M	UH	1689		1497	
65 3987	MCNABB M	CA	1884	24	1945	15	128 3883 MORROW D	WT	1687		unr	



1881	9	1902	18	129	3117	CATER JE	WT	1682	1590	9	5334	HANNA G	CA	1558	1613*	
1880		1988*		130	5070	EADE D		1679	7	1654*	5138j	MILLER C	PK	1558	1566	
1878		1776		131	3433	DAVIES G	CA	1677	4	1681	5403	SUKHOLININ V	AC	1558	1748*	
1874		unr		132	4966	HALL C	CA	1676		1616	3962	WILSON C	PT	1558	10 1590*14	
1869*	9	1786*			5149	MACHINA A	WT	1676	12	1780	6 202	4164	FARRINGTON LB	WE	1557	12 1682 8
1864		1938			4575	TAUPAKI A		1676		1683	6 203	4136	KOIA A	PE	1555	1566
1864		1720*		135	3055	FOORD MRR	OT	1674		1630	4844j	SIMPSON DJW	NS	1555	10 1668 9	
1861		1829			5349j	HAN D		1674	7	1500*	205	5225	NICHOLSON S	CA	1553	2 1644
1857	12	1769*		137	3351	DOLEJS DE	GA	1673		1638	206	3965	BENNETT RH	WT	1547	1540
1857		1881		141	4367	EDWARDS RE	CI	1673	16	1576	4004	HEPERI DJN	OT	1547	1737	
1856		1809		139	3180	FROST EGA	WE	1669		1611	10	4097	SCARF R	AS	1547	1660
1848*		1669*		140	3633	BEESELEY RA	AC	1667	18	1731	15 209	4709	POCOCK GW	GA	1544	1603
1845		1856		141	4367	ROSSITER PE	HA	1660		unr	210	3612	YOUNG P	AC	1543	7 1536*
1843	9	unr		142	3927	FORSTER W	CI	1659	11	1409*	211	5397	UTAI R		1542*	1340* 6
1842*		unr		143	3651	KELLY S	CA	1658		1520	212	4155	TAYLOR S	AS	1541	1601
					4886j	MACFARLANE A	WT	1658		1561*	213	3929	SOUTHGATE B	CI	1538	15 1434
				145	3644	ABURN S	WE	1655		1770	4661	WILSON JC	WA	1538	1321*10	
					5082	DONALDSON B	CA	1655		1527	215	4865j	AH-CHEE ML	AC	1537	1505*
				147	4798	HARTIGAN C	WT	1650	5	1462	6 216	4104	WALLIS P	PT	1531	1492
					3064	STRACY DM	UH	1650	32	1720	217	3368	CALDER RJ	NS	1530	12 1572 6
				149	5371	WOOD DA	CA	1647	10	1744	9 218	4903	PAKENHAM J	AC	1529	10 1633
				150	4466	BURN MR	GA	1643		1816	219	4141	PALMER BP	WT	1527	6 1599
				151	4451	NYBERG M	WE	1641		1682	220	5423	LAWS T	GA	1526*	1203*
				152	4885	GODFREY P	WT	1637	23	1723	14 221	3328	SNELSON PR	NS	1525	11 1608 12
				153	3798	GOLD HR	OT	1632		1662	222	4601	VOSS PJ	GA	1522	10 unr
				154	3268	KING PC	CI	1630	11	1647	223	3168	BELL DI	WA	1521	1460 10
				155	5130	BOARDMAN JF	CI	1628	6	1569	224	3551	GIBB JL	OT	1519	1468
				156	3126	ADAMS JM	CA	1627		1602	225	3862	MILNE DJO	NS	1518	1503 6
					3056	KAY JB	CI	1627	10	1451	4158	RICHARDSON NJ	AS	1518	1639	
				158	4103	EAST S	PT	1626		1869	227	4344	MILLAR BW	GA	1517*	1617 9
				159	4692	STEINER M	AC	1623	7	1703*	5489	WOJNAR M	CI	1517*	6 unr	
				160	5208	TODD N	PN	1620	9	1431*	229	4234	JOHNS DP	NS	1515	19 1756 18
				161	4833j	SAVAGE P	WE	1619	17	1662	230	5278	MIKHAILIK E	WT	1508*	unr
				162	3054	GLOISTEIN B	CA	1618	22	1649	231	3227	DRAKE AS	UH	1500	9 1619
				163	3194	FRANKEL Z	WE	1615	15	1853	232	4826	KERRY J	WT	1499	1507
					4265	WYLIE MW	IN	1615		1561	233	3996	DEVLIN S	NS	1493	9 1707*
				165	5076j	CHENG H	NS	1614	27	1648	21	5245	RAMANAKUMAR S	AC	1493	1754*
					4871	GIBSON GM	AC	1614	16	1661*	235	4651	COOK J	WE	1491	15 1384
				167	4160	SADLER M	CA	1611		1390	236	4472	WILLIAMS K	HP	1489	6 1514 6
				168	4148	EASTERLOW NL	WT	1610		1489	237	5433	GALEWSKI E	HA	1488*	unr
				169	4580	BATCHELOR A	OT	1609		1791	238	4754	EVANS T	NS	1487	10 1513 12
				170	4302	DAVIS JM	GA	1608		1857	239	5485	PETROVIC N	CA	1485*	5 unr
					4586	LE BROCCQ MJ	NS	1608	9	1628	6 240	3302	BOJTOR J	HP	1484	10 1559 6
				172	5197	GUNN NJ	NS	1607	20	1770	18 241	4357	KINGSTON ZH	KP	1481	1377
				173	4905j	MUNROE DR	NS	1604	11	1502	242	4147	HOOTON BR	PT	1480	1438
					5399	SMITH RG	HP	1604*	6	1590*	6	3926	REID A	UH	1480	8 unr
				175	4766	CLARK C	HA	1603		1646	244	5124j	TRASS C	GA	1479	1520
				176	4753	BARLOW A	WE	1602	5	1557	245	4409	GILMARTIN J	CI	1473	14 1375*
				177	5356	PORTOUGAL V	WT	1599*		unr	246	5329	GEORGE A	NS	1470*	1545
				178	4704	BAY-PETERSEN O	NP	1597*		unr	247	4695	TSEUNG JCO	AC	1465	7 1371
					4095	BOAG FW	CA	1597		1482	248	4210	TANGI TJJ	AC	1464	unr
				180	4252	HIMONA PJ	BP	1596		1805*	249	4938	URBANSKI Z	AS	1460	1565 9
				181	4173	DUFFIELD T	OT	1595		1573	250	5180	TESANYUK Y	AC	1458	1669*
				182	5487	WEINHOLD N	CI	1593*	5	unr	251	5444j	DOLLIE Q	AC	1457*	unr
				183	4436	COGHINI P	CI	1592	10	1546	252	4156	BENNETT ST	AS	1456	1421
					3855	EMETT BG	NS	1592		1695	253	5370	HAENSCH H		1455*	unr
				185	3258	HOWARD MI	NS	1585	19	1528	20 254	4468	DALE CL	NS	1452	7 unr
				186	3103	MAZUR JJ	CI	1578	9	1666	255	4044	MCINTOSH J	OT	1442	1517
				187	4328	GUY M	CA	1577		unr	256	5319	DASH G	WE	1441*	1397*
				188	4493j	HARRIS P	OT	1576		1612	10	5289	NEDELJKOV S		unr	1438*
					5060	PARTRIDGE D	CA	1576		1447	258	4723	POLLARD B	WT	1436	13 1527 6
				190	4243	LIM DH	AC	1573		1454	259	5335	TASHKENOV V	CA	1435*	1416*
				191	5032	KERRIGAN L	WT	1572		unr	260	3816	OTENE EA	AC	1426	1406
				192	5490	HAMEED A	CI	1570*	6	unr	261	3974	GILLESPIE JG	CI	1425	15 1489
				193	4087	BENSON C	CA	1568		unr	5182	ROWLAND N	AC	1425	7 1427*	
				194	3367	STEWART MI	WT	1564		unr	263	4964	DAWES G		1424	1410*
				195	4747	PUTT G	IN	1563		unr	3107	PRESTON JN	IN	1424	1277	
				196	5024	TUMAI A	HA	1560		1706	265	5272	HARISH R	WT	1421	11 1302* 6
				197	3243	CAPPER DS	CI	1558		1675	266	4922j	JADALLAH I	OT	1417	1597

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267	4150	MULLIGAN AW	AS	1416	1603	334	5436	JIANG C	WT	1272	6	unr			
268	4460j	CHILVERS C	HP	1409	6	1360	4058	LOOS R	CA	1272*		1568*			
269	5354	VISSER F	PN	1407*		unr	3365	WINSOR BM	NS	1272	10	1453	18		
270	4996	FROST LB	AC	1406		1223*	337	4354	BACKHOUSE C	UH	1266	9	1313		
271	5445j	LOH IML		1405*		unr	338	5188	FOOTE R	AC	1257		unr		
272	4508	STEWART J	WA	1403		1329	10	5404	GRACE A		1257*		unr		
273	4935	WIN KS	OT	1401		1390	340	4718	KESSELER AJ	WT	1256		1298		
274	3895	BANNISTER C	OT	1400		1337	341	5386	REIHER G	WT	1255*		unr		
275	4614	GOECKEL H	GA	1392		1320*	342	4934	TUATINI M	GA	1254*		874*		
276	3045	TRUNDLE GE	GA	1391	6	1446	343	3854	WAGSTAFF GC	NS	1253	11	1392	12	
	3901	VAN ZOOMEREN J	OT	1391		1454	344	5092	DAVIS B	CA	1250		1341*		
	5047	WRIGHT C	SP	1391		1367*	345	4774	EDWARDS C	PT	1249*		unr		
279	4011	WHITAKER B	AC	1389		1382	346	4088	MACDONALD JR	AS	1248		1561		
280	4270	TURNER P	PT	1388		1391	347	5235j	LIN J	WT	1247	7	1340*	6	
281	4071	MCGURK A	IN	1386		1280		5304	PEARSON G	CA	1247		1244*		
282	5395	ALAFI'APAE M		1382*	7	1303*	349	5108	POTINI G		1246*		1419*		
283	4602	BELL G		1379		1476	350	5414	BUTLAND S	AC	1245*	7	1067*		
284	4561	BEVIN M		1378		1419	351	4518	JONES A	WT	1242	5	unr		
285	4096	KEELING RL	AS	1377		1500		5405	MARTIN P	AC	1242*	7	unr		
286	4414	VINCENT DA	AC	1376		1354	353	3304	GREVERS LP	NS	1240		1287	12	
287	4751	MOORE J	WE	1373		1445	354	5412	RUDKINS L	NS	1239*	10	1184	11	
288	3902	STONE RG	OT	1370		1455		5435	TELFAR M	CI	1239*	16	unr		
289	4182	REID DM	OT	1369		1216	356	4450	FORREST K	WA	1235		unr		
290	4789	MADDREN W	WA	1365		1377*	3	5331	GEORGE R	NS	1235*		1393		
291	4666	MARTIN O	AC	1364	17	1434	358	4702	FORTER A	PT	1234		unr		
292	3322	BALDWIN PA	NS	1362		1262	359	5136j	HALL PJ	OT	1228		1533		
293	5152	COWPERTWAIT F	NS	1354	11	1441*	6	3431	VAN DER MEY EF	NS	1228	11	1408	18	
	4891	GRACE B	PE	1354	8	1085*	361	5112	GOTHORP THT		1219		1238	14	
	5333	JACOBS H	NS	1354*		1590*		5198	RUTHERFORD RI	NS	1219*		1311		
	5417	KUCH M	CI	1354*		1629*	363	4897	TAYLOR C	WT	1217		unr		
297	4327	ATKINSON J	CA	1353		1502	364	4835	JOHNSON JS		1213		1112*		
	5115	BRADDOCK J	UH	1353	9	unr	365	5345j	LIN H		1212*		1135*		
299	4660	WILSON A	WA	1350		unr		4980	VARGA S	HP	1212		1284	6	
300	4031	AIDAN A	AC	1344	7	1318*	367	3772	SULLIVAN GJ	UH	1209		1282		
301	5492	BAYLISS D	AC	1341*	6	unr	368	5346j	STANKOVIC B		1208*		unr		
302	5071	HROMIC HM	NS	1337	11	1398	11	369	5437j	WONG D		1206*	unr		
	5305j	PEARSON D	CA	1337		1472*	370	4668	VAN DEN BOSCH K						
304	5394	GENCTURK M		1336*		1398*				HP	1203		1402	14	
305	5063	COOZE B	HH	1333		1227	8	371	5247	LESTER R	AC	1202		unr	
	4786	RITCHIE A	OT	1333		1370	372	3354	GARLAND M	WT	1195		1403		
307	3092	MEARS GW	NS	1331	11	1488	17	373	4169	GORDON RM	HH	1192		1408	
308	5350j	BAYER R		1330*		unr	374	4947	SANCHA DS	WA	1182		unr		
	5360j	HEREMAIA J	UH	1330*	8	1427*	375	4889j	SWEETSUR P	GA	1181		1363*		
	5342	JEONG CU	PT	1330	7	1216*	376	5408	WONG SY	NS	1179*	9	1356	3	
311	5294	BRUCE M	KP	1326*		1237*	377	5387	OSBORNE R	WT	1176	10	1343*	6	
	3349	STEWART BK		1326		1411	378	3532	MORAE JH	PT	1174		1232		
313	5228j	PEARCE R		1323		1415*	379	3074	MORRISON MK	AC	1172	7	1431	6	
314	4481j	CHILVERS M	HP	1322	6	1384	380	5406j	HODGKINSON BP	NS	1167	11	unr		
315	4679	TIBBLE A	WT	1321	7	1138*		5493	MAROROA T	AC	1167*	7	unr		
316	4054	COURTNEY HK	GA	1319		1355		5117	SMITH R	UH	1167	8	unr		
317	4730	WONG D	WT	1316	13	1485*	6	383	3267	WEBBER CH	UH	1166	9	1201	
318	5061	ROBB J	IN	1311*		1250*	384	5453	JONES S	NS	1163*	11	1270*		
319	3357	SPENCER-SMITH PA	NS	1310	11	1473	12	386	5369	SHEARING S	WT	1162	6	unr	
			NP	1309		1487	387	4957	WOOD P	AC	1157	7	1320*		
320	3288	BOWLER RP	IN	1309		1513	388	5357	RUSSELL P	PT	1154*		unr		
	4564	LANG M	OT	1306		1440	389	5340	O'NEILL D	WH	1152*		unr		
322	4590	ROWELL T	AC	1303	6	unr	390	4742	JUDKINS GL	GA	1148		1318	14	
323	3136	BARTOCCI KDE	WT	1302*		unr	391	5425	FRANCIS J		1135*		unr		
324	5424j	JASHRAFI A	GA	1301		1111*	392	4776	STEVENSON M	CA	1131	4	1212		
325	3144	PARLANE LN	KP	1297		1383	393	4690	PAGE A	AC	1126		1161*		
326	3788	MILLS G		1293*	6	1392*		5413	TERRY L	NS	1126*	9	1361	11	
327	5400	ALAFI'APAE W		1288*		unr	395	4640	ARANUI G	CA	1122		1301*		
328	5347j	YANG J	AC	1287*		unr	396	5422	DEVERALL J	CI	1118*		1164*		
329	5327	TEVAGA P	HP	1286	9	1308*	397	5426j	BAJWA A	WT	1116*		unr		
330	4852	NICOLL A	WA	1279		unr		3187	NEWMAN B	UH	1116	8	1221		
331	4406	STREET S		1277*		unr	399	5274	WILSON A	WT	1115		868*		
332	5343	KIRIWATTUDUWA C		1277*		unr	400	4950	LANG I	IN	1114*		unr		
			PT	1277		1254	8	401	3312	JONES GM	NS	1109	10	1293	16
	4314	MILLANO A													

1272	6	unr	402	5338	SULLIVAN AG	NS	1106*	1033*	471	5085	HAXTON D	WA	764	unr					
1272*		1568*	403	5307j	JEFFREYS M	CA	1105	1222*	472	4728	AUTHIER A	WT	761	910*					
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1266	9	1313		405	4264	STEPHENS RC	UH	1100	8	1094*	474	5353j	SMITH D	WT	745*	unr			
1257		unr		406	4727	ARNOLD R	WT	1097	10	999*	475	5416	EARLLEY JK	NS	738*	9	1071	16	
1257*		unr			4768	TE KANI S	HA	1097		1149	476	5455j	CAI S	NS	735*	6	935*	2	
1256		1298		408	4790	KRAULIZ PE	WA	1096		unr	477	5089	HURLEY D	WA	714		unr		
1255*		unr		409	5382	CRUMMEY S	CA	1092*		861*	478	5250	MITCHELL A		708*		1121		
1254*		874*		410	4918	GALLETLY D	OT	1087		1488	479	5352j	FREEMAN R	WT	701*		unr		
1253	11	1392	12	411	5385	BCTES P	WT	1085	12	unr	480	5441j	EDMONDS R		698*		unr		
1250		1341*		412	5438j	LEE L		1082*		unr	481	5428j	YANG J		693*		unr		
1249*		unr			5242	RYLAND J	WA	1082		unr	482	5358	PARKER E	WT	685*		unr		
1248		1561		414	3320	HIPKINS B	AC	1079	6	1399*	483	5384	OSBORNE E	WT	678	4	848*		
1247	7	1340*	6	415	5447	KUHN A	WA	1077*		unr	484	5440j	JEYARAJAH NJ		663*		unr		
1247		1244*			4780	MAC J	CA	1077		1325	485	5466j	O'DONNELL M	CA	568*		unr		
1246*		1419*			5116	ORR W	UH	1077	8	unr	486	5377	HANSEN A	WA	536*		unr		
1245*	7	1067*		418	4308	BOEKHOLT E	UH	1070	8	1113	487	5376	OLIVER J	WA	486		936*		
1242	5	unr			5196	CLOETE D	NS	1070	9	1267	6	488	5449	FLEET N	WA	377*		unr	
1242*	7	unr		420	3250	RAWNSLEY DC	HP	1068		1175	6	489	5469	STIERAND R		220	10	unr	
1240		1287	12	421	3134	CAMERON D	OT	1064		1242	490	5470	PEARCE RJ		unr		1982*	9	
1239*	10	1184	11	422	4914	GRIFFITHS TR	UH	1063		1193	491	5482	WELLS C	NS	unr		1838*	6	
1239*	16	unr			4598	YORSTON KL	WA	1063		unr	492	3317	PETCH WH	OT	unr		1781*		
1235		unr		424	4726	BRITTEN R	WT	1055*		unr	493	5409	GWYNN D	PN	unr		1732*		
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1234		unr		426	5439j	LUEN M		1047*		unr	495	5401	BELSHAM DM		unr		1650*		
1228		1533		427	4879	YANG J	AC	1037		unr	496	5418	HAW M		unr		1634*		
1228	11	1408	18	428	5344j	SHEPHERD C		1034*		unr	497	5330	TUAPAWA J		unr		1461*		
1219		1238	14	429	5118	MOHAMMAD AF	UH	1032		unr	498	5080j	ALLEN-URBANSKI J		unr		unr		
1219*		1311		430	4827	COLLINGWOOD G	WT	1028	11	1145	6			AS	unr		1437	9	
1217		unr		431	5442j	ASHRAFI DR		1027*		unr	499	5419	STOJMIROVIC A	WE	unr		1421*		
1213		1112*			4920j	RICHARDSON A	AS	1027*		1080	500	5192j	SMITH J	PN	unr		1349*		
1212*		1135*		433	5429j	ASHRAFI D	WT	1026*		unr	501	5474j	CHO J		unr		1340*	6	
1212		1284	6	434	4956	YEATTS T	AC	1023*		1229*	502	5410	NEUBOULD A		unr		1329*		
1209		1282		435	4998	CROWWELL J	OT	1020		1004	503	5213	DAVEY D	PN	unr		1315*		
1208*		unr		436	4655j	SHEEHAN ST	HH	1019		1209*	504	5310	TAIRUA P	RO	unr		1293*		
1206*		unr		437	5451	ENRIQUE G	WT	1018*	11	1011*	5	505	5458	HAWES A	CA	unr		1291*	
				438	5491	GOBBI M	CI	1017*	5	unr	506	5030j	WHITEHOUSE RJ	NS	unr		1272	6	
1203		1402	14	439	4607	VAN STRATEN D	NS	1015		1176	507	5421	O'ROURKE M	KP	unr		1260*		
1202		unr		440	5042	MILICICH G	CI	1010		781*	508	5206	JEPSEN N	PN	unr		1218*		
1195		1403		441	5415	YAO S	NS	995*	10	1176	15	509	5175j	LO D	SP	unr		1197	
1192		1408		442	5009	JEWITT S	CA	992		936*	510	5170j	REDDINGTON D	SP	unr		1196		
1182		unr		443	4782	COOK E	CA	975		1153	511	5472j	MANIKKAM B		unr		1165*	6	
1181		1363*			5457	KAY P	CA	975*		983*	512	5460	DAWSON P	CA	unr		1164*		
1179*	9	1356	3	445	5241	KERR S	UH	972		unr	513	5159	FORD C	KP	unr		1156*		
1176	10	1343*	6	446	5168j	ROSE N	SP	965*		899	514	5420	FRASER A	KP	unr		1144*		
1174		1232		447	5434	VAN LOKVEN P	IN	956*		unr	515	5291j	HAN W	HP	unr		1139*		
1172	7	1431	6	448	5459	WINDER S	CA	946*		1305*		5396j	OEHLLEY M		unr		1139*	6	
1167	11	unr		449	5239	BRUCKER G	UH	935	8	unr	517	5332	GRIBBEN C		unr		1111*		
1167*	7	unr		450	4916	JACKSON M	NS	934	10	1323	6	518	5287j	WARD J		unr		1075*	6
1167	8	unr		451	5066j	BATINICA N	WT	927		1217*	519	5471j	GUU J		unr		1074*	6	
1166	9	1201		452	5323j	ZAZA M	NS	925*		1071*	520	5372	GHOSE R	AS	unr		1063*		
1163*	11	1270*		453	5351j	MCCALL S		912*		unr	521	5456	JAMES S		unr		1059*		
1162	6	unr		454	5446j	CUMMING R	NS	900*		unr	522	5461	GAINES R	CA	unr		1058*		
1160	11	1357*		455	5379	COCKER P	CA	898*		unr	523	4839j	KWANG B	WE	unr		1049		
1157	7	1320*		456	5494	ALAFIA'APAE M	AC	897*	7	unr	524	5467	GUEVARA J		unr		1026*		
1154*		unr		457	5427	LANE V	AC	889*		unr	5411	WILSON C		NS	unr		1026*		
1152*		unr			5233j	SMITH S	WT	889*		unr	526	5336	IDO T	CA	unr		1017*		
1148		1318	14	459	4876	MCHARDY G		867*		unr	527	5473j	COON J		unr		1012*	6	
1135*		unr		460	5443j	DOLLIE U	AC	852*		unr	528	5483	RILEY J	NS	unr		997*	5	
1131	4	1212		461	5479j	GAO P	WT	841*	9	1402*	6	529	5286j	DARCH C		unr		990	6
1126		1161*		462	5378	CROSBIE C	WA	833		unr	530	5288j	JUDKINS T		unr		980*	6	
1126*	9	1361	11	463	5462	KLUGE B	CA	830*		1163*	531	5373j	WILLIAMS D		unr		977*		
1122		1301*		464	4896	ROUNTHWAITE T	WT	807	9	1013	5	532	5210	DULOVIC S	PN	unr		904*	
1118*		1164*		465	5465	CAINES R	CA	795*		unr	533	5398	BELSHAM M		unr		812*		
1116*		unr		466	5053j	QUINLAN J	SP	782		unr	534	5185j	LINNEY A	SP	unr		763		
1116	8	1221		467	5380	WYNYARD L	CA	776*		unr	535	5045j	LUKETINA G	SP	unr		756*		
1115		868*		468	5448	JEFFERIES C	WA	771*		unr	536	5039j	LUKETINA IP	SP	unr		751*		
1114*		unr			5450	KUHN T	WA	771*		unr	537	5475j	MCKAY I		unr		747*	6	
1109	10	1293	16	470	5348j	MCKECHNIE J		768*		unr	538	5476j	HOLLAND M		unr		739*	6	

## Overseas news

By NM Peter Stuart

## Shanghai

The Sufe Cup tournament featured four women and two Burmese players in a category 13 event in March. Gms Mikhail Krasenkov (POL) and Ye Jiangchuan (CHN) left the field for dead in finishing tied for first place with 10½/13. Next were GMs Bologan (MDA) and Peng Xiaomin (CHN) on 8½ then GMs Filipov (RUS) and Zhang Zhong (CHN) 8.

At the other end of the table were the two untitled Burmese players, both rated 2595. Aung Aung scored 3½ and Nay Oo Kyaw Tun 2. Such players (and Myanmar has a stack of them!) should be much in demand by organisers of title norm events, even after FIDE's recent decision to dock 100 points off the ratings of all Burmese players rated over 2100!

## Monte Carlo

The Amber tournament, ninth of the series sponsored by Dutch enthusiast Joop van Oostrom, featured the usual mix of rapid and blindfold play with a field of 12 stars which does not change a great deal from year to year. With an average rating of 2684 the event would have been of category 18 had it been a normal chess tournament.

Vladimir Kramnik (three victories) and Vishy Anand (two victories) have been the most successful players in the event, though Alexei Shirov did finish first equal with Kramnik in 1998 and was joint runner-up (with Veselin Topalov) last year. This year Shirov, who these days plays under the Spanish flag, took the lead in the middle rounds and, despite losing ½-1½ to Vassily Ivanchuk in the final round, still finished 1½ points clear of his closest pursuers. That last round loss was his only one in 22 games!

Rapid scores: 1 Shirov 8½, 2 Ivanchuk 8, 3-4 Topalov and van Wely 6½, 5-6 Gelfand & Kramnik 6, 7 Anand 5½, 8 Karpov 5, 9 Piket 4½, 10 Nikolic 3½, 11-12 Lautier & Ljubojevic 3.

Blindfold scores: 1 Kramnik 7½, 2-3 Anand & Topalov 7, 4 Shirov 6½, 5-6 Gelfand & Piket 6, 7 Ivanchuk 5½, 8 Karpov 5, 9 Lautier 4½, 10-11 Ljubojevic & van Wely 4, 12 Nikolic 3.

Aggregate: 1 Shirov 15; 2-4 Ivanchuk, Kramnik & Topalov 13½; 5 Anand 12½; 6 Gelfand 12; 7-8 Piket & van Wely 10½; 9 Karpov 10; 10 Lautier 7½; 11 Ljubojevic 7; 12 Nikolic 6½.

We give two of the winner's games, the first rapid and the second blindfold.

## Shirov - van Wely

[B81] Sicilian

1.e4 c5 2.♁f3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.♁xd4 ♁f6 5.♁c3 a6 6.♁c3 e6 7.g4 e5 8.♁f5 g6 9.g5 gxf5 10.exf5 d5 11.gxf6 d4 12.♁c4 ♗c7 13.♗d3 dxc3 14.0-0-0 exf2 15.♁xf7+ ♁xf7 16.♗d5+ ♁xf6 17.♁e4+ ♁e7 18.♁d6 ♁h6+ 19.♁b1 ♁f6 20.♙h1 ♙f8 21.♙xf2 ♁c6 22.♗c4 ♁f4 23.♙xf4 exf4 24.♗c3+ ♁g5 25.♙g1+ ♁h4 26.♗f3 1-0.

## Shirov - Piket

Ruy Lopez [C83]

1.e4 e5 2.♁f3 ♁c6 3.♁b5 a6 4.♁a4 ♁f6 5.0-0 ♁xe4 6.d4 b5 7.♁b3 d5 8.dxc5 ♁e6 9.♁c3 ♁e7 10.c3 ♁c5 11.♁c2 ♁d7 12.♙e1 ♁dxc5 13.♁xc5 ♁xe5 14.♁d4 ♁c6 15.♁xg7 ♙g8 16.♗h5 ♗d6 17.♗h6!

17.♁h6? ♁g4 18.♗h4 0-0-0 and White has to give up the exchange as in a game Morosevich-Ivanchuk 1995.

17...0-0-0 18.a4 b4 19.♁xh7 d4

19...♙ge8 20.♁d3 a5 21.♁d2 was also good for White.

20.♁xg8 ♙xg8 21.♁d2 dxc3 22.♁e4 ♗d5 23.bxc3 b3 24.♙ad1 ♗c4 25.♁f6 ♁f5 26.♗f4 ♁h3 27.g3 ♙g4 28.♗f3 ♁a3 29.♁d2 ♗xa4 30.♁xb3 ♙g8 31.♁d4 ♁d7 32.♙a1 1-0.

## San Francisco

The Frisco Masters, a 42-player Swiss with 7 rounds, was jointly won by GMs Jaan Ehlevest (EST), Shabalov (USA) and Yermolinsky (USA) with 5½ points

Following this event, and also played at the Mechanics Institute, was the Val Zemitis tournament, a round-robin honouring the popular California chess writer, editor and publisher who turned 75 during the tournament. The winner was Vinay Bath (15) who gained his

			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
1	Polgar J.	HUN	g 2658	♦ ½	½ 1	½ 1	1 1	½ ½	1 ½	½ 1	6½	1		
2	Khalifman A.	RUS	g 2656	½ ♦	½ ½	½ 1	1 1	½ ½	1 ½	½ 1	6	2-3		
3	Karpov A.	RUS	g 2696	½ ½	♦ ½	½ ½	1 1	1 1	½ ½	6	2-3			
4	Milos G.	BRA	g 2620	0 ½	½ ♦	½ ½	½ 1	1 1	1 1	5½	4			
5	Seirawan Y.	USA	g 2647	½ ½	½ ½	♦ ½	½ ½	½ ½	1 ½	1 5	5			
6	Timman J.	NLD	g 2655	0 0	½ ½	½ ♦	½ ½	1 ½	1 ½	4	6-7			
7	Adianto U.	RIN	g 2584	0 0	0 ½	½ ½	♦ 1	½ 1	4	6-7				
8	Ehlevest J.	EST	g 2622	½ ½	0 0	½ ½	0 ♦	1 0	3	8				
9	Gunawan R.	RIN	g 2507	½ ½	0 0	½ 0	½ 0	♦ ½	2½	9-10				
10	Zaw Win Lay	MYA	2633	0 0	½ 0	0 ½	0 1	½ ♦	2½	9-10				

final IM norm in the process.

## Reykjavik

Gary Kasparov defeated Vishy Anand 3-1 in the final of a rapid tournament in April. The twelve players were divided into two preliminary groups, each with three Icelandic Gms and three foreign GMs. In group 1 Kasparov (RUS) scored 4½/5 with Margeir Petursson following at a respectful distance on 3. Jan Timman (NLD) and Helgi Olafsson were next on 2½, then came Fridrik Olafsson 1½ and Viktor Korchnoi (SWI) 1. Group 2 was won by top seed Anand (IND) with 4 points and he was followed by Aleksander Wojtkiewicz (POL) 3½, Ivan Sokolov (BIH) 3, Hannes Stefansson 2½, Johann Hjartarson 1½ and Jon Arnason ½.

The two favourites drew their first semi-final games and won their second to eliminate Wojtkiewicz and Petursson. In the final both rapid games were drawn and there followed a two-game Blitz tie-breaker where Kasparov won both games.

## Kasparov - Wojtkiewicz

[B80] Sicilian

1.e4 c5 2.♁f3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.♁xd4 ♁f6 5.♁c3 a6 6.♁c3 e6 7.f3 b5 8.g4 ♁bd7 9.♗d2 h6 10.0-0-0 ♁b7 11.h4 b4 12.♁a4 d5 13.♁h3 g5 14.hxg5 hxg5 15.e5 ♁xe5 16.♁xg5 ♙g8 17.♁b6 ♁c4?

17...♗xb6 18.♁xf6 ♁c4 19.♗e2 ♁h6+ 20.♁b1 ♙g6 21.♁h4 ♁c3 keeps Black in the game.

18.♁xc4 dxc4 19.♁xf6!

Kasparov was not tempted by the immediate sacrifice 19.♁xc6 ♗xd2+ 20.♙xd2 fxe6 21.♁xf6 ♁xf3.

19...♗xf6 20.♁xe6!

But now it is very strong.

## 20...♁h6 21.g5 fxe6

21...♁xg5 22.♁xg5 ♗xb2+ (22...♗xg5 23.f4 and Black has no defence to ♗d7+ winning the ♁b7) 23.♁xb2 c3+ 24.♁b1 cxd2 25.♁c4 simply leaves Black a piece down.

22.♗d7+ ♁f8 23.gxh6 ♁d5 24.♗d6+ ♗e7 25.♗f4+ ♗f7 26.♗e5 1-0.

## Bali

The Japfa Classic International at the Bali Beach Hotel, at category 16, was the strongest tournament ever in Asia. The top four finishers met in the final round, Judit Polgar defeating Gilberto Milos with the black pieces while world champion Alexander Khalifman pressed Anatoly Karpov but had to acquiesce in a draw to leave Polgar alone in the top slot. Burmese player Zaw Win Lay won his only game, against out-of-form Jaan Ehlevest, in the last round to gain a share of second to last.

## Zaw Win Lay - Khalifman

[C07] French

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.♁d2 c5 4.exd5 ♗xd5 5.♁gf3 cxd4 6.♁c4 ♗d6 7.0-0 ♁f6 8.♁b3 ♁c6 9.♁bxd4 ♁xd4 10.♁xd4 a6 11.♙e1 ♗c7 12.♁b3 ♁d6 13.♁f5 ♁xh2+ 14.♁h1 0-0 15.♁xg7 ♙d8 16.♗f3 ♁xg7 17.♁h6+ ♁g6 18.♙ad1 ♙xd1 19.♙xd1 e5!

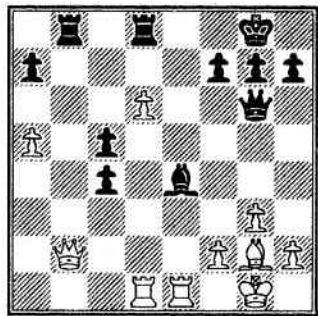
A clear improvement on the various other moves already tried in this position

20.♁xh2 ♁g4+ 21.♁g1 ♁xh6 0-1.

## Karpov - Adlanto

[E15] English

1.c4 ♖f6 2.d4 e6 3.♗f3 b6 4.g3 ♘a6 5.b3 ♘b4+  
6.♙d2 ♘e7 7.♙g2 c6 8.♙c3 d5 9.♗e5 ♗fd7  
10.♗xd7 ♗xd7 11.♗d2 0-0 12.0-0 ♗c8 13.e4  
dxc4 14.bxc4 b5 15.♗e1 bxc4 16.♗c2 e5 17.d5  
exd5 18.exd5 ♗f6 19.♗ad1 ♗b6 20.♗xf6 ♗xf6  
21.a4 ♗fd8 22.♗e4 ♗g6 23.d6 ♗b8 24.♗c3 ♘b7  
25.a5 ♗a4 26.♗a3 ♗b2 27.♗xb2 ♗xe4



28.♗xb8! ♗xb8 29.♗xe4 f5 30.♗xc4 ♗d8 31.d7  
♗a6 32.♗xc5 ♗e2 33.♗cc1 ♗f7 34.♙d5+ ♗f6  
35.♗e1 ♗d3 36.♗ed1 ♗e2 37.♙c6 g6 38.♗e1  
♗d2 39.♗cd1 ♗c2 40.♗d6+ ♗f7 41.♗e8 1-0.

Following the GM tournament there was a 230-player Open which was won on tie-break by GM Darnen Sadvakasov (KAZ) with 7½. On the same score were Gms Jaan Ehlvest (EST) and Normunds Miczis (LAT) plus IM Bong Villamayor (PHI). Top seed was no other than Zaw Win Lay (MYA) who managed to play only one rated player in reaching 6 points and a placing in the thirties.

## Southend

The Redbus knockout tournament, played over Easter, featured 16 British players with a time control of 100 minutes plus 30 seconds per move. In the event of a 1-1 tie two 10-minute games were played with a sudden death blitz decider if necessary.

Michael Adams and Bogdan Lalic beat Jonathan Rowson and Mark Hebden respectively in the semi-finals, the last mentioned having eliminated Jonathan Speelman in the quarter-finals. In the final both normal games were drawn as were the pair of ten-minute games and in the sudden death fifth game Lalic

(white) blundered in a marginally worse ending.

## Pula

The strong Zone 1.2 event in Croatia was an 11-round Swiss with 34 players of whom 21 were Gms and 9 were Ims. Seven World Championship places were at stake.

Alexander Belyavsky (SLO) was a clear winner with 8 points while the Israeli trio of Lev Psakhis, Ilya Smirin and Emil Sutovsky finished equal second on 7 points. There were four players on 6½ with Emir Dizdarevic (BIH), Christopher Lutz (GER) and Ivan Zaja (CRO) qualifying while Nikola Mitkov (FRM) missed out due to his inferior tie-break score.

## Essen

An all-GM category 15 round-robin in April-May saw a three-way tie for first place between Klaus Bischoff (GER), Alexei Dreev (RUS) and Vadin Zvjaginsev (RUS) with 5½/9. Rustem Dautov (GER) was next on 5 points and then came: 5 Belyavsky (SLO) 4½; 6-9 Curt Hansen (DEN), Hübner (GER), Milov (SWI) and Sutovsky (ISR) 4; 10 Glek (RUS) 3.

## New York Open

Organiser Jose Cuchi was back in May after a year's break with perhaps the most famous of the international opens. This year's event had 200 players in the top grade which was won by Israeli GM Ilya Smirin with 7½/9. Four more Gms shared second place on 7 points: Nick De Firmian (USA), Alexander Goldin (ISR), Igor Khenkin (GER) and Alexander Ivanov (USA). Gms took 28 of the top 30 places!

## World Championship

FIDE has accepted a plan which would see the first part of the 2000 World Championship played in New Delhi starting on 25th November. The remaining games would be played in Tehran (Iran) though Elista will be on standby in case an Israeli player is involved.

FIDE president Kirsan Iljumzhinov has agreed to underwrite the event to the tune of three million US dollars. Indian organiser P.T.Ummer Koya has raised some sponsorship but apparently is still looking for more.

## Affiliated Clubs

Clubs are requested to advise *NZ Chess* of any changes in details given below.

**Ashburton** PO Box 204, Ashburton. Meets Monday 7.30pm Ashburton Hospital clinical lecture room.

Contact, Ken Pow (03) 352-4851

**Auckland Chess Centre** Meets Monday 7.30 & Thursday (social) 7.30pm, 17 Cromwell St, Mt Eden, Auckland 1003. Tel (09)630-2042 clubroom.

Contact, BrucWheeler (09) 623-0109

**Canterbury**, PO Box 25-242, Christchurch. Meets Wednesday, 7.30pm., 227 Bealey Avenue; tel (03)366-3935 clubroom. Pres, Gavin Dawes (03)352-4851.

**Gambit** Sec, Ted Frost, 103 Koromiko Road, Gonville, Wanganui. Tel (06)347-6098.

**Hamilton**: Wed, 7.30pm, St Pauls Collegiate School. Inquiries Gary Judkins (07)855-5392.

**Hastings-Havelock North** P.O. Box 184, Hastings. Wed, 7.30 pm, Library, Havelock N High School, Te Mata Rd. Sec, Chris Smith (06)877-4583.

**Howick-Pakuranga** Tuesday 7.45pm (juniors 6.30-7.30), St John Ambulance Hall, Howick-Pakuranga Highway, Highland Park. Sec, Kees van den Bosch (09) 521-5828.

**Invercargill** Wednesday 8pm, staff room, South School, Ness St.

Contact, John Preston (03) 216-4920

**Kapiti** Wednesday, 7.30pm, Salvation Army Hall, Bluegum Rd. Paraparaumu Beach.

Contact, Guy Burns (04) 904-2002

**New Plymouth** 11 Gilbert St, New Plymouth. Tuesdays, 7.30pm. Pres, R P Bowler, 17a Hori St (06)753-6282. Contact, Bob Bowler.

**North Shore** P.O. Box 33-587, Takapuna, Auckland 9. Wednesday 7.30pm, Northcote Community Centre, cnr College Rd/Ernie Mays St. Club capt, Peter Stuart (09)445-6377.

**Otago** 7 Maitland St, Dunedin. Wednesday and Saturday, 7.30pm. Tel (03)477-6919 clubroom. Pres, Trevor Rowell, (03)455-1441.

**Upper Hutt** Monday 7.30pm, Hapai Club, 879 Fergusson Drive. Sec, Roger Smith (04)528-2721.

**Waitemata** Thursday 7.30pm, Kelston Comm Centre, cnr Great North Rd and Awaroa Rd, Kelston; jun 6-7.30pm Thursdays, schooldays. Contact Bruce Pollard (09)818-2342.

**Wanganui** Mondays 7pm, 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** Tues 7.30pm, Museum Room, Turnbull House, Bowen Street, Wellington 1. Contact, Alan Aldridge (04) 477-4874.

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**NZ Correspondence Chess Assn**, P.O. Box 3278, Wellington. Sec, J W (Sandy) Maxwell, (04)237-4753.

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