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SCHOLASTIC EDITION

After a record setting scholastic season in South Dakota, we prepare for the SDCA calendar. We are issuing our second Scholastic edition to those who attended scholastic tournaments in March in South Dakota. We owe much of the resurgence of chess in South Dakota to scholastic chess. In 1993 we had no scholastic. The number of South Dakota listed on the 1993 annual rating list was only 52. When we revived the scholastic, the number of persons listed on the rating list from South Dakota went up to 73 in 1994, 99 in 1995, 119 in 1996 and 277 in 1997. De reports that the number of South Dakota members is now 337. This number is more than the number of players in North Dakota, Wyoming, and Montana combined together. We still have a very narrow base. Nearly ten percent of these players are from Pierre Indian Learning Center. The high school division expansion has been slow. The largest portion of expansion is the elementary division. Two years ago we had only one player in the elementary division. This year we had 66. Next year we will split the K-3 division from the elementary. We may also split the high school division to a different day. Two years ago there were no players from Madison or Pierre Indian Learning Center. Last year there were no players from Sioux Falls Home School Association.

Yet Madison and Sioux Falls Home School Association won the three divisions and Pierre Indian Learning Center finished second in the both junior high and elementary divisions. Sometimes we can tell what causes players to enter the tournament. It was Jack Bier and Steve Haataja teaching at Robert Frost and Hayward that brought these players to play at state. Yet some of the schools where chess was taught last year had no more players entered than last year and in some cases fewer places entered. So far this year in tournaments where scholastics were included growth has been explosive. Winter Match Play:52; Dakota Open,58; Flandreau Indian Chess Club Scholastic,53;South Dakota State Scholastic,136. We hope that this growth will translate into increased number of players in future years. We certainly could use this injection of new blood. In tournaments where no scholastic was offered only 15 showed up for the Duchamp and 20 for the JoeHouse. But even here the scholastics shown through. Mark Knudson finished second at the JoeHouse beating expert Robert Feldstein for the second time. In the last year Mark has beaten four experts(Steve Norquist, Robert Feldstein (twice)and David Kerkhove.)Yet, Mark is even in his series with Michael Bergan at 3-3. The Likens showed how competitive scholastic chess has become by finishing 1-2 at state ahead of both Mark and Michael. Curtis Carroll pointed out after the South Dakota Closed that the young players were improving at our expense, but this is necessary to the future success of chess in South Dakota no matter how painful it may be to us. Although it may appear that chess is exploding, we have not scratched the surface. We are still only bringing in players from three of the eight middle schools in Sioux Falls and only ten of the thirty-six elementary schools. We are still lacking an organized chess club at Sioux Falls Washington. In Sioux Falls, De has organized our scholastic chess clubs and Steve Haataja, David Kerkhove, John Wathier, Wes Schmidt,

Mark Knudson, Steve Cahill, and Ryan Daggitt have assisted with these clubs. In Madison, Jud Bergan has established a chess club which is the envy of all clubs in the state. His teams took two state titles and finished third in elementary. The Estelline players had never played until their appearance at Flandreau. They brought nine players to the State Scholastic. Pierre Indian Learning Center brought twenty-nine players and yet many of their players were at wrestling tournaments. Many of the Robert Frost players were at a basketball tournament. South Dakota scholastic chess has had a successful year so far. We invite you to play in the SDCA events listed in this bulletin. The Sioux Empire Chess Club will offer weekly scholastic tournaments on Fridays at the Ronning Library in Sioux Falls from 1-5 pm from June 5 to August 14. Jack Bier will offer an analysis group. If scholastic players, coaches, organizers or parents need any help from us, we will be glad to help. Wes Schmidt

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Chess continues to flourish in South Dakota! As of March 31, 337 South Dakotans were members of the United States Chess Federation. Please note all of the wonderful spring and summer chess opportunities that are available to your and jot each one of them on your calendar. On May 2-3 the Western SD Open will be held in Rapid City, and the SD Team

Championship will take place in Oacoma at the Cedar Shore Resort on June 13-14. (I've heard a rumor that an all-scholastic team will be participating there which hopes to create problems for some of the adult teams participating!) Ralph Bailey's Luck of the Draw is scheduled for July 12--good practice for the SD Closed on July 25-26 in Pierre. Then it will be time for the Gambiteer's Open on August 29-30 at USD in Vermillion. Mark Derby and Steve Norquist have been organizing this event for month's, and you won't want to miss it.

I just assume that you already have the Governor's Cup in your plans for September 11-13. As you know, Tal Shaked, the World Junior Champion, will be our major star, but a dozen other grandmasters are being invited to join us also. A scholastic tournament will be held on that Saturday, September 12. We hope to double the number of scholastic players this year. All chess clubs outside Sioux Falls should plan to come to Sioux Falls early on September 11 and make arrangements with me in advance on having a grandmaster work with your students in a small setting such as one of the public libraries. I am still looking for more people to chauffeur a grandmaster to different schools/libraries on Friday September 11. Please let me know as soon as possible if you can volunteer to be a chauffeur.

The state scholastic tournament on March 28 was a wonderful success! I am certain that you will enjoy reading about this event elsewhere in this newsletter. Thanks again to Wes and Susan Schmidt, Terry and Jill Likens, and Steve Haataja for their many hours of hard work. Obviously, their efforts paid off since 136 students participated. Last year 80 students played in the same event.

Steve Cahill and Mark Knudson, both from Sioux Falls will participate in the National High School Chess Championship in Los Angeles in early May. This is the tournament that Sioux Falls will host in April of 1999. Two staff members of the Sioux Falls Convention Center will also attend this prestigious scholastic event to promote Sioux Falls. Their presence will greatly benefit all the efforts of the chess community in the state.

Jim Eckert of Estelline (873-2625) is making good progress with his chess club. He is in the process of inviting nine other schools in that area to either form their own club or join his. If your club has any interest in playing chess in Estelline or helping him any fashion, please call immediately. Nine players from there participated in the state scholastic event at the end of March.

We wish David Likens the very best when he travels to Hawaii in early August to represent SD in the Arnold Denker Tournament of Champions. Likens, from Rapid City, finished first in the high school section of the scholastic tournament. We are proud to have you represent us!

David Kerkhove, who unfortunately beat my younger son in the Sioux Falls City Championship recently, will teach chess to employees of the Parks and Recreation Department here in Sioux Falls in late May. That department conducts summer programs at 28 different playgrounds throughout the city--more wonderful exposure for the Sioux Empire Chess Foundation. Wes Schmidt continues to amaze all of us with the time he spends on promoting chess. The SD Chess Bulletin contains valuable information. Besides being the editor of the SD Chess Bulletin, Wes directs more of the tournaments in the state and is working with three school chess clubs: All City Elementary, Patrick Henry Middle School, and the Mark Twain after school chess program.

Last, I'd like to thank Jack Bier and Steve Haataja for their many hours of volunteer work with the students at Robert Frost Elementary School, Hayward Elementary School, Mark Twain Elementary School and Oscar Howe Elementary. In addition, Haataja has been working with home schoolers also. (Gateway is fortunate to have Steve Haataja back on their employee list, but I much preferred having him unemployed so that he could travel to chess clubs with me at all hours of the day!!)

Sioux Falls students will return to Madison on May 16 for a rematch. I'd have to confess that just the sound of Madison bothers me these days. They are getting tougher by the week.

It is really time for Sioux Falls students to get serious with those folks!

I look forward to seeing you at a chess event in the near future. Please write or call me if you have any ideas on making chess in South Dakota more vibrant.

De Knudson, SDCA President

Tal Shaked will attend Governor's Cup

Tal Shaked, the World's Junior Champion, has agreed to attend the 1998 Governor's Cup in September. Shaked, who began playing chess when he was seven, won the World Junior Champion in Poland in July 1997. He is the first American to win this prestigious title since Ilya Gurevich captured it in 1991. Besides, playing in the Governor's Cup, Shaked will play a simultaneous exhibition against many scholastic players at one of Sioux Falls schools.

SCHOLASTIC CORNER

South Dakota Scholastic Championships-High School Winners

Year-Participants-

Location Individual Winner Team Winner

1985-18-Pierre Matt Rapp, Aberdeen Central Aberdeen Central

Rapid City Stevens

1986-34-Pierre Eric Kilber, Pierre Aberdeen Roncalli

1987-21-Pierre Karl McGritzer, Watertown Watertown

1988- -Pierre Garret Davis, Watertown Watertown

1989-24-Pierre Kyle Hammond, Martin Watertown

Bill Strohfus, Watertown

1990-22-Aberdeen Kyle Hammond, Martin Aberdeen Central

1991-23-Aberdeen Larry Patterson, Aberdeen Flandreau Indian School

1992- -Aberdeen-Kirby Kozel, Sioux Falls Washington-Sioux Falls Washington

1993 No Tournament

1994-22-Sioux Falls David Draeger,Sioux Falls Lincoln-Flandreau Indian School

1995-37-Sioux Falls-Mark Knudson,Sioux Falls Patrick Henry Flandreau Indian School

1996-35-Sioux Falls-David Draeger,Sioux Falls Lincoln-Flandreau

Daniel Hochee,Lennox Indian School

1997-79-Sioux Falls-TJ Likens,Rapid City Central-Flandreau Indian

School

1998-136-Sioux Falls-David Likens,Rapid City Central-Madison

South Dakota Scholastic Championships- Junior High Winners

Year Name,Team Team Winner

1994 Michael Newton,Douglas Douglas,Sioux Falls O’Gorman,

Artesian-Letcher

1995 TJ Likens,Rapid City South Artesian-Letcher

1996 TJ Likens,Rapid City South Rapid City South

1997 David Likens,Rapid City South-Sioux Falls Patrick Henry

Ryan Daggitt,Sioux Falls Memorial

1998 Andrew Ellsworth,Madison Madison

Jonathan Stetler Madison

South Dakota Scholastic Championships- Elementary Winners

Year Winner Team Team Winner

1994 Mark Knudson,Sioux FallsJohn Harris Artersian-Letcher

1995 Steve Cook,Artesian-Letcher Artesian-Letcher

1996 Max Schuchard,Flandreau Spafford Flandreau Spafford

1997 Josiah Himes,Pierre Indian Learning Center Pierre Indian
Learning Center

1998 Jordan Gerdes,Sioux Falls Home School Sioux Falls Home Scho
John Bergan,Madison

Isaac Gerdes,Sioux Falls Home School

FLANDREAU INDIANS CHESS CLUB SCHOLASTIC

Report by Wes Schmidt

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION

NAME	SCHOOL	RATING	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	TOT
1.Michael Bergan	MAD	1441	W7	W8	W6	W2	4.0
2.David Bergan	MAD	1423	W9	W10	W4	L1	3.0
3.Matthew Havlik	MAD	1065	D13	W9	D5	W6	3.0
4.Steve Cahill	WASH	1060	W11	W12	L2	W10	3.0

5.Tony Amert	MAD	1089	L10	W13	D3	W8	2.5
6.Lewis O. Bundy	MAD	1014	W12	W11	L1	L3	2.0
7.Shane Drapeau	FIS	926	L1	B--	L8	W13	2.0
8.Kennan Vigil	FIS	697	B--	L1	W7	L5	2.0
9.Aldo Jones	FIS	UNR	L2	L3	W11	W12	2.0
10.Kelly Sam	FIS	UNR	W5	L2	W13	L4	2.0
11.Bronson Painte	FIS	UNR	L4	L6	L9	B--	1.0
12.Jason Antelope	FIS	UNR	L6	L4	B--	L9	1.0
13.Shane Hipp	FIS	UNR	D3	L5	L10	L7	0.5

TEAM TOTALS

1.MADISON(MAD) 12.5

2.FLANDREAU INDIAN SCHOOL(FIS) 8

3.SIOUX FALLS WASHINGTON(WASH) 3

JUNIOR HIGH SECTION

NAME	SCHOOL	RATING	RD1	RD2	RD2	RD3	TOT
1.John Bergan	MAD	1220	W18	W5	W7	W4	4.0
2.Andrew Ellsworth	MAD	1027	W17	W16	W3	W9	4.0
3.Myron Nightshield	PILC	UNR	W8	W9	L2	W7	3.0
4.Daniel Haggar	HS	UNR	W14	W18	W11	L1	3.0
5.Brad Quilt	PILC	UNR	W22	L1	W12	W11	3.0
6.Shannon Dogskin	PILC	581	W13	L10	W19	W8	3.0
7.John Stoldt	PILC	622	W10	W12	L1	L3	2.0
8.John Swallow	PILC	517	L3	W21	W10	L6	2.0
9.Aubree Wack	MAD	906	W19	L3	W17	L2	2.0
10.John Shrader	HS	UNR	L7	W6	L8	W17	2.0
11.Josh Fritz	MAD	863	W21	W22	L4	L5	2.0
12.Kevin Carraway	HS	UNR	W20	L7	L5	W16	2.0

13.Kurt Shrader	HS	UNR	L6	W20	W16	L14	2.0
14.Jeremiah Blackbear	PILC	561	L4	L19	W22	W13	2.0
15.Travis St.Clair	PILC	UNR	L16	L17	W18	W19	2.0
16.Abram Brugier	PILC	UNR	W15	L2	L13	L12	2.0
17.Curtis Red Owl	PILC	UNR	L2	W15	L9	L10	1.0
18.Nehemiah Blackbear	PILC	UNR	L1	L4	L15	W20	1.0
19.Cyrus Parisien	PILC	UNR	L9	W14	L6	L15	1.0
20.Jesse Westover	PILC	657	L12	L13	W21	L18	1.0
21.Stacy Feather	PILC	UNR	L11	L8	L20	W22	1.0
22.Sheila Diver	PILC	UNR	L5	L11	L14	L21	0.0

TEAM TOTALS

1.MADISON JUNIOR HIGH(MAD)12

2.PIERRE INDIAN LEARNING CENTER(PILC)11

3.SIOUX FALLS HOME SCHOOL 9

ELEMENTARY SECTION

NAME	SCHOOL	RATING	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	TOT
1.Faron Cheyenne	PILC	UNR	W15	W17	W11	W5	4.0
2.Andrew Ramsey	PILC	669	W17	D6	W10	W7	3.5
3.Duane Martin	PILC	481	W16	W14	L7	W11	3.0
4.Bruce Archabault	PILC	UNR	L10	W9	W6	W8	3.0
5.Patrick Diver	PILC	UNR	W14	W15	W8	L1	3.0
6.Josh Chapin	EST	UNR	W9	D2	L4	W10	2.5
7.Russell Bordeaux	PILC	644	L12	W13	W3	L2	2.0
8.Dezi Conica	PILC	581	W18	W12	L5	L4	2.0
9.Josh Holy Bear	PILC	UNR	L6	L4	W12	W15	2.0
10.Chantelle Blue Arm	PILC	UNR	W4	W18	L2	L6	2.0
11.Megan Azure	PILC	UNR	W13	W16	L1	L3	2.0

12.Josh Freesman	EST	UNR	W7	L8	L9	W13	2.0
13.Jordan Hislaw	PILC	UNR	L11	L7	W16	L12	1.0
14.Trisha Stoldt	PILC	UNR	L5	L3	D17	D18	1.0
15.Kenna Birdwell	PILC	UNR	L1	L5	W18	L9	1.0
16.Zach Busch	EST	UNR	L3	L11	L13	W17	1.0
17.Brittany Simmons	EST	UNR	L2	L1	D14	L16	0.5
18.Ashley Nicola	EST	UNR	L8	L10	L15	D14	0.5

TEAM TOTALS

1.PIERRE INDIAN LEARNING CENTER(PILC) 13.5

2.ESTELLINE(EST) 6

The Flandreau Indian School Chess Club sponsored its third annual scholastic chess tournament on March 14,1998. The attendance was a record fifty-three persons. Pierre Indian Learning Center brought twenty-seven players, while nine players from Madison came and the home Flandreau Indian School had seven players. Five players from Estelline played in the Elementary Division and four players from the Sioux Falls Home School Association played in the Junior High Division. Our thanks to Barry Thompson and Flandreau Indian School for putting on such a nice tournament. For the first time in my memory every scholastic game had a clock on it. The appearance of the room with the sets fully set up prior to each game was awesome. The only problem may be that the Flandreau Indian School Library was filled to the brim and if there are more persons next year they may need to find more space. Michael Bergan won the High School title again beating his brother, David in the last round. Madison beat Flandreau Indian School for the first time in this tournament in what may foreshadow the battle between these teams at the state tournament. Madison beat Flandreau Indian School 8.5-1.5 in head to head games. Madison players finished in five of the top six place.

John Bergan chose to play in junior high division instead of the elementary division when Justin Whitcomb could not play for the junior high team. Pierre Indian Learning Center probably wishes that Justin could have

come. John tied for first place with Andrew Ellsworth of Madison. Both players had perfect scores, but John was awarded the trophy on tiebreak. Madison squeaked out a 12-11 win over Pierre Indian Learning Center. The Home School Association of Sioux Falls did well scoring nine points in their first appearance. Daniel Haggar of the Home School Association lost only to John Bergan in the last round. Pierre Indian Learning Center dominated the Elementary Division. Their players finished in the top five places. Faron Cheyenne won the individual title with four points. One of the Estelline players finished with 2.5 points. We would like to thank Don Haggar and the home school parents, Glenn Eide and the Pierre Indian Learning Center personnel, Jim Eckert of Estelline, Barry Thompson of Flandreau Indian School and Jud Bergan of Madison for their efforts in organizing teams and bringing them to the tournament without which the tournament would not have been possible.

DAKOTA OPEN-RESERVE SECTION

NAME	RATING	RD 1	RD 2	RD 3	RD 4	TOTAL
1.Tony Amert	1088	W7	W8	W9	W5	4.0
2.David Knudson	1183	L13	W12	W11	W6	3.0
3.Matthew Havlik	1065	W15	L6	W13	W8	3.0
4.Dan Merchant	unr	L8	W10	W14	W9	3.0
5.Kari Rivers	1064	W10	W14	D6	L1	2.5
6.Hilary Powell	978	W17	W3	D5	L2	2.5
7.Laura Janke	853	L1	D13	W16	W14	2.5
8.Eilizabeth Powell	933	W4	L1	W15	L3	2.0

9.Andrew Ellsworth	1027	W12	W11	L1	L4	2.0
10.Justin Bauer	unr	L5	L4	W17	W16	2.0
11.Eugene Beckwith	897	W18	L9	L2	W13	2.0
12.Jason Eckert	unr	L5	L4	W17	W16	2.0
13.Josh Fritz	863	W2	D7	L3	L11	1.5
14.Jeremy Bahmuller	867	W16	L5	L4	L7	1.0
15.Jeremiah Johnson	384	L3	W18	L8	L12	1.0
16.Ashley Nicola	unr	L14	W17	L7	L10	1.0
17.Zach Busch	unr	L6	L16	L10	W18	1.0
18.Brittany Simmons	unr	L11	L15	L12	L17	0.0

MADISON WINS STATE SCHOLASTIC

Madison appeared to be a lock to prevent Flandreau Indian School from obtaining its fifth consecutive high school championship. However, the tournament came down to the game between Mark Knudson and Michael Bergan. If Knudson had won, Flandreau would have won the championship. Mark dropped his queen for a rook and Michael was able to convert the point and win the championship. The win also ties Mark and Michael at 3 wins apiece in the last year. David Likens beat Michael Bergan in the 3rd round and Ryan Daggitt in the fourth round to win the state scholastic championship. David will be South Dakota's representative at the Arnold Denker Tournament of High School Champions in Hawaii in August. TJ Likens took second including a draw with Mark Knudson where a mate in three was missed by TJ. Michael Bergan of Madison finished

third. Ryan Daggitt and David Likens had tied for the junior high championship last year. Ryan Daggitt finished fourth with a win over David Bergan of Madison. Steve Cahill continued his improvement with a fifth place finish.

Madison also captured the junior high division edging Pierre Indian Learning Center by one point. Madison was led by Jonathan Stetler and Andrew Stetler who finished 1st- 2nd with

perfect scores. Last year's champion Sioux Falls Patrick Henry had two players in the top five: Brandon Smith 3rd and Joe Waters 5th, but was unable to repeat. Pierre Indian Learning Center was led by Curtis Red Owl who finished fourth. Sioux Falls Home School Association finished in third place led by Daniel Haggard and John Shrader with three points apiece.

The Sioux Falls Home School Association won the elementary division with a perfect four points in the final round. Jordan and Isaac Gerdes of the Home School Association finished tied with favorite, John Bergan with four points. All hold the title South Dakota State Scholastic Elementary School Championship. Pierre Indian Learning Center finished one point back led by

Flandreau champ, Faron Cheyenne and Duane Martin who finished fourth and fifth. Jordan Hislaw of Pierre Indian Learning Center and Nate Holman of Sioux Falls All City Elementary tied for the 3rd grade and below trophy. Madison also finished third in the elementary division.

A record 136 players played in the state scholastic including 66 in the elementary division and 19 players 3rd grade and below. This number was far above last year's record of 79 which had doubled the previous record of 39. Hats off to Sam Ogdie and Sioux Falls O'Gorman that was able to accommodate the increased numbers. This year we had a skittles and game room manned by my wife, Susan Schmidt. The gym was open at times as an outlet to those players who wanted a more physical pursuit. The O'Gorman students also ran a snack bar. They addressed all of our concerns of a year ago and hope to be able to accommodate increased numbers next year.

Next year we plan to add a primary section. We may separate the high school division from the elementary division. We also will produce a guide for parents and coaches. If you have any suggestions, send comments to Wes Schmidt, 2213 Tricia Lane, Sioux Falls, SD 57103, Terry Likens, PO Box 1015, Rapid City, SD 57709 or De Knudson, 2100 E. Slaten Ct, Sioux Falls, SD 57103

Our thanks to Terry Likens who was in charge of the Elementary Division, Steve Haataja who ran the Junior High Division and Jill Likens who assisted at the directors table. Steve Haataja and Susan Schmidt were invaluable in processing registrations. Only the arrival of Flandreau Indian School Team at 9:00 am prevented the first round from starting on time. De Knudson and the Sioux Empire Chess Foundation provided money for trophies and mailings and also were source of most of the chess equipment. De has arranged for assistance with nearly every one of the Sioux Falls schools which attended. We hope to reach a total of 200 players for next year's scholastic. Pierre Indian Learning Center brought twenty-nine players. Sixteen players came from Madison. The Sioux Falls Home School Association sent twelve players. Nine players played for Estelline. Eight players from the Flandreau Indian School. Not counting the Home School Association which included non-Sioux Falls members, Sioux Falls had sixteen players in the high school section, twelve in the junior high section and twenty-seven in the elementary section. Of the Sioux Falls schools in the high school section. Washington and O'Gorman had five players while Lincoln and Roosevelt had three and two players, respectively. Twelve Sioux Falls players were in the middle school division. Six from Patrick Henry, three from Edison, two from St. Mary's and one from St. Joseph's. Eight Sioux Falls elementary schools and the Children's Home Society had teams in the Elementary Section: Hayward 8, John Harris 8, Children's Home Society 4, All City Elementary 2, Horace Mann 2, Robert Frost 2, JFK 1, St. Lambert's 1, St. Mary's 1.

We must thank the coaches and parents who assisted in making the tournament a success. These players would not have come without the assistance of their organizers. I do not know all of the names of the parents, coaches

and organizers who helped bring players to this event or encouraged them to come.,but I will try to name a few I know.: Jud Bergan, Madison; Jim Eckert, Estelline; Barry Thompson, Flandreau Indian School;Glenn Eide and the staff of Pierre Indian Learning Center; Jeff Dexon and Michelle Loeske, John Harris: Don Haggar and Mark Gerdes of the Home School Association: Jack Bier and Steve Haataja who taught chess at Hayward and Robert Frost. David Kerkhove who taught chess at Edison John Wathier and Phyllis Schrag at Lincoln High.The person most responsible for our success is De Knudson who has sent chess sets and boards to most of these schools on behalf of Sioux Empire Chess Foundation, either supplied volunteer chess coaches for schools or went herself to most of the elementary schools listed and made sure that if at all possible every scholastic chess player either received a mailing about the State Scholastic or was handed a bulletin or newsletter which contained information about the tournament. I volunteered to run chess clubs at Patrick Henry Middle School and All City Elementary in Sioux Falls, but I was only there because De had made the effort to arrange for a club to meet and for me to be there.

The most improved teams were Madison, which runs the most active chess club in this state and the Home School Association which has a chess class in the spring semester. Perhaps if you looking for improvement in your club you need look no further than these examples. Good luck and hope to see you at the State Junior Championship in July and at the Governors Cup Scholastic in September.

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION

Name	School	Rating	rd 1	rd 2	rd 3	rd 4	Tot
1.David Likens	RAPID	1253	W19	W15	W3	W4	4
2.TJ Likens	RAPID	1319	W22	W26	D9	W11	3.5
3.Michael Bergan	MAD	1441	W23	W5	L1	W9	3
4.Ryan Daggitt	ROOS	1118	W25	W6	W11	L1	3
5.Steve Cahill	WASH	1090	W29	L3	W12	W13	3
6.Shane Hipp	FLAN	unr	W16	L4	X--	W18	3

7.Tony Amert	MAD	1088	W18	L9	W23	W12	3
8.Matt Jordahl	OG	1085	W13	L11	W22	W14	3
9.Mark Knudson	WASH	1516	W17	W7	D2	L3	2.5
10.Aldo Jones	FLAN	unr	D28	L12	W19	W27	2.5
11.David Bergan	MAD	1423	W24	W8	L4	L2	2
12.Casey Swanson	LH	919	W14	W10	L5	L7	2
13.Dirk White Breast	FLAN	unr	L8	W17	W15	L5	2
14.Kelly Sam	FLAN	unr	L12	W25	W16	L8	2
15.Matthew Havlik	MAD	1065	W21	L1	L13	W20	2
16.Melissa East	OG	838	L6	W28	L14	W22	2
17.Nishanth Kannan	OG	780	L9	L13	B--	W23	2
18.Aaron McCarter	OG	unr	L7	D24	W28	L6	1.5
19.Josh Grode	WASH	560	L1	D20	L10	X--	1.5

20.David Velarde	FLAN	unr	L26	D19	W24	L15	1.5
21.Garrett Lathrop	OG	unr	L15	L22	W25	D24	1.5
22.Kennan Vigil	FLAN	697	L2	W21	L8	L16	1
23.Brandon Rowenhorst	WASH	810	L3	W29	L7	L17	1
24.Paul Gliarmis	WASH	774	L11	D18	L20	D21	1
25.Vincent Miller	PLATTE	unr	L4	L14	L21	W29	1
26.Val Tsvetkov	LH	978	W20	L2	F--	U--	1
27.Mark Ditmarson	WASH	938	U--	U--	W29	L10	1
28.Grant Efland	LH	957	D10	L16	L18	F--	0.5
29.Andy Downs	ROOS	unr	L5	L23	L27	L25	0

TEAM TOTALS

1.MADISON-10(Michael Bergan, Tony Amert, David Bergan, Matthew Havlik)(MAD)

2.FLANDREAU INDIAN SCHOOL-9.5(Shane Hipp, Aldo Jones, Dirk White Breast ,Kelly Sam)(FLAN)

3.SIOUX FALLS O’GORMAN-8.5(Matt Jordahl, Melissa East, Nishanth Kannan)(OG)

4.SIOUX FALLS WASHINGTON-8(WASH)

5.RAPID CITY CENTRAL-7.5(RAPID)

6.SIOUX FALLS LINCOLN-3.5(LH)

7.SIOUX FALLS ROOSEVELT-3(ROOS)

8.PLATTE-1

JUNIOR HIGH SECTION

Name	School	Rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	Tot
1.Jonathan Stetler	MAD	939	X--	W7	W4	W5	4
2.Andrew Ellsworth	MAD	1027	W2	W23	W15	W3	4
3.Brandon Smith	PH	929	W8	W21	W6	L2	3
4.Curtis Red Owl	PILC	unr	W36	W10	L1	W15	3
5.Joe Waters	PH	950	W41	W17	W12	L1	3
6.Ilia Nossov	ED	1053	W25	W18	L3	W11	3
7.Daniel Haggar	HS	unr	W14	L1	W34	W19	3
8.Nehemia Blackbear	PILC	unr	L3	W22	W25	W18	3

9.John Shrader	HS	967	W31	W16	L11	W17	3
10.Anthony Vicino	ST.M	807	W32	L4	W19	W16	3
11.Josh Fritz	MAD	863	W40	W30	W9	L6	3
12.Collin Decoteau	PILC	unr	W22	W35	L5	W36	3
13.John Stoldt	PILC	622	L30	W37	W31	W20	3
14.Dustin Krell	ED	1024	L7	D32	W33	W24	2.5
15.Kurt Shrader	HS	713	W34	W20	L2	L4	2
16.Jeremiah Blackbear	PILC	561	W28	L9	W27	L10	2
17.Brad Quilt	PILC	unr	W35	L5	W26	L9	2
18.Justin Van Ormer	MAD	629	W33	L6	W21	L8	2
19.Jesse Westover	PILC	657	W37	W27	L10	L7	2
20.Dan Grode	ST.J	unr	W24	L15	W23	L13	2

21.Myron Nightshield	PILC	unr	W26	L3	L18	W35	2
22.Gordon Kent	MAD	unr	L12	L8	W37	W34	2
23.John Swallow	PILC	517	W38	L2	L20	W30	2
24.Shannon Dogskin	PILC	581	L20	W38	W30	L14	2
25.David Scott	HS	unr	L6	W40	L8	W41	2
26.Andrew Elson	ST.M	766	L21	W41	L17	W31	2
27.Jeremy Berg	ED	337	B--	L19	L16	W33	2
28.Bronson Painte	FLAN	unr	L16	L31	W39	W40	2
29.Kevin Caraway	HS	unr	L2	L33	W32	W38	2
30.Matthew Hitchcock	PH	unr	W13	L11	L24	L23	2
31.Scott Wrotenberry	PH	unr	L9	W28	L13	L26	1
32.Stacy Feather	PILC	unr	L10	D14	L29	D39	1
33.Travis St.Clair	PILC	unr	L18	W29	L14	L27	1

34.Sheila Diver	PILC	unr	L15	W36	L7	L22	1
35.Matt Reurink	PH	985	L17	L12	W40	L21	1
36.Jeremy Bahmuller	MAD	867	L4	L34	B--	L12	1
37.Brian Neuharth	ED	unr	L19	L13	L22	B--	1
38.Jason Antelope	FLAN	unr	L23	L24	W41	L29	1
39.Matthew Hardy	PH	unr	F--	U--	L28	D32	1
40.Cyrus Parisen	PILC	unr	L11	L25	L35	L28	0
41.Abram Brugier	PILC	unr	L5	L26	L38	L25	0

TEAM TOTALS

- 1.MADISON-13(Jonathan Stetler, Andrew Ellsworth, Josh Fritz, Justin Van Ormer)(MAD)
- 2.PILC-12(Curtis Red Owl,Nehemiah Blackbear, Collin DeCoteau, John Stoldt)(PILC)
- 3.SIOUX FALLS HOME SCHOOL ASSOCIATION-10(Daniel Haggar, John Shrader, Kurt Shrader, David Scott)(HS)
- 4.SIOUX FALLS EDISON-8.5(ED)
- 5.SIOUX FALLS PATRICK HENRY-8(PH)
- 6.SIOUX FALLS ST.MARY'S-5(ST.M)
- 7.FLANDREAU INDIAN SCHOOL-3(FLAN)
- 8.SIOUX FALLS ST.JOSEPH'S-2(ST.J)

ELEMENTARY SECTION

Name	School	Rating	rd 1	rd 2	rd 3	rd 4	Tot
1.Jordan Gerdes	HS	989	W31	W10	W9	W12	4
2.John Bergan	MAD	1220	W39	W54	W6	W8	4
3.Isaac Gerdes	HS	1079	W30	W29	W27	W7	4
4.Faron Cheyenne	PILC	unr	W51	W23	D19	W34	3.5
5.Duane Martin	PILC	481	W52	W50	D28	W19	3.5
6.Peter Glader	HS	unr	W43	W14	L2	W24	3
7.Russell Bordeaux	PILC	644	W65	W24	W13	L3	3
8.Michael Elson	ST.M	919	W57	W32	W11	L2	3
9.Jason Eckert	EST	unr	W37	W26	L1	W25	3
10.Nate Holman	ACE	unr	W33	L1	W43	W35	3
11.Chantelle Blue Arm	PILC	unr	W40	W20	L8	W28	3

12.Patrick Diver	PILC	unr	W48	W49	W25	L1	3
13.Jenna Haggard	HS	unr	W56	W34	L7	W33	3
14.Jonathan Magera	RF	942	W55	L6	W44	W31	3
15.Josh Chapin	EST	unr	L25	W61	W23	W26	3
16.Dezi Conica	PILC	581	L24	W65	W53	W27	3
17.Sara Schuurmans	HS	unr	L32	W57	W48	W30	3
18.Jordan Hislaw	PILC	unr	L23	W64	W49	W29	3
19.Jeremy Milstead	ACE	780	W59	W44	D4	L5	2.5
20.Jeremiah Johnson	MAD	384	W22	L11	W36	D21	2.5
21.Bruce Archabault	PILC	unr	L26	W51	W40	D20	2.5
22.Trish Stoldt	PILC	unr	L20	D48	W46	W45	2.5
23.Andrew Lindsay	MAD	494	W18	L4	L15	W55	2
24.Kyle Cottrill	HAY	unr	W16	L7	W54	L6	2

25.Jeremy Fancher	HM	726	W15	W58	L12	L9	2
26.Timothy Adams	MAD	640	W21	L9	W58	L15	2
27.Ashley Nicola	EST	unr	W62	W38	L3	L16	2
28.Justin Bauer	MAD	unr	W36	D47	D5	L11	2
29.Brock Ball	CHS	unr	W35	L3	W50	L18	2
30.Brian Werner	JH	unr	L3	W52	W58	L17	2
31.James Roth	MAD	unr	L1	W63	W37	L14	2
32.Tim Zhu	JH	unr	W17	L8	L33	W60	2
33.Zachary Angelo	HAY	unr	L10	W59	W32	L13	2
34.Daniel Richter	JH	954	W41	L13	W47	L4	2
35.Betsy McCarty	HAY	unr	L29	W41	W42	L10	2
36.Megan Azure	PILC	unr	L28	W39	L20	W54	2
37.Jordan Richardson	JH	773	L9	W45	L31	W47	2

38.Andrew Ramsey	PILC	669	W46	L27	L30	W53	2
39.Jordan Scott	HS	unr	L2	L36	W63	W49	2
40.Nathan Berdahl	RF	485	L11	B--	L21	W58	2
41.Michael Campbell	EST	unr	L34	L35	X--	W51	2
42.Ashley Fancher	HM	unr	L50	W60	L35	W52	2
43.Josh Holy Bear	PILC	unr	L6	W55	L10	D44	1.5
44.Nathan Derenge	HS	unr	W61	L19	L14	D43	1.5
45.Alex Dumars	CHS	unr	D53	L37	W56	L22	1.5
46.Zac Busch	EST	unr	L38	D56	L22	W50	1.5
47.Matt Wheeler	HAY	unr	W64	D28	L34	L37	1.5
48.Marcus Styles	CHS	unr	L12	D22	L17	D56	1
49.Peter Thomas	JH	335	W60	L12	L18	L39	1
50.Josh Andersen	HAY	unr	W42	L5	L29	L46	1

51.Alex Chov	JH	668	L4	L21	W59	L41	1
52.Cory Trowbridge	HAY	unr	L5	L30	W57	L42	1
53.Jessica Lobbins	HAY	unr	D45	D62	L16	L38	1
54.Shaun High Rock	CHS	unr	W63	L2	L24	L36	1
55.Jake Killoran	EST	unr	L14	L43	W61	L23	1
56.Brian Newcomb	JFK	unr	L13	D46	L45	D48	1
57.Wes Hesby	EST	unr	L8	L17	L52	W63	1
58.Jordan Eckert	EST	unr	X--	L25	L26	L40	1
59.Brittany Simmons	EST	unr	L19	L33	L51	W64	1
60.Kenna Bridwell	PILC	unr	L49	L42	W64	L32	1
61.Marla Ann Poauty	HAY	unr	L44	L15	L55	B--	1
62.Daniel Wilcox	JH	unr	L27	D53	U--	U--	0.5
63.Alyson Caldwell	PILC	unr	L54	L31	L39	L57	0

64.Joey Swets	JH	unr	L47	L18	L60	L59	0
65.Heath Westphal	CHANC	unr	L7	L16	F--	U--	0
66.Patrick Gross	ST.L	774	F--	U--	U--	U--	0

TEAM TOTALS

1.SIOUX FALLS HOME SCHOOL ASSOCIATION-14(Jordan Gerdes, Isaac Gerdes, Peter Glader, Jenna Haggard)(HS)

2.PIERRE INDIAN LEARNING CENTER-13(Faron Cheyenne, Duane Martin, Russell Bordeaux,Chantelle Blue Arm)(PILC)

3.MADISON-10.5(John Bergan, Jeremiah Johnson, Andrew Lindsay, Timothy Adams)(MAD)

4.ESTELLINE-10(EST)

5.SIOUX FALLS JOHN HARRIS-8(JH)

6.SIOUX FALLS HAYWARD-7.5(HAY)

7.CHILDRENS HOME SOCIETY-5.5(CHS)

8.SIOUX FALLS ALL CITY ELEMENTARY-5.5(ACE)

9.SIOUX FALLS ROBERT FROST-5(RF)

10.SIOUX FALLS HORACE MANN-4(HM)

11.SIOUX FALLS ST.MARY'S-3(ST.M)

12.SIOUX FALLS JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY-1(JFK)

13.CHANCELLOR ELEMENTARY-0(CHANC)

14.SIOUX FALLS ST.LAMBERT'S-0(ST.L)

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Michael Bergan"]

[Black "Mark Knudson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 Nc6 2. d4 d5 3. Nc3 dxe4 4. d5 Ne5 5. Qd4 Ng6 6. Bb5+ Bd7 7. Nge2 Bxb5 8. Nxb5 a6 9. Nbc3 f5 10.

Ng3 e5 11. Qc4 Qd7 12. O-O O-O-O 13. Na4 Kb8 14. Rd1 Ka8 15. Bg5 Be7 16. Bxe7 N8xe7 17. Nc5 Qxd5 18. Rxd5 Rxd5 19. Nxf5 Rhd8 20. Ne3 R5d6 21. h3 b5 22. Qxe4+ c6 23. c3 Ka7 24. a4 b4 25. Qxb4 Rb8 26. Qe4 Rxb2 27. Rb1 Rb8 28. Rxb8 Kxb8 29. Nf5 Rd1+ 30. Kh2 Nd5 31. c4 Ndf4 32. Qxc6 Rb1 33. Nd6 Ne7 34. Nxa6+ Ka7 35. Nc8+ Nxc8 36. Qxc8 Nd3 37. Qd7+ Kxa6 38. Qxd3 Rb7 39. c5+ Ka7 40. Qd5 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Ryan Daggitt"]

[Black "David Likens"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 d6 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. d4 exd4 5. Nxd4 c5 6. Bb5+ Bd7 7. Bxd7+ Qxd7 8. Nf5 Nxe4 9. Nxe4 Qxf5 10. Qe2 Qe6 11. f4 d5 12. f5 Qxe4 13. Qxe4+ dxe4 14. O-O c4 15. Re1 Bc5+ 16. Kh1 O-O 17. Rxe4 Nd7 18. Rxc4 Rfe8 19. Bf4 Bf2 20. g3 Rac8 21. Rxc8 Rxc8 22. Rf1 Rxc2 23. Rd1 Nf8 24. Rd8 Bc5 25. Rc8 b6 26. Bd6 Bxd6 27. Rxc2 g6 28. f6 Be5 29. b3 Bxf6 30. Rc7 a5 31. Rb7 Bd4 32. Rb8 Kg7 33. Kg2 Bc5 34. Kf3 Ne6 35. Ke4 Kf6 36. Kd5 Kg5 37. Rb7 Nd8 38. Rd7 Kg4 39. Rxd8 Kh3 40. Rd7 Kxh2 41. Rxf7 h5 42. Rf6 g5 43. Rg6 g4 44. Rg5 Kxg3 45. Rxh5 Kg2 46. Kc6 g3 47. Rxc5 bxc5 48. Kxc5 Kf3 49. Kb5 g2 50. Kxa5 g1=Q 51. b4 Qa7+ 52. Kb5 Ke3 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "3"]

[White "David Bergan"]

[Black "Ryan Daggitt"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Qxd5 3. Nc3 Qa5 4. Nf3 Nf6 5. d4 Bg4 6. Bd2 c6 7. Ne4 Qd8 8. Nxf6+ exf6 9. Be2 Bxf3 10. Bxf3 Qxd4 11. c3 Qe5+ 12. Be3 Bc5 13. O-O O-O 14. Bxc5 Qxc5 15. Be4 f5 16. Qh5 g6 17. Qg5 f6 18. Qf4 fxe4 19. Qxe4 Nd7 20. Qe6+ Rf7 21. Rad1 Rd8 22. Rd6 Qe5 23. Qxe5 fxe5 24. Re1 Re8 25. f4 Kf8 26. fxe5 Nxe5 27. b3 Nf3+ 28. gxf3 Rxe1+ 29. Kf2 Rfe7 30. Rf6+ Kg7 31. Rf4 R7e2+ 32. Kg3 Rg1+ 33. Kh3 g5 34. Rb4 Re3 35. Rxb7+ Kg6 36. Rf7 Kxf7 37. c4 Rxf3#{Black mates} 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "3"]

[White "David Likens"]

[Black "Michael Bergan"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 e6 2. e3 d5 3. f4 g6 4. Nc3 Bg7 5. Nf3 Nf6 6. Bd2 Bd7 7. Be2 Nc6 8. Ne5 a6 9. Bf3 Nxe5 10. fxe5 Ng8 11. Qe2 Ne7 12. e4 dxe4 13. Bxe4 Bc6 14. Bxc6+ Nxc6 15. O-O-O Nxd4 16. Qe4 Nc6 17. Bf4 Qe7 18. h4 h5 19. Kb1 Rd8 20. Bg5 Rxd1+ 21. Rxd1 f6 22. Qxg6+ Qf7 23. Qxf7+ Kxf7 24. Rd7+ Kg6 25. exf6 Bxf6 26. Bxf6 Kxf6 27. Ne4+ Kf5 28. Ng5 Rd8 29. Rf7+ Kg4 30. c3 Kxh4 31. Nxe6 Rg8 32. Nf4 Kg4 33. Ne2 Re8 34. Rg7+ Kh4 35. Nf4 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "3"]

[White "Mark Knudson"]

[Black "TJ Likens"]

[Result "1/2-1/2"]

1. e4 d6 2. Bc4 Nf6 3. d3 g6 4. f4 Bg7 5. Nf3 O-O 6. Nc3 e6 7. Bd2 d5 8. exd5 exd5 9. Bb3 a5 10. O-O c6 11. a4 Bf5 12. Ne2 c5 13. Ng3 Be6 14. Ng5 Bg4 15. Qc1 Nc6 16. h3 Bh5 17. f5 Nd4 18. Be3 Nxb3 19. cxb3 d4 20. Bd2 b6 21. Nxh5 Nxh5 22. Ne4 Nf6 23. Bh6 Nxe4 24. Bxg7 Kxg7 25. dxe4 f6 26. Qf4 Re8 27. Rae1 Re5 28. h4 Qe7 29. g4 Re8 30. h5 g5 31. Qh2 h6 32. Rf2 Rxe4 33. Rxe4 Qxe4 34. Qc7+ Re7 35. Qxb6 Qxg4+ 36. Rg2{Black mates on 36.... Re1+ 37.Kf2 Re2+ 38.K any Qxg2mate}36... Qf4 37. Qxa5 Qe3+ 38. Kh2 Qf4+ 39. Kg1 Qh4 40. Kf1 Qh1+ 41. Kf2 Kf7 42. Qd2 Qh4+ 43. Kf1{The game eventually ended with a triple repetition of position.}

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-High School"]

[Round "4"]

[White "TJ Likens"]

[Black "David Bergan"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. Nf3 Nf6 2. g3 d5 3. Bg2 Nc6 4. O-O e5 5. d3 Bc5 6. a3 e4

7. dxe4 Nxe4 8. b4 Bb6 9. Bb2 O-O 10. Nbd2 Re8 11. Nxe4 Rxe4

12. Qd3 Qd6 13. Ng5 Rg4 14. Qxh7+ Kf8 15. Qxg7+ Ke7 16. Qxf7+ Kd8 17. Qf6+ Ne7 18. Nf7+ Ke8 19. Nxd6+ cxd6 20. Qxd6 d4 21. Rad1 Nf5 22. Qe5+ Kf7 23. Bh3 Rg5 24. Qf4 Rh5 25. Bxf5 Rxf5 26. Qh6 Bd7 27. Bxd4 Bxd4 28. Rxd4 Rg8 29. Rxd7+ 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-Elementary"]

[Round "4"]

[White "John Bergan"]

[Black "Michael Elson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 d6 2. d4 Nf6 3. Nc3 g6 4. Nf3 Bg7 5. Bc4 O-O 6. O-O Bg4

7. Bf4 Bxf3 8. Qxf3 Nbd7 9. e5 dxe5 10. dxe5 Nh5 11. e6 fxe6

12. Bxe6+ Kh8 13. Nd5 Nxf4 14. Nxf4 Qe8 15. Nxc6+ Qxc6 16. Qd5 Ne5 17. Rae1 Qg5 18. Qxb7 Qh5 19.

Qxc7 Qg5 20. Qb7 Rab8 21. Qxa7 Nf3+ 22. Kh1 Nxe1 23. Rxe1 Qh5 24. b3 Rbd8 25. g4 Qg6 26. c4 Bc3 27. Re2 Rd1+ 28. Kg2 Bd4 29. Qxe7 Rxf2+ 30. Rxf2 Bxf2 31.Qf8+ Qg8 32. Qxg8#{White mates} 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-Elementary"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Jordan Gerdes"]

[Black "Patrick Diver"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 d6 3. Bc4 Nh6 4. O-O Qf6 5. g3 b6 6. Bd5 c6

7. Bc4 Bb7 8.d3 c5 9. Bg5 Qg6 10. Bb5+ Bc6 11. Nc3 Bxb5 12. Nxb5 f6 13. Bxh6 gxh6 14.Nc7+ Kd8 15. Nxa8 Nd7 16. Nh4 Qg8 17. Qd2 Qf7 18. c4 Rg8 19. Nf5 Qe6 20.Nxh6 Bxh6 21. Qxh6 Qf7 22. Qd2 h5

23. Qc2 Qg7 24. h4 Rh8 25. Qa4 Kc8 26.Qxa7 Qh6 27. Qc7#

{White mates} 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-Elementary"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Russell Bordeaux"]

[Black "Isaac Gerdes"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Bc4 Nc6 3. Qf3 Nh6 4. d3 Bc5 5. Bxh6 O-O 6. Bxf7+ Rxf7 7. Qh5 gxh6 8. Nf3 d6 9. O-O Bd4 10. Qxh6 Bxb2 11. Nc3 Bxa1 12. Rxa1 Nb4 13. d4 exd4 14. Nxd4 Qf6 15. Qe3 c5 16. Nf3 Nxc2

17. Qc1 Nxa1 18. Qxa1 Bg4 19. Nb5 Qxa1+ 20. Ne1 Qxe1#

{Black mates} 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-Junior High"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Joe Waters"]

[Black "Jonathan Stetler"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 d5 2. Nc3 Nf6 3. Nf3 e6 4. Bf4 Bd6 5. e3 Bxf4 6. exf4 O-O 7. Qd2 Nc6 8. O-O-O Ne4 9. Qd3 Nxf2 10. Be2 Nxd3+ 11. Bxd3 Qd6 12. Nb5 Qxf4+ 13. Nd2 a6 14. Nc3 Qxd4 15. Ne2 Qa4 16. b3 Qxa2 17. c3 Rd8 18. Bb1 Qa3+ 19. Kc2 d4 20. Nc4 d3+ 21. Rxd3 Qa1 22. Nf4 Rxd3 23. Nxd3 b5 24. Ne3 Ne7 25. c4 Bb7 26. c5 Nd5 27. Nd1 Nf6 28. Nc3 Be4 29. Rd1 b4 30. Na4 Bxd3+ 31. Rxd3 e5 32. Nb6 e4 33. Nxa8 exd3+ 34. Kxd3 Qxb1+ 35. Kc4 c6 36. Nc7 Qc2+ 37. Kxb4 Qxg2 38. Nxa6 Nd5+ 39. Kc4 Qxh2 40. b4 Qh4+ 41. Kb3 Nxb4 42. Nxb4 Qf6 43. Nd3 Qd4 44. Kc2 h5 45. Kd2 h4 46. Ke2 h3 47. Kd2 h2 48. Kc2 h1=Q 49. Kd2 Qh2+ 50. Kd1 Qxd3+ 51. Ke1 Qhe2#

{Black mates} 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Scholastic-Junior High"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Andrew Ellsworth"]

[Black "Brandon Smith"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. f4 d6 3. Nf3 Bg4 4. Bc4 c6 5. O-O b5 6. Bb3 exf4

7. d3 g5 8. Qd2 Bg7 9. Qb4 a5 10. Qa3 b4 11. Qa4 Qb6+ 12. Kh1 Qb5 13. Qxb5 cxb5 14. Nxc5 Ra7 15. Rxf4 Be6 16. Bxe6 fxe6 17. Nxe6 Re7 18. Rg4 Rxe6 19. Rxg7 Rf6 20. Kg1 Nc6 21. Bg5 Nd4 22. Bxf6 Nxf6 23. Nd2 Nh5 24. Rg5 Rf8 25. Rxh5 Ne2+ 26. Kh1 Rf2 27. Nf1 Nf4

28. Rf5 h5 29. g3 Nh3 30. Rxf2 Nxf2+ 31. Kg2 Ng4 32. Re1 a4 33. e5 dxe5 34. d4 Kd7 35. dxe5 Ke6 36. Re4 Kf5 37. Ne3+ Kxe4 38. Nxc5 hxc5 39. e6 b3 40. cxb3 axb3 41. axb3 Kd4 42. e7 Kd3 43. e8=Q Kc2 44. Qb8 Kxb2 45. Qxb5 Ka2 46. Qb4 Kb2 47. Qxc4 Ka3 48. Qa4+ Kb2 49. b4 Kc3 50. b5 1-0

TOP 25 SD JUNIORS

1: 1529 SD KNUDSON, MARK D

2: 1490 SD BERGAN, MICHAEL J

3: 1399 SD BERGAN, DAVID A J

4: 1382/04 SD MARMORSTEIN, ROBERT

5: 1350/17 SD FUNES, DAVID

6: 1319 SD LIKENS, TERRY DEAN

7: 1253 SD LIKENS,DAVID A
8: 1227 SD BERGAN,JOHN T
9: 1168/14 SD EDWARDS,NATHAN L
10: 1166 SD EVERHART,DAVID N
11: 1163/13 SD ANDERSON,RYAN J
12: 1126 SD DAGGITT,RYAN R
13: 1099/04 SD JAMES,ROBERT T
14: 1095 SD RANDALL,NICHOLAS ROSS
15: 1094/04 SD WHEELER,TODD J
16: 1088 SD AMERT,TONY K
17: 1084 SD DAUCSAVAGE,WESLEY
18: 1081 SD JORDAHL,MATT V
19: 1078 SD HENDRICKSON,DANIEL
20: 1065 SD HAVLIK,MATTHEW R
21: 1057 SD CAHILL,STEVE E
22: 1054/05 SD SHRADER,JOHN M
23: 1038/18 SD NOSSOV,ILIA
24: 1037/08 SD TOMEK,GERRY L
25: 1027/09 SD DRAPEAU,SHANE
25: 1027 SD ELLSWORTH,ANDREW

SDCA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA OPEN

MAY 2-3,1998

TIME CONTROLS: 40/90,1/SD

4 Round Swiss-System Tournament

Registration:8:00-8:45 am,May 2,1998

ROUNDS:9:00am-2:30pm SATURDAY MAY 2,1998

9:00am-2:30pm SUNDAY,MAY 3,1998

LOCATION: WEST RIVER ELECTRIC ASSN.3250 HWY.44 EAST,RAPID CITY,SD

ENTRY FEE: \$20 if received by April 30,1998;\$25 at site

SDCA membership Required \$10 adults,\$6 juniors.Other states OK

PRIZES:\$400(based on 20 total players in all sections)

OPEN:1ST PLACE \$125

2ND PLACE \$50

UNDER 1800 \$50

RESERVE:1ST \$75

1ST D AND BELOW \$50

1ST UNR \$50

SEND ENTRIES TO:TERRY LIKENS,PO BOX 1053,RAPID CITY,SD 57709

SOUTH DAKOTA TEAM TOURNAMENT

JUNE 13-14,1998

TIME CONTROLS: 40/90,60/SD

5 Round Team Tournament

ROUNDS:9-2-7,SATURDAY,JUNE 13,1998

9-2,SUNDAY,JUNE 14,1998

LOCATION: RADISSION CEDAR SHORES RESORT, MISSOURI WIND I-90 EXIT 260

OACOMA, SD

ENTRY FEE: \$40 PER TEAM \$10 PERPERSON

SDCA REQUIRED \$10 ADULTS; \$6 JR.

PRIZES: 1ST TEAM

1ST BOARD

2ND BOARD

3RD BOARD

4TH BOARD

SDCA MEETING: Sunday, June 14,1998 at 8:00 am

SEND ENTRIES TO TERRY LIKENS,PO BOX 1053,RAPID CITY,SD 57709

Radison Cedar Shores \$79 per room per night if reserved one month in advance and chess is mentioned.(605)
734-6376

THINK SUMMER CHESS LUCK OF THE DRAW

SUNDAY JULY 12,1998 Sherman Park-SE Picnic Shelter 22nd and Kiwanis Ave., Sioux Falls, SD

Registration: 1:30pm-2:00pm/Full Rated

Entry Fee:\$5-This includes a picnic lunch

Two Rounds-We will divide into sections based on rating. Then draw lots for opponent and color of pieces within our section.

Note: The drawings may be structured slightly so that the players that came together or from the same family do no

play each other.

Time Control: 30/90

Info advance entries: Ralph Bailey, HCR 69,Box 54,Chamberlain,SD 57325

An old fashioned slow play, Sunday afternoon chess games.

No rush for the next game, no rush to make time control.

SOUTH DAKOTA CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIP

JULY 25-25,1998

TIME CONTROLS: 40/90,1/SD

5 Round Swiss-System Tournament

Registration:8:00-8:45 am, July 25,1998

ROUNDS:9-2-7 SATURDAY July 25,1998

9-2 SUNDAY, July 26,1998

LOCATION: PIERRE CHAMBER OF

COMMERCE 800 W.DAKOTA PIERRE, SD

(First right after bridge (Dakota) then 2 more blocks on left)

ENTRY FEE: \$20 if received by July 23,1998 \$25 at site

SDCA membership required \$10 adults, \$6 juniors. Other states OK

PRIZES:\$400(based on 20)

1ST PLACE \$125 + SOUTH DAKOTA CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

2ND PLACE \$75

1ST B:\$50

1ST C:\$50

1ST D/E:\$50

1ST UNR:\$50

JUNIOR SECTION:1ST SOUTH DAKOTA CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

Entry fee:\$4.00

SDCA membership required \$6 juniors

Juniors can play in Closed for an additional \$5.00

and can request one-point byes for Rounds 1 and 2

TIME CONTROLS: 60/GAME

5 Round Swiss-System Tournament

Registration:8:00-8:45 am, July 25,1998

ROUNDS:9:30-11:30-1:30-3:30 SATURDAY July 25,1998

SEND ENTRIES TO: SIGURD RYDLAND,108 N.JOHNSON AVE.,PIERRE,SD 57501. Home
(605)224-6577. Office 605/773-3586

ATTENTION:

All South Dakota Chess players that plan on attending the Closed; There are 10 rooms reserved at the Kings Inn in Pierre. These rooms are reserved until July 12 for chess players. After that date they will be sold to others. Tell them that you are playing in the chess tournament and get a discount. King's Inn is located at 220 Pierre St., right across from the Post Office

King's Inn-(605)224-5951

GOVERNOR'S CUP SCHOLASTIC CHESS TOURNAMENT

Saturday, September 12,1998
Sioux Falls Convention Center,1201 N. West Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57105

Open to All Students High School and Below

REGISTRATION: 7:30 am to 8:30 am

It will be a 4 round tournament

Rounds at 9:00 am,11:30 am,2:00pm,4:30 pm

Time Control: Game in 60 minutes.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 per player until September 5

\$10.00 after September 5

USCF Membership Required:

\$7.00 for 1st time players,14 years old and below

\$14.00 for renewing players,14 years old and below

\$17.00 for those 15-19 years old

\$35.00 for those over 19 years old

Sections: Primary(K-3),Elementary(4-6),Middle School(Junior High)(7-9) and High School(10-12)

Prizes: Trophies to top five players in each section.

ALL PARTICIPANTS WHO HAVE CHESS SETS AND CHESS CLOCKS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING THEM.

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ADVANCE ENTRIES Pre-registering will help save time on Saturday morning.

Your entry list should include entrant's name, home address,

birthdate grade, and USCF I.D. number and rating, or

if non-member of USCF, approximate strength and experience.

Send list along with entry fees to:

Sioux Empire Chess Foundation

2100 Slaten Ct.

Sioux Falls, SD 57103

Home:(605)338-9431 e-mail:knudson@dakota.net

Name_____

Address_____

USCF ID No._____ Section_____ Birthdate_____

Rating_____ Grade_____

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