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THE WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA OPEN

NAME	RATING	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
1. Lundstrom, Brad	2117	L3	W10	W6	W7	3-1
2. Norquist, Steve	2051	W12	D5	D3	W9	3-1
3. Hernandez, Jeff	1919	W1	W8	D2	D5	3-1
4. Triggs, Jerry	2088	D9	L7	W11	W8	2.5-1.5
5. Barth, Jeff	1967	W11	D2	D7	D3	2.5-1.5
6. Likens, Terry Dean	1964	D7	D9	L1	W12	2-2
7. Herr, Richard	1779	D6	W4	D5	L1	2-2
8. Horton, Louis	2080	W10	L3	D9	L4	1.5-2.5
9. Schmidt, Dan	1894	D4	D6	D8	L2	1.5-2.5
10. Wipf, Calvin	1829	L8	L1	W12	D11	1.5-2.5
11. Hammond, Kyle	1804	L5	W12	L4	D10	1.5-2.5
12. Overholtzer, Harry	1862	L2	L11	L10	L6	0-4

THE WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA RESERVE

NAME	RATING	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
1. Lengenfelder, Steve	1687	W11	W8	W4	W5	4-0
2. Schaffer, Steve	1783	W6	D7	D3	W9	3-1
3. Splichal, LaMoyné	1638	W9	D5	D2	D4	2.5-1.5
4. Steele, Patrick	1581	W13	W12	L1	D3	2.5-1.5
5. Loup, William	1566	W10	D3	W8	L1	2.5-1.5
6. Berger, Doug	1377	L2	W11	W12	D7	2.5-1.5
7. Rydland, Sigurd	1618	L12	D2	W11	D6	2-2
8. Woodson, Wilbert J. Jr.	1503	W14	L1	L5	W13	2-2
9. Kingsley, Alan	1322	L3	W14	W13	L2	2-2
10. Johnson, Stephen E.	unr.	L5	L13	W14	W12	2-2
11. Kozel, Kirby	1371	L1	L6	L7	W14	1-3
12. Carlson, Kurt	1303	W7	L4	L6	L10	1-3
13. Likens, T.J. Jr.	1208	L4	W10	L9	L8	1-3
14. Likens, David A.	836	L8	L9	L10	L11	0-4

THE WESTERN SD OPEN

The Western SD Open had 26 players, 12 in the Open and 14 in the Reserve. My son David entered to make the numbers even.

The 1st Round started a little late and play lasted into the 2nd Round. In the 1st Round Jeff Hernandez, ranked 7th in the section, defeated Brad Lundstrom and managed to stay on Board 1 for the whole Tournament. The other 2 minor upsets were Dan Schmidt holding Jerry Triggs to a draw and Richard Herr surviving my many tactical shots to hold me to a draw (both games lasted over 5 hours). The other Open games went as expected. The Reserve section had one upset with Carlson defeating Rydland. Schaffer and Berger was adjourned.

Round 2: Jeff Hernandez continued his upsetting ways by defeating Louis Horton (who trapped his own Queen by blocking its only exit with his own rook, Jeff). Hernandez was the only player 2-0 after the 1st day of the Open. Norquist-Barth was a draw. Schmidt-Likens was an early draw. This was mainly due to fatigue. Their 1st Round opponents Triggs and Herr played their 2nd Round game on and on right through the Speed Chess Tourny and were still not done. Triggs pressed too hard to win and lost in time trouble. Hammond won over Harry Overholtzer when Overholtzer overstepped the time control. Harry actually made his 40th move on the board but his flag fell before completion of his move (punching his clock). Lundstrom won over Wipf. In the Reserve, Schaffer drew Rydland and Berger beat Kozel giving them plenty of time to complete their adjourned game which Schaffer won. Only Lengenfelder and Steele came out of Round 2 with 2-0 scores. T.J. Likens was asked by Brad Lundstrom to take it easy on Steve Johnson, T.J. responded by quickly defeating Steve. Splichal-Loup was a draw.

Round 3 had Likens overlooking a Bishop move and losing a won game to Lundstrom. Norquist happily drew with Hernandez. Steve said it was the first time a player offered him a draw when he (Steve) was busted (Hernandez sacked the exchange for position and then a piece for 2 pawns and was rolling when he offered the draw, Jeff). In the Reserve, Lengenfelder beat Steele putting him alone at 3 points. Loup defeated Woodson becoming the only player with 2.5 points.

Round 4. Hernandez drew Barth on Board 1. Lundstrom gave Herr his only loss of the Tournament. Herr's performance should give him an 1800 rating again. Norquist won against Schmidt making it a three way tie for 1st. Likens had child interruptions and lost a pawn then lost 2 more. Likens then sacked a Bishop on f2 but Overholtzer declined until it was sacked again on h2. I then spent 10 of my last 13 minutes on move 31, Harry had less than 5 minutes and allowed an easier mate than necessary. Triggs and Horton played on and on Triggs winning at 9:00 pm (Rapid City time, Jeff). The saddest part was that 3 North Dakota players and 5 other Sioux Falls players could not leave home without them. The Reserve section started on time! Berger's draw vs. Rydland gave him the U1400 money as Kingsley lost to Schaffer. Lengenfelder def. Loup to go 4-0 for the 1st time in the Reserve section. Loup and Steele who drew Splichael split the U1600 money. Newcomer Steve Johnson went 2-2 winning his last game against Carlson using a mate similar to the one T.J. Likens used on him in Round 2.

See you at the Teams.

Terry Dean Likens

GAMES OF THE WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA OPEN

Jeff Hernandez - Brad Lundstrom

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.e4 d6 4.d4 Bg7 5.Nf3 O-O 6.Be2 Nbd7
7.Qc2 e5 8.dxe5 dxe5 9.O-O c6 10.Rd1 Qe7 11.a4 a5 12.b3
Nc5 13.Ba3 Bg4 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Bxf3 Rfd8 16.Rxd8+ Rxd8
17.Rad1 Rxd1+ 18.Bxd1 Nfd7 19.Qd2 Qh4 20.Bg4 Bh6 21.Qd6 Bf8
22.Qc7 Qe7 23.Bxd7 Qxd7 24.Qxe5 Bd6 25.Qf6 Nxe4 26.Nxe4
Bxa3 27.Qxg6+ hxg6+ 28.Nf6+ Kf8 29.Nxd7+ Ke7 30.Ne5 Ke6
31.Nd3 Kf5 32.f3 g5 33.g4+ Ke6 34.Kf2 f5 35.Ke3 Bd6 36.Kd4
f4 37.c5 Be7 38.Kc4 Bd8 39.b4 axb4 40.Nxb4 Ba5 41.Nd3 Bc7
42.Nf2 Ke5 43.Ne4 Bd8 44.Nd6 b5+ 45.axb5 cxb5+ 46.Nxb5 Ba5
47.Nd6 Bc7 48.Ne4 Bd8 49.c6 Ke6 50.Kc5 Ke5 51.Kc4 Ke6
52.Kb3 Kd5 53.Nxg5 Bxg5 54.c7 1-0

Jeff Hernandez - Steve Norquist

1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.Nf3 Nc6 4.e4 Bb4 5.d3 d6 6.h3 Be6
7.Bd2 O-O 8.a3 Bxa3 9.Bxc3 Nd7 10.g4 Ne7 11.Bd2 Ng6 12.Bg5
Qe8 13.Qd2 Nc5 14.Rd1 h6 15.Be3 Nd7 16.Rg1 f6 17.h4 c5
18.h5 Ne7 19.Nh4 Nb8 20.Be2 Kh7 21.Nf5 Nxf5 22.gxf5 Bf7
23.Rg6 Bxg6 24.hxg6 Kg8 25.f3 Qd7 26.Kf2 Re8 27.Rh1 Re7
28.Bxh6 Nc6 29.Bxg7 Rxxg7 30.Qh6 Kf8 31.Qh8+ Rg8 32.Qxf6+
Ke8 33.Rh7 Ne7 34.Rf7 Kd8 35.g7 Rc8 36.Qh6 Kc7 37.f6 Rce8
38.Rf8 1/2 = 1/2

Brad Lundstrom - Calvin Wipf

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.f3 O-O 6.Be3 a6
7.Bd3 e5 8.d5 Nbd7 9.Nge2 c6 10.Qd2 cxd5 11.cxd5 b5 12.O-O
Bb7 13.f4 Rc8 14.h3 Nc5 15.fxe5 Nxd3 16.exf6 Bxf6 17.Qxd3
Qe7 18.Rd4 Bxd4+ 19.Qxd4 Rc4 20.Qd3 Qe5 21.b3 Rc7 22.Rac1
1-0

Louis Horton - Jeff Hernandez

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nf3 Bg7 4.Na3 d6 5.Bg5 Nbd7 6.e4 h6
7.Bf4 g5 8.Be3 c6 9.Bd3 Ng4 10.O-O Nxb 11.fxe3 Nf6 12.Nd2
Qc7 13.Qf3 Bg4 14.Qg3 h5 15.Nf3 h4 16.Qf2 Bh6 17.h3 Bh5
18.Rae1 O-O-O 19.Nxg5 BxN 20.Qf5+ Qd7 21.axB Bg6 22.Rf4?
Rh5! 23.QxR NxQ 24.Rxh4 e6 25.Rf1 Qe7 26.Rg4 Rh8 27.Ne2
Kb8 28.b4 a6 29.a4 d5 30.c5 Nf6 31.Rf4 Nxe4 32.BxN dxe4
33.Nc3 f5 34.b5 axb5 35.axb5 Be8 36.b6 Qg5 37.kh2 Ra8
38.g4 Qh4 39.Rg1 fxg 40.gRxg4 RxR 41.RxR Qf2+ 42.Rg2 Qxe3
43.Rg8 Qf2+ 44.Kh1 Qf7 45.RxB+ QxR 46.Nxe4 Qh5 47.Kg2 Qd5
0-1

NORQUIST'S NOTES

For a little background on the following game, former ND State Champion Jerry Triggs told some people he had a "monstrous" plus score against me, and had never lost to me in the Smith-Morra Gambit. However, I keep good track of my games and opponents, and my record in rated play vs. Jerry is the following win plus 3 draws: a Smith-Morra in the '86 Michelob Open in which Black escaped from a busted opening; another Smith-Morra at the '89 Bismarck Open, and a QP Opening in which I was Black at the '89 WSD. So, along with the game, I would like to respectfully challenge Mr. Triggs to a correspondence gambit match with the following stipulations: in my game with Black, I will play the Black side of a White gambit opening of Jerry's choice; and in my game with White, the opening moves will be: 1. e4 c5 2. d4 cxd4 3. c3 dxc3.--Steve Norquist

Norquist-Triggs, 1985 Michelob Open

1. e4 c5
2. d4 cxd4
3. c3 dxc3
4. Nxc3 Nc6
5. Nf3 e6
6. Bc4 Na5?!
7. Bd3 b6
8. O-O Bb7
9. Bf4 a6
10. Qc2 Ne7
11. b4 Nc6
12. b5! Na7
13. bxa6 Bc6
14. Nd4 Ng6
15. Bg3 Bc5
16. Ndb5 Nxb5
17. Nxb5 e5
18. Qh5 d6
19. Rad1 O-O
20. Nc3 Ra7
21. a4 Qd7
22. Bb5 Bxb5
23. axb5 Bx4
24. Ne2 Bc5
25. Nc3 Bd4
26. Nd5 Bc5
27. Rb1 Qc6
28. Nb4 Ne7
29. Rfd1 Qc4
30. Nd3 Qxe4
31. Nxc5 bxc5
32. Ra1 g6
33. Qh4 Qa8
34. b6! Nf5
35. Qa4 Re7
36. Rdb1 Bb8
37. b7 Qa7
38. Qc6 RESIGNS

(Once again, when White gets back the gambit pawn, things become very difficult for Black).

(Now that the center is static, White concentrates on his Q-side play).

(26...Qxb5?? 27. Rxd5! exd5 28. Ne7+ wins).

(There is nothing to be done about 39. Qb6).

KERKHOVE'S COMMENTS

For the second time in the last 3 years I was fortunate enough to play in the New York Open. In 1989 I scored 4-4 in an expert section. This time I decided to play up in the International section scoring 3-5.

My final round game was great fun. Luis Bernardo Hoyos-Millan is a chess journalist (originally from Columbia) from New York. Hoyos-Millan (2230) is somewhat famous for his coverage of Karpov-Kasparov matches. The game is a short draw but the result isn't everything. Having fun is all important. Let the fun begin:

David Kerkhove - L.B. Hoyos-Millan

1.e4	e5	
2.Ne3	Nc6	
3.f4	g6	
4.Nf3	Bg7	
5.Bc4	Nh6?!	Never seen this one.
6.d3	O-O	
7.O-O	e6	
8.f5	Nd4	
9.Kh1	Nf3	
10.Of3		--- All played by me before. Nothing unusual about the position until...
10. ...	gf!?	--- According to the book this only invites attack so...
11.Bh6	Bh6	
12.ef	d5	
13.f6!?		--- Maybe better was Bb3 then the text but I wanted to laser the sucker.
13. ...	Kh8	--- The only move.
14.Qh5	dc	
15.Qh6	Rg8	--- I thought only a defensive move but the Columbian Master has more in mind.
16.dc	Rd8	
17.Rad1	Qg8	
18.Qg	b6	
19.Rd2		--- Overprotecting g2 is crucial to the defense of the White monarch.
19. ...	Bb7	--- Black develops his last minor piece to a nasty diagonal.
20.Rff2		--- Again White must overprotect g2 because of 10. ...gf!? which the books say is dangerous. Dangerous for who!
20. ...	Rd8	
21.Rg1		--- Normally it is safer to be in the corner in this variation but its time to get legs and run!
21. ...	Rd4	

22.Rd4	Rg2	---	And now "Fun Time".
23.Kf1		---	Of course not Kh1? and mate on the move.
			I grabbed the King and faked like I was
			moving the King to h1 allowing checkmate.
			Letting out a loud "Nauwww" I moved the
			King to safety at f1. This drew a smile
			from my chess friend from the land of Coke.
23. ...	cd		
24.Od4		---	FUN DONE. Time to draw and head for home.
			So I complete my move and push the clock
			and offer a draw.
24. ...	Rg4	---	Refused!
25.Rf4		---	Active again with my big guns.
25. ...	Rg2		
26.Ne2		---	Like a spider's legs the Knight covers a
			lot of territory.
26. ...	Rg6	---	And Black offers the draw that he refused
			only 2 moves ago.
1/2 - 1/2			
			Ah! Ain't chess grand? D. Kerkhove

EDITOR'S NOTE

Things are a bit busy around my place as we have sold our home and are building a new one in Sioux Falls. Because of that I haven't been able to put the time into this issue of the BULLETIN that I would have wanted so please bear with me.

The Closed will be here in Sioux Falls, July 21-22. The site is not certain but it may be at a hotel. There will be details of the event coming out after the TEAMS.

Speaking of the TEAMS, it appears there will be 2 teams from Rapid City. My last reports have Team Likens (Terry, Jill, T.J. and David) and Rapid City (Norquist, Schmidt, Schaffer, and Hammond). Sioux Falls may make it after all (Barth, Overholtzer, Bier, VanDeest). Some other players out there include Arnie Mathews, Marty LaRoche (who again resides in Aberdeen) and Wes Schmidt among others. We should have 6 teams anyway.

The Sioux Empire Chess Club went to the State Penitentiary and played the Granite City Chess Club. The Sioux Empire won 6-3. Game results are as follows: Salem (SE) def. E. Eagle Horse, Salem (SE) def. Woodraska, R. Traversi def. Salem (SE), Ramos (SE) def. R. Kerkhove, Rayburn def. Fauske (SE), Overholtzer (SE) def. Flute, Schmidt (SE) def. Miles, Cortez def. Klassen (SE), Bailey (SE) def. J. Red Fox. (SE = Sioux Empire Club).

* THE TEAMS WILL BE IN THE
CAPITOL BUILDING, 4TH FLOOR
REGISTRATION 8:30 AM SAT.
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