

THE BULLETIN OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA CHESS ASSOCIATION

SEVENTH GOVERNOR'S CUP

Mark Knudson had been entering big scholastic tournaments since he began playing rated chess in 1992. His mother, De Knudson, wondered why South Dakota could not put on one of these events.

In 1995 De Knudson approached her friend, Governor William Janklow about the possibility of

the State of South Dakota assisting with a chess tournament. The Governor responded by including chess in the series of contests assisted by the South Dakota Department of Tourism known as "Governor's Cups". David Knudson set up the Sioux Empire Chess Foundation as 501c3 organization to raise funds for this enterprise since donations to it would be tax deductible.

So the Sioux Empire Chess Foundation was born. David Knudson has raised over \$100,000.00 for the Foundation since its inception. De has given out innumerable chess sets and boards to chess clubs across the state of South Dakota. For the past seven years masters, international masters and grandmasters have given lessons to the scholastic

Over the years the Foundation

chessplayers of South Dakota.

The tournament itself has been the most successful in South Dakota history. Eight hundred ninety eight players have played in the Governor's Cup, including two hundred thirty seven South Dakotans. Twenty five Grandmasters and eighteen international masters have played in the tournament. Four hundred fifty seven players have player in the Governor's Cup Scholastic.

An article on the Governor's Cup has appeared as a main article every year in Chess Life with authors such as GM Patrick Wolff, International Arbiter, Carol Jarecki, GMs Tal Shaked and Joel Benjamin and IM John Donaldson doing the writing and annotation for the article.

has used its money well. It has

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helped to turn the South Dakota State Scholastic from a twenty two person tournament into one hundred fifty person tournament. It has helped develop scholastic chess programs in Pierre, Sioux Falls and Rapid City that were nonexistent before the Foundation assisted. The Foundation can only provide the money. Without Jud Bergan, Greg Waters, Mark Gerdes, Nels Truelson, Eric Abrahamson, Glen Eide or Terry Likens there would no scholastic chess programs.

Our thanks go out to De and David Knduson for their contribution to South Dakota chess.

Eight teams played in the South Dakota Teams at Oacoma. Waiting to React consisting of Mark Knudson, Serif Suljic, Steve Cahill and Alden Meeter took 1st place on tie break over Merchants of Death, which consisted of Lyle Hanson, Bruce Brandt, Marc Bratten and Dan Merchant. The board prize winners were as follows: 1st Board: Randall Koeller, 2nd Board Serif Suljic 3rd Board Bob Wallace and 4th Board Alden Meeter.

Dan Haggard represented South Dakota at the Arnold Denker Tournament of High School Champions. He finished 31/2 -2 1.2

which is as good a finish as South Dakota has ever had and raised his rating to 1700.

CLUB NEWS

Sioux Falls

The Home Schools Chess Club meets at the Hardees at 10th and Fairfax in Sioux Falls on Mondays 7:30-10pm. Nels Truelson's Sioux Falls Chess League has started this fall on the 3rd Thursday of each month. For more information call 371-4535 or

contact Nels at NTruelson@aol.com Sioux Empire Chess Club meets at the Kenny Anderson Community Center, 3rd & Bahson, Sioux Falls, SD on the first, second and fourth Thursdays of each month from 6:30-9:30pm
PIERRE CHESS CLUB Contact Bob Wallace, PO Box 416, Pierre, SD 57501

Brookings Chess Club Contact Bruce Brandt work 605/688-4058 home 605/5789 email: brand73@home.com.

Madison Chess Club Contact Jud Bergan 605/256-6781 Email: berganj@hcpd.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@rushmore.com.

Vermillion The USD Chess Club meets at the Coyote Student Center, Sunday at 7:pm. Contact chess@usd.edu or L.J. Ottenbacher at jottenba@usd.edu or Mark Derby 605/624-7823 or E-mail mderby@usd.edu

Mondays 3:15-5pm Vermillion Middle School Library

Tuesdays 3:15-5pm Vermillion Jolley School Media Center

Tuesdays 5-7pm Vermillion Coffee Shop Gallery for skittles and study

Wednesdays 3:10-5pm Vermillion Austin School Gym

Yankton

Chess club the first Monday of each month at Yankton Stewart Elementary School starting October 3, 2002. Contact: Janet Brown or Marie Schrempp at 605/6655971 or jbrown@ysd.k-12.sd.us

President's Address

CHANGES

I stopped to think about all of the changes that have occurred in the last year. A lot more gray hair, a new world series champion, a recessed economy and four hijacked airplanes. Some change is good, some is not. But, how we deal with change is our measure of character.

Chess is also in a state of change. USCF is having many struggles.

The Sioux Falls Scholastic programs are being surpassed by a growing Rapid City strength. Young (Nick Truelson) replaces old (Nels Truelson) as Sioux Falls city champion. A new location is being tried for the Governor's Cup. Again, how are we going to deal with the change in our lives?

It is my hope that this can be a year for everyone to see opportunities in the midst of change. We need to look at our involvement within the chess community and seek to do our individual parts to help improve chess as a whole. What can you do: It may be as simple as reregistering for a tournament, so that the TD's job is a little easier. Maybe you can bring a friend to the Governor's Cup, to show support for the new location. You can make a donation to help support chess in the schools. You can volunteer to help with scholastic tournaments. You can teach a child to sit at the board and enjoy playing the game.

The Governor's Cup is South Dakota's major tournament. I would ask that every member of the South Dakota Chess Assn make an effort to play in the 2002 Governor's Cup during the October 11-13 weekend. Check out the SDCA website for additional details and to preregister.

Thanks, Mark Gerdes

SDCA Annual Meeting Minutes June 17, 2002

The meeting was called to order by SDCA President Mark Gerdes at 8:00am.

Secretary-Treasurer Jill Likens was called to read the minutes of the 2001 SDCA Annual Meeting. As copies of the minutes were provided to the members at the meeting, the reading of the minutes was waived by unanimous decision. Jill went on to complete the Treasurers Report - Checking Balance - \$1108.67; Savings Balance - \$1091.13; Total - \$2199.80. (Plus -This Tmt: \$677 û \$200 TD û \$80 room û \$102.61 trophies). The Secretary's Report followed. The 2002 memberships include: 8 Family Memberships (26 players); 26 Regular Memberships; and 6 Junior Memberships for 58 Paid Members and a total income from memberships of \$416.

The next agenda item is Reports from Committees. Wes Schmidt began with topics from the Scholastic Committee. He began with a motion to provide \$200 to Daniel Haggard for expenses if he chooses to attend the Arnold Denker Tournament of High School Champions. The motion was seconded and passed.

Pierre Indian Learning Center has put in a bid for next year's Scholastic Tournament. It was motioned that the site be accepted and the motion passed. Terry

Likens motioned that a Plaque be given to the PILC in commemoration of them holding the first scholastic tournaments û and the return to that site. The motion passed with a budget of \$20 for the plaque. A motion followed for all games in all sections of the state scholastic tournament to use the time control of Game in 1 Hour. The motion passed. There was no consensus for splitting teams. It was pointed out that the USCF rules cover the pairing of teammates in the pairing rules.

The Scholastic Committee recommends that Tournament Director fees come from SDCA û per By-Laws û and designate how this is going to be done. Motion to add notes to the by-laws to authorize the Scholastic Committee to negotiate with the tournament director for fair fees for directing the scholastic championship and pay the directors fees without any additional authorization was motioned and passed.

- Mark Gerdes had no report from the On-Line Chess Committee. It was motioned to dissolve this committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

Election of Officers and District Coordinators followed. Mark Gerdes was nominated to continue as President and ran unopposed. Nels Truelson was nominated to continue as Vice-President and also ran unopposed. After Jill Likens stated that she would not continue as Secretary-Treasurer, Dan Merchant was nominated and ran unopposed.

Thomas Cleberg was nominated for Rapid City Coordinator and ran unopposed. Wes Schmidt was nominated for Sioux Falls Coordinator and declined the

nomination. De Knudson was nominated and ran unopposed. Bob Wallace was nominated to represent The Rest of the State and as was the theme of our elections - ran unopposed.

The discussion moved on to Unfinished Business û updates from topics of the last meeting. The USD scholastic scholarship would need funding (not from the school) for it to become a reality. The Bughouse and Speed tournaments were a 1 time trial and will not be continued.

A lengthy list of topics was planned for the Discussion of New Business. Discussion began with the tournaments requiring SDCA memberships. Discussion included the information that the current By-Laws indicate that any tournament requiring the SDCA membership will receive scoresheets and other tournament supplies from the SDCA. In recent years, only the State Championships, Western SD Open and the Sioux Falls Open have required the membership. The By-Laws do not restrict or define the tournaments that require the SDCA membership. Wes requested that an SDCA officer or representative be present to collect the dues for these tournaments.

Mark Gerdes brought up discussion about whether the SD Closed and Teams should rotate sites or do we like Chamberlain? De Knudson motioned that Sioux Falls would like to hold the Teams next year. Discussion followed indicating that the Teams tournament has always been centrally located first in Pierre and more recently in Chamberlain. Jill Likens motioned that the SD Teams be centrally located in Chamberlain or Pierre. This

motion passed.

Discussion about changing the By-Laws to include the Teams and the Scholastic tournament to include SDCA voting members

Mark Gerdes brought up the subject of the Website. There was some discussion of the fact that this is the website for the SDCA and Sioux Empire Chess Foundation but the SECF pays for the fees - \$14.95/mo plus \$15 or \$25/year for the website name. De moved that the cost of the website be split evenly between the two organizations. The motion passed.

Jill read a Constitution - Article VI, Section 6 - a vacancy occurring in any office or district coordinator shall be filled for the unexpired term by a person elected by a majority vote of the remaining Board Members, notice of such election having been given. In case of a vacancy in the office of President, the Vice President shall serve notice of election. Jill stated that the text used to read something about the notice being given by the Secretary-Treasurer at the request of the President. She motioned that text be added back in as it must have been inadvertently removed. The motion carried.

The next topic from Jill was that Article V Section 1 states that 6 Members of the Association shall be allowed to play in all USCF rated tournaments held in the State of South Dakota. It was pointed out that there are several tournaments - such as scholastic tournaments and city championships which would not include SDCA members. It was motioned that Section 1 be eliminated. This motioned passed and carried.

Another topic from the LikensÆ was Article VI . Sections 1-3. With the advent of Tournament Organizers who may not be the directors, they need to be included in the wording of these sections to

only. Jill Likens pointed out that Scholastic tournaments do not have SDCA membership requirements. Jill motioned to use the residency requirements as defined in the define the part they may play. In some cases, the organizer and director will be one in the same. It was motioned that tournament Organizers be added to the text in this section.

Another item of discussion was Article VI , Section 5 . new USCF memberships received at tournaments. Tournament directors may discretionarily use state affiliate commission reimbursement from new USCF memberships for new members benefit or for tournament expenses. Wes Schmidt suggested that although this is not currently available, it could be available in the future. It was motioned that (if available) be added to the text to allow the item to stay. This motion carried.

Discussion continued with the importance of the Calendar. Having the calendar on the website is critical. Getting the calendar out for the next year gives people the time to schedule their time to make more tournaments. It was suggested we should hand out a calendar of the next tournaments at each tournament to be sure the word is getting out. There was discussion of creating a Calendar Committee to include organizers and directors. There was more discussion about whether more tournaments are needed to increase play. Bruce discussed whether the game 90, 1-day tournaments is good. Calendar committee will need to discuss the Closed for next year. With time getting close, the discussion closed on this topic.

Nels Truelson motioned that the grade sections be changed to K-3, K-6, K-9, K-12. There was a great deal of discussion about whether this change would intimidate

By-Laws for all SD Championships and any non-resident fulltime student will be added to the residency requirements. players rather than encourage more players. Scholastic players and adults brought up that the change goes against the majority of school structures for few that do not follow the normal structure. Nels felt strongly that the minority should not be overlooked. It was indicated that the Catholic schools in Rapid City and Madison use the Middle School system. The motion did not pass. It was suggested that next year there is more research done for how many K-6, K-9 schools there are that might be affected by us not changing this back.

Motion to close meeting at 10:15am. The motion carried

HAGGAR DOES WELLAT ARNOLD DENKER

My expectations going into the Arnold Denker were very modest. I was ranked 41 out of 44 so many goal was to finish with at least 2.5 out of 6. In my first round I was paired against Vickram Premkumar a 1900 player from New Jersey. An opening mistake left me in a very bad position. However, I was able to fight my way back in and after a few mistakes by my opponent win an easy endgame. I felt very fortunate get any points out of that round let alone a win. My next three rounds would see me paired against a 2142, 1841, and a 2104 respectively/ The only point that I

came away with was a draw against the 1841. My tournament had taken a turn for the worse. My fifth round I was paired against a 1633, the lowest rated player that I would play. Yet, he was still over a 100 points higher than me. It was a 12th, which needless to say was much better than I had expected to

close game. I castled queenside, he castled kingside. We both made good moves until he took a pawn that allowed me to get my rooks over to attack his queen and kingside. He resigned six moves later. So going into the last round I had achieved my 2.5 and hoping

to better it when I received white against Michael Simmons an 1826. Fortunately, I was able to pick up a victory and finish with 3.5, a score good enough to finish tied for

do. Here is my game against Michael. By Dan Haggar

[Event "Arnold Denker Tournament of High School Champions"]

[Site "Cherry Hill, NJ"]

[Date "2002.08.02"]

[Round "6"]

[White "Daniel Haggar"]

[Black "Michael Simmons, OHIO 1826"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. exd5 exd5 4. Bd3 Nf6 5. Nf3 Bg4 6. O-O Be7 7. Bf4 O-O 8. c3 Re8 9. Nbd2 Nbd7 10. Qb3 c5 11. Qxb7 c4 12. Bc2 Qa5 13. h3 Be6 14. Ng5 Nb6 15. Nxe6 fxe6 16. a4 Rac8 17. Rfc1 Bd8 18. Bd6 Re7 19. Bxe7 Rc7 20. Bb4 Qxb4 21. Qxc7 1-0

SOUTH DAKOTA TEAMS JUNE 21-22, 2002

Merchants of Death	1630	2.5	2.5	2.5	1	3.5	12
1. Lyle Hanson	1820	L29	W17	W9	W5	D21	3.5
2. Bruce Brandt	1700	W30	L18	D10	L6	W22	2.5
3. Marc Bratten	1544	D31	D19	L11	L7	W23	2
4. Dan Merchant	1458	W32	W20	W12	L8	W24	4
Waiting to React	1610	4	1.5	3	3	3.5	15
5. Mark Knudson	1812	W25	D9	D13	L1	W17	3
6. Serif Suljic*	1794	W26	W10	W14	W2	D18	4.5
7. Steve Cahill	1543	W27	L11	D15	W3	W19	3.5
8. Alden Meeter*	1294	W28	L12	W16	W4	W20	4
The Voice of Experience	1690	4	2.5	1.5	2	3	13
9. Jeff Barth	1837	W21	D5	L1	D17	D29	2.5
10. Wesley D. Schmidt	1718	W22	L6	D2	D18	D30	2.5
11. Robert Wallace*	1707	W23	W7	W3	L19	W31	4
12. Dick Rostrom	1500	W24	W8	L4	W20	B---	4

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North Rapid Knights	1534	2	2	1	2.5	3.5	11
13.Terry Likens	1805	L17	L21	D5	D29	D25	1.5
14.Steve Schaffer	1661	D18	L22	L6	W30	W26	2.5
15.Jill Likens	1440	W19	W23	D7	L31	W27	3.5
16.Thomas Cleberg	1233	D20	W24	L8	X--	W28	3.5
Truelson Family and Friends	1635	2	1.5	3	2	0.5	9
17.Nels Truelson	2200	W13	L1	W25	D9	L5	2.5
18.Isaac Gerdes	1622	D14	W2	W26	D10	D6	3.5
19.Nicholas Truelson	1505	L15	D3	W27	W11	L7	2.5
20.Zachary Truelson	1216	D16	L4	L28	L12	L8	0.5
Sioux Falls Enlightened	1587	0	2	0.5	4	0.5	7
21.Mike Thelen	1738	L9	W13	D29	W25	D1	3
22.John Bier	1737	L10	W14	L30	W26	L2	2
23.Sigurd Rydland	1494	L11	L15	L31	W27	L3	1
24.Robert Daggitt	1379	L12	L16	L32	W28	L4	1
Bergans-All in the Family	1429	0	3	1	0	0.5	4.5
25.Jerry Bergan	1566	L5	L29	L17	L21	D13	0.5
26.Jud Bergan	1521	L6	W30	L18	L22	L14	1
27.David Bergan	1345	L7	W31	L19	L23	L15	1
28.John Bergan	1287	L8	W32	W20	L24	L16	2
Unwiitng Pawns	1411						
29.Randall Koeller*	1670	W1	W25	D21	D13	D9	3.5
30.Clarence Kieffer	1400	L2	L26	W22	L14	D10	1.5
31.Mark Gerdes	1331	D3	L27	W23	W15	L11	2
32.Alan Kingsley	1245	L4	L28	W24	F---	----	1

Team	rtg	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	rd5	tot
1.Merchants of Death	1630	W8	W5	W3	L2	W6	4
2.Waiting to React	1610	W7	L3	W4	W1	W5	4

3.The Voice of Experience	1690	W6	W2	L1	D5	W8	3.5
4.North Rapid Knights	1534	D5	D6	L2	W8	W7	3
5.Truelson-Family and Friends	1635	D4	L1	W7	D3	L2	2
6.Sioux Falls Enlightened	1587	L3	D4	L8	W7	L1	1.5
7.Bergan-All in the Family	1429	L2	W8	L5	L6	L4	1
8.Unwitting Pawns	1411	L1	L7	W6	L4	L3	1

GAMES FROM THE 2002

SD TEAMS

[Round "1"]

[White "Wes Schmidt"]

[Black "Jack Bier"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. c4 g6 2. Nc3 c5 3. g3 Nc6 4. Bg2 Bg7 5. Nf3 Nf6 6. O-O O-O 7. d4 cxd4 8. Nxd4 Nxd4 9. Qxd4 d6 10. e4 a6 11. Be3 Be6 12. Qd3 Rb8 13. Rac1 Ng4 14. b3 Nxe3 15. Qxe3 b5 16. Nd5 bxc4 17. Rxc4 Bxd5 18. exd5 Re8 19. Rfc1 Qb6 20. Qxb6 Rxb6 21. Rc8 Kf8 22. R8c6 Rxc6 23. dxc6 Rc8 24. c7 Ke8 25. Bc6+ 1-0

[Round "2"]

[White "Serif Sulgic"]

[Black "Wes Schmidt"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. a3 d5 4. e3 Be7 5. Nc3 O-O 6. b3 c5 7. Bb2 b6 8. g3 Bb7 9. Bg2 Na6 10. Rc1 Nc7 11. a4 a6 12. Nge2 Rb8 13. O-O Qd7 14. Nf4 b5 15. dxc5 bxc4 16. bxc4 Bxc5 17. Nd3 Qe7 18. Nxc5 Qxc5 19. cxd5 Qd6 20. dxe6 Qxd1 21. exf7+ Rxf7 22. Nxd1 Ne4 23. Bxe4 Bxe4 24. Be5 Rb7 25. Nb2 h6 26. Nc4 Ne8 27. Rfd1 Rb4 28. Nb2 Kh7 29. h4 Nf6 30. Rc4 Rb3 31. Bxf6 Rxf6 32. Rxe4 Rxb2 33. Rf4 Re6 34. Rd7 Rg6 35. h5 Rg5 36. g4 Re2 37. Kg2 Re5

38. Kg3 Ra2 39. Rff7 0-1

[Round "4"]

[White "Isaac Gerdes"]

[Black "Wes Schmidt"]

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

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 5. Nc3 a6 6. f3 e6 7. Be3 Be7 8. Qd2 Nc6 9. h4 Nh5 10. Bf2 Nxd4 11. Qxd4 Bf6 12. Qd2 Be5 13. O-O-O Bf4 14. Be3 Bxe3 15. Qxe3 Ng3 16. Rh3 Nxf1 17. Rxf1 b5 18. Rhh1 Bb7 19. Rd1 Rc8 20. e5 d5 21. Ne4 O-O 22. Nd6 Rb8 23. h5 Ba8 24. h6 g6 25. f4 b4 26. g4 d4 27. Qxd4 1/2-1/2

[Round "5"]

[White "Wes Schmidt"]

[Black "Clarence Kieffer"]

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

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 e6 3. g3 d5 4. d4 Bb4 5. cxd5 exd5 6. Bg2 O-O 7. Nf3 c5 8. O-O cxd4 9. Nxd4 Bxc3 10. bxc3 Nbd7 11. Bg5 h6 12. Bf4 Nb6 13. Qd3 Re8 14. Nb5 Re7 15. Rfd1 a6 16. Nd4 Bd7 17. Nf5 Bxf6 18. Qxf5 Ne4 19. Be5 Nc4 20. Bd4 Qd7 21. Qf4 Qe6 22. h4 Rc8 23. Kh2 Ncd6 24. Rac1 Rce8 25. e3 1/2-1/2

[Round "1"]

[White "Steve Schaffer"]

[Black "Isaac Gerdes"]

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

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Nf6 3. Nc3 Nxd5 4. Nxd5 Qxd5 5. Qf3 e6 6. Qxd5 exd5 7. Nf3 Bf5 8. Nd4 Bg6 9. c3 c6 10. Be2 Bd6 11. O-O O-O 12. Nf3 Re8 13. Re1 Nd7 14. d4 h6 15. Bd2 Nf6 16. Bf1 Ne4 17. Be3 Re7 18. Nd2 Rae8 19. Nxe4 Rxe4 20. Bd2 Rxe1 21. Rxe1 Rxe1 22. Bxe1 Bf4 23. a4 Bc1 24. b4 Bc2 25. a5 Kf8 26. Be2 1/2-1/2

[Round "4"]

[White "Bruce Brandt"]

[Black "Serif Suljic"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. Nc3 a6 4. Bd3 e6 5. Nf3 h6 6. Bd2 Bb4 7. a3 Ba5 8. O-O Nf6 9. e5 Ng8 10. h3 Nd7 11. b4 Bb6 12. Ne2 Ne7 13. c3 Nf8 14. Ng3 g6 15. Qc1 h5 16. Bh6 Kd7 17. Bg7 Rg8 18. Bf6 Qe8 19. Ng5 Bd8 20. a4 Nf5 21. Bxd8 Kxd8 22. b5 axb5 23. axb5 Rxa1 24. Qxa1 Qe7 25. Qa5+ Ke8 26. f4 Nxb3 27. Rb1 Nd7 28. bxc6 bxc6 29. Qc7 Qd8 30. Qxc6 Kf8 31. Ra1 Nf5 32. Ra8 Kg7 33. Ba6 Ne7 34. Qb5 Bxa6 35. Rxa6 Qc8 36. Ra7 Rd8 37. Qa4 Nc6 38. Ra6 Ndb8 39. Rb6 Rd7 40. Qb5

Rc7 41. Qb3 Nd7 42. Rb5 Nd8
0-1

["Round 4"]

[White "Jeff Barth"]

[Black "Nels Truelsen"]

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

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 c6 3. d4 d5 4. e3
g6 5. Nf3 Bg7 6. Be2 O-O 7. O-O
b6 8. Ne5 Bb7 9. Qb3 Nbd7 10. f4
e6 11. Bd2 c5 12. Rad1 cxd4 13.
exd4 Qc7 14. Nb5 Qb8 15. Bb4
dxc4 16. Bxc4 a6 1/2-1/2

Rae8 21. Rxe8 Rxe8 22. Nf3 Bg4
23. Bd2 fxg3 24. hxg3 h6 25. Kg2
g5 26. Nh2 Bxd1 27. Rxd1 Kf7 28.
Re1 Rxe1 29. Bxe1 Kf6 30. Kf3 h5
31. Nf1 h4 32. gxh4 gxh4 33. Kg4
Bf4 34. Bd2 1-0

[Round "4"]

[White "Mark Knudson"]

[Black "Lyle Hanson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c5 2. f4 Nc6 3. Nf3 d6 4. Bc4
e6 5. Nc3 Nge7 6. O-O d5 7. Bb5
d4 8. Ne2 a6 9. Bd3 Nb4 10. Bc4
b5 11. a3 bxc4 12. axb4 d3 13.
cxd3 cxd3 14. Nc3 cxb4 15. Qa4+
Bd7 16. Qxb4 Ng6 17. Qc4 Qb6+
18. Kh1 Nxf4 19. Ne5 Bd6 20.
Nxd7 Kxd7 21. g3 Rhc8 22. Qa4+
Ke7 23. gxf4 Qc7 24. e5 Bc5 25.
Qe4 Rab8 26. Qxd3 Rd8 27. Qg3
Rb4 28. f5 exf5 29. Rxf5 Qc6+ 30.
Qg2 Rg4 31. Rg5 Qxg2# 0-1

[Round "3"]

[White "Jud Bergan"]

[Black "Isaac Gerdes"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Nf6 3. c4 c6 4.
dxc6 Nxc6 5. d4 Qxd4 6. Qxd4
Nxd4 7. Bd3 Be6 8. Be3 Bxc4 9.
Bxd4 Bxd3 10. Nd2 g6 11. Ngf3
Bg7 12. Rd1 O-O 13. h4
Rfd8 14. b3 Nd5 15. Bxg7 Nb4 16.
Rc1 Kxg7 17. a3 Nc2+ 18. Kd1
Nxa3 19. Ne5 Nb5 20. Nxd3 Rxd3
21. Ke2 Rad8 22. Ne4 Rxb3 23.
Nc5 Rb2+ 24. Ke3 b6 25. Ne4
h6 26. g4 Nd6 27. Nxd6 exd6 28.

{Round "3"}

[White "Mike Thelen"]

[Black "Randall Koeller"]

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

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4.
Bd3 Nc6 5. c3 Nf6 6. h3 e6 7. Nf3
Bd6 8. O-O h6 9. Re1 O-O 10.
Nbd2 Qc7 11. Nf1 e5 12. dxe5
Nxe5 13. Nxe5 Bxe5 14. Be3 Bd7
15. Rc1 a6 16. Nd2 Bc6 17. Nf3
Bf4 18. Rc2 Bxe3 19. Rxe3 Rfe8
20. Rce2 Rxe3 21. Rxe3 Re8 22.
Qe2 Rxe3 23. Qxe3 b5 24. Nd4
1/2-1/2

Rhd1 a5 29. Rc6 a4 30. Ra1 Ra8
31. Rxd6 a332. Kd3 a2 33. Kc3
Rb1 0-1

[Round "3"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Jeff Barth"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 Nc6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 Bf5 4. c3
e6 5. Bd3 Nge7 6. Bg5 Qd7 7. Ne2
h6 8. Bh4 Bxd3 9. Qxd3 Nf5 10.
Bg3 Nxg3 11. Qxg3 O-O-O 12. b4
f5 13. b5 Ne7 14. a4 g5 15. f4 Rg8
16. Qd3 Ng6 17. O-O gxf4 18.
Nxf4 Nxf4 19. Rxf4 Qg7 20.
Rf2 Be7 21. Nd2 Bg5 22. Nb3 h5
23. Na5 Qh6 24. Re2 Rd7 25. Nc6
Rdg7 26. Nxa7+ Kd7 27. b6 c6 28.
a5 Bd8 29. Qb1 f4 30. Qf1 h4 31.
Kh1 Rg3 32. Rf2 Bg5 33. Qb1
Rxc3 34. a6 bxa6 35. Qb4 Rc4 36.
Qd6+ Ke8 37. b7 Kf7 38. Nc8
Rd8 39. Qc7+ Kg6 40. b8=Q Qf8
41. Qb1+ Kh5 42. Qch7+ Kg4 43.
h3+ Kg3 44. Rf3# 1-0

[Round "1"]

[White "Isaac Gerdes"]

[Black "Bruce Brandt"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Bc4 Nf6 3. Nf3 Nc6 4.
Ng5 d5 5. exd5 Nxd5 6. d4 Be7 7.
Nxf7 Kxf7 8. Qf3+ Bf6 9. Bxd5+
Be6 10. Bxc6 bxc6 11. dxe5 Bd5
12. Qf5 Re8 13. O-O Rxe5 14. Qd3
Qe7 15. Nc3 Rd8 16. Nxd5 Rxd5
17. Qb3 h5 18. Be3 g5 19.
Bd4 Re4 20. Bxf6 Qxf6 21. Rad1
Qd6 22. Qf3+ Rf4 23. Qxh5+ Kg7
24. Rxd5 Qxd5 25. Rd1 Re4 26. h3

[Round "3"]

[White "Clarence Kieffer"]

[Black "Jack Bier"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 a6 4.
Ba4 Nf6 5. O-O Be7 6. Re1 b5 7.
Bb3 O-O 8. c3 d5 9. exd5 Nxd5
10. Nxe5 Nxe5 11. Rxe5 c6 12. d4
Bd6 13. Re1 Qh4 14. g3 Qh3 15.
Qf3 Bg4 16. Qg2 Bc7 17. Bd1 f5
18. Qf1 f4 19. Qxh3 Bxh3 20. Nd2

Qf5 27. Qf3 Qe6 28. Qc3+ Kg6
29. Qd3 Kh6 30. Qg3 Qe7 31. Qc3
Re5 32. Qxc6+ Re6 33. Qc3 Kh7
34. Qd3+ Kh6 35. Qc3 Kh7 36.
Kf1 Qe8 37. Qxc7+ Re7 38. Qc3
Qh5 39. Qd3+ Kg7 40. Qc3+ Kh7
41. Qf3 Qe8 42. Qf5+ 1-0

[Round "2"]

[White "Jerry Bergan"]

[Black "Randall Koeller"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c6 2. f4 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4.
Nf3 Nf6 5. d4 e6 6. Bd3 Bd6 7.
O-O Qc7 8. Ne5 Nc6 9. c3 b6 10.
a3 Bb7 11. Nd2 Ne7 12. Ndf3 h6
13. Qa4+ Kf8 14. Bb5 a6
15. Be2 b5 16. Qc2 Ne4 17. Nd3
Nf5 18. g3 f6 19. Nf2 Kf7 20.
Nxe4 dxe4 21. Ne1 Rag8 22. Ng2
Nxd4 23. Qd1 Nf5 24. Re1 Bc5+
25. Kh1 g5 26. Bh5+ Ke7 27. Ne3
Nxe3 28. Bxe3 Bxe3 29. Rxe3
gxf4 30. gxf4 Qxf4 31. Qe2 Rg5
32. Rf1 Rhg8
33. Bf3 Qd6 34. Rd1 exf3 35.
Rxd6 fxe2+ 0-1

[Round "4"]

[White "Jerry Bergan"]

[Black "Mike Thelen"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Qxd5 3. Nc3 Qa5
4. Nf3 c6 5. a3 Bg4 6. Be2 Nf6 7.
O-O e6 8. Rb1 Nbd7 9. b4 Qc7 10.
d4 a6 11. Bg5 Bd6 12. h3 Bh5 13.
Bd3 Bg6 14. Re1
Bxd3 15. Qxd3 O-O 16. Ne4 Nxe4
17. Rxe4 h6 18. Rh4 f5 19. Bd2

Be7 20. Rh5 Nf6 21. Rh4 Nd5 22.
Rh5 Nf4 23. Bxf4 Qxf4 24. g3
Qd6 25. Ne5 Bf6 26. f4 Rad8 27.
Rd1 Kh7 28. Qf3 g6 29. Rh4 Qd5
30. Qg2 Qxg2+ 31. Kxg2 Bxh4 32.
gxh4 Kg7 33. Kf3 Kf6 34. c3 h5
35. Rg1 Rg8 36. a4 a5 37. Ke3
axb4 38. cxb4 Rg7 39. Kd3 Rd5
40. Kc4 b5+ 41. axb5 cxb5+ 42.
Kd3 Rd8 43. Kc2 Rxd4 44. Rf1
Rxb4 45. Kc3 Ra4 46. Kb3 Re4
47. Rf3 Rxe5 48. fxe5+ Kxe5 49.
Rc3 Rd7 50. Rg3 Kf6 51. Kb4 Rd5
52. Re3 e5 53. Rc30-1

[Round "3"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Nels Truelson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. Nxe5 d6 4.
Nf3 Nxe4 5. d4 d5 6. Bd3 Nc6 7.
c4 Bb4+ 8. Kf1 Be7 9. Nc3 Nf6
10. Ne5 Nb4 11. Bb1 dxc4 12.
Nxc4 O-O 13. h4 c5 14. dxc5 Bxc5
15. Be3 Qe7 16. a3 Be6 17. Bxc5
Bxc4+ 18. Kg1 Qxc5 19. axb4
Qxb4 20. Ra4 Qc5 21. Ne4 Nxe4
22. Bxe4 b5 23. Ra6 Rad8 24. Qc2
f5 25. Bf3 Rfe8 26. Kh2 Rd6 27.
Rha1 Rxa6 28. Rxa6 Qe5+ 29. g3
Re7 30. b3 Be2 31. Qc8+ Re8
32. Bd5+ Kh8 33. Qc6 f4 34. Rxa7
fxg3+ 35. fxg3 Bh5 36. Qxb5 Rd8
37. Ra5 h638. Qc6 Bf3 39. Ra8
{[White wins on time]} 1-0

[Round "1"]

[White "Nels Truelson"]

[Black "Terry Dean Likens"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. Nd2 dxe4 4.
Nxe4 Nf6 5. Nxf6+ gxf6 6. Nf3 b6
7. Bb5+c6 8. Bd3 Bb7 9. Be3 Qc7
10. c3 Nd7 11. Qc2 O-O-O 12. b4
Bd6 13. Qe2 e5 14. h3 Rde8 15.
Ba6 exd4 16. Nxd4 Bf4 17. O-O
Rhg8 18. Bxf4 Qxf4 19. Qf3 Qxf3
20. Bxb7+ Kxb7 21. Nxf3 Ne5 22.
Nxe5 fxe5 23. Rfd1 Kc7 24. Kf1
f5 25. Rd3Rd8 26. Rad1 Rxd3 27.
Rxd3 Rg6 28. Rf3 f4 29. g3 Rf6
30. Ke2 Kd6 31. Kd3 b532. Ke4
Ke6 33. gxf4 exf4 34. Rxf4 Rh6

[White "Mark Knudson"]

[Black "Terry Dean Likens"]

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

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Nc6
5. Nf3 Bd7 6. Be3 Qb6 7. Qb3 c4
8. Qc2 Qa6 9. Nbd2 b5 10. Be2
Nge7 11. O-O Nf5 12. Bf4 Be7 13.
g4 Nh4 14. Nxh4 Bxh4 15. g5 h6
16. Nf3 hgx5 17. Bxg5 Bxg5 18.
Nxx5 Rh6 19. f4 Ne7 20. Bg4
Nf5 21. Bxf5 exf5 22. Rf2 Qg6 23.
Rg2 Qh5 24. Re1 O-O-O 25. b3 f6
26. e6fxg5 27. exd7+ Rxd7 28.
Rxx5 Qh4 29. Re8+ Kc7 30. Qe2
g6 31. bxc4 bxc4 32. Qb2 Rd8 33.
Re7+ Rd7 34. Rxd7+ Kxd7 35.
35. h4 Rg6{[Black resigned on
move 39]}
36. Kd4 Rg1 37. Kc5 Rc11-0

[Round "1"]

[White "Mike Thelen"]

[Black "Jeff Barth"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 Nc6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 Bf5 4.
Ne2 e6 5. Ng3 Bg6 6. c3 Nge7 7.
Nd2 Qd7 8. b4 Nf5 9. Nb3 Nxx3
10. hxx3 Be7 11. Bd3 O-O-O 12.
a4 f6 13. exf6 Bxf6 14. b5 Nb8 15.
f4 Qf7 16. Qc2 Nd7 17. Ba3 Nb6
18. Nd2 Bxd3 19. Qxd3 g5 20. a5
Nd7 21. b6 cxb6 22. axb6 a6 23.
O-O gxf4 24. Rxf4 Qg7 25. Raf1
e5 26. dxe5 Bxe5 27. R4f3 Nxb6
28. Rf7 Qxx3 29. R1f3 Qe1+ 30.
Rf1 Qg3 31. R1f3 Qg4 32. Qb1
Nd7 33. Qd3 Rhg8 34. Qe2 Qh4
35. Rxd7
0-1

[Round "1"]

[White "Randall Koeller"]

[Black "Lyle Hanson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 f5 2. e4 fxe4 3. Nc3 Nf6 4.
Bg5 g6 5. Bxf6 exf6 6. Nxe4 Bg7
7. Nf3 O-O 8. Be2 Re8 9. Nc3 d5
10. O-O c6 11. Qd2 Bg4 12. h3
Bxf3 13. Bxf3 f5 14. Rfe1 Nd7 15.
Rxe8+ Qxe8 16. Re1 Qf7 17. Ne2
Re8 18. c3 h6 19. Nc1 Nf6
20. Rxe8+ Qxe8 21. Nd3 Ne4 22.
Qf4 Qc8 23. Bd1 g5 24. Qe3 f4 25.
Qe1 Qf5 26.

Qb7+ Kd6 36. Qb8+ Kc6 37. Qe8+
Kb7 38. Qe7+ Kb8 39. Qd8+ Kb7
40. Qxd5+ Kb8 41. Qe5+ Kb7 42.
Rg2 Kc8 43. Qc5+ Kd8 44. Qd5+
Kc8 45. Qxc4+ Kd8 46. Qd5+ Kc8
47. Qa8+ Kc7 48. Qxa7+ Kc8 49.
Qc5+ Kd8 50. Qe5 Rh7 51. Qe3
Re7 52. Qg3 Qh5 53. Rf2 Re1+
54. Rf1 Re2 55. Re1 Rxe1+ 56.
Qxe1 Qg4+ 57. Qg3 Qd1+ 58. Kg2
Qe2+ 59. Kh3 Kd7 60. Qxx6 Qf3+
61. Qg3 Qh5+ 62. Kg2 Qe2+ 63.
Qf2 Qg4+1/2-1/2

[Round "2"]

Bg4 Qf7 27. f3 h5 28. Bxh5 Qxh5
29. fxe4 dxe4 30. Qxe4 Qd1+ 31.
Kh2 Qd2 32. Qe6+ Kh7 33. Ne5
Qe1 34. Qg6+ Kh8 35. Nf7+ Kg8
36. Nh6+ Kh8 37. Nf5 Bf8
38. Qh5+ Kg8 39. Qxx5+ Kh8 40.
Qxf4 Qb1 41. Nh4 Kg8 42. Qg5+
1-0

[Round "2"]

[White "Terry Dean Likens"]

[Black "Mike Thelen"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 d5 2. e4 e6 3. e5 c5 4. dxc5
Qa5+ 5. c3 Qxc5 6. Be3 Qc7 7.
Nf3 Ne7 8. Bd3 Ng6 9. Bd4 Nc6
10. Qe2 Nxd4 11. cxd4 Qc1+ 12.
Qd1 Qxb2 13. Nbd2 Bb4 14. Bb5+
Bd7 15. Bxd7+ Kxd7 16. Qa4+
Ke7 17. Rb1 Qxb1+ 18. Ke2 Qxh1
19. Qxb4+Ke8 20. Qxb7 Rd8 21.
Ng5 Ne7 22. Nb3 Qxx2 23. Nf3
Qg6 24. Nc5 Qc2+ 25. Nd2 g6 26.
Qb5+ Kf8 27. Nd7+ Kg7 28. Nf6
Nf5 29. Qb4 Rb80-1

[Round "2"]

[White "Jeff Barth"]

[Black "Mark Knudson"]

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

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 e5 3. e4 Bc5 4.
Be2 d6 5. Nf3 Nc6 6. d3 Ng4 7.
O-O f5 8. Bg5 Nf6 9. Nd5 f4 10. a3
a5 11. Qd2 Nd4 12. Nxd4 Bxd4
13. Bh5+ Kf8 14. Nxf6
gxf6 15. Bh6+ Ke7 16. Ra2 Rg8
17. Kh1 Be6 18. g3 Bh3 19. Rg1
Qd7 20. Raa1 Bg4 21. Bxx4 Qxx4

22. Rg2 Rg6 23. Bxf4 exf4 24.
Qxf4 Qxf4 25. gxf4 Rxd2 26.
Kxg2 Rg8+ 27. Kf3 Bxb2 28. Rb1
Bxa3 29. Rxb7 Kd7 30. Rb3 Bc5
31. Rb5 Ra8 32. e5 fxe5 33. fxe5
Rf8+ 34. Ke4 Re8 35. f4 Bb6 36.
d4 a4 37. c5 dxc5 38. dxc5 Kc6 39.
Rb4 Bxc5 40. Rxa4 Rb8 41. Ra6+
Rb6 42. Rxb6+ cxb6 43. f5 b5
44. f6 b4 45. e6 Kd6 46. e7 Kd7
47. Kd3 h5 48. Kc4 Bd6 49. h3 h4
50. Kb3 Ke8 51. Kc4 Be5 52.
Kxb4 Bxf6 53. Kc4 Kxe7 54. Kd3
Ke6 55. Ke4 Ke7 56. Kd3Ke6 57.
Ke4 Be5 58. Kf3 Kf5 59. Ke3 Bb2
60. Kf3 Bc1 61. Kg2 Kf4 1/2-1/2

14. Bc4 c6 15. Ne3 Nf4 16. e5 Ne6
17. Rxd6+ Ke7 18. Rhd1 Rd8
19. Rxd8 Nxd8 20. f4 Ne6 21. g3
Bd7 22. Ng4 Nxf4 23. Nf6 Be6 24.
Bxe6 Nxe6 25. Rd7+ Kf8
26. Rxb7 Rd8 27. Rxa7 Nd4 28. c3
Nf3 29. Nxf7+ Kg7 30. Nf6 Nxe5
31. Ne4 Nd3+ 32. Kc2 Ne1+ 33.
Kb3 Rb8+ 34. Kc4 Rxb2 35. Kc5
Re2 36. Nd6 Re3 37. Rxf7+ Kg8
38. Kxc6 Rxc3+ 39. Kb6 Ra3 40.
Rf2 Nd3 41. Rd2 Nb4 42. Nc4
Rxa2 43. Rxa2 Nxa2 44. Kc5 Nc3
45. Kd4 Nb5+ 46. Ke5 Kg7 47.
Nd6 Nc7 48. g4 Kh6 49. h4 g5 50.
Nf7+ Kg6 51. Nxf5 Ne8 52. Ne6
Nf6 53. Nf4+ Kg7 54. Kf5 Nxf4
55. Kxg4 Kh6 56. h5 Kg7 57. Kg5
Kh7 58. Ne6 Kg8 59. Kg6 Kh8 60.
Ng5 Kg8 61. Nf7 1-0

[Round "4"]

[White "Bob Wallace"]

[Black "Nicholas Truelson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 d5 2. Nc3 c6 3. e4 dxe4 4.
Nxe4 Bf5 5. Ng3 Bg6 6. Nf3 e6 7.
Ne5 Bd6 8. Nxf6 hxf6 9. Qf3 Nf6
10. Bf4 Qc7 11. Bxd6 Qxd6 12.
O-O-O Nbd7 13. h3 O-O-O 14.
Be2 Qe7 15. Rhe1 Nb6 16. c3 Rh4
17. Bd3 Nbd5 18. Ne2 Qc7 19.
Bc2
Nf4 20. Nxf4 Qxf4+ 21. Qxf4
Rxf4 22. f3 Nd5 23. Rd3 Rh4 24.
Rd2 Rdh8 25. Be4 Kd7 26. Kc2

[Round "3"]

[White "Steve Shaffer"]

[Black "Serif Suljic"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 e6 4. Nf3 c5
5. c3 a6 6. Bg5 Qc7 7. Qc1 Nc6 8.
Be3c4 9. Nbd2 b5 10. b4 a5 11. a3
a4 12. Qc2 h6 13. Be2 Nge7 14.
Nh4 Nf5 15. Nxf5 exf5 16. f4 h5
17. Nf3 g6 18. O-O-O Be6 19. Ng5
Be7 20. Nxe6 fxe6 21. Bf3 O-O-O
22. h3 h4 23. Qd2 Rdg8 24. Qc2
g5 25. fxf5 Bxf5 26. Bxf5 Rxf5
27.
Qd2 Rg3 28. Qf4 Qe7 29. Kc2
Nd8 30. Rd2 Nf7 31. Bxd5 exd5
Nf6 27. Bd3 Nh5 28. Kd1 Nf4 29.
Bc2 R4h5 30. b4 Rg5 31. Re5
Rxf5 32. Rxf5 Nxf5 33. Re2 Nf4
34. Rh2 Rxf5 35. Rxf5 Nxf5 36.
Ke1 f5 37. Bd3 Nf4 38. Bf1 Nd5
39. Kd2 Ke7 40. Be2 Kf6 41. a3
Kg5 42. c4 Nf4 43. Bf1 Kf6 44.
Ke3 e5 45. dxe5+ Kxe5 46. a4 g5
47. c5 Nd5+ 0-1

[Date "2002.06.22"]

[Round "2"]

[White "Alden Meeter"]

[Black "Dick Rostrom"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4.
e4 d6 5. Nf3 O-O 6. Be2 Nbd7 7.
O-O e5 8. d5 Nc5 9. Qc2 Nh5 10.
Be3 b6 11. Nd2 f5 12. Bxf5 gxf5
13. f4 fxe4 14. Ndx4 Bf5 15.
Bxc5 bxc5 16. Qe2 Bg4 17. Qd2
exf4 18. Rxf4 Bd4+ 19. Kh1 Be5
20. Rxf8+ Qxf8 21. Qg5+ Qg7 22.
Qxf8+ Kxf8 23. h3 Bf5 24. Re1
a6 25. Nd1 Rf8
26. Nxc5 Bc8 27. Nd3 Bg3 28.
Rg1 Bf5 29. Nb4 Bc8 30. Nc3 Be5
31. Nc6 Bf6 32. Na4 Bd7 33. Rf1
Bxc6 34. dxc6 Re8 35. Nc3 Bxc6
36. bxc3 Re2 37. Rd1 Re5
38. Rd3 Rc5 39. Rd5 Rxc4 40.
Rxf5 Rxc6 41. Ra5 Kf6 42. Kg1
Rb6 43. Ra3 c6 44. Rb3 Rxb3 45.
axb3 Ke5 46. Kf2 d5 47. g3 a5 48.
Ke2 c5 49. g4 d4 50. cxd4+ Kxd4
51. Kd2 c4 52. g5 cxb3 53. h4 Ke5
54. Kc3 a4 55. h5 Kf5 56. g6 hxf6

32. Qxf5+ Kc7 33. Rf1 Ng5 34.
Qf6 Qxf6 35. Rxf6 Ne4 36. Rf7+
Kc8 37. Re2 Rxc3+ 38. Kb2 Rb3+
39. Kc1 Rxa3 40. Rc2 Rd3 41. e6
Re8 42. e7 Kd7 43. Rf5 Rxd4 44.
Rf4 Rxe7 45. Rxh4 Rd3 46. Re2 a3
0-1

[Round "2"]

[White "Jack Bier"]

[Black "Steve Schaeffer"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 d6 2. d4 Nf6 3. Nc3 g6 4.
Be3 Bg7 5. Qd2 Nc6 6. f3 e5 7.
Nge2 exd4 8. Nxd4 Nxd4 9. Bxd4
Nh5 10. O-O-O Bxd4 11. Qxd4
Qf6 12. Nd5 Qxd4 13. Rxd4 Kd7
0-1

[Round "2"]

[White "Bob Wallace"]

[Black "Steve Cahill"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. Nf3 d5 3. Nc3 Bf5 4.
e3 e6 5. Bd3 Bg6 6. Bd2 Nbd7 7.
h3 c6 8. Bxf6 hxf6 9. a3 Qc7 10.
Qe2 Bd6 11. O-O-O O-O-O 12. e4
dxe4 13. Nxe4 Nxe4 14. Qxe4 Nf6
15. Qe2 Qe7 16. b4 a5 17. c3 axb4
18. axb4 Nd5 19. Kc2 Kc7 20.
Rb1 b5 21. Rhe1 f6 22. Rb3 Ra8
23. Kb2 Ra4 24. Ra1 Rha8 25.
Rxa4 Rxa4 26. Ra3 Rxa3 27. Kxa3
Qe8 28. Qd1 Nb6 29. Kb2 Nc4+
30. Kc1 Qa8 31. Qb3 Qa1+ 32.
Qb1 Qa3+ 33. Kd1 Nxd2 34. Kxd2
Bf4+ 35. Kd3 Qc1 36. Qxc1 Kd1
37. g3 Kd6 38. h4 f5 39. Kc2 Bh6
40. Ne5 g5 41. hxf6 1-0

[Round "3"]

[White "Marc Bratten"]

[Black "Bob Wallace"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4.
Nxd4 Nc6 5. Be3 a6 6. Nc3 e6 7.
Be2 Nf6 8. O-O Bd7 9. f4 Be7 10.
a3 O-O 11. Qe1 e5 12. Nb3 exf4
13. Bxf4 b5 14. Qg3 Ne8 15. Bh6
Bh4 16. Qf4 gxf6 17. Bg4 Bxf6
18. Qxf6+ Qg5 19. Qd7 Ne5 20.
Qb7 Qe3+ 21. Kh1 Ra7 22. Qd5
Rd7 23. Qd1 Nf6 24. g3 Bg5 25.
h4 Bxf4 26. gxf4 Qh3+ 27. Kg1

Qg3+ 28. Kh1 Qxh4+ 29. Kg2
Kh8 30. Rf5 Rg8+ 31. Kf1 Qh1+
32.
Ke2 Rg2+ 33. Rf2 Rxf2+ 34. Kxf2
Nfg4+ 35. Ke2 Qg2+0-1

[Round "4"]

[White "Dan Merchant"]

[Black "Alden Meeter"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 d5 4. Nf3
Bb4 5. Qc2 c6 6. Bg5 Nbd7 7. e3
h6 8. Bh4 g5 9. Bg3 Ne4 10. a3
Qa5 11. Rc1 Bxc3+ 12. bxc3 Qxa3
13. Bd3 Nxc3 14. hxc3 dxc4 15.
Bxc4 g4 16. Nh2 Rg8 17. O-O
Qd6 18. e4 e5 19. Rfd1 Qg6 20.
Nd7 15. h4 Bg4 16. Bf4 Be7 17. e5
dxe5 18. dxe5 Nc5 19. b4 Nxd3
20. Qxd3 Rad8 21. Qe4 Qb5 22. a4
Qd3 23. Qxd3 Rxd3 24. Rad1 Rfd8
25. Rxd3 Rxd3 26. Bd2 Bxf3 27.
Rxf3 Rxd2 28. h5 Rd1+ 29. Kh2
Re1 30. Rf5 Re3 31. g4 g6 32.
hxc6 fxg60-1

TRUELSON'S TRIUMPHANT AT 2002 SOUTH DAKOTA CLOSED

Games, Annotation story and
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Round four saw some key match—
ups for the top prizes. Second—
ranked Curtis Carroll, who was
stalled for a draw in round one by
Nick Truelson, now was paired
against the father, who would take
over where his son had left off.
Meanwhile, Nick squared off
against former state champion

Qb3 Nb6 21. Nxc4 0-1

[Round "3"]

[White "Dick Rostrom"]

[Black "Dan Merchant"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 g6 3. g3 Bg7 4.
Bg2 O-O 5. Nf3 Nc6 6. O-O b6 7.
d4 e6 8. d5 exd5 9. cxd5 Ne7 10.
d6 cxd6 11. Qxd6 Bb7 12. Bg5
Nf5 13. Qd2 Re8 14. Rad1 Bc6 15.
a4 Qc7 16. Bf4 Qb7 17. Nb5 Nd5
18. b3 Nxf4 19. gxf4 a6 20. Na3
Rac8 21. Ne1 Nh4 22. Bxc6 Qxc6
23. f3 Nf5 24. e4 Qc5+ 25. Qf2
Bd4 26. Rxd4 Nxd4 27. Nc4 Ne2+
28. Kg2 Nxf4+ 29. Kh1 Qxf2 30.
Mark Knudson, who shared the
lead with Nick in the race for the
state junior title.

White: Nels Truelson Black:
Curtis Carroll

(Annotations by Nels Truelson)

1. e4 c5
2. Nf3 Nc6
3. d4 cxd
4. Nxd4e5
5. Nb5 a6

This variation is not as
popular as 5....d6, partly due to
the option of trading queens given
to White.

6. Nd6+Bxd6
7. Qxd6Qe7

Again, the more
frequently seen line is 7....Qf6,
where Black seeks greater activity
for his queen.

8. Qd1 Nf6
9. Nc3 d6
10. g3!/?.....

The more forcing and
ostensibly sharper 10.Bg5 also
tends to result in early trades with
a resolution of certain center
control issues. The text offers a
more positional approach, freezing
Black's pawn at d6 without
offering the trades allowed by
occupation of the d5 square.

Rxf2 Rc6 31. Rd2 b5 32. Nd6 Re7
33. axb5 axb5 34. Nxb5 Rc1 35.
Kg1 Rxe1+ 36. Kf2 Rb1 37. Nd4
Ne6 38. Nxe6 dxe6 39. Rd3 Rb7
40. Kg3 R7xb3 41. Rd8+ Kg7 42.
h4 Rf10-1

Round "1"]

[White "John Bergan"]

[Black "Alden Meeter"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 e5 2. Bc4 Nf6 3. Nc3 c6 4. f4
Bb4 5. fxe5 Bxc3 6. exf6 Bxf6 7.
d4 Qb6 8. Nf3 Qb4+ 9. Nd2 O-O
10. c3 Qb6 11. O-O d6 12. Nf3
Be6 13. Bd3 h6 14. Kh1

10..... h6
11. Bg2 Be6
12. Be3 0-0
13. Qd2.....

White holds open the
option of castling either side as
long as possible. The text also
prepares to build pressure along
the d file, or attack quickly at the
heart of the black king's camp.
13..... Ne8
14. 0-0.....

And with Black's rooks
temporarily disconnected and his
pieces drawn back in preparation
for a center pawn thrust, White
commits to a positional strategy,
where the liquidation of the center
pawn mass will make his bishops
formidable.

14..... f5
15. f4! Rd8
16. Nd5!.....

Now is the time! If Black
tries to trade with 16....Bxd5, he
drops a pawn with 17.Qxd5+, Kh8
(17....Qf7 18.exf) 18.fxc, dxe
19.Be5 and the f pawn falls.
16..... Qf7
17. exf Qxf5

If 17....Bxf5, 18.fxc,

Nxc5 (18....dxc 19.g4) 19.Rxf5.
 18. fxe Qxc5
 19. Rxf8+ Kxf8
 20. Rf1+ Kg8
 21. Bb6 Rd7
 22. Re1 Qf5
 23. Nf4 Ne5

If 23....Bf7, 24.Bh3.

24. Nxc6 Nc4
 25. Qf2 Rf7
 26. Qxf5Rxf5
 27. Nd4 Rf8
 28. Bd5+
 1-0

Ironically, Black's final deficit will be the two bishops that have haunted his pieces. Fine play. 9....Nxc4 drops a piece after 10.Qc4.

10.Nxg4

Perhaps a little too anxious to rid Black of his bishop pair. After 10.f3, Be6 11.Bf4, Qc5+ 12.Be3, Exc3 13.Nxc3, White stands very well in the endgame.

10..... Nxg4
 11.Qh3.....
 After 11.Qg3, Qxg3 12.hxg3, Bc4, White is in a bind.
 11..... h5
 12.Nd2 0-0-0!
 13.Nb3.....

On 13.f3 Kb8 14.fxg4, White is in trouble after 14....hxg4 15.Qxg4 (not 15.Qg3?, Qxg3 16.hxg3, Bc4+ 17.Rf2, Rh1+ 18.Kxh1, Bxf2 19.Nf1, Rd1 and it's all over), Qxh2+ 20.Kf2, f5! 21.exf, Bc4+ etc.

13.....Kb8
 14.f3 Ne5
 15.Be3 b6

If Black tries to confine the white queen with 15....h4, 16.Bc5, Qf6 17.f4! picks up material.

White: Nick Truelson
 Black: Mark Knudson
 (Annotations by Nick and Nels Truelson)

1.e4 e5
 2.Nf3 Nc6
 3.Bb5 a6
 4.Bxc6.....

Dad had suggested playing something quiet to make Knudson fight for more than the draw; the following isn't exactly what he had in mind.

4..... dxc6
 5.d4 exd
 6.Qxd4 Bg4
 16.Qg3 h4
 17.Qf2.....

Threatening 18.Bxb6.

17..... Nc4
 18Bd4 Bf6
 19.Bxf6 Qxf6
 20.c3 Ne5
 21.Rad1.....

23.f4! was very strong, leaving only very awkward choices for the black knight.

21..... Rxd1
 22.Rxd1 h3
 23,f4 Nc4
 24,g3 g5
 25,fxg.....

While White sees that 25....Qxf2+ 26.Kxf2, Nxb2 27.Rd7 wins easily, an alternate simplification with 25.Qd4, Qxd4 26.Rxd4, Nxb2 27.fxg would also win, albeit with a bit more work. Along another avenue, 25.e5 followed by Nd4 would have given Black a difficult game.

25... Qxg5
 26,Nd4 c5
 27.Nf3 Qe7

7.Qc3!?.....

He thinks this is what I meant by "keeping it simple?" After 7.Qxd8+, Rxd8 8.Nfd2 (or 8.Nbd2), White is into a comfortable Ruy Lopez exchange variation ending, and my blood pressure remains low while I watch.

7..... Nf6
 8.0-0 Be7

If 8....Nxc4?, 9.Re1, f5 10.h3, Bh5 11.g4, and Black is toast.

9.Ne5! Qd6!

28.b3 Nd6
 29.Re1! f6
 30.Qe3 Re8
 31.e5 fxe
 32,Nxe5 Kc8
 33.Qf3 Nb7
 34.Nd3.....

With Black on the Brink of destruction, White again opts not to simplify. After 34.Qf5+, Qe6 35.Qxe6+, Rxe6 36.Nf3, Black's h pawn falls in short order, leaving a hopeless endgame.

34..... Qd7
 35.Rxe8+Qxe8
 36,Qf5+ Kd8
 37,Qxh3?.....

With the time control approaching, both sides make inaccuracies. 37.Qd5+, Kc8 38.Ne5! seals Black's fate, as he is then relegated to passive moves as White proceeds to advance on the king side.

37..... Qc3+
 38.Nf2 Qe1+?

And in the final move before time control, White gives up the opportunity to win his pawn back.

39.Qf1 Qxc3
40.Qxa6 Qa1+
41.Kg2 Nd6
42.h4 Nf5
43.h5 Qe5
44.Qd3+Kc8
45.g4 Ne7
46.Qe4 Qf6
47.Kg3 Kd7
48.Nh3.....

White is too focused on driving his pawns home. Queen and knight endings can be very dangerous, but it is Black's king that is more exposed. 50.Nd3 not only keeps White's knight central according to general principles, but it creates direct threats against the black monarch to further complicate

Black's defense against the pawns.

48..... Qc3+
49.Kh4 Qf6+
50.g5 Qf1
51.h6 Nf5+5.2.Kg4 Nd6
53.Qf3 Qb1
54.Kh5 Qxa2
55.h7 Qb2
56.Qf8?.....

56.Qf6, and the fat lady sings.

56..... Qe2+
57.Kh6 Qe6+
58.Qf6?.....

Ironically, the move that made for an easy win two moves before now gives up the draw. White must bring his king to g7 and sacrifice his queen for the knight upon a

check. With the extra piece to aid the remaining passed pawn, the win would not be overly complex.

58..... Qxh3+
59.Kg6 Qd3+
60.Kh6 Qh3+½-½

This exciting contest left the two juniors tied, along with Isaac Gerdes who won his fourth round to pull even with them. In the final round, all were paired up. Mark and Isaac succumbed to the higher rating, while Nick again drew, taking home the state junior title, and remaining the only undefeated (with four draws!) player of the tournament, besides Dad (sigh).

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Name	rtg	rd1	rd2	rd3	rd4	rd5	tot
1.Nels Truelson	2200	W10	W13	D3	W2	W4	4.5
2.Curtis Carroll	1848	D6	W10	W9	L1	W7	3.5
3.Lyle Hanson	1820	W14	W8	D1	L4	W9	3.5
4.Terry Likens	1805	W16	W5	D7	W3	L1	3.5
5.Randall Koeller	1670	X--	L4	W13	D8	D6	3
6.Nicholas Truelson	1505	D2	W14	D8	D7	D5	3
7.Mark Knudson	1812	W11	D9	D4	D6	L2	2.5
8.Robert Wallace	1707	W12	L3	D6	D5	D13	2.5
9.Isaac Gerdes	1622	W18	D7	L2	W15	L3	2.5
10.Jerry Bergan	1566	L1	L2	W12	D11	W14	2.5
11.Jill Likens	1440	L7	D12	D15	D10	W18	2.5
12.David Knudson	1037	L8	D11	L10	W18	W15	2.5
13.Daniel Schmidt	1747	W15	L1	L5	D14	D8	2

14.Dick Rostrom	1500	L3	L6	W18	D13	L10	1.5
15.Zachary Truelson	1216	L13	W18	D11	L9	L12	1.5
16.Mark Gerdes	1321	L4	H--	-----	-----	-----	0
17.Theodore Schmidt	785	F--	-----	-----	-----	-----	0
18.Keyton Warwick	unr	L9	L15	L14	L12	L11	0

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[Round "1"]

[White "Jerry Bergan"]

[Black "Nels Truelson"]

[Result "0-1"]

Qh1+ 33. Qg1 Qxg1+ 34. Kxg1
Nf4 35. Bd2 Ne6 36. Kf2 f6 37.
Nd3 Kf7 38. g4 g5 39. Be3 Kg6
40. c4 dxc4 41. bxc4 b6 42. c5 Bf8
43. cxb6 axb6 44. d5 cxd5 45.
Bxb6 Ba3 46. Ke3 f5 47. Ba5 fxg4
48. fxg4 Kf6 49. Bc3+ Ke7 50.
Bb4+
Bxb4 51. Nxb4 Kd6 52. Nd3 Kc6
53. Ne5+ Kc5 54. Nf3 Kc4 55.
Kd2 d4 56. a4 Kb4 57. Kd3 Kxa4
58. Nxd4 Nc5+ 59. Ke3 Nd7
1/2-1/2

[Round "1"]

[White "Dick Rostrom"]

[Black "Lyle Hanson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nc3 g6 3. g3 Bg7 4.
Bg2 O-O 5. e3 c6 6. Nge2 d6 7.
O-O Nbd7 8.d4 Qc7 9. b3 Nb6 10.
Bb2 d5 11. c5 Nbd7 12. b4 e5 13.
a4 b6 14. a5 Ba6 15.axb6 axb6 16.
Rc1 bxc5 17. bxc5 Rfb8 18. Ba1
Bc4 19. Rb1 Rxb1 20. Qxb1 Qa5
21. Re1 Qa6 22. Bf1 Bd3 23. Qb2
exd4 24. exd4 Re8 25. Qd2 Ng4
26. Nf4 Rxe1 27. Qxe1 Bxf1 28.
Qxf1 Qxf1+ 29. Kxf1 Bxd4 30. f3

1. e4 e5 2. f4 exf4 3. Nf3 d6 4. Bc4
h6 5. O-O g5 6. d4 Bg7 7. c3 Nc6
8.Re1 Nge7 9. Na3 O-O 10. Nc2
d5 11. Bd3 dxe4 12. Bxe4 Bf5 13.
Bd3 Qd7 14.Bxf5 Qxf5 15. Re2
Rad8 16. b3 Ng6 17. Ba3 Rfe8 18.
Rxe8+ Rxe8 19. Nb4 g4 20. Nd2
Nxd4 21. cxd4 Bxd4+ 22. Kf1
Bxa1 23. Qxa1 a5 24. Nc4 axb4
25. Bxb4
b5 26. Na5 Qd3+ 27. Kg1
0-1

[Round "1"]

[White "Curtis Carroll"]

[Black "Nicholas Truelson"]

Ne3+ 31. Ke2 Nxc5 32. Nd3Nb3
33. Bb2 Nc4 34. Nd1 Nxb2 35.
N1xb2 Kf8 36. Nd1 Ke7 37. Ne3
Kd6 38. f4
c5 39. Ng4 c4 40. Ne1 f5 41. Ne3
Bxe3 42. Kxe3 d4+ 43. Ke2 Kd5
44. Nf3 d3+ 45. Kd1 c3 46. Ne1
Ke4 47. h3 c2+ 48. Nxc2 dxc2+
49. Kxc2 Nd4+ 50. Kd2 Kf351.
Kd3 Ne6 0-1

[Round "2"]

[White "Jerry Bergan"]

[Black "Curtis Carroll"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. e4 c5 2. f4 d6 3. Nf3 Nc6 4. c3
e5 5. f5 d5 6. exd5 Qxd5 7. b3
Bxf5 8.Be2 e4 9. Bc4 Qd8 10. Qe2
Be7 11. Ng1 Nf6 12. h3 O-O 13.
Na3 Ne5 14. g4 Bg615. Bb2 a6 16.
Qe3 Nd5 17. Bxd5 Bh4+ 18. Kf1
Qxd5 19. c4 Qd3+ 20. Qxd3 Nxd3
21. Bc3 f5 22. Ke2 f4 23. Rf1 f3+
24. Nxf3 exf3+ 25. Ke3 Rae8+
0-1

[Round "2"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Bob Wallace"]

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

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. Nxe5 d6 4.
Nc4 Nxe4 5. d3 Nf6 6. Be2 d5 7.
Ne5 Bd6 8. d4 O-O 9. O-O Re8
10. Nd3 Bf5 11. Bg5 Nbd7 12.
Nd2 c6 13. c3 Qc7 14. h3 Re7 15.
Re1 h6 16. Be3 Rae8 17. Nf1 Re6
18. Bg4 Bxg4 19. hxg4 Ne4 20. f3
Ng3 21. Bf2 Rxe1 22. Bxe1 Nxf1
23. Kxf1 Nb6 24. b3 Qe7 25. Bf2
Qg5 26. Qc2 Nd7 27. Re1 Rxe1+
28. Bxe1 h5 29. gxh5 Qxh5 30.
Qf2 Nf8 31. Qe3 Ne6 32. Ne5

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 cxd4 4.
Nxd4 d6 5. Bc4 e6 6. Nc3 a6 7. a4
Be7 8.Be3 Nf6 9. Qf3 Ne5 10. Qe2
Nxc4 11. Qxc4 Bd7 12. f3 e5 13.
Nde2 Rc8 14. Qd3Qc7 15. g4 Be6
16. Rc1 Nd7 17. Nd5 Bxd5 18.
exd5 Qa5+ 19. Nc3 Nc5 20. Qc4
Qc7 21. O-O Qd7 22. a5 O-O 23.
Qa2 Qe8 24. b4 Nd7 25. Ne4 f5
26. gxf5 Rxf527. c4 Qf7 28. Qg2
Qf8 29. Qh3 Qf7 30. Ng3
{(Win on time)}1-0

[Round "2"]

[White "Terry Likens"]

[Black "Randall Koeller"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 d5 2. e4 c6 3. Nc3 dxe4 4. f3
e5 5. Be3 Bb4 6. dxe5 Qxd1+ 7.
Rxd1 exf3 8. Nxf3 Be6 9. Bd2 Ne7
10. Ne4 Bxd2+ 11. Rxd2 O-O 12.
Nd6 b6 13. Be2 Nd7 14. O-O Ng6
15. Bc4 Ndx5 16. Nxe5 Nxe5 17.
Bxe6 fxe6 18. Re1 Nf7 19.
Rxe6 Nxd6 20. Rxd6 Rae8 21. h3
c5 22. Rd7 Rf7 23. b3 Ree7 24.
Rd8+ Rf8 25. Rxf8+ Kxf8 26. Kf2
Kf7 27. Kf3 h6 28. Kf4 Rc7 29. c4

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Re7 30. g4 Rc7 31. h4
 Re7 32. h5 Kf6 33. Rd6+ Kf7 34.
 Kf5 Rc7 35. a4 Ke7 36. Ke5 Kf7
 37. a5 bxa5 38. Ra6 Rb7 39. Rxa5
 Rxb3 40. Rxa7+ Kg8 41. Rc7 Rg3
 42. Kf4 Rg1 43. Rxc5 Rf1+ 44.
 Ke5 Rg1 45. Kf5 Rf1+ 46. Ke6
 Rf4 47. Rc8+ Kh7 48. c5 Rxc4 49.
 Rf8
 g5 50. hxc6+ Rxc6+ 51. Rf6 Rg1
 52. c6 Rc1 53. Kd7 h5 54. c7 Kg7
 55. Rd6
 1-0

[Round "2"]
 [White "Nels Truelson"]
 [Black "Dan Schmidt"]
 [Result "1-0"]
 1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. Nd2 Nf6 4. e5
 Nfd7 5. f4 c5 6. c3 Nc6 7. Ngf3
 Qb6 8. Nb3 c4 9. Nbd2 Be7 10.
 Be2 Qd8 11. b3 b5 12. a4 bxa4 13.
 bxc4 dxc4 14. Nxc4 Nb6 15. Nxb6
 Qxb6 16. Qxa4 O-O 17. Ba3 Bxa3
 18. Qxa3 a5 19. O-O Ba6 20. Rfb1
 Qc7 21. Bxa6 Rxa6 22. Qc5 Rfa8
 23. Ng5 Qd7 24. Qb5 Qa7 25. Qb7
 Kf8 26. Ne4 Rb8 27. Qxa7 Rxa7
 28. Rxb8+ Nxb8 29. Rb1 Nd7 30.

(Round "3")
 [White "Bob Wallace"]
 [Black "Nick Truelson"]
 [Result "1/2-1/2"]
 1. d4 d5 2. Nc3 c6 3. Bf4 Bf5 4. e3
 Nf6 5. Bd3 Bxd3 6. Qxd3 g6 7.
 Nge2 Bg7 . h3 O-O 9. O-O Nbd7
 10. Rab1 Re8 11. Qd1 e5 12. dxe5
 Nxe5 13. Bxe5 Rxe5 4. Ng3 Qc7
 15. Nce2 Rae8 16. c3 Bh6 17. Nd4
 Ne4 18. Nxe4 Rxe4 19. a3 Bg5
 20. Nf3 Bf6 21. Nd2 R4e6 22. Qc2
 Bd8 23. Nf3 Rf6 24. Rbd1 Re4 25.
 Rd4 Rxd4 26. exd4 Re6 27. Qd2
 1/2-1/2

[Round "3"]
 [White "Randall Koeller"]
 [Black "Daniel Schmidt"]
 [Result "1-0"]
 1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 c5 3. d5 b5 4. cxb5
 a6 5. bxa6 Bxa6 6. Nc3 d6 7. e4
 Bxf1 8. Kxf1 Nbd7 9. Nf3 g6 10.

Nc5
 1-0
 [Round "2"]
 [White "Nicholas Truelson"]
 [Black "Dick Rostrom"]
 [Result "1-0"]
 1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4.
 Bd3 Nf6 5. c3 g6 6. Nf3 Bg7 7.
 O-O O-O 8. Re1 Nbd7 9. Nbd2 a6
 10. Nf1 b5 11. Ng3 Bb7 12. Bf4
 Nb6 13. Qc1 Re8 14. Bh6
 Bh8 15. Ne5 Nc4 16. Be2 Nd7 17.
 Nxd7 Qxd7 18. h3 e5 19. b3 Nd6
 20. Bg4 Qc6 21. dxe5 Bxe5 22.
 Ne2 d4 23. Bf3 Qb6 24. Bxb7
 Nxb7 25. cxd4 Bh8 26. Qd2 Rad8
 27. Be3 Qe6 28. Rad1 Qf6 29. Bg5
 Qd6 30. Bxd8 Rxd8 31. d5 b4 32.
 Qd3 Nc5 33. Qc4 Nd7 34. Nd4
 Ne5 35. Qc2 Qb6 36. Nc6 Nxc6
 37. Qxc6 Qb8 38. d6 Bc3 39. Re7
 Qa8 40. Qxa8 Rxa8 41. d7 Kf8 42.
 d8=Q+ Rxd8 43. Rxd8+ Kxe7 44.
 Rb8 f5 45. Rg8 a5 46. Ra8 Bb2 47.
 Rxa5 Ke6 48. Kf1 h6 49. Ke2 h5
 50. Ke3 Kf6 51. f41-0
 g3 Bg7 11. Kg2 O-O 12. Qc2 Qb6
 13. Rb1 Rfb8 14. a3 Qb3 15. Qxb3
 Rxb3 16. Nd2 Rb7 17. Nc4 Ng4
 18. Bd2 Nge5 19. Nxe5 Nxe5 20.
 Ne2 Nc4 21. Bc3 Rab8 22. Bxg7
 Kxg7 23. Nc3 Rxb2 24. Rxb2
 Rxb2 25. Rb1 Rc2 26. Nb5 Ra2
 27. Rb3 Na5 28. Rc3 f6 29. Na7
 Kf7 30. Nb5 Ke8 31. Nc7+ Kf7
 32.
 g4 g5 33. h3 Kg6 34. Kg3 h6 35.
 Ne6 Kf7 36. Nd8+ Ke8 37. Ne6
 Kf7 38. Kf3 Kg6 39. Nd8 h5 40.
 Nc6 hxc4+ 41. hxc4 Nb7 42.
 Nxe7+ Kf7 43. Nc6 Ke8 44. Rb3
 c4 45. Rxb7 Rxa3+ 46. Kg2 c3 47.
 Rb1 Ra4 48. Kf3 Rc4 49. Rc1 Kd7
 50. Rc2 Kc7 51. Ke3 Kb6 52. Kd3
 1-0

[Round "3"]
 [White "Mark Knudson"]
 [Black "Terry Likens"]
 [Result "1/2-1/2"]
 1. e4 e6 2. f4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Nc6

[Round "3"]
 [White "Curtis Carroll"]
 [Black "Isaac Gerdes"]
 [Result "1-0"]
 1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Nf6 3. Nc3 Nxd5
 4. Qf3 Nxc3 5. dxc3 g6 6. Bc4 e6
 7. Nh3 Bg7 8. Bg5 f6 9. Bd2 O-O
 10. O-O-O Qe7 11. Rhe1 Kh8 12.
 Nf4 e5 13. Qd3 Bf5 14. Qe2 c6 15.
 g4 Bd7 16. h4 b6 17. Bb3 a5 18.
 a3 Qe8 19. h5 exf4 20. Qf3 Qc8
 21. hxc6 Bxc6 22. Rh1 h6 23.
 Qxf4 h5 24. f3 Qf5 25. fxc4 Qxf4
 26. Bxf4
 1-0

[Round "3"]
 [White "Lyle Hanson"]
 [Black "Nels Truelson"]
 [Result "1/2-1/2"]
 1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. Nxe5 d6 4.
 Nf3 Nxe4 5. d4 d5 6. Bd3 Nc6 7.
 O-O Be7 8. c4 Nf6 9. Nc3 O-O 10.
 h3 Nb4 11. Re1 Nxd3 12. Qxd3
 dxc4 13. Qxc4 c6 14. Bf4 h6 15.
 Rad1 Bd6 16. Bxd6 Qxd6 17. d5
 1/2-1/2

5. Nf3 Nge7 6. d4 cxd4 7. cxd4
 Nf5 8. Bb5 Qa5+ 9. Nc3 Bb4 10.
 Bd2 O-O 11. Bxc6 bxc6 12. g4
 Nh6 13. h3 Ba6 14. Qc2 Bxc3 15.
 bxc3 Qb5 16. Be3 Rab8 17. Kf2
 Qb2 18. Qd2 Rb7 19. Rhb1 Qxd2+
 20.
 Nxd2 Rfb8 21. Rxb7 Rxb7 22. Rb1
 Rxb1 23. Nxb1 f6 24. f5 exf5 25.
 Bxb6 gxb6 26. gxf5 fxe5 27. dxe5
 Bd3 28. Nd2 Bxf5 29. h4 Kf7 30.
 Ke3 Ke6 31. Kf4 Bc2
 32. Nf3 c5 33. Nh2 Bd1 34. Nf1
 Bc2 35. Ne3 Bb1 36. a3 a5 37.
 Ng4 h5 38. Nh2 h6 39. Nf1 d4 40.
 cxd4 cxd4 41. Nd2 Bg6 42. Nb3
 d3 43. Ke3 a4 44. Nc5+ Kxe5 45.
 Nxa4 d2 46. Nc3 d1=Q 47. Nxd1
 Kd5 48. Nb2 Bf5 49. Nd3 Kc4 50.
 Ne5+ Kb3 51. Nf7 Kxa3 52. Nxh6
 Bg6 53. Kf4 Kb4 54. Kg5 Be8 55.
 Nf5 Kc5 56. Ng7 Ba4 57. Kxh5
 Bd1+ 58. Kg5 Kd6 59. Nf5+ Ke6
 60. Ng3
 1/2-1/2

[Round "4"]

[White "Terry Likens"]

[Black "Lyle Hanson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. Nc3 d5 3. e4 dxe4 4. f3 exf3 5. Nxf3 c6 6. Bd3 Bg4 7. Be3 Qc7 8. O-O e6 9. Qd2 Bd6 10. h3 Bxf3 11. Rxf3 Nbd7 12. Re1 O-O-O 13. a3 e5 14. b4 exd4 15. Bxd4 Ne5 16. Rff1 Nxd3 17. Qxd3 Kb8 18. Rd1 Nh5 19. Ne4 Bh2+ 20. Kh1 Rhe8 21. g4 Rxd4 22. Qxd4 Rxe4 23. Qd8+ Qxd8 24. Rxd8+ Kc7 25. Rfd1 Re2 26. gxh5 Rxc2 27. R8d7+ Kb6 28. Rxf7 Be5 29. Rdd7 Rh2+ 30. Kg1 Rxh3 31. Rxb7+ Ka6 32. Rxa7+ Kb5 33. Ra5+1-0

[Round "4"]

[White "Bob Wallace"]

[Black "Randall Koeller"]

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

1. d4 d5 2. Nc3 Nf6 3. Bg5 e6 4. e4 dxe4 5. Bxf6 Qxf6 6. Nxe4 Qd8 7. Nf3 Be7 8. c3 c6 9. Qc2 Nd7 10. Bd3 h6 11. O-O O-O 12. Rad1 Qc7 13. Rfe1 b6 14. Ng3 Nf6 15. h3 Nxf3+ 8. Nxf3 c6 9. O-O Bd6 10. h3 Bxf3 11. Bxf3 Bc7 12. g3 Qd7 13. Bg2 O-O-O 14. Qf3 h6 15. Rd1 Qe6 16. Bd2 Ne4 17. Be1 Ng5 18. Qg4 Qxg4 19. hxg4 h5 20. gxh5 Rxh5 21. Bc3 f6 22. Rd4 Ne6 23. Rdd1 Rd6 24. Bf3 Rh8 25. Kg2 Rf8 26. Rh1 Rg8 27. Bh5 Rf8 28. Be2 Ng5 29. Rh4 1/2-1/2

[Round "5"]

[White "Lyle Hanson"]

[Black "Isaac Gerdes"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Nf6 3. d4 Nxd5 4. Bc4 e6 5. Nf3 Be7 6. O-O O-O 7. Nbd2 Nd7 8. Ne4 b6 9. c3 N7f6 10. Ng3 Bb7 11. Bd3 c5 12. Re1 Qc7 13. Bg5 c4 14. Bc2 h6 15. Bxf6 Bxf6 16. Nh5 Rfd8 17. Ne5 Bxe5 18. Rxe5 Qe7 19. Qg4 g5 20. h4 Nf6 21. Nxf6+ Qxf6 22. hxg5 hxg5 23. Rxc5+ Kf8 24. Re1 Rd5 25.

Bb7 16. Ne4 Nd5 17. Qd2 Rad8 18. Bb1 c5 19. Qc2 g6 20. dxc5 Bxc5 21. Nxc5 Qxc5 22. Rxe6 Nf4 23. Rxd8 Nxe6 24. Rxf8+ Kxf8 25. Ne1 Qg5 26. f3 Nf4 27. Kh1 Qe5 28. Qd2 Ne2 29. Qxh6+ Kg8 30. Nd3 Ng3+ 31. Kg1 Qf5 32. Kf2 Ne4+ 33. Ke3 1/2-1/2

Round "4"]

[White "Daniel Schmidt"]

[Black "Dick Rostrom"]

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

1. d4 Nf6 2. e3 g6 3. Bd3 Bg7 4. c4 d6 5. Nc3 O-O 6. Nge2 Nbd7 7. f3 e5 8. d5 Nc5 9. Bc2 Bd7 10. e4 Ne8 11. O-O f5 12. exf5 Bxf5 13. Ng3 Bxc2 14. Qxc2 Nf6 15. Bg5 Qe8 16. Rae1 Qf7 17. Qd2 Nh5 18. Nxe5 gxh5 19. Ne4 Nd7 20. Be3 Qg6 21. Ng5 Nc5 22. Bxc5 dxc5 23. Ne6 Rf7 24. Nxe7 Rxe7 25. Rxe5 Rf8 26. Re6 Qf5 27. Qe2 h4 28. Re4 h3 29. g3 Qf6 30. Re5 Qh4 31. Qf2 b6 32. Rfe1 Qf6 33. Re8 Qd4 34. Qxd4 cxd4 35. R8e5 Rf4 36. R5e4 Rxe4 37. Rxe4 d3 38. Rxd5 Bxd5 26. Re5 Qh8 27. b3 b5 28. Rh5 Qg7 29. Rg5 Qh8 30. Qg3 Ke7 31. Qc7+ Kf6 32. Rg4 Qh3 33. Rf4+ Kg7 34. Qxf7+ Kh8 35. Rf6 Qh4 36. Rg6 Qh7 37. Qf6+ 1-0

[Round "5"]

[White "Curtis Carroll"]

[Black "Mark Knudson"]

[Result "1-0"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 a6 4. Ba4 b5 5. Bb3 Bc5 6. c3 d6 7. d4 exd4 8. Nxd4 Qf6 9. Be3 Bxd4 10. cxd4 Qh4 11. Nd2 Nf6 12. Qf3 Bg4 13. Qg3 Qh5 14. f3 Bd7 15. Qxg7 Ke7 16. Qg5 Qxg5 17. Bxg5 Rhg8 18. Bxf6+ Kxf6 19. d5 Ne5 20. g3 Rac8 21. Ke2 b4 22. Rac1 a5 23. Nc4 Bb5 24. Ke3 Bxc4 25. Bxc4 c5 26. dxc6 Rxc6 27. Bd5 Rc5 28. Rxc5 dxc5 29. Rc1 Re8 30. b3 Ke7 31. h3 f6 32. f4 Nd7 33. Kd3 Nb6 34. Ke3 Kd6 35.

Rd4 Re7 39. Rxd3 Re2 40. Rb3 Rg2+ 41. Kh1 Rd2 42. Kg1 Rd1+ 43. Kf2 Rd2+ 44. Kg1 Rg2+ 1/2-1/2

[Round "5"]

[White "Randall Koeller"]

[Black "Nicholas Truelson"]

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

1. d4 d5 2. c4 c6 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. cxd5 Nxd5 5. e4 Nxc3 6. bxc3 e5 7. Bc4 exd4 8. Ne2 d3 9. Nf4 Bd6 10. Nxd3 O-O 11. Bf4 Bxf4 12. Nxf4 Nd7 13. O-O Ne5 14. Bb3 Qg5 15. Ne2 Qg6 16. Ng3 Be6 17. f4 1/2-1/2

[Event "2002 SD Closed"]

[Site "Oacoma,SD"]

[Date "2002.07.14"]

[Round "5"]

[White "Daniel Schmidt"]

[Black "Bob Wallace"]

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

1. d4 d5 2. e3 Nf6 3. Bd3 Nc6 4. Nf3 Bg4 5. Nbd2 e5 6. dxe5 Nxe5 7. Be2

Rd1 Ke7 36. Bc4 a4 37. Kd3 a3 38. Kc2 Nxc4 39. bxc4 Rd8 40. Rd5 Rxd5 41. cxd5 h5 42. g4 hxg4 43. hxg4 Kd6 44. Kb3 Ke7 45. Kc4 Kd6 46. g5 Ke7 47. g6 Kf8 48. d6 1-0

[Round "5"]

[White "Terry Likens"]

[Black "Nels Truelson"]

[Result "0-1"]

1. d4 Nf6 2. Nc3 d5 3. e4 dxe4 4. f3 exf3 5. Nxf3 g6 6. Be3 Bg7 7. Qd2 Bg4 8. Be2 Nc6 9. O-O-O Nd5 10. Nxd5 Qxd5 11. Kb1 O-O-O 12. h3 Be6 13. c4 Qa5 14. g4 Qxd2 15. Rxd2 Bd7 16. a3 b6 17. b4 e6 18. c5 Ne7 19. cxb6 axb6 20. Rc1 Nd5 21. Ba6+ Kb8 22. Bf2 Bc8 23. Bc4 Bb7 24. Rd3 Nf4 25. Rdc3 Nxb3 26. Bg3 Bxf3 27. Rxf3 Ng5 28. Rff1 Rxd4 29. Be2 e5 30.

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SCHEDULE

7th Governor's Cup Chess Tournament

October 11-October 13, 2002
100 GRAND PRIX POINTS
\$10,000 UNCONDITIONALLY
GUARANTEED PRIZE FUND
Holiday Inn, City Centre, 100 West
8th St., Sioux Falls, South Dakota
(605) 339-2000
Three sections: OPEN,
PREMIER (U2000) RESERVE (U1600)
Open Section FIDE rated
Registration: October 11, 2002, 4:00-
5:30 pm
Byes, One ½ point available per
player in first three rounds if TD
told beforehand.

5 -round Swiss: Time control
40/2, SD/1 Rounds- All sections
October 11: 6pm;
October 12: 10am: 4:00pm; October
13: 9am; 3:00pm Blitz: 9pm
Oct. 12, 2002 \$10

Entry Fees: \$50 in advance, \$70 if
postmarked after Oct. 5. Free entry
to all GM's, IM's and persons rated
above 2400; \$30 to persons under 18
if entering RESERVE SECTION if
entry postmarked by October 5;

OPEN SECTION PRIZES
Place Prizes: \$1200 - \$1000 - \$800 -
\$600
Master: \$500-\$300-\$100
Expert: \$400-\$250-\$100
Under 2000: \$200-\$100
PREMIER (Under 2000)
Place Prizes: \$700-\$500-\$300
Top B: \$300-\$200-\$100
Under 1600: \$175-\$100
RESERVE (Under 1600)
Place Prizes: \$600-\$400-\$200
Top D: \$300-\$200-\$100
Under 1200: \$175-\$100
SCHOLASTIC: (OPEN TO K-12)
October 12, 2002 Four sections: K-
12; K-9; K-6; K-3 (no membership

required in K-3 for those persons
who have never bought a USCF
membership) Registration: October
12, 2002 7:30-8:30am (Those not in
line by 8:30am may not be paired
for 1st round) 5-round
Swiss Time Control: Game/60
Rounds: 9-11-1-3-5 Entry Fees: \$10 in
advance, \$15 if postmarked after
Oct. 5 Teammates may be paired
with each other if necessary to pair
rounds or produce a clear winner..
PRIZES: Trophies to Top 5 and Top 3
Teams in each section (Team
score = top 4 scores from each team)
HOTEL: Holiday Inn, City
Centre, 100 West 8th St., Sioux Falls,
South Dakota (605) 339-2000. Ask for
chess rate \$79.00 For more
information contact Sioux Empire
Chess Foundation, 2100 Slaten
Court, Sioux Falls, SD 57103
(605) 338-
9431, knudson1@sio.midco.net
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Coyote Classic Chess Tournament

November 2, 2002 in Vermillion,
SD
at the USD Coyote Student
Center (where else)

Visit us online at
www.usd.edu/~chess for
more info.

Tournament Format

Open section (rated): Four round SS
Game in 60 minutes
Round times: 10:00a, 12:00p, 2:00p,
4:00p
Prize money will be awarded for 1st,
2nd, 3rd, biggest upset, 1st under 1400

Open section (unrated): Four round SS
Game in 45 minutes
Round times: 11:00a, 12:30p, 2:00p,

3:30p
Awards will be available for 1st, 2nd,
3rd

Youth Reserve Section (Rated) (K-6)
Five round SS Game in 45 min.
Round times: 10:00a, 11:30a, 1:00p,
2:30p, 4:00p
Individual trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd
place- (Trophies and medals for the top
team)

Youth Premier Section (Rated) (7-12)
Five round SS Game in 45 min.
Round times: 10:00a, 11:30a, 1:00p,
2:30p, 4:00p
Individual trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd
place- (Trophies and medals for the top
team)

SCHOOLS MAY ENTER ANY
NUMBER OF PLAYERS; TEAM
SCORE WILL BE THE TOTAL OF
THE TOP FOUR PLAYERS SCORE.

Entry fee: (\$5 off if registered by Oct.
28th) Open rated: \$20. Open unrated:
\$15. Youth: \$12 or \$7 for first time
USCF members (applications available
in site)

Registration: 9:00-9:45 *Note: Pre-
registration is highly encouraged.*
Pre-register by October 28 by sending
your name, school, uscf#, section, and
entry fee to:
USD Chess Club c/o Mark Derby
USD CSC SAC
414 E Clark St.
Vermillion, SD 57069
Make checks payable to: USD

*Veteran's Day Scholastic
Chess Tournament*

Saturday, November 9, 2002 – 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
@ the Surbeck Center
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology
Rapid City, South Dakota

Everyone is welcome!

Tournament Rounds

Each player will play five games. No one will be eliminated. Games will be time controlled (G/40) and players will record their moves on a scoresheet. Rounds begin at 9:00 am, 10:30 am; 12:30pm, 2:00pm, and 3:30 pm.

Awards Ceremony

Trophies will be awarded to the top five finishers in each of four divisions: Primary (K–3); Elementary (K–5); Middle School (K–8); and High School (K–12). Team trophies to the top three schools in each division (team scores based on top four players).

Registration Information:

Entries must be postmarked by November 4. Make checks payable to the Southwest Middle School Chess Club. Cost: \$9 plus membership in the U.S. Chess Federation is required. Students who do not pre-register may register at the tournament from 7:30–8:30 a.m. Registration at site will cost \$15. **Mail registration to: Jill Likens, Box 1053, Rapid City, SD 57709.** Lodging: Special rates are being offered by the Sweetgrass Inn (formerly the Hayloft Bed & Breakfast) across from Reptile Gardens off Highway 16. Call 800–317–6784. Ask for Chess Tournament Rate.

Information

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