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The SDCA season is now behind us. We had some mixed results. There were reduced numbers at the Sioux Falls Open, Western South Dakota Open, and South Dakota Closed. We had increased numbers at the Teams. Only Steve Norquist played in all SDCA events. He finished 3rd at the Sioux Falls Open, tied for 1st at the Western won the 1st Board prize playing for second place team USD, and tied for second at the Closed.

Steve Norquist and Steve Schaffer took 1st at the Western South Dakota Open, which attracted only ten players. Thirty-four players and eight teams played at the South Dakota Teams. Cinnamon's Handlers, a team consisting of Jeff Barth, Harry Overholtzer, Wes Schmidt, Ralph Bailey, Martin Waldner and Dave Knudson, took first place team with only a tie with the Likens teams marring their record. Cinnamon's Handlers featured six players, so some players had to alternate. The team was named after De Knudson's dog which attended the tournament and also owed its inspiration to Curtis Carroll's column on his old team " TJ's Trainers". Cinnamon was no problem to handle. Jeff Barth was visiting his brother in San Diego and did not arrive until Saturday evening. Harry Overholtzer showed up at the site and requested the opportunity to play in the Teams. As a result no player from Cinnamon's Handlers played in no more than four games and four played in only three games. Vermillion played Cinnamon's Handlers on Sunday morning with the tournament on the line. Cinnamon's Handlers played its top rated lineup and obtained an advantage when

Tim Paintner made an illegal move against Harry Overholtzer with his king in check and had to interpose his queen to block a check with the bishop. Steve Norquist decided that since Dennis Amerine was down a queen for a rook and minor piece and Mark Derby was down the exchange that the best they could obtain was 2.5-1.5 loss. This gave USD the opportunity to win on tie break if Cinnamon's Handlers faltered in the last round against the Other Team. However, Cinnamon's Handlers was able to win the last round. Jeff Barth won decisively against Marty LaRoche, while Martin Waldner outplayed Steve Schaffer in an even endgame. Harry Overholtzer provided the winning margin by drawing Dan Schmidt in a locked position which is typical of the games between the two which have all been draws. Vermillion won most of the board prizes: 1st Board Steve Norquist, 3rd Board Mark Derby and 4th Board Dennis Amerine. Jerry Bergan of the Putz Busters won the second board prize. The Teams has had eight teams before but thirty four players is probably a record. The Teams now reflects the true state of South Dakota Chess. There were no super teams like the Rapid City Teams of the late 80's and the Augustana teams of the early 80's. We had a scholastic team, a Springfield Academy team, a team consisting of Madison, Brookings and Watertown players, and a Likens team. Pierre which had lost Curtis Carroll who led them to victory the past two years still finished 3-2 and tied for 3rd place with the Putz Busters.

Twenty-three players played in the Close including nine of ten players from the Junior. Lyle Hanson won his second closed finishing 4.5-0.5 one half points ahead of Steve Norquist and Arlo Mann. Mark Knudson won the South Dakota Junior with 4-0 score. The South Dakota Junior featured three players with ratings of 1400 or better and Dustin Krell at 998 had the lowest rating and he is now 1164. It is clear that South Dakota chess is improving from the bottom up.

This summer we ran a scholastic chess club at the Sioux Falls Ronning Library. Sixty-seven players played in seven rated tournaments. The Sioux Empire Chess Club donated memberships to first time scholastics at all of these tournaments and at Watertown tournament. Jud Bergan has expanded his Eastern South Dakota Chess Empire running a scholastic tournament at Watertown, in addition to his Madison chess club and his work with the Estelline chess club. He will be running another big money tournament in October.

Summer now gives way to the Governor's Cup season. The Sioux Empire Chess Foundation is bringing World Junior Champion Tal Shaked to play fifty of the best scholastic players in South Dakota. Numerous grandmasters including Joel Benjamin will be visiting Sioux Falls schools. If you would like a grandmaster to visit your school let us know as soon as possible. Sioux Falls Home School Association will meet with a grandmaster at a local library and Pierre Indian Learning Center may come in prior to Governor's Cup Scholastic to take advantage of this rare opportunity to learn from a grandmaster. The Governor's Cup promises to be bigger and better than ever with more Grandmasters, eighty grand prix points, \$500 in upset prizes more money for masters and expanded scholastic prizes. Sign up early to avoid the rush

Congratulations to Mark Knudson who finished 169th at the U.S.Open in Hawaii with 4.5 points including wins over 1853, 1832, and 1669 players and draws with 1921, 1912, and 1837 players. David Knudson finished with 2 points. Judit Polgar and Boris Gulko tied for 1st with 8 points.

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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Plans for the Governor's Cup Chess Tournament are going well. Right now nine other states have nominated state representatives and nine titled players have agreed to come. Our newest "catch" is Joel Benjamin! Please send in your entry fee as soon as possible and try to persuade a couple of your chess friends to join you. It would be wonderful if we could double the number of entrants this year. David Kerkhove is working on a mailing to 800 former SD chess players telling them about the wonderful chess opportunities that now

exist for them and encouraging them to play in the Governor's Cup. The last issue of Sports Report and Chess Life contained good articles about our event.

Congratulations is extended to Lyle Hanson for winning the State Closed Tournament in Pierre on July 25-26. We will be proud to have Lyle represent South Dakota at the Governor's Cup. Steve Norquist and Arlo Mann tied for second. "My" Mark Knudson won the SD Junior Championship for the fifth time just a few hours after my other son gave me his fortune cookie: A member of your family will soon do something that will make you proud. I'm going to read those fortunes more carefully from now on! David Funes won 2nd in the scholastic event, and Steve Cahill placed third. Both Funes and Cahill are making great progress with their chess games.

Wes Schmidt and Jack Bier have been running a scholastic chess club every Friday afternoon all summer at the Ronning Library. Each week approximately 30 students attend including a wonderful number of home schoolers. The Sioux Empire Chess Foundation is providing free USCF memberships to any students who compete in the Friday events. This offer is good through the end of August.

Again this year the Sioux Empire Chess Foundation is hosting two clinics on August 13 and 14 at the Ronning Library. The Thursday night clinic is intended for stronger players, and the all-day Friday clinic will be geared toward scholastic players. Wes Schmidt's brother, Loren, from Washington will conduct the clinics. Besides being an excellent chess player, Master Schmidt is also a very good teacher. We are fortunate to have him back with us.

Jack Bier is also working with chess students at Hayward Elementary, John F. Kennedy Elementary, and Anne Sullivan. Thanks, Jack, for all your efforts! Mark Knudson and I met with students at John Harris Elementary seven weeks this summer and have been pleased with their level of enthusiasm.

The rematch with Madison is scheduled for August 22. I have been threatening Jud Bergan that I am trying to recruit some Bosnians to strengthen our high school performance, but he doesn't seem very nervous, unfortunately. Just the other day he reminded me that he was working on a Chinese connection--the highest rated student in Mississippi who is moving to Madison soon. I should call that family's moving van company and try to delay their arrival!!

The Sioux Empire Chess Club is now listed #25 for new members. It's great to see us continue to climb toward the top of that chart.

At the end of May, David Kerkhove, Mark Knudson, and I met with the entire staff of the Parks and Recreation summer staff and taught them how to play chess. When we finished our presentations, we left some chess boards and sets for their summer programs.

Mid-summer I enjoyed sharing some boards and sets with some refugee children involved in Lutheran Social Service's summer program and also with some refugee children at the Multicultural Center. David Kerkhove and I will return to the Multicultural Center soon to promote more chess with them.

Finally, I would like to remind all of you to mark the National High School Championship on your calendar and plan to volunteer as much as possible. That prestigious event will be held in Sioux Falls April 8-11, 1999. A blitz event will be held that Thursday evening and bughouse will be played on April 9 before the actual 7-round tournament begins. Regular planning meetings will be scheduled after the Governor's Cup is completed.

If I ever find enough time, I'm going to take up this game!

DE KNUDSON

President, SDCA

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1998 SDCA Annual Meeting Minutes

SDCA President, De Knudson brought the meeting to order shortly after am on Sunday, June 14, 1998. De asked for reports from committees.

Jud Bergan related his experiences with establishing a scholastic chess league. He said that he has had the most success with one day tournaments with four or five rounds. The tournaments run from am to 3:30pm and involve 2 hours or less travel time.

De shared information about the Black Hills towns of Spearfish and Rapid City looking at putting in a bid for the US Championships in 1999. (Note: Information received the week after the meeting indicated that it was decided that the bid will not be put in.) Terry Likens reported that the SDCA checking account has approximately \$600 and there is over \$1000 in savings.

Election of officers was completed with all officers running un-opposed. De Knudson and Jud Bergan will continue as the SDCA President and Vice-President respectively. Jill Likens will replace her husband Terry as Secretary Treasurer. Jeff Barth was elected the Sioux Falls coordinator after Harry Overholtzer explained that he will be busy on Saturdays. Terry Likens, Sr. will be the new Rapid City Coordinator. Jerry Bergan will represent the "Rest of the State" as their new coordinator.

With elections completed, De asked for new business. Wes Schmidt had several motions. The first motion was to give David Likens \$200 to go toward expenses for his trip to Hawaii and the Arnold Denker tournament of Champions. Wes also had a motion to modify the by-law verbiage about who will be the representative for the Arnold Denker tournament to "the highest finisher meeting eligibility requirements". Both of these motions were seconded and passed.

Wes went on to motion that the by-laws be changed to state that the SDCA president needs to certify/define home school teams in our state for competition purposes. This motion was seconded and passed. There was also a motion to change the by-laws to indicate that the scholastic tournament will be split to include a K-3 section next year. Discussion included a suggestion to modify the motion to state that there would be "other sections at the discretion of the tournament director." This motion was also seconded and the modified version was passed.

Lyle Hanson made a motion that the Closed title be determined the same weekend when there is a tie instead of having a playoff later. He suggested a round robin Game-15 tournament to determine the title. Mark Derby motioned to amend the motion to include all state titles. This met some opposition and after much discussion the motion returned to Lyle's original motion. The motion to determine the State Champion with a Game-15 round robin tournament with players that tie in the Closed championship the same weekend as the tournament passed with some opposition.

SUBMITTED BY
JILL WAY LIKENS,
SECRETARY-TREASURER,
SDCA

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CLUB NEWS

SIOUX EMPIRE CHESS CLUB meets at Gilbert Science Center, Room 207, Augustana College, 33rd and Summit, Sioux Falls, SD on Thursdays from 7-10:30 pm. Seven rated tournaments were held at the summer chess club at Ronning Library. Ryan Daggitt, Casey Swanson, Dustin Krell, Ilia Nossov and Isaac Gerdes all won sections in June 5 tournament based on grade level. Daniel Haggar, Dustin Krell, Heather Haggar, Kevin Caraway, Anthony Vicino and Matt Hardy all won quads on June 12. As a three person team tournament was held on June 26. The teams of Isaac Gerdes, Ilia Nossov and Anthony Vicino and Jordan Gerdes, Scott Wrotenbery and Matt Hardy tied for first. A two game match was held between the Sioux Falls Home School Association and the rest of Sioux Falls on July 10. The non-Home Schoolers won the match 2 ½-5 ½

Three more tournament were held at the Ronning Library in July. Steve Cahill, Daniel Haggard, Kevin Caraway, Anthony Vicino, Kurt Shrader and Taryn Gerdes all finished with perfect scores in the Ronning Challenge on July 17. Mark Knudson won the Ronning Quick on July 24 with a perfect 4-0 score. Ryan Daggitt and Anthony Vicino finished with 3.5 points. The Ronning Championship was held on July 31 in four divisions. Steve Cahill won the 10-12 division. Ilia Nossov won the 7-9 division. Isaac Gerdes won the 4-6 division while Sam Waters won K-3 division. Dustin Krell won the Ronning Speed Tournament while Ilia Nossov and Anthony Vicino won the bughouse tournament.

Contact Wes Schmidt (605)339-2248 or visit our website at <http://www.usd.edu/~chess/sdca/sofu.htm>

PIERRE CHESS CLUB meets at the Capital Building, Room 462, Pierre, SD, Thursday at 7:00pm. Contact Bob Wallace, PO Box 416, Pierre, SD 57501 or Alan Kingsley 605/945-1709 E-mail AIBong201@aol.com. The Pierre Spring Gambit was won by Robert Wallace with 6 points, followed by Sigurd Rydland with 2.5 points, Larry Cass with 2.0 points and Alan Kinglsey with 1.5 points. Brookings Chess Club Contact Bruce Brandt work 605/688-4058 home 605/692-4770 E-mail: brandtb@sdsu.edu or Bill Marsh home 605/692-4770.

Madison Chess Club meets at Mundt Library Foundation. Contact Jud Bergan 605/256-6781 Email: berganj@hcupd.com

Rapid City Chess Club meets at Interstate Hardees meeting room, 2250 Haines Ave., Rapid City, SD Thursdays at 7pm. Contact Terry Likens 605/348-1015 E-mail: sdchess @rapidnet.com.

Terry Dean Likens and Dan Schmidt tied for the Rapid City Championship. Here is a game from the championship.

White: T.J. Likens
Black: Terry Likens
Date: 6/1/98

1. Nf3 d5
2. g3 c5
3. Bg2 Nc6
4. O-O Bf5
5. d3 Nf6
6. N1d2 e5
7. Nh4 Be6
8. c4 d4
9. Qa4 Qc7
10. Ne4 O-O-O
11. Bg5 Be7
12. Nxf6 gxf6
13. Bd2 f5
14. Nf3 Rhg8
15. a3 a5
16. Qb5 e4
17. Ne1 Bd6
18. dxe4 f4
19. Nf3 fxe3
20. hxe3 Rg4
21. e5 Nxe5
22. Nxe5 Bxe5

23. Bxa5 Qb8
24. Bxd8 Kxd8
25. Qxc5 Bd6
26. Qb6+ Bc7
27. Qb4 h5
28. f3 Rxc3
29. Rad1 Kc8
30. Rxd4 Qa7
31. Qc3 Be5
32. c5 h4
33. R1d1 h3
34. Rd8+ resign

Vermillion The University of South Dakota Chess Club meets at USD Coyote Student Center, Cherry St., Vermillion, SD .Sundays at 7 pm. Contact Mark Hansen 605/624-3503 or Mark Derby 605/624-7823 or E-mail at mderby@sunflowr.usd.edu

Watertown The Watertown Chess Club meets every Thursday at 7:00pm at the Pizza Ranch. All ages and playing strengths are welcome.

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Western South Dakota Open

The Western South Dakota Open 1998 ended with upsets. Round One eight players showed up so Jill went home. A little before 10 a.m. Tim Schaeffer showed up his motel forgot to give him his wake up call. I called Jill so the two C players then played. Steve Norquist won against Calvin Wipf, Steve Schaffer won against David Likens, Dan Merchant upset Terry Likens, and T.J. Likens held Tim Voight to a draw.

Round Two T.J. set a trap that Cavlin fell into costing him the major exchange(Q for R) giving T.J. the win. David won a Rook sofast against Tim I did not have time look at the game. The Steves won against Jill and Dan. Terry kept pressure on Tim and won the game. Tim Voigt decide he could not gain any rating points so he withdrew. Jill was willing to withdraw to keep numbers even.

Round Three: Steve could not defeat Steve so it was a draw. T.J. and Dan also was drawn .Due to no Likens Vs Likens pairings Terry defeated Tim while Calvin won against Dave.

Round Four: Terry lost to Steve Norquist and T.J. could do no better against Steve Scaffier. Dave Lost to Dan completing a sweep of the Likens. Calvin defeated Tim. Stephen Norquist and Steven Schaffer shared first each getting \$70. Dan Merchant won the under 1800 prize of \$40 and T.J. Likens won the under 1400 prize \$40. The tournament as it turned out resulted in combining of the sections. Next year the tournament will try to avoid the Wyoming Open

White: Steve Norquist

Black: Steve Schaffer

Place: Rapid City, S.D.

Event: Western South Dakota Open

Date: 5/3/98

1. Nf3 g6 2. d4 d6 3. c4 Bg7 4. e4 Nf6 5. Nc3 c5 6. dxc5 Qa5 7. Bd2 Qxc5 8. Be2 Bd7 9. O-O O-O 10. b4 Qc8 11. Rc1 Qd8 12. e5 dxe5 13. Nxe5 Be6 14. Bf4 Qxd1 15. Rfxd1 N8d7 16. Nxd7 Nxd7 17. Nd5 Rae8 18.

Nc7 Nb6 19. Nxe8 Rxe8 20. Bc7 Na4 21. Rd8 Rxd8 22. Bxd8 Nc3 23. Rc2 Bf5 24. Rxc3 Bxc3 25. Bxe7 f6 26. Bf3 Kf7 27. Bc5 b6 28. Bd5+ Be6 29. Bd6 Bxd5 30. cxd5 Be5 31. Bxe5 fxe5 32. Kf1 Ke7 33. Ke2 Kd6 34. Kd3 Kxd5 35. f3 g5 36. g3 b5 37. h3 h5 38. h4 gxh4 39. gxh4 a6 40. a3 Kd6 41. Ke3 Ke7 42. Ke4 Ke6 43. Kd3 Kf5 44. Ke3 Kf6 45. Kf2 Kf5 46. Ke3 Kf6 47. Kd3 Kf5 48. Ke3 ...;Game over: Draw by 3-fold repetition.

White: Dan Merchant

Black: Terry Dean Likens

Place: Rapid City, S.D.

Event: Western South Dakota Open

Date: 5/2/1998

1. d4 f5 2. c4 Nf6 3. Nc3 g6 4. Bg5 Bg7 5. Nf3 O-O 6. e3 d6 7. b4 N8d7 8. Rc1 h6 9. Bxf6 Nxf6 10. Bd3 a5 11. b5 c5 12. bxc6ep bxc6 13. c5 d5 14. Ne5 Qc7 15. Nxc6 Re8 16. Nf4 e5 17. dxe5 Qxe5 18. O-O d4 19. Bc4+ Kh7 20. Qxd4 Qxd4 21. exd4 Ne4 22. Nxe4 Rxe4 23. g3 Bxd4 24. Rfe1 Kg7 25. Rxe4 fxe4 26. Re1 e3 27. fxe3 Bxc5 28. Kg2 Rb8 29. Re2 Kf6 30. e4 Bg4 31. e5+ Ke7 32. Re4 Rb1 33. Ng6+ Ke8 34. Rxc4 Rg1+ 35. Kh3 Re1 36. e6 a4 37. Nf4 Be7 38. Rg8+ Bf8 39. Ng6 Black resigned.

White: T.J. Likens

Black: Calvin Wipf

Place: Rapid City, SD

Event: Western South Dakota Open

Date: 5/2/98

1. Nf3 Nf6 2. g3 g6 3. Bg2 Bg7 4. O-O O-O 5. d3 d6 6. N1d2 c5 7. c4 Nc6 8. Ng5 Qc7 9. N2e4 Ng4 10. h3 N4e5 11. Nf3 Nxf3+ 12. exf3 Nd4 13. Rb1 Bd7 14. Be3 Bc6 15. b3 b6 16. b4 Rab8 17. b5 Bd7 18. Rc1 Qc8 19. Kh2 a6 20. a4 axb5 21. axb5 Ra8 22. Nc3 Be6 23. f4 Ra3 24. Nd5 Bxd5 25. Bxd5 Qd7 26. Bxd4 Bxd4 27. Bc6 Qa7 28. Qe2 Ra2 29. Rc2 Rxc2 30. Qxc2 Rc8 31. Re1 Rc7 32. Qb3 Bxf2 33. Re2 Bd4 34. Ra2 Qb8 35. Ra8 Qxa8 36. Bxa8 Ra7 37. Bc6 Ra1 38. Qc2 Rf1 39. Bg2 Ra1 40. Qe2 Kf8 41. h4 f6 42. Qe4 Black resigned.

White: Tim Schaeffer

Black: David Likens

Place: Rapid City, S.D.

Event: Western South Dakota Open

Date: 5/3/98

1. d4 d5 2. c4 dxc4 3. e4 b5 4. a4 Bd7 5. axb5 Bxb5 6. Nc3 c6 7. Nf3 e6 8. g3 Bb4 9. Bg2 Nf6 10. Nd2 Qxd4 11. O-O Bxc3 12. bxc3 Qxc3 13. e5 Qxa1 White resigned

1998 WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA OPEN

NAME	RATING	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	TOTAL
1.Steve	2017	W5	W7	D2	W4	3.5

Norquist						
2.Steve Schaffer	1759	W8	W3	D1	W6	3.5
3.Dan Merchant	1114	W4	L2	D6	W8	2.5
4..Terry Likens	1874	L3	W9	W10	L1	2.0
5..Calvin Wipf	1745	L1	L6	W8	W10	2.0
6.TJ Likens	1319	D9	W5	D3	L2	2.0
7.Jill Likens	1491	W10	L1	U--	U--	1.0
8.David Likens	1253	L2	W10	L5	L3	1.0
9.Timothy Voigt	1864	D6	L4	U--	U--	0.5
10..Tim Schaffer	1416	L7	L8	L4	L5	0.0

1998 SOUTH DAKOTA TEAMS

NAME	RATING	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	RD5	TOT
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1.CINNAMON'S HANDLERS	1722	D6	W7	W3	W2	W4	4.5
Jeff Barth	1902	---	---	W	D	W	2.5
Harry Overholtzer	1859	---	---	L	W	D	1.5
Wes Schmidt	1736	D	W	---	D	---	2.0
Ralph Bailey	1652	D	W	W	D	---	3.0
Martin Waldner	1463	W	W	W	---	W	4.0
Dave Knudson	1105	L	W	---	---	L	1.0
2.USD	1600	W3	W4	W5	L1	W8	4.0
Steve Norquist	1994	W	W	D	D	W	4.0
Tim Paintner	1576	L	D	W	L	W	2.5
Mark Derby	1567	W	W	D	D	W	4.0
Dennis Amerine	1294	W	W	W	D	W	4.5
3.PUTZ BUSTERS	1587	L2	W6	L1	W8	W7	3.0

Lyle Hanson	1964	L	W	L	W	W	3.0
Jerry Bergan	1557	W	W	W	W	D	4.5
Jud Bergan	1509	L	W	L	W	W	3.0
Ross Abraham	1337	L	W	L	W	L	2.0
4.OTHER	1650	W5	L2	W7	D6	L1	2.5.
Marty LaRoche	1880	W	L	D	W	L	2.5
Dan Schmidt	1849	W	D	W	W	D	4.0
Steve Schaffer	1776	W	L	W	L	L	2.0
Dan Merchant	1393	L	L	L	L	W	1.0
5. PIERRE	1544	L4	W8	L2	W7	W6	3.0
Bob Wallace	1754	L	W	D	D	D	2.5
Reuben Bezpaletz	1713	L	W	L	D	W	2.5
Sigurd Rydland	1418	L	W	D	W	L	2.5

Alan Kingsley	1272	W	W	L	W	W	4.0
6.LIKENS	1504	D1	L3	W8	D4	L5	2.0
Terry Dean Likens Sr.	1850	D	L	W	L	D	2.0
Jill Likens	1499	D	L	W	L	L	1.5
TJ Likens	1352	L	L	W	W	W	3.0
David Likens	1301	W	L	W	W	L	2.0
7. MAD CHESS	1341	W8	L1	L4	L5	L3	1.0
Mark Knudson	1486	W	L	D	D	L	2.0
Michael Bergan	1502	W	L	L	D	D	2.0
David Bergan	1351	W	L	L	L	L	1.0
Steve Cahill	1206	W	L	W	L	W	3.0
8. SPRINGFIELD ACADEMY	UNR	L7	L5	L6	L3	L2	0.0
Robert E. Campbell	unr	L	L	L	L	L	0.0

Peter McGee	unr	L	L	L	L	L	0.0
Julio Ramirez	unr	L	L	L	L	L	0.0
Brandon Wickman	unr	L	L	L	L	L	0.0

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LUCK OF THE DRAW

It was picnic time. It was Chess Time. It was the 1998 Luck of the Draw, at Sherman Park in Sioux Falls (to steal an opening from Charles Dickens).

The afternoon belonged to Jack Bier, Ryan Daggitt, and Dustin Krell. Each was a double winner.

Congratulations to these players.

There was an interesting type exchange that was even but different. Most games like that end up with wild play and a won/lost type decision. Pat and Robert both played solid and it ended a hard fought draw.

Our game of the Tournament Award goes to Daniel Hagggar and Steve Cahill. Their game featured the slight edge and initiative going from one player to the other several times. Both went into the end game with passed pawns. We were treated to a constant shuffle of offense and defense by both players, as the endgame unfolded. Congratulations to Daniel and Steve on the game of the tournament. -Report by Ralph Bailey

[Event "Luck of the Draw"]

[Site "Sioux Falls"]

[Date "1998.07.12"]

[Round "2"]

[White "Steve Cahill"]

[Black "Daniel Hagggar"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 d5 2. e4 Nf6 3. Nc3 Bg4 4. f3 Bh5 5. Be3 dxe4 6. Bc4 Nc6 7. a3 e5 8.d5 Ne7 9. Nb5 Nf5 10. Bd2 a6 11. Nc3 Bc5 12. Qe2 Nd4 13. Qd1 Bg6 14. fxe4 Nxe4 15. Nxe4 Bxe4 16. Qg4 Bxd5 17. Qxg7 Kd7 18. Bxd5 Nxc2+ 19. Kd1 Nxa1 20. Qxf7+ Kc8 21. Bg5 Qd7 22. Qxd7+ Kxd7 23. Kd2 Rad8 24. Bxd8 Rxd8 25. Kc1 Ke7 26. Bxb7 Nb3+ 27. Kc2 Nd4+ 28. Kc3 Ne6 29. Bxa6 Rd1 30. a4 Bxg1 31. Kc2 Ra1 32. b3 Ng5 33. Kd3 Ne6 34. Kc2 Ng5 35. Bc4 Ne4 36. Bb5 Nf2 37. Rxg1 Rxg1 38. a5 e4 39. a6 Ra1 40. b4 Re1 41. Kb2 Rd1 42. Kc2 Rd8 43. Be2 e3 44.Bf3 c6 45. b5 cxb5 46. a7 Ne4 47. a8=Q Rxa8 48. Bxe4 e2 49. Kd2 Ra2+ 50.Ke1 Ke6 51. Bd3 b4 52. Bxe2 Kd5 53. Bf3+0-1

[Event "Luck of the Draw"]

[Site "Sioux Falls"]

[Date "1998.07.12"]

[Round "1"]

[White "Patrick Steele"]

[Black "Robert Daggitt"]

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

1. Nf3 Nc6 2. g3 e5 3. Bg2 Nf6 4. O-O d6 5. d3 Be6 6. Nbd2 Qd7 7. Re1 Be7 8. e4 Bg4 9. Nf1 Nd4 10. Ne3 Qc6 11. Nxc2 Nxc2 12. Nxf6+ Bxf6 13. Be3 Nxa1 14. Qxa1 O-O 15. Rc1 Qd7 16. b3 c5 17. Rc2 b6 18. Qf1 Rad8 19. Bh3 Qe7 20. Qg2 d5 21. exd5 Rxd5 22. Ne1 Rfd8 23. Bf5 Bg5 24. Be4 R5d6 25. Qh3 Rh6 26. Qf5 Bxe3 27. fxe3 Qf6 28. Qxf6 Rxf6{(Draw in 46 moves)} 1/2-1/2

[Event "1998 LUCK OF THE DRAW"]

[Site "SIOUX FALLS"]

[Date "1998.07.12"]

[Round "2"]

[White "Jordan Gerdes"]

[Black "Kevin Caraway"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Bc5 4. d3 Nge7 5. Bg5 h6 6. Bxe7 Qxe7 7. Nc3 O-O 8. O-O Nd4 9. Nxd4 Bxd4 10. Nd5 Qc5 11. Qh5 Bxb2 12. Rab1 Qa3 13. Nxc7 g6 14. Qxh6 Rb8 15. Nd5 d6 16. Nf6# 1-0

[Event "1998 Luck of the Draw"]

[Site "Sioux Falls"]

[Date "1998.07.12"]

[Round "2"]

[White "Heather Haggar"]

[Black "Jack Bier"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 exd4 4. Nxd4 Bc5 5. Nf5 d6 6. Bc4 Bxf5 7. exf5 Qh4 8. g3 Qe4+ 9. Qe2 Qxe2+ 10. Kxe2 Ne5 11. Nd2 Ne7 12. f4 Nxc4 13. Nxc4 Nxf5 14. Rd1 O-O-O 15. Rd5 Rde8+ 16. Kf3 Nd4+ 17. Kg2 Re2+ 18. Kf1 Rhe8{(Black won in 38)}0-1

SPIEL DER KRAFTE (Interplay of Forces)

September 26, 1998, Reg.8:30-9:00pm

Augustana College - Morrison Commons, 2001 S. Summit, Sioux Falls, SD

Enrty Fee: \$3-no prizes

Sections based on entries

Rounds 9-2-6

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Name	Rating	Rd 1	Rd 2	Total
1.Jack Bier	1876	W3	W5	2
2.Ralph Bailey	1661	W5	---	1
3.David Wagner	1433	L1	---	0
4.Patrick Steele	1401	D6	---	0.5
5.Heather Haggar	1309	L2	L1	0
6.Robert Daggitt	1302	D4	---	0.5
7.Steve Cahill	1165	W11	L9	1

8.Ryan Daggitt	1164	W9	W10	2
9.Daniel Haggar	1137	L8	W7	1
10.Kari Rivers	1123	L12	L8	0
11.Kurt Carlson	1116	L7	W12	1
12.Ilia Nossov	1106	W10	L11	1
13.Dustin Krell	1076	W16	W14	2
14.Isaac Gerdes	1053	W17	L13	1
15.Jordan Gerdes	1000	L18	W16	1
16.Kevin Caraway	941	L13	L15	0
17.Anthony Vicino	934	L14	W18	1
18.Jenna Haggar	828	W15	L17	1

1998 South Dakota Closed

Name	Rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	rd5	TOT
1.Lyle Hanson	1964	W16	W14	D2	W3	W5	4.5
2.Steve Norquist	1984	W15	D4	D1	W14	W6	4
3.Arlo Mann	1642	W17	W5	W4	L1	W7	4
4.Robert Wallace	1754	W21	D2	L3	W13	W14	3.5
5.Terry Likens	1874	W22	L3	W21	W8	L1	3
6.Mark Knudson	1505	H--	H--	W9	W19	L2	3
7.Michael Bergan	1493	H--	H--	W17	W20	L3	3
8.Martin Waldner	1463	W23	L15	W12	L5	W19	3
9.TJ Likens	1352	H--	H--	L6	W18	W20	3
10.David Knudson	1105	L14	L16	B--	W22	W15	3
11.David Bergan	1437	H--	H--	L19	D21	W22	2.5
12.David Likens	1300	H--	H--	L8	W16	D13	2.5

13.Dustin Krell	998	H--	H--	W16	L4	D12	2.5
14.Jill Likens	1491	W10	L1	W18	L2	L4	2.5
15.David Wagner	1433	L2	W8	L20	W17	L10	2
16.Sigurd Rydland	1418	L1	W10	L13	L12	W21	2
17.Alan Kingsley	1301	L3	W22	L7	L15	B--	2
18.John Bergan	1259	H--	H--	L14	L9	W23	2
19.Ryan Daggitt	1165	H--	H--	W11	L6	L8	2
20.Steve Cahill	1165	H--	H--	W15	L7	L9	2
21.Robert Daggitt	1302	L4	W23	L5	D11	L16	1.5
22.Roger Salem	1399	L5	L17	W23	L10	L11	1
23.Larry Cass	1226	L8	L21	L22	B--	L18	1

1998 SOUTH DAKOTA JUNIOR

Name	Rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	TOT
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1.Mark Knudson	1505	W8	W2	W4	W5	4
2.David Funes	1418	W6	L1	W5	W4	3
3.Steve Cahill	1165	L5	W6	D7	W10	2.5
4.Michael Bergan	1493	W9	W7	L1	L2	2
5.David Bergan	1437	W3	W8	L2	L1	2
6.John Bergan	1259	L2	L3	W9	W7	2
7.TJ Likens	1352	W10	L4	D3	L6	1.5
8.David Likens	1300	L1	L5	W10	L9	1
9.Ryan Daggitt	1165	L4	L10	L6	W8	1
10.Dustin Krell	998	L7	W9	L8	L3	1

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South Dakota Closed and Junior Championship

Mark Knudson won the Junior Championship with a perfect 4-0 score. David Funes finished clear second with 3-1. Funes was winning in his game against Knudson -- until he allow passed rook pawn.

Lyle Hanson won the 1998 South Dakota State Championship title with 4.5-0.5. His only draw was against Steve Norquist. In the last round, he played Terry Likens -- as was his downfall last year -- but this time Lyle had white and the player with

black has never won in this match-up in the last six years.

The 1998 South Dakota Closed was a smaller turnout and a different mix -- with only three players A and above. There were 23 players, which included nine juniors who didn't join the tournament until round 3. The junior tournament included ten players. Round 1 saw no upsets.

In Round 2, there were a couple of upsets. Terry Likens lost to Arlo Mann and Steve Norquist drew with Bob Wallace. In Round 3, the juniors joined the tournament. City codes were still in effect for pairings, so Lyle Hanson did not play Arlo Mann. Instead, Lyle played Steve Norquist and Arlo played Bob Wallace. Lyle drew and Arlo won -- maintaining the only perfect score after the first day. Six juniors won in this round including Dustin Krell who won a marathon game against Sigurd Rydland. Steve Cahill won against David Wagner in another upset game. Ryan Daggitt beat David Bergan for yet another upset.

In Round 4, all city codes were turned off, but family codes remained in effect for the entire tournament. Lyle beat Arlo to re-take the lead. Terry Likens played an extremely long game against Martin Waldner (who had been studying the Sicilian with Steve Norquist the night before). Terry won after being down two pawns by proving that a rook on the seventh is all powerful. David Knudson beat Roger Salem and David Likens beat Sig Rydland continuing the string of upsets from the last round.

In the final round, Lyle Hanson defeated Terry Likens to win the championship. He explained that he wouldn't have allowed his picture to be taken this year before he was sure the championship was won. The only upset this round was David Knudson over David Wagner (you will notice that there were a lot of Davids in this tournament).

Other prize winners included: Second (tie) - Steve Norquist and Arlo Mann (first B) -- \$62.50 each (sharing 2nd and 1st B money). Mark Knudson, Michael Bergan and Martin Waldner tied for first C winning \$25 each (sharing 1st and 2nd C money). TJ Likens and David Knudson tied for first D and below winning \$37.50 each (sharing 1st and 2nd D). The prizes were paid by check, because Sig Rydland -- who handled the entry fee money -- was involved in the longest game of the round.

[Event "South Dakota Closed"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.26"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Arlo Mann"]

[Black "Lyle Hanson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 5. Nc3 g6 6. Bd3 Bg7 7. Nb3 O-O 8. O-O Nc6 9. a3 Ne5 10. Bg5 Be6 11. Kh1 Rc8 12. Nd4 Nxd3 13. cxd3 Bd7 14. Nde2 Qb6 15. Bxf6 exf6 16. Nd5 Qd8 17. f4 f5 18. Ng3 Bc6 19. Nb4 fxe4 20. dxe4 Bxb2 21. Ra2 Bc3 22. Nxc6 Rxc6 23. f5 Be5 24. fxe6 fxe6 25. Raf2 Rxf2 26. Rxf2 Qe7 27. Nf1 Rc3 28. a4 Qe6 29. Qb1 Qb3 30. Rb2 Qc4 31. Rxb7 Rc1 32. Rb8+ Kg7 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Closed"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.25"]

[Round "3"]

[White "Arlo Mann"]

[Black "Bob Wallace"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 d6 5. Nc3 a6 6. Be2 Nf6 7. O-O e6 8. Be3 Be7 9. f4 O-O 10. a3 Qc7 11. Qd2 e5 12. Nf5 Bxf5 13. exf5 b5 14. Bf3 Rac8 15. Qf2 Bd8 16. Qg3 Re8 17. fxe5 Nxe5 18. Bh6 Nxf3+ 19. Rxf3 Nh5 20. Qg4 g6 21. fxe6 hxe6 22. Raf1 Qa7+ 23. Kh1 Rc4 24. Qh3 Qb7 25. Re3 Rxe3 26. Qxe3 Qe7 27. Qd2 Qh4 28. Qxd6 Be7 29. Qb8+ Bd8 30. Rd1 Rd4 31. Qe5 Bc7 32. Rxd4 Ng3+ 33. Qxg3 Qxd4 34. Qxc7 Qh4 35. Bd2 Qf2 36. Qf4 1-0

[Event "South Dakota Closed"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.25"]

[Round "3"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Steve Norquist"]

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

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Nf6 4. Ng5 d5 5. exd5 b5 6. Bxb5 Qxd5 7. Bf1 e4 8. d3 h6 9. Nxe4 Nxe4 10. dxe4 Qxe4+ 11. Qe2 Bf5 12. c3 Ne5 13. Qxe4 Bxe4 14. Bf4 Bd6 15. Nd2 Bc6 16. Be3 a5 17. f3 1/2-1/2

Event "South Dakota Closed"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.26"]

[Round "5"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Terry Dean Likens"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 g6 2. d4 Bg7 3. Nc3 d6 4. f4 f5 5. e5 dxe5 6. dxe5 Qxd1+ 7. Nxd1 Nc6 8. Nf3 Bd7 9. Bd2 O-O-O 10. Ng5 Nh6 11. Bc4 Nd4 12. Ne3 b5 13. c3 bxc4 14. cxd4 Bb5 15. Ne6 Rdg8 16. Nd5 Kd7 17. Ndxc7 Bc6 18. Ba5 Bxg2 19. Rg1 Be4 20. Rd1 Nf7 21. Nxc7 1-0

[Event "Souith Dakota Closed"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.25"]

[Round "2"]

[White "Terry Dean Likens"]

[Black "Arlo Mann"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 d5 2. e4 dxe4 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. f3 exf3 5. Nxf3 Bg4 6. Be3 e6 7. Bb5+ c6 8. Bd3 Bd6 9. O-O Qc7 10. h3 Bh5 11. Qd2 Nbd7 12. g4 Bg6 13. Rae1 O-O-O 14. Be2 Ne4 15. Nxe4 Bxe4 16. Bd3 Nf6 17. Ng5 Bg6 18. c4 h5 19. Bxg6 fxg6 20. Nxe6 Qd7 21. Nxd8 hxg4 22. Nxb7 Qxb7 23. c5 Bg3 24. Re2 gxh3 25. Bf4 Nh5 26. Bg5 Qd7 27. Re7 Qd5 28. Re2 h2+ 29. Rxh2 Bxh2+ 30. Kxh2 Nf4+ 0-1

[Event "South Dakota Junior"]

[Site "Pierre"]

[Date "1998.07.24"]

[Round "2"]

[White "David Funes"]

[Black "Mark Knudson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 exd4 4. Nxd4 Bc5 5. Nxc6 Qf6 6. Qe2 dxc6 7. Nc3 Be6 8. Be3 Bb4 9. Bd2 O-O-O 10. a3 Ba5 11. O-O-O Bb6 12. f3 Ne7 13. h4 h6 14. g4 g5 15. hxg5 hxg5 16. Rxh8 Rxh8 17. Bg2 Ng6 18. e5 Nxe5 19. Ne4 Qg6 20. Bc3 Bc4 21. Qd2 Qe6 22. Bxe5 Re8 23. Nxc6 Qe7 24. Bf6 Qf8 25. Qd7+ Kb8 26. Qd8+ Rxd8 27. Rxd8+ Qxd8 28. Bxd8 Kc8

29. Bf6 Kd7 30. Kd2 Kd6 31. f4 a5 32. b3 Ba6 33. Bc3 Ke7 34. Be4 Bb5 35. Bd3 a4 36. Bxb5 cxb5 37. Kd3 Bc5 38. Bb4 Bxb4 39. axb4 a3 40. Kc3 c5 41. Ne4 cxb4+ 42. Kxb4 a2 43. Nc3 0-1

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Scholastic News

Steve and Mark's Trip to LA

by Steve Cahill

First off, I'd like to thank everyone at chess club and at tournaments for improving my chess skills. My rating has gone up from about 750 when I started a year and a half ago to 1200 where it is now. Most of that is due to play in non-scholastic tournaments. I've played in every tournament this year except the Joe House. Now that that's done with, I'd especially like to thank De and Mark Knudson for letting me go with them to the National High School Championship Tournament in Los Angeles from May 7-11. I saw some familiar faces in the form of Sean Nagle and his father. I met Sean at the Dakota Open in Madison this year. Sean ended up 5th or 6th at the Nationals.

De, Mark and I flew in L. A. on Thursday the 7th of May and got to the hotel 3 minutes before the first round of the G/10 quick tournament. That was quite interesting Mark ended the quick chess with a 4-2 record, including beating an expert. He got 2nd place in the 1300-1499 section. Unfortunately, I ended 2-4 and didn't place. I guess I can't play speed anymore(as if I ever could!) The tournament was won by Phillip Wong, I believe who is rated 2200 in quick. Mark and I finished in 16th place, despite having only two people. Once place higher and we would have received an plaque. We finished the awards at about midnight.

The Bughouse Tournament was the next morning. Mark and I finished 4-2 in the Bughouse tournament, giving us 20th Place. That was the bottom place they gave for plaques. Mark and I could not decide who would keep the plaque, so we played 5 games of G/2 minutes to decide. Amazingly, I beat Mark three times and he only beat me twice, so I kept it. Phillip Wong and his partner either got first or second place ,so I bet he was pretty happy by now.

About a half hour after the Bug tournament was over, the real tournament started. First, I'll report on how I did in the tournament, then I will report Mark's tournament from the best of my knowledge. I played in U1300 section. I lost my first game to was over a h alf hour the highest rated player in the section, then beat an 814 rated player that r late. In the third round, I lost to a 1275,the 7th highest rated player. I beat a 950 in the 4th roundm then drew a 1220 in the 5th round. Unfortunately, I lost my next two games ending with 3.5 points in 7 rounds.

Mark played in the open section and was upset a few times in the tournament. He was beaten by a 1050, beaten by an 1100 and drew a 1000. Mark ended up with 3.5 points also.

Neither of us placed in anything, but we sure did have fun. We met a few new friends, and we learned one thing: bring a bag of food with you. A bag of chips was \$3.50 and cans of pop were \$1.00. Mark and I only had time for 1 meal a day, so we ate very expensive junk food a lot.

-Steve Cahill

My Trip to Tennessee

By David Funes

On May 22-28, 1998, I attended the Accelerated Christian Education International Convention in Nashville, Tennessee. I represented our region in the chess competition. It was not a regular tournament. The first two

rounds were single elimination. After the first two rounds, if you lost you could still compete for second through sixth place. The tournament concluded with the championship match, which was best of three. There were 74 kids from different parts of the world competing. I won eight out of nine games, losing game two of the championship series. I came back and won game three becoming the 1998 ACE International Convention Chess Champion. Here is the critical third game of the match.

White-Funes Black-Miller

1.e4 b6 2.d4 Bb7 3. Nc3 e6 4.Nf3 Bb4 5. e5 Ne7 6. Bd3 d6 7. ed6 cd6 8.Bd2 Bxc3 9. Bxc3 Nd5 10. Bd2 Nd7 11. O-O O-O 12. Re1 N7f6 13. Bg5 Qc7 14.c4 Ne7 15. Bxf6 gxf6 16. Rc1 Kh8 17. Be4 Rg8 18. Nd2 f5 19. Bxb7 Qxb7 20.Qf3 Qxf3 21. Nxf3 Rac8 22. d5 Rf6 23. Nd4 Rg4 24. Nb5! Rgxc4 25. Rxc4 Rxc4 26. dxe6[Nxd6 Rc2 27. Nxd7+ Kg7 28.dxe6 Rxb2 wins two pawns plus a good past pawn] fxe6 27.Nxd6 Rc2 28. h3 Rxb2 29. Rxe6 Ng8? 30.Nxf5 Rxa2 31. Re8! a5 32. a4 33. Rxb6?[Nh6 threatens mate or wins the Knight] a3 34. Ra6 Ra1+ 35 .Kh2 a2 36 .Nd4 Ne7 37. Nc2 Rf1 38. f3 Nf5 39.Rxa2 Rf2 40.Nb4 Rxa2? 41.Nxa2 Kg7 42. g4 Nd4 43.Kg2 Kg6 44.h4 Ne2 45.Nb4 h5 46.Nd5 hxg4 47. fxg4 Nd4 48. Kg3 Ne2+ 49.Kf3 Ng1+?? 50. Kf2 Nh3+ 51. Kg2 Ng5 52. hxg5 Kxg5 53 .Kf3 Kg6 54 .Kf4 Kg7 55 .Kg5 Kh7 56 .Kf6 Black resigns

MADISON WINS H.S.; DROPS J.H. AND ELEMENTARY CHESS MATCHES

Report by Jud Bergan

Madison and the combined Sioux Falls schools met over the chess board for the fourth time on Saturday, and Madison High School solidly defended its title, as did the Sioux Falls Jr. High and Elementary sections. In the High School section, the first round saw the top two boards from each town beating the bottom two boards, but in the second round Michael Bergan, Madison's top board, drew with Ryan Daggitt, Sioux Falls' third board. Bergan was substantial material ahead, but, with only two minutes remaining on his clock, decided he did not have enough time to convert it to a win. He claimed a draw on "insufficient losing chances", which director Wes Schmidt upheld. This minor upset was countered by Madison's fourth board, Matt Havlik, who got a draw with Sioux Falls' second board, Steve Cahill. As the round produced no other upsets, the score was dead even after two rounds at 4-4.

The crucial game in round three came as Madison' second board, David Bergan, faced Sioux Falls' top board and current Junior State Champion, Mark Knudson. The game started evenly until Bergan sacrificed his knight for two pawns and a positional advantage. Knudson, who generally plays very quickly, pondered the board intensely, and on one occasion spent twenty minutes on one move! The effort paid off, as Bergan cautiously passed on a rook sacrifice which ultimately led to check mate, and Knudson maneuvered to a full rook advantage. But by this time, with less than a minute remaining on his clock, Knudson made a weak move which allowed Bergan to spear his rook and Queen, winning back the rook. He resigned the game. Michael Bergan and third board, Tony Amert both won their games to take a 7-5 lead after three rounds. The final round, which pits boards 1, 2, 3, and 4 against each other, is considered the real test of head to head team strength. David Bergan, with a cute King's Gambit, Amert, and Havlik all won their games, giving Madison a 10-6 victory. Michael Bergan and Knudson battled down to the wire, but Knudson prevailed, giving him four to three edge over Bergan, life time. David Bergan's 4-0 record gave him medallist honors. In the Jr. High section it was all Sioux Falls. Ilya Nossov of Edison Middle School, Joe Waters of Patrick Henry, Dustin Krell of Edison, and Daniel Hagggar of the Home School Association rolled over Madison 13.5 - 2.5 in the worst drubbing Madison (the current Jr. High state champs) has ever received. The only points they could muster were wins by Josh Fritz and Jon Stetler, and a draw by Andrew Ellsworth. Medalists were Dustin Krell and Daniel Hagggar, who both went 4-0.

The Elementary section started with Madison winning the first round 3-1. John Bergan, Andrew Lindsay, and Tim Adams all had wins. The tables turned quickly, however, as Michael Elson of St. Mary's, Nate Holman of All City Elementary, and Isaac Gerdes of the Home School Association each won in the second round to tie it up. Probably the most exciting game of the match occurred in this round, as Jordan Gerdes of the Home School Association played John Bergan, Madison's top Elementary board. Gerdes won a knight in exchange

for two pawns on move 11, but by move 18 Bergan had won it back and was two pawns up. By careful play he managed to win a free bishop and looked like he was well on his way to victory except that he had only five minutes on his clock and his King was severely exposed. Although Gerdes was only one move from a mate in two, he employed a series of checks that kept Bergan from converting the mate and eroded his time to the point where a loss on time was a matter of seconds. By this time Gerdes was getting into time trouble himself, and hurriedly made an illegal move which left his King in check. The tournament director assessed a two-minute penalty on Gerdes, adding two minutes to the time left on Bergan's clock. That was all he needed and the game ended in checkmate shortly thereafter. The team score was tied 4-4.

The third round was the turning point, as Bergan lost his first scholastic tournament game in over a year to Isaac Gerdes, Jordan's brother. Only Tim Adams could manage a win for Madison over Jordan Gerdes(his second five move checkmate of the match). In the last round, Bergan beat Holman, and Adams got a draw with Elson to put the final score at 9.5 - 6.5 for Sioux Falls. Bergan and Isaac Gerdes were the medalists with 3-1 records. The two Gerdes brothers and Bergan tied for first place in the recent scholastic Elementary Championship, all going 4-0.

Madison is leading Sioux Falls in the High School section 3 match victories to 1, while Sioux Falls leads the Jr. High series with 2 match wins, 1 match loss and one tied match. The Elementary series are tied at 2 match wins and 2 losses.

WATERTOWN HOST CHESS TOURNEY

Report by Jud Bergan

The Watertown Chess Club hosted a scholastic chess tournament Saturday which saw 15 players, ages 10-18, from Clark, Clear Lake, Watertown, Estelline and Madison in attendance. Dave Bergan of Madison won with a perfect 4-0(4 wins and no losses) record. Stuart Stein of Watertown tied with Nick Randall of Clark, and Mike and John Bergan both of Madison, for 2nd Place, all with 3-1 records. It was Stein's first effort at formal chess competition, so he he also won the 1st place trophy in the unrated section. The Watertown Chess Club meets every Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Pizza Ranch. All ages and playing strengths are welcome.

Junior August 1998 list

- 1: 1493 BERGAN, MICHAEL J.
- 2: 1485 KNUDSON, MARK
- 3: 1416 LIKENS,T.J.
- 4: 1389 BERGAN, DAVID A. J.
- 5: 1384 FUNES, DAVID
- 6: 1382/04 MARMORSTEIN, ROBERT
- 7: 1309/06 HAGGAR, HEATHER
- 8: 1300 BERGAN, JOHN T.
- 9: 1254/04 STEIN, STUART C.
- 10: 1191AMERT,TONY K
- 11: 1188 LIKENS,DAVID A
- 12: 1165 CAHILL,STEVE E
- 13: 1164 DAGGITT,RYAN R
- 14: 1163/13 ANDERSON,RYAN
- 15: 1147 JORDAHL,MATT V
- 16: 1137 HAGGAR,DANIEL
- 17: 1132/04 GLADER,PETER
- 18: 1125 RANDALL,NICHOLAS
- 19: 1106 NOSSOV,ILIA
- 20: 1099/04 JAMES,ROBERT T

21: 1094/04 WHEELER,TODD J
 22: 1084 DAUCSAVAGE, WESLEY
 23: 1082 ELLSWORTH, ANDREW R.
 24: 1079 HAVLIK, MATTHEW
 25: 1078 HENDRICKSON, DANIEL
 25: 1078 KRELL, DUSTIN T.

Watertown Scholastic

Name	rating	rd 1	rd 2	rd 3	rd 4	total
1.David Bergan	1408	W15	W6	W4	W2	4
2.Michael Bergan	1502	W11	W7	W3	L1	3
3.John Bergan	1301	W10	W12	L2	W8	3
4.Nicholas Randall	1098	W5	W8	L1	W9	3
5.Stuart Stein	unr	L4	W11	W7	W6	3
6.Jonathan Steteler	1018	W14	L1	W15	L5	2
7.Jason Eckert	936	W13	L2	L5	W15	2
8.Josh Fritz	910	W9	L4	W10	L3	2

9.Jordan Eckert	260	L8	B--	W12	L4	2
10.Patrick Shea	unr	L3	W13	L8	W12	2
11.Lucas Randall	unr	L2	L5	W14	W13	2
12.Ashley Nicola	598	B--	L3	L9	L10	1
13.Justin Eckert `	unr	L7	L10	B--	L11	1
14.Matthew Bren	unr	L6	L15	L11	B--	1
15.Jeffrey Wilde	unr	L1	W14	L6	L7	1

SIOUX FALLS-MADISON IV-HIGH SCHOOL

Name	Team	Rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	tot
1.David Bergan	MAD	1351	W6	W8	W2	W5	4
2.Mark Knudson	SF	1482	W7	W4	L1	W3	3
3.Michael Bergan	MAD	1504	W8	D6	W5	L2	2.5
4.Tony Amert	MAD	1158	L5	L2	W8	W6	2

5.Steve Cahill	SF	1213	W4	D7	L3	L1	1.5
6.Ryan Daggitt	SF	1171	L1	D3	W7	L4	1.5
7.Matthew Havlik	MAD	1061	L2	D5	L6	W8	1.5
8.Casey Swanson	SF	969	L3	L1	L4	L7	0

MADISON 10 - SIOUX FALLS 6
MEDALIST:DAVID BERGAN,MADISON

JUNIOR HIGH

Name	Team	Rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	tot
1.Dustin Krell	SF	998	W5	W7	W8	W6	4
2.Daniel Haggard	SF	990	W7	W5	W6	W8	4
3.Joe Waters	SF	1012	L6	W8	W7	W5	3
4.Ilia Nossov	SF	1082	W8	W6	L5	D7	2.5
5.Jonathan Stetler	MAD	1000	L1	L2	W4	L3	1.0
6.Josh Fritz	MAD	889	W3	L4	L2	L1	1.0

7.Andrew Ellsworth	MAD	1114	L2	L1	L3	D4	0.5
8.Josh Whitcomb	MAD	779	L4	L3	L1	L2	0

SIOUX FALLS 13 ½ -2 ½
 MEDALISTS:DUSTIN KRELL AND DANIEL HAGGAR, SIOUX FALLS

ELEMENTARY

Name	Team	rating	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	tot
1.John Bergan	MAD	1259	W3	W6	L2	W5	3
2.Isaac Gerdes	SF	1069	L7	W4	W1	W8	3
3.Michael Elson	SF	975	L1	W8	W9	D4	2.5
4.Timothy Adams	MAD	702	W5	L2	W6	D3	2.5
5.Nate Holman	SF	1098	L4	W7	W8	L1	2
6.Jordan Gerdes	SF	1041	W8	L1	L4	W9	2
7.Andrew Lindsay	MAD	717	W2	L5	U--	U--	2
8.Justin Bauer	MAD	741	L6	L3	L5	L2	0

9.Jeremiah Johnson	MAD	619	U - -	U - -	L3	L6	0
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SIOUX FALLS 9 ½ -6 ½
MEDALISTS:ISAAC GERDES,SIOUX FALLS AND JOHN BERGAN,MADISON
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3.Jenna Haggar	895	W5	L2	L1	B - -	2
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3: 1979 SORENSON, ARNE C

4: 1944 HANSON, LYLE

5: 1939 BARTH, JEFF

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9: 1876 BIER, JOHN J
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13: 1819/13 RELJIC, SRDJAN
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Rounds-Open section

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9am,3:30pm

Premier and Reserve

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