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Todd Andrews (left) is presented
the 1st place Quick Chess trophy by Wayne Hedger

TENNESSEE CHESS NEWS

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EDITOR'S MARKS

Here we are again - the Fall 1998 issue of the *Tennessee Chess News*. I can hardly believe it has been a year since I started being editor. The schedule and deadlines are pretty much the same. Thanks to everyone for helping make the TCN such a wonderful magazine. The schedule:

Winter 1999 - Feb 1 - covering Nov, Dec, Jan - highlights: Tennessee Open, Scholastic, and Quick Chess.

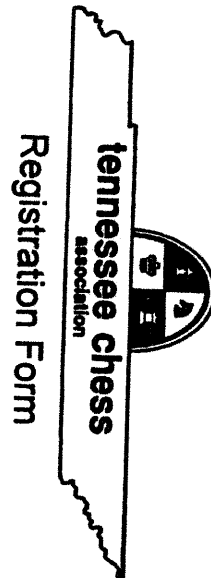
Deadline: January 9, 1999

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Deadline: April 9, 1999

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Deadline: July 9, 1999



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TENNESSEE OPEN RECAP

The Clarksville Chess Club would like to say THANK YOU to everyone who attended the 52nd Annual Tennessee Open. You helped make this year's Open one of the best. If you missed the TN Open this year you missed one terrific tournament. Based on all the compliments, positive comments, and requests for us to do it again next year, we know everyone enjoyed themselves tremendously.

We had 106 players in the Open and 57 in the Scholastics tournament. Although we had hoped for more, we still consider the 52nd Annual TN Open to be a huge success. Especially since the scholastic tournament helped us post a small profit for the first time in several years.

Trophies went to the following people:

STATE CHAMPION	Todd Andrews
2ND PLACE STATE	Peter Bereolos
EXPERT CHAMPION	Leonard Dickerson
CLASS A CHAMPION	Jake Kleiman
AMATEUR CHAMPION	Dewitt Pullen
CLASS C CHAMPION	Benjamin Tacker
NOVICE CHAMPION	Patrick Clark
CLASS E CHAMPION	Wardell Vance
CLASS F CHAMPION	Jeremy Carter
1ST PLACE UNRATED	Pete Reynolds

Congratulations to all the winners!

For the benefit of all the people who asked if we could do the tournament in Clarksville again, we are planning on submitting a proposal to the TCA to host the tournament again. We learned alot from the mistakes we made and think we can improve things for the next time. We believe we can put together a plan the TCA will like. Wish us luck.

Yours in Chess
Clarksville Chess Club

If any one left anything in the tournament room at the 52nd Annual Tennessee Open, please call Roy Manners and identify the item(s) and he will make every effort to return them. Roy can be reached at 931-552-1839.

1998 TENNESSEE OPEN – OPEN SECTION

	<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1 DANIEL THOMAS	2203	2236	W23	W9	W7	W4	D2	4.5
2 GERALD LARSON	2095	2120	W18	D3	W12	W15	D1	4.0
3 PETER BERELOS	2331	2321	W17	D2	D15	W9	D4	3.5
4 TODD ANDREWS	2279	2282	W25	W14	W5	L1	D3	3.5
5 LEONARD DICKERSON	2119	2138	W26	W6	L4	D8	W14	3.5
6 DAVID KAPLEY	2070	2079	W22	L5	W21	D7	W15	3.5
7 NICHOLAS BARBER	2163	2156	W20	W11	L1	D6	D8	3.0
8 DANIEL LIU	2102	2084	D21	D12	W22	D5	D7	3.0
9 BILL HALL	2102	2109	W16	L1	W11	L3	W17	3.0
10 BRIAN SMITH	2013	2004	H	L15	D19	W22	W20	3.0
11 WALTER JORDAN	2000	2017	W24	L7	L9	W21	W18	3.0
12 JAKE KLIEMAN	1585	1640	B	D8	L2	W18	D13	3.0
13 SCOTT ZINGHEIM	2254	2205	L15	L21	W17	W16	D12	2.5
14 EMANUEL TSITSEKLIS	2031	2021	W19	L4	D18	W20	L5	2.5
15 CHARLIE DURHAM	1936	1975	W13	W10	D3	L2	L6	2.5
16 REA HAYES	1900	1900	L9	L22	B	L13	W19	2.0
17 JOE MOONEY	1948	1928	L3	D19	L13	B	L9	1.5
18 ROBERT MEADOWS	1901	1873	L2	W23	D14	L12	L11	1.5
19 MARK MANGONE	1884	1864	L14	D17	D10	D23	L16	1.5
20 JAMES WRIGHT	1723	1711	L7	B	H	L14	L10	1.5
21 DAVID YATES	1493	1536	D8	W13	L6	L11	U	1.5
22 WILLIAM SLIFER	1888	1878	L6	W16	L8	L10	U	1.0
23 ED NEWKIRK	1834	1819	L1	L18	H	D19	U	1.0
24 SCOTT ZINGHEIM	2205	2200	L11	U	U	U	U	0.0
25 BRIAN SMITH	2004	1998	L4	U	U	U	U	0.0
26 JOE MOONEY	1928	1920	L5	U	U	U	U	0.0

1998 TENNESSEE OPEN – AMATEUR SECTION

	<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1 JOE ROBERDEAU	1787	1816	X	W31	W27	D2	D4	4.5
2 DEWITT PULLEN	1744	1785	W41	W17	W10	D1	W12	4.5
3 DEAN ALLEN	1486	1541	X	D26	W37	W23	W14	4.5
4 LEWIS INMAN	1675	1710	W34	W35	W8	W14	L1	4.0
5 PETER LAHDE	1795	1790	D15	W25	H	D24	W23	3.5
6 JUSTIN COOPER	1761	1745	W49	W13	W36	L12	D7	3.5
7 HARESH MIRANI	1717	1726	W38	W21	L14	W17	D6	3.5
8 STEPHEN MORALES	1679	1682	W42	B	L4	W18	D10	3.5
9 MARK COBB	1674	1681	W47	D23	L12	W33	W15	3.5
10 JOHN PROCTOR	1651	1668	W19	W39	L2	W20	D8	3.5
11 GARY SWATHELL	1608	1619	L13	W22	D19	W26	W24	3.5
12 PHILLIP YOUNG	1599	1650	H	W28	W9	W6	L2	3.5
13 BEN TACKER	1286	1377	W11	L6	W41	D16	W29	3.5
14 LEE EDWARDS	1728	1709	W51	W32	W7	L4	L3	3.0
15 BILL HARVILL	1668	1672	D5	D33	W34	W29	L9	3.0
16 RONNIE BARNES	1641	1620	L45	W47	W21	D13	D19	3.0
17 OTTIE WEST	1614	1614	W24	L2	W39	L7	W32	3.0

1998 TENNESSEE OPEN – AMATEUR SECTION CONT..

	<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
18 MICHAEL ABRON	1557	1567	W36	L19	W32	L8	W30	3.0
19 BRET WILKISON	1545	1578	L10	W18	D11	W28	D16	3.0
20 MYRL FENDER	1543	1530	L26	X	B	L10	W35	3.0
21 CHRIS PROSSER	1476	1501	W50	L7	L16	W39	W31	3.0
22 TED BLAKEMAN	xxxx	xxxx	L31	L11	W47	W43	W37	3.0
23 DAVID BERTRAM	1484	1518	W37	D9	W26	L3	L5	2.5
24 JEREMY REED	1226	1262	L17	B	W30	D5	L11	2.5
25 ALEXANDRA DUNN	xxxx	xxxx	W30	L5	L28	D40	W43	2.5
26 WILLIAM ORGAIN	1697	1645	W20	D3	L23	L11	D33	2.0
27 GLENN CORNWELL	1695	1698	W48	W43	L1	U	U	2.0
28 JON MURRAY	1673	1632	D33	L12	W25	L19	D34	2.0
29 JIMMY WORLEY	1658	1604	L39	W38	W43	L15	L13	2.0
30 SCOTT CANTRELL	1618	1583	L25	W40	L24	W44	L18	2.0
31 JERRY DAVIS	1600	1575	W22	L1	D33	D35	L21	2.0
32 LAWRENCE MILLER	1498	1510	W40	L14	L18	W38	L17	2.0
33 ANDREW CRIGGER	1496	1514	D28	D15	D31	L9	D26	2.0
34 CASEY HILL	1456	1476	L4	W42	L15	D37	D28	2.0
35 CHRIS FUCHS	1356	1352	X	L4	H	D31	L20	2.0
36 ELIZABETH LAWS	1246	1261	L18	L41	L6	B	W47	2.0
37 MICHAEL BURTON	1647	1600	L23	W44	L3	D34	L22	1.5
38 SHAUN WHELAN	1437	1429	L7	L29	W42	L32	D39	1.5
39 EMILY THOMAS	1378	1382	W29	L10	L17	L21	D38	1.5
40 ROBERT EDWARDS	1648	1601	L32	L30	D44	D25	U	1.0
41 MARQUIS QUINN	1543	1515	L2	W36	L13	U	U	1.0
42 WAYNE HEDGER	1525	1493	L8	L34	L38	W47	U	1.0
43 SISIR BOTTA	1513	1497	W46	L27	L29	L22	L25	1.0
44 FRED STANDBROOK	1468	1457	H	L37	D40	L30	U	1.0
45 MICHAEL WHITE	1402	1427	W16	U	U	U	U	1.0
46 ROBERT EDWARDS	1670	1648	L43	U	U	U	U	0.0
47 JOHN COGHILL	1532	1457	L9	L16	L22	L42	L36	0.0
48 DAVID BERTRAM	1518	1509	L27	U	U	U	U	0.0
49 ALVIN HARRIS	1447	1442	L6	F	U	U	U	0.0
50 BEN TACKER	1377	1365	L21	U	U	U	U	0.0
51 JOHN COGHILL	xxxx	xxxx	L14	U	U	U	U	0.0

1998 TENNESSEE OPEN – NOVICE SECTION

	<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1 PATRICK CLARK	1184	1250	D17	W33	W6	W7	W4	4.5
2 PETE RAYNOLDS	UNR	1610	W12	W21	W5	D3	W9	4.5
3 PATRICK CUNNINGHAM	1377	1398	W27	D7	W16	D2	W11	4.0
4 CHRIST MIRONESCU	1375	1388	W15	W28	W11	W9	L1	4.0
5 JAMES FISHER	1371	1383	W36	W22	L2	W23	W14	4.0
6 ALVIN HARRIS	1442	1414	D16	W17	L1	W24	W21	3.5
7 WARDELL VANCE	1168	1208	W18	D3	W20	L1	W17	3.5
8 MATT STALEY	933	1000	H	D13	W12	D10	W22	3.5
9 ALLAN BOGLE	1374	1371	W30	W14	W10	L4	L2	3.0

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	OLD	NEW	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
10 LEE MCKEE	1265	1247	W29	W34	L9	D8	H	3.0
11 JERRY SEAY	1250	1251	W23	W24	L4	W22	L3	3.0
12 JAMES RAY	1145	1138	L2	W29	L8	W33	W24	3.0
13 MIRKO REMEC	1118	1093	D33	D8	L24	W34	W23	3.0
14 NOAH KAPLEY	1108	1166	W20	L9	W21	W19	L5	3.0
15 TIMOTHY STALEY	1064	1084	L4	D18	D33	W20	W25	3.0
16 KATYA CASPER	1022	1070	D6	W35	L3	L17	W26	2.5
17 JESSE MORTON	1010	1090	D1	L6	W35	W16	L7	2.5
18 GEORGE DEAN	UNR	1095	L7	D15	L26	W29	W27	2.5
19 TROY SHELTON	1396	1349	L22	W25	W27	L14	U	2.0
20 JEFFREY HARRIS	1308	1241	L14	W30	L7	L15	W32	2.0
21 CURTIS WYATT	1181	1162	W25	L2	L14	W32	L6	2.0
22 ROY MANNERS	1116	1105	W19	L5	W34	L11	L8	2.0
23 BARTON CAMARATA	1041	1057	L11	W26	W28	L5	L13	2.0
24 JEREMY CARTER	938	973	W26	L11	W13	L6	L12	2.0
25 WILLOW COOPER	806	822	L21	L19	B	W28	L15	2.0
26 LEWIS PEARSON	1204	1140	L24	L23	W18	D27	L16	1.5
27 PAUL ROEST	1126	1107	L3	W32	L19	D26	L18	1.5
28 JIM BARINGER	1100	1048	W32	L4	L23	L25	D30	1.5
29 RAYMOND HUDGENS	914	901	L10	L12	H	L18	W34	1.5
30 HAROLD MILES	xxxx	xxxx	L9	L20	L32	B	D28	1.5
31 DEWIT PULLEN	1099	1106	U	U	U	U	W33	1.0
32 ALEX MIRONESCU	902	894	L28	L27	W30	L21	L20	1.0
33 MICHAEL ROSS	885	883	D13	L1	D15	L12	L31	1.0
34 NICOLE MOONEY	644	657	B	L10	L22	L13	L29	1.0
35 MICHAEL WHITE	1427	1370	H	L16	L17	U	U	0.5
36 MACK KNIGHT	974	971	L5	U	U	U	U	0.0

REGION III CHESS SCORESHEET

COORDINATORS SQUARE

The Clarksville Chess Club is sponsoring the Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League thru the 1998-99 School year. The remaining tournament dates are... Dec. 5 (Richview), Jan. 16 (Kenwood), Apr. 17 (RV), May 22 (KW), and July 24 (KW).

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WALLCHARTS

Tournaments The Winter calendar is getting full. The best way that YOU can help is to make sure that your students **preregister** for these events.

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□ Hayes, Rhea (1906)
 ■ Slifer, William (1888)
 Tennessee Open/Open
 [Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.c3 Nf6 3.e5 Nd5 4.d4 cxd4 5.cxd4 e6 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.Bc4 Nb6 8.Bb3 d6 9.0-0 dxe5 10.dxe5
 Qxd1 11.Rxd1 Be7 12.Nc3 0-0 13.Be3 Nd7 14.Bf4 Nc5 15.Bc2 a6 16.a3 f6 17.exf6 gxf6 18.b4 Nd7
 19.Bb3 Kf7 20.Re1 Nb6 21.Re3 Re8 22.Rae1 Bd8 23.Ne4 Be7 24.Nc3 Bd8 25.b5 Na5 26.Ba2 Nac4
 27.Re4 Nxa3 28.Nd4 Nac4 29.Nf5 exf5 30.Rxe8 Bd7 31.R8e2 axb5 32.h3 Bc6 33.Rb1 Ra5 34.Bd2 Kg6
 35.Bb3 Be7 36.Nd1 Nxd2 37.Rxd2 Be4 38.Rc1 Bf4 39.Ne3 Ra3 40.Bd1 Nc4 41.Rxc4 bxc4 42.Nxc4
 Bxd2 43.Nxa3 Bd3 44.Nc2 b5 45.f3 b4 46.Kf2 b3 47.Na3 b2
 0-1

□ Thomas, Daniel (2203)
 ■ Barber, Nick (2105)
 Tennessee Open/Open
 [Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 g6 6.Be3 Bg7 7.f3 0-0 8.Bc4 Nc6 9.Qd2 Bd7
 10.0-0-0 Rc8 11.Bb3 Ne5 12.h4 h5 13.Bg5 Re5 14.f4 Neg4 15.Rhe1 Qa5 16.f5 Kh7 17.Nd5 Qxd2+
 18.Rxd2 gxf5 19.Nxf5 Nxe4 20.Rxe4 Bxf5 21.Rxe7 Be6 22.Rxb7 a5 23.Nf4 Bxb3 24.axb3 Re5
 25.Rxd6 Re1+ 26.Kd2 Rfe8 27.Rxf7 Nf2 28.Rxg7+ Kxg7 29.Nxh5+
 1-0

□ Yates, David (1493)
 ■ Jordan, Walter (2023)
 Tennessee Open/Open
 [Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Bg5 e6 7.f4 Qb6 8.Qd2 Qxb2 9.Rb1 Qa3 10.Bd3
 Qc5 11.Na4 Qc7 12.Nb6 Ra7 13.Bxf6 gxf6 14.0-0 Nd7 15.Nxc8 Qxc8 16.Kh1 h5 17.Rbe1 b5 18.f5 e5
 19.Ne2 Rc7 20.Qa5 Nc5 21.Nc3? Nb7! 22.Qxa6 Rxc3 23.Bxb5+ Kd8 24.Rd1 Rxc2 25.Rd5 Rg8
 26.Rfd1 Kc7 27.R5d2 Kb8 28.Rxc2 Qxc2 29.Rg1 Kc7 30.Bd3 Qc6 31.Qa3 Bh6 32.Qb3 Rg7 33.Rb1
 Be3 34.a4 Bb6 35.Ba6 Nc5 36.Qc4 Qxe4 37.Qb5 Qxg2#
 0-1

□ Jordan, Walter (2023)
 ■ Zingheim (2254)
 Tennessee Open/Open
 [Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.c3 g6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nf3 Bg7 5.Bc4 dxc3 6.Nxc3 Nc6 7.Bf4 a6 8.Rc1 b5 9.Bb3 e6 10.e5 f6
 11.Ne4 fxe5 12.Nd6+ Kf8 13.Bxe5 Nxe5 14.Nxe5 Nf6 15.0-0 Bh6? 16.Nef7 Qe7 17.Nxh6
 1-0

□ Larsen, Gerald (2095)
 ■ Kleiman, Jake (1525)
 Tennessee Open/Open
 [Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 a6 5.Nc3 Qc7 6.g3 b5 7.Bg2 Bb7 8.0-0 Nf6 9.Re1 d6 10.Nd5!
 exd5 11.exd5+ Kd8 12.Bg5 Nbd7 13.Nc6+ Kc8 14.Bxf6 Bxc6 15.Re8+ Kb7 16.dxc6+
 1-0

□ Roberdeau, Joe (1787)

■ Inman, Lewis (1663)

Tennessee Open/Amateur

[Colle System]

1998

1.d4 Nf6 2.e3 g6 3.Bd3 Bg7 4.Nd2 c5 5.c3 cxd4 6.exd4 0-0 7.Ng3 d5 8.Ne5 Nbd7 9.f4 Ne8 10.0-0 Qc7 11.Qe1 f6 12.Nxg6! hxg6 13.Bxg6 Qd6 14.Qh4 Rf7 15.Nf3 e5 16.fxe5 fxe5 17.Qh7+ Kf8 18.Bxf7 Nef6 19.Qg6 Ne4 20.Qxd6+ Nxd6 21.Bxd5 exd4 22.Nxd4+ Ke8 23.Bg5 Bxd4+ 24.cxd4 Nb6 25.Rae1+ Kd7 26.Re7+ 1-0

□ Orgain, William (1697)

■ Bertram, David (1533)

Tennessee Open/Amateur

[Bogol Defence]

1998

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 Bb4+ 4.Bd2 a5 5.a3 Bxd2+ 6.Qxd2 d5 7.Nc3 c6 8.cxd5 exd5 9.e3 Ne4 10.Qc2 f5 11.Be2 0-0 12.0-0 Be6 13.b4 Nd7 14.b5 Rc8 15.Rfcl exb5 16.Qb2 Nxc3 17.Rxc3 Rxc3 18.Qxc3 f4 19.Bxb5 g5 20.Rcl g4 21.Bxd7 Bxd7 22.Ne5 fxe3 23.Qxe3 Bf5 Black offered a draw here which was declined. 24.Qg3 Qg5 25.Qe3 Qxe3 26.fxe3 Rc8 27.Rxc8+ Bxc8 28.Kf2 Kg7 29.Kg3 Kf6 30.Nxg4+ Bxg4 31.Kxg4 b5!! 0-1

□ Edwards, Lee (1728)

■ Mirani, Haresh (1667)

Tennessee Open/Amateur

[Evans Gambit]

1998

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.b4 Bxb4 5.e3 Ba5 6.Qb3 Qe7 7.d4 Nxd4 8.Nxd4 exd4 9.0-0 Bb6 10.Ba3 d6 11.e5 Nh6 12.exd6 cxd6 13.Nd2 0-0 14.Rael Qc7 15.Ne4 Rd8 16.Nxd6 Bf5 17.Nxf7 Nxf7 18.Re7 Rd7 19.Bxf7+ Kh8 20.Rfel h6 21.Be8 Rxe7 22.Rxe7 Qxc3 23.Bb5 Qal+7 24.Bf1 d3 25.Bb2 1-0

□ Burton, Mike (1738)

■ Allen, Dean (1484)

Tennessee Open/Amateur

[Queen's Pawn Game]

1998

1.Nf3 Nc6 2.d4 d5 3.g3 Bf5 4.a3 h6 5.Bg2 Nf6 6.0-0 Qd7 7.Re1 Bh3 8.Bh1 e6 9.Nbd2 Bd6 10.c4 0-0 11.c5 Be7 12.b4 Nh5 13.Bb2 Nf4 14.gxf4 e5 15.Nf1 Qg4+ 16.Ng3 exf4 17.Ne5 Nxe5 18.dxe5 fvg3 19.fvg3 c6 20.e4 Qxd1 21.Raxd1 Bg4 22.Rb1 dxe4 23.Bxe4 Rad8 24.Bc3 Rd7 25.Kg2 Rfd8 26.h3 Be6 27.g4 Bd5 28.Kg1 Bxe4 29.Rxc4 Rd3 30.Bb2 Rxh3 31.Kg2 Rdd3 32.Rd4 Rhg3+ 33.Kh2 Rxd4 34.Bxd4 Rxa3 35.Bb2 The game went to 59 moves. The rest of the game score could not be deciphered. A fine effort by the lower rated player. 0-1

□ Barnes, Ronnie (1639)

■ Coghill, John (1532)

Tennessee Open/Amateur

[Latvian Gambit]

1998

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 f5 3.Nxe5 Qf6 4.d4 d6 5.Nc4 fxe4 6.Be2 Qd8 7.Nc3 d5 8.Ne5 Nf6 9.Bg5 c6 10.0-0 Be7 11.Bh5+ g6 12.Be2 Nbd7 13.Bh6 Nxe5 14.dxe5 Nd7 15.Nxd5!7 cxd5 16.Qxd5 Nb6 17.Qxe4 Bf5 18.Bb5+ Bd7 19.Rad1 Qc7 20.Bxd7+ Nxd7 21.Bg7 Rg8 22.Bf6 Ne5 23.Qc4 Rf8 24.b4 Na6 25.Qb3 Bxf6? 26.exf6 Rxf6 27.Qg8+ Ke7 28.Rfel+ 1-0

□ Pearson, Lewis (1204)

■ Casper, Katya (1022)

Tennessee Open/Novice

1998

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Bg5 Nbd7 4.e3 e6 5.Ne5 Be7 6.Nxd7 Bxd7 7.c4 0-0 8.Bd3 dxc4 9.Bxc4 Bc6 10.f3 Nd5 11.Bxe7 Qxe7 12.e4 Ne3 13.Qe2 Qb4+! 14.Nc3 Nxc4 15.0-0 Nxb2 16.Rac1 Qxd4+ 17.Rf2 Nd3 18.Qd2 Qxf2+ 19.Qxf2 Nxf2 20.Kxf2 Rad8 21.Rc2 Rd7 22.g4 Rfd8 23.Ke1 Rd3 24.f4 R3d4 25.Nb5? Bxb5 26.Rxc7 Rxe4+ 27.Kf2 Ba6 28.Kf3 Ra4 29.g5 g6 30.h4 Rd3+ 31.Kg4 Rxa2 32.h5 Rg2+ 33.Kh4 Rh2+ 34.Kg4 gxh5#
0-1

□ McKee, Lee (1265)

■ Bogle, Alan (1374)

Tennessee Open/Novice

1998

1.d4 b6 2.Nf3 e6 3.Bg5 Be7 4.Bxe7 Qxe7 5.Nbd2 Bb7 6.e3 Nf6 7.Bd3 Nd5 8.c3 c5 9.Qc2 cxd4 10.cxd4 Nb4 11.Qc3 Nxd3+ 12.Qxd3 0-0 13.0-0 Ba6! 14.Qe4 d5 15.Qc2 Bxf1 16.Nxf1 Nd7 17.Rc1 Rac8 18.Qxc8? Rxc8 19.Rxc8+ Nf8 20.Ne5 h6 21.Nc6 Qd7 22.Ng3 g6 But not 22.Qxc8 because of Ne7+ winning the Queen. 23.Ne2 Kg7 24.Nxa7 Qxa7 25.Nc3 Qa6 26.Rc6 Qb7 27.Rd6 Qc7
0-1

□ Mironescu, Chris (1375)

■ Seay, Jerry (1300)

Tennessee Open/Novice

1998

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 d6 4.h3 Bd7 5.c3 Nf6 6.d3 Be7 7.0-0 0-0 8.Re1 a6 9.Ba4 b5 10.Bc2 a5 11.d4 exd4 12.cxd4 Nb4 13.e5 Nxe2 14.Qxc2 Nd5 15.Nc3 Nxc3 16.Qxc3 b4 17.Qc2 c5 18.exd6 Bf6 19.dxc5 Re8 20.Ne5 a4 21.Bd2 Re8 22.Nxd7 Qxd7 23.Rxe8+ Rxe8 24.Re1 Rxe1+ 25.Bxe1 Qe6 26.Bxb4 Qxa2 27.Qe2 h6 28.Ba3 Qb1+ 29.Kh2 Qf5 30.c6 Be5+ 31.g3 Bf6 32.c7 Qd7 33.Qa6
1-0

□ Harris, Alvin (1384)

■ Clark, Patrick (1262)

Tennessee Open/Novice

1998

1.d4 d5 2.Nc3 e6 3.e4 Bb4 4.Qg4 Nf6! 5.Qxg7 Rg8 6.Qh6 Rg6 7.Qe3 Nxe4 8.Bd2 Nxd2 9.Qxd2 Qg5 10.Qxg5 Bxc3+ 11.Qd2 Bxd2+ 12.Kxd2 Nc6 13.c3 a6 14.g3 e5 15.dxe5 Nxe5 16.Re1 Re6 17.h3 b5 18.h3 Bb7 19.Bg2 0-0-0 20.f4 Nc4+! A nice combination. In now White plays 21.bxc4, then dxc4+ 22.K moves followed by Rxe1. 21.Kd1 Ne3+ 22.Rxe3 Rxe3 23.Ne2 Rde8 24.Re1 b4! 25.cxb4 d4 26.Bxb7+ Kxb7 27.Kd2 d3 28.h4 Rxe2+ 29.Rxe2 dxe2 30.Ke1 Kb6 31.g4 c5 32.bxc5+ Kxc5
0-1

□ Harris, Jeff (1308)

■ Staley, Timothy (1064)

Tennessee Open/Novice

1998

1.e4 Nc6 2.Nf3 e5 3.d4 d5 4.Bb5 Bd7 5.dxe5 dxe4 6.Bxc6 Bxc6 7.Nd4 Qd5 8.Nc3 Bb4 9.Nxc6 Bxc3+ 10.bxc3 Qxc6 11.Qd4 Rd8 12.Qe3 Ne7 13.Qg3 Ng6 14.Ba3 Rd5 15.0-0 Rxe5 16.h4 h5 17.Rfe1 f5 18.Qg5 f4! The Queen is trapped! 19.Qxe5+ Nxe5 20.Rad1 Qxc3 21.Rxe4 Kf7 22.Rxf4+ Kg6 23.Bb4 Qxc2 24.Re1 Nd3 25.Re6+ Kh7 26.Rf5 Qd1+ 27.Kh2 Qg4 28.Rfe5 Nxe5 29.Rxe5 Qf4+ 30.Kg1 Qxe5 31.f3 Qd4+ 32.Kf1 Qxb4 33.Kg1 Re8 34.f4 Re1+ 35.Kf2 Qd2+ 36.Kg3 Rg1 37.Kf3 Qxg2+ 38.Ke3 Re1+ 39.Kd4 Qd2+ 40.Kc4 Rc1+ 41.Kb3 Qc2+ 42.Ka3 Qc3+ 43.Ka4 Qc4+ 44.Ka3 Rb1 45.f5 Qh4#
0-1

52ND ANNUAL TENNESSEE OPEN SCHOLASTIC

58 PLAYERS SEPTEMBER 5, 1998 CLARKSVILLE TN

<u>G-12 & BELOW</u>	<u>RATING</u>	<u>WINS</u>
ANDREW CRIGGER	1488	4.0
NOAH KAPLEY	1084	3.0
DANIEL HAMMOND	1077	3.0
JEFFREY WAY	1076	3.0
CHRIS MARTINDALE	998	3.0
SUNG W KIM	1112	2.0
RICHARD DAVIS	951	2.0
CLAYTON BAKER	947	2.0
MATT STALEY	935	2.0
BRYAN BOUTELL	728	2.0
DREW LOCKHART	658	2.0
RYAN C BELEW	500	2.0
BECKY HANSIS	610	1.0
MATT HANEY	439	1.0
ZACHARY WICKERSHAM	UNR	1.0
PAUL J COLLINS	UNR	1.0

<u>G-6 & BELOW</u>	<u>RATING</u>	<u>WINS</u>
DEWITT PULLEN JR	1055	4.0
JAMES GRAHAM	UNR	3.5
MIRKO REMEC	1118	3.0
DAVIS M WHALEY	1112	3.0
BLAKE MCCUISTON	1065	3.0
JACOB GREEN	1039	3.0
BRANDON LADAGE	905	3.0
CHRISTOPHER CHENEY	789	3.0
CHRIS PAULICK	691	3.0
JOSHUA GAO	926	2.5
MICHAEL ROSS	891	2.5
TODD S BUCK	818	2.5
STEVEN DORN	888	2.0
NATHAN CRAFTON	874	2.0
DANE DELOZIER	869	2.0
MATTHEW WEBSTER	854	2.0
SCOTT BODKIN	847	2.0
CHRISTOPHER CAREY	650	2.0
ALEX STAMBAUGH	540	2.0
MICHAEL E NORMAN	UNR	2.0
CALEB GRAY	UNR	1.5

RANDY FINCH	708	1.5
JEDIDIAH R SIRK	UNR	1.0
ROBERT STROBEL	677	1.0
AUDRA WEBSTER	639	1.0
NICOLE STRATMAN	537	1.0
ROB BEASLEY	445	1.0
MARY BETH GRAY	UNR	1.0
SURAJ MENON	UNR	1.0
GRANT CHALMERS	UNR	1.0
KYLE GORBSKI	476	0.0
MATTHEW K MYERS	434	0.0

<u>G-3 & BELOW</u>	<u>RATING</u>	<u>WINS</u>
EVAN D WHALEY	735	4.0
CHRISTOPHER CLAYTON	778	3.0
ZACHARY BUCK	505	3.0
BRYAN CHENEY	686	2.0
CLARK DAVIS	554	2.0
BECK SPURLOCK	UNR	2.0
COREY DE LOZIER	696	1.5
KEVIN DORN	379	1.5
HARRY CHALMERS	UNR	1.0
MATTHEW K MYERS	427	0.0

1998 CUMBERLAND CO FALL OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT

43 PLAYERS	October 10, 1998	TWO STATES REPRESENTED
		FAIRFIELD GLADE TN
<u>OPEN: (16)</u>	<u>PRIZE WINNERS</u>	
CHAMPION	NEAL D HARRIS	OLD FORT NC 3.5 \$50.00
EXPERT - 1ST	BRADLEY WATSON	OAK RIDGE TN 3.0 \$25.00
CLASS A - 1ST	JAMES JOHNSON	ASHEVILLE NC 3.0 \$25.00
CLASS B - 1ST	HARESH MIRANI	KNOXVILLE TN 3.0 \$25.00
CLASS C - 1ST	SCOTT CANTRELL	RICEVILLE TN 2.0 \$25.00
<u>AMATEUR: (27)</u>	<u>PRIZE WINNERS</u>	
CO-CHAMPION	JOSHUA SUICH	MORRISTOWN TN 3.5 \$25.00
CO-CHAMPION	STEVE ROBERTS	CROSSVILLE TN 3.5 \$25.00
CO-CHAMPION	JEREMY R CARTER	CROSSVILLE TN 3.5 \$25.00
CLASS E - 1ST	SAM HOOD	THOMPSON STATION TN 3.0 \$25.00
UNRATED - 1ST	NICHOLAS WAGNER	SPRING HILL TN 1.0 \$25.00

1998 TENNESSEE OPEN BEST GAMES

by Roy Manners

The best games of the Tennessee Open have been analyzed, and the winners selected. The analysis was done by Clarksville Chess Club member Chris Pitts. Chris has been a member of the CCC for three years, and is a Class A player rated 1892. He has dedicated a large part of his life to becoming a chess master, and his hard work has begun to pay off as Chris has gained a whopping 162 points since joining CCC. In February 1996, he was co-champion of the Amateur section of the Middle Tennessee Open, and in September 1996 he won the Amateur section of the 50th Tennessee Open. During 1997, Chris was selected to the All-Army chess team, and went to Washington DC for a week to play in the US Army national championship where he qualified for the international team. Then Chris was sent to Paris, France for two weeks to represent the US against the NATO Armed Forces. Because of his accomplishments Chris was chosen to receive the Clarksville Chess Club's most prestigious award, the 1997 chess player of the year. Chris is a valuable member of CCC and is devoted to making the Clarksville Chess Club a recognized and respected chess presence in Middle Tennessee. Chris did not play in the 52nd Annual Tennessee Open, and so did not have any games of his own in contention for this event. The winners of the best game awards are:

- Novice: Pete Raynolds for the excellent use of force in his 5th round win over Alan Bogle. Way to go Pete!
- Amateur: Jerry Davis for his 1st round victory against Ted Blakeman. Congratulations Jerry on a job well done.
- Open: Gerald Larson for a 4th round win versus Charlie Durham. This is the icing on the cake for Gerald, who had an excellent tournament.

Solution to Problem Corner:

1...Nf2+ 2. Ke1 Nd3+ (double check) 3. Kd1 Qe1+ 4. Nxe1 Nf2 Mate (smothered mate). This chess problem attributed to Sneco (1625) famous Italian player.

□ Durham, Charles (1918)
 ■ Larsen, Gerald (2095)
 Tennessee Open, Open Section
[Sicilian Defence]

1998

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 exd4 4.Nxd4 Qc7 5.Nc3 e6 6.Be3 a6 7.a3 Nf6 8.Be2 Be7 9.0-0 d6 10.f4
 Bd7 11.Qe1 0-0 12.Kh1 Rfd8 13.Nb3 b5 14.Qf2 Rab8 15.g4 Be8 16.g5 Nd7 17.f5 Nde5 18.Qh4 d5
 19.exd5 exd5 20.f6 Bf8 21.Nd4 b4 22.axb4 Rxb4 23.Qf2 Be5 24.Rfd1 Nxd4 25.Bxd4 Bxd4 26.Rxd4
 Rxb2 27.Qe3 Rxc2 28.Nd1 Bb5 29.Bxb5 Nf3! If now 30.Qxf3? then Qxh2 mate! 30.Rd2 Qxh2+!! 31.Rxh2
 Rxh2# Best Game Prize in the Open section.
 0-1

□ Blakeman, Ted
 ■ Davis, Jerry
 Tennessee Open, Amateur Section
[Ruy Lopez]

1998

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.d3 b5 6.Bb3 Be5 7.Bg5 h6 8.Bh4 d6 9.Bxf6 Qxf6 10.c3
 0-0 11.Bd5! Bb7 12.d4 Bb6 13.0-0 Ra7 14.Bxc6 Bxc6 15.d5 Bd7 16.h3 Qg6 17.Qd3 Qg3! 18.Ne1!
 Qf4 19.Nd2 f5 20.g3 Qg5 21.Kg2 f4 22.Nef3 Qh5 23.g4 Bxg4 24.hxg4 Qxg4+ 25.Kh1 Qh3+ 26.Kg1
 Rf6 Best Game Prize in the Amateur Section.
 0-1

□ Bogle, Alan (1374)
 ■ Raynolds, Peter (UNR)
 Tennessee Open, Novice Section
[Larsen Opening]

1998

1.b3 e5 2.e3 d5 3.Bb2 Bd6 4.Nf3 Nd7 5.c4 c6 6.c5 Bc7 7.Be2 Ne7 8.b4 0-0 9.d3 Ng6 10.Nbd2
 Nf6 11.h3 Be6 12.0-0 Nd7 13.Rc1 f5 14.Qc2 Qe7 15.Rfe1 Nf6 16.Ng5 Bd7 17.e4 fxe4 18.dxe4 h6
 19.Ng3 d4 20.a4 Nf4 21.b5 Nxe2+ 22.Rxe2 Kh8 23.Qd3 Nh5 24.Ree1 Nf4 25.Qb3 Ba5 26.Red1
 Ne2+ 27.Kf1 Nxe1 28.Rxe1 Bxd2 29.Nxd2 Qf6 30.Nf3 Bxh3! 31.gxh3 Qxf3 32.Qxf3 Rxf3 33.Kg2
 Rxf8 34.Rc2 Rb3 35.bxc6 bxc6 36.Bc1 Rc3 37.Rxc3 dxc3 38.a5 Rd8 39.Kf3 Rd1 40.Ba3 c2
 Best Game Prize in the Novice Section.
 0-1

UPCOMING WEEKEND TOURNAMENTS

DATE(S)	EVENT	LOCATION	FORMAT	CONTACT NAME	PHONE NUMBER
< 1998 >					
Nov 21	5th Doug L. Nichols Memorial	Chattanooga TN	4SS,G/60	Joe Dumas	(423)755-4084
Nov 28-29	US Class Championship	St Louis MO	5SS,G/120	Bill Moushey	(314)353-7296
Dec 5	Chess Moves Slowly 3	Cleveland TN	4SS,G/60	Wayne Hedger	(423)559-0396
< 1999 >					
Jan 16	Chess Moves Winter Open	Cleveland TN	5SS,G/45(2),G/75(3)	Wayne Hedger	(423)559-0396
Jan 23	TN Scholastic Individual Regionals	(various) TN	5SS,G/30(2),G/60(3)	Harry Sabine	(931)484-9593
Feb 6	TN Scholastic Individual Finals	Cookeville TN	5SS,G/45(2),G/60(3)	Harry Sabine	(931)484-9593
Mar 6	TN Scholastic Team Regionals	(various) TN	4SS,G/60	Harry Sabine	(931)484-9593
Mar 20	TN Scholastic Team Finals	Clarksville TN	4SS,G/60	Harry Sabine	(931)484-9593

1998 TENNESSEE QUICK CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

by Wayne Hedger

Believed to be the largest group of quick chess players in the history of Tennessee chess, thirty-five entrants gathered at the Ramada Inn Riverview in Clarksville, on Labor Day, September 7, for the 1998 (hopefully the 1st annual) Tennessee Quick Chess Championship. Walking away with the prestigious first place trophy and \$150 was Todd D Andrews, the first Tennessee Quick Chess champion. This win followed the previous day's crowning of Todd as the 1998 Tennessee Open champion!

Illustrative of Todd's prowess at G/15, is his final (seventh) round effort:

Nilsson, M - Andrew, T [A21] - 1998 TN Quick Championship (round 7)

1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Bb4 3.Nf3 Bxc3 4.bxc3 Nc6 5.d3 d6 6.g3 f5 7.Bg2 Nf6
8.0-0 0-0 9.Rb1 Qe8 10.Bd2 Kh8 11.Qc2 Rb8 12.Ne1 Be6 13.a4 Bd7
14.Qa3 b6 15.Nc2 Na5 16.Ne3 Nb7 17.Nd5 Nxd5 18.cxd5 a5 19.Be3 f4
20.Bd2 Qh5 21.Rbe1 Rf6 22.Bf3 Qh3 23.Bg2 Qh5 24.Bf3 Bg4
25.Bxg4 Qxg4 26.f3 Qh3 27.g4 Rg6 28.Rf2 h5 29.Qa4 hxg4
30.fxg4 Rxg4+ 31.Kh1 Nc5 32.Qc2 Nd7 33.d4 Nf6 34.dxe5 Nhfl
35.Rg1 Ng3+ 36.Rxg3 fxg3 37.Rf3 Qxh2# 0-1

Second place was determined by G/10 play-off games. After Bill Hall and Scott Zingheim split the \$105 prize money, the first G/10 game resulted in a draw. It took a second G/10 game with Scott triumphant, to determine the trophy winner.

Rea Hayes and Joe Mooney split Class A prize of \$50; Steven Hernandez (Ohio) won Class B \$50 prize; Class C results produced a three-way split of \$50 for Michael Burton (Utah), Scott Cantrell and Matthew Yates; Christ Mironescu won Class D prize of \$50. U1200 prizes were won by Tennesseans: Jake Kleiman (1st) \$50 and Brenda Boudreaux, Harold Miles, and Michael Ross splitting (2nd) \$30. The Unrated prize of \$25 went to Clarksville local, Jedidiah Sirk.

Organizer and chief Tournament Director Wayne Hedger thanks everyone who made the tournament successful. Particular thanks go to the Clarksville Chess Club and its President Roy Manners for securing a wonderful site and encouraging participation in the tournament. Also, there are sincere congratulations — TO ALL WINNERS!

1998 TENNESSEE QUICK CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

35 PLAYERS SEPTEMBER 7, 1998 CLARKSVILLE

<u>PLAYERS</u>	<u>RATING</u>	<u>WINS</u>
TODD D ANDREWS	1729	6.5
SCOTT ZINGHEIM	2285	5.5
BILL HALL	2018	5.5
LEONARD DICKERSON	2152	5.0
MARTIN NILSSON	2046	5.0
STEVEN HERNANDEZ	1625	5.0
JOE MOONEY	1875	4.5
REA B HAYES	1820	4.5
EMANUEL TSITSEKLIS	2031	4.0
ROBERT KENT MEADOWS	1901	4.0
WILLIAM H ORGAIN	1697	4.0
MICHAEL T ABRON	1659	4.0
MICHAEL L BURTON	1581	4.0
DAVID M YATES	1570	4.0
SCOTT CANTRELL	1475	4.0
CHRIST MIRONESCU	1191	4.0
JERRY T WHEELER	2252	3.5
GARY D SWATHELL	1794	3.5
ANDREW CRIGGER	1382	3.5
JAKE KLEIMAN	1218	3.5
BILL HARVILL	1648	3.0
J SCOTT EDDINS	1480	3.0
CURTIS WYATT	1339	3.0
DAVID A DEMEO	1245	3.0
BRENDA BOUDREAUX	1113	3.0
HAROLD MILES	1060	3.0
MICHAEL ROSS	891	3.0
JEREMY R CARTER	1132	2.5
ROY B MANNERS	1116	2.5
BARTON CAMARATA	1109	2.5
JEDIDIAH R SIRK	UNR	2.5
JESSE C MORTON	1331	2.0
JAMES D RAY	1145	2.0
NICOLE C MOONEY	644	1.5
MICHAEL E NORMAN	UNR	1.0

THANK YOU TO WAYNE HEDGER FOR PROVIDING
ANOTHER UNIQUE CHESS EXPERIENCE

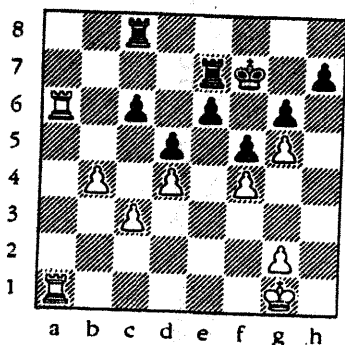
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Maneuvering to the Top

by Leonard Dickerson

Because of the relatively small number of players entered into the Open Section of the profit-making 1998 Tennessee Open Chess Championship held in Clarksville TN, the competition was tough with no easy games. As illustration, consider that the third highest-rated master withdrew after suffering three straight losses and a 1500-rated player scored 2.5 points! My games were mostly protracted efforts, with three of them being the last ones played in the entire tournament. So it was with much sweat that I managed to tie for co-champion with Todd Andrews and Peter Bereolos, totaling 3.5 points each. The Open Section itself was won by Daniel Thomas of Alabama who scored 4.5; also having a superior score was Gerald Lawson (also Alabama!), who scored 4 points for clear second.

Because my opponents were good and made no major blunders, my victories were achieved with much maneuvering. Three of my games will be presented at the point where tactical complications had been reduced and endgame considerations predominated. Since I was not tactically sharp, I had to rely heavily on maneuvering, an endgame technique that can be used to constrict and squeeze opponents to the point that they hopefully crack.



L. Dickerson vs. E. Tsitsekliis
Round 5, Black on 39th move

After an interesting middlegame where the initiative shifted from White to Black, White has emerged into the endgame with a slight edge. Objectively the game probably should be drawn. However, White needs to win if there is any hope of securing the Tennessee Open Championship title. White, whose main advantage is control of the a-file, reasons that he can maneuver against h7 and c6, possibly making a breakthrough. Black (who had offered a draw on 28th move) is planning on simply trying to hold the position as it is and demonstrating how futile continued play is.

Play continued, 39...R(e)c7?! With R(e)b7 White will have more difficulty penetrating. White will then have to try Ra8, responding to Rxa (White can play Rxc with the same effect) with either (1) king entry down the a-file or (2) swinging the remaining rook over to hit the h-pawn. However, it is easy to see that Black can simply put his king at d6 and shift his rook between a7 and b7, holding without much difficulty. Still, it

really does not matter that there may be a defense. *The main point of maneuvering is to obtain maximum mobility and aggressive placement of one's pieces. If this then results in victory, then this is an added bonus to one's efforts.* After 40. Rb6! White is on the road of realizing his visualized position of strength.

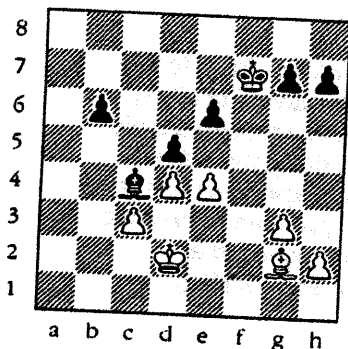
The plan here is to place rooks at a6 and b6, shift my king closer to the queenside to help control counterplay there, and then play b5 to either win the e-pawn or make inroads on the queenside. Even though the plan may be flawed (such as allowing serious counterplay down the c-file if Black responds to b5 with cxb) it is the methodological approach that is to be appreciated. You plan, you position your pieces, you then reevaluate the position, then you execute. *The main thing is to proceed in a purposeful manner and not just drift, (switching ideas and awaiting developments).*

40...Ke7; 41. R(a)a6 Kd7; 42. Kf2. *Both players realize the value of using their kings as fighting pieces.* 42...Re8!?! Here I suspected that I was being baited. It is obvious that the rook needs to play to h8, threatening to push the h-pawn. Rook passivity leading to doom is legendary. Hence I thought that I was being asked to venture toward the queenside when this plan would then disrupt my operations and reveal a lack of kingside defense. 43. Ke3, anyway! 43...R(e)c; 44. Ra1 Showing respect for my opponent's wiles and my kingside "weaknesses," still believing that Black is planning on making a counter when my king gets most distant from the kingside. 44...Re8; 45. Kd3 R(e)c; 46. Ra2 I'm one tempo down from getting a serious initiative. If now 46...h6; 47. gxh Rh8, then I have the choice of (1) 48. b5 Rxh (48...cxb?; 49.R(a)a6); 49. R(a)a6 Rh2; 50. Rxc, (2) 48. g3 followed by the defensive 49. Rg2, or (3) possibly even Kd3-c2-b3. These game-time considerations were nullified, though, when Black decided that he could maintain the defense with 46...Kd8.

47. R(a)a6 Now I have the position that I had been hoping for with a tempo against kingside counterplay. I plan now to either get my king to c5 to attack the c-pawn a third time or time a b5-advance. Even if b5 is realized this may not be enough to win since Black could still counter attack down the newly-opened c-file. 47...Kd7; 48. c4! Re8? Black blunders, perhaps overly concerned about a possible x-ray attack on the e-pawn or seeing that White can use triangulation and the reserve move g3 to place his king on c5 (though it would be worth little in this situation). 49. c5! White has all his pluses and no weaknesses!

49...R(e)c Its far to late for h6 now, since gxh Rh8; b5 cxb (else bxc+); Rd+ Ke7 (forced); Rxe+ followed by Rxg would be even a worse fate.

50. Kc3 Kd8; 51. b5 Kd7? If the better 51...cxb; 52. Rxe and a later Re5 or Rd6 would be convincing. 52. Kb4 Kd8?; 53. Rxc Rxc; 54. Rxc Rxc; 55. bxc Kc8; 56. Ka5 Kc7; 57. Kb5 Resigns.



L. Dickerson vs. D. Kapley
Round 2, White on 33rd move

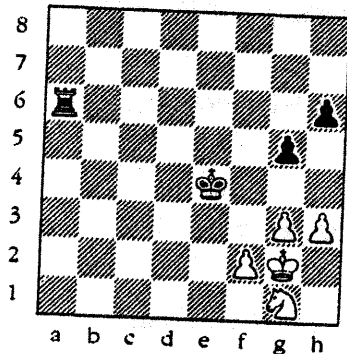
White has a minimal advantage because of the potential pawn weaknesses that Black has on d5 and e6. White's ideal position is to have his King placed at e5 in this position. The other possible plan is to somehow get Black to commit more of his pawns to White squares. If none of these aims are realizable, then the game will likely end in a draw. 33. h4 Making the f4 square a haven for the king and grabbing space before Black can try the same. 33...g6. Nothing has been dropped, but this certainly picked up my spirit! Placing pawns on white squares is

the last thing that Black should be doing with a white-bound bishop. The position-though still drawish-is ripe for maneuvering.

34. Ke3 yes, even thinking of dropping the king onto h6, taking advantage of the newly weakened dark squares. 34...dxe Allowing Black to challenge Kf4 with Kf6 since e5+ is now ruled out. The immediate 34...h6 also stops penetration and will allow a later g5, putting the kingside pawn(s) on black and limiting White's potential. 35. Bxe Kf6; 36. Kf4 h6; 37. Bb7 to allow the king to go to e4 so that Black can't get in e5 too easily. White's winning chances are reduced with each trade of a pawn. 37...g5+; 38. Kg4? Be2+ Here I actually had planned on playing 39. Bf3?? when in horror I saw that 39...h5+ would bring pain. *One of the main problems with maneuvering is that it often reduces your immediate tactical alertness.* This is another reason that protracted maneuvers are not practical when tactical situations exist. Since I have to give way with the shameful 39. Kh3, it is Black who has the initiative.

Now Black can put the question to White with e5! If 40. d5? it would be White who would have his pawns on the wrong color and facing a loss. On the other hand, dxe would help the Black king penetrate the White position. And if White allows exd, Black gets a more useful passer than White would. In a taste of time trouble with 4.5 minutes remaining on the clock, Black did not take immediate advantage but sought to gain a move on the clock with the awful 39...g4+?? check. Sure it drives the White king further back, but it permanently weakens the Black kingside pawns and helps the White king regain the ground that was lost. 40. Kg2 e5;

41. Kf2 Bd1; 42. Ke3! Hoping that Black will play exd when the White king centralizes with Kxd-and there is no queenside passer for Black. 42...Ke6; 43. Kd3? Still readjusting to the role of aggressor, White fails to immediately exploit the winning potential of the position. 43...Ke6; 44. Ke3 Ke6 Now Black makes the error of producing the same position of move 42, thinking perhaps that White was playing for a draw by repetition of position. Bc2 or even h5 was better. 45. Kd2! Bf3! After a 9-minute think Black enters this line, seeing that 45...Ba5 also loses; 46. Bc8+ Bd7; 47. d5+ Kd6; 48. Bxd Kxd; 49. Ke3 Ke7; 50. Ke4 Kf6; 51. d6 Ke6; 52. d7 Kxd; 5. Kxe Ke7; 54. h5. 46. Bxf gxf; 47. dxe Kxe; 48. Ke3 f2; 49. Kxf Ke4; 50. h5! b5; 51. Ke2 Kd5; 52. Kd3 Ke5; 53. Ke3 and White wins with tempi to spare in the queening race.



D. Liu vs. L. Dickerson

Round 4, Black on 56th move

White has set up a fortress and Black must maneuver to break through the pawn barrier. Black has been successful in driving White back but seems stymied as to further progress. Black has visualized the ideal position of a pawn on g4, King at d3, and a rook at h1. If this position is achievable, then White will have to allow an opening into his position because of zugswang. To this end Black maneuvers. Note that no mention was made of winning. The pawn barrier must first be removed before it is even worth one's time to consider such a lofty aim from this position of reduced material.

So, 556...Ra3 beginning the corralling of the horse. 57. Ne2 h5; 58. Ng1 Note that zugswang is one of the main tools of maneuvering. 58...Rb3 Black has to proceed carefully. If 58...g4; 59. hxg hxg; 60. Ne2 and Nf4. 59. Ne2 Rb2 Daring the knight to wander from the shelter of his stable. 60. Ng1 Here 60. Kf1 was better, vastly reducing the chances of Black achieving his visualized setup. 60...g4! 61. hxg hxg; 62. Kf1 Kd3; 63. f3. The doors of the barn fly open. 63. Kg2 Rb1 accomplishes the same thing. 63...gxf; 64. Nxf Ke3 Now the maneuver is to win the g-pawn. 65. Nh4 Ke4; 66. Kg1 Ke5; 67. Kh Kf6; 68. Nf3 Kf5; 69. Nh2 Ke4; 70. Kg1 Ke3; 71. Nf1+ If Kh1 Kf2. 71...Kf3; 72. Nh2+ If 72. Kh1 Rg2. 72...Kxg.

Here I achieved my ideal position but simply could not drag the hippo out of the swamp. However, my maneuvering was successful and presented Black many opportunities to go wrong. The goals of maneuvers can be seen as ends in themselves; a win being discovered along the way is encouragement to grind your opponents in the future!

MONTGOMERY CO SCHOLASTIC CHESS LEAGUE

by Roy Manners

The Clarksville Chess Club is proud to announce the formation of the Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League. The league was developed to provide a governing body responsible for organizing and sponsoring scholastic chess tournaments in cooperation with participating Clarksville-Montgomery County schools. The league held it's first tournament at Kenwood Middle School in Clarksville, on Saturday October 10, 1998. Mr. Jose Luna, sponsor of the Kenwood Middle School Chess Club, hosted the event, which drew 37 players from Montgomery, Dickson, Davidson, Williamson counties, and southern Kentucky. 1st thru 5th place trophies were awarded to winners in four sections - High School, Middle School, Elementary, and Primary.

1st Place High School

TJ Osborn of Charlotte TN. TJ finished with a perfect 5-0 score, he as the only player to go undefeated in the tournament.

1st Place Middle School

Noah Kapley of Franklin KY. Noah scored 3.5 points and won on tie breaks.

1st Place Elementary

Jonathan Rice of Brentwood TN. Jonathan had a score of 4.5 points and also won on tie breaks.

1st Place Primary

Joshua Gao of Nashville TN. Joshua scored 4 points, more than anyone else in the Primary section.

The Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League has five more tournaments scheduled for the 1998-98 school year, alternating between Kenwood Middle School and Richview Middle School. All league tournaments are USCF rated and require USCF membership, and are open tournaments. All players who join the Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League will receive 1/2 off the entry fee for all league sponsored tournaments. League membership is \$5.00 per year.

The board of directors for the Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League are:

Jose Luna	Kenwood Middle School Clarksville TN
Glen Davis	Richview Middle School Clarksville TN
Roy Manners	President, Clarksville Chess Club

The Tournament Director for all league tournaments this year is Chris Prosser, Middle Tennessee Regional Scholastic Coordinator for the Tennessee Chess Association. The Montgomery County Scholastic Chess League is a not-for-profit body established to promote chess in the Clarksville area. All proceeds from tournaments are donated to the chess clubs of the host schools. Tournament Dates are:

December 5, 1998

January 16, 1999

April 17, 1999

May 22, 1999

July 24, 1999

Richview Middle School

Kenwood Middle School

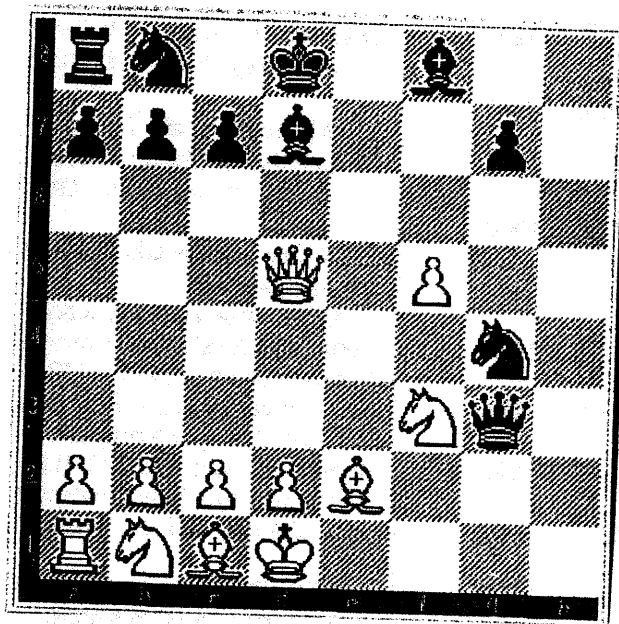
Richview Middle School

Kenwood Middle School

Kenwood Middle School



PROBLEM CORNER BY R. HUDGENS



In this "wild and crazy" position Black can win in 4.

Solution on page 14

NEW BOARD MEMBERS

President Peter Lahde

Vice President Kent Meadows


Middle TN Director Roy Manners

West TN Director Ronnie Barnes

Delegates to US Open
Bill Orgain and Wayne Hedger

TN CHESS ASSOCIATION HALL OF FAME

PETER LAHDE	1990
ROBERT COVEYOU	1990
JERRY SULLIVAN	1990
MARTIN SOUTHERN	1990
TOM FINUCANE	1990
ROBERT SCRIVENER	1990
L. HUNTER WEAKS	1990
JOHN HURT	1992
JAMES A. SWEETS	1993
REA HAYES	1997
JAMES A. WRIGHT	1998


Suggestions for next years
Tennessee Chess Association
Hall of Fame should be
submitted by Dec 31, 1998.

INVITATION TO BID

The TCA is interested in accepting for consideration, bids from parties interested in hosting any of the three specified tournaments during 1999. Bid acceptance will be determined by your Board of Directors at their first 1999 meeting. Sealed bids complete with all details should be postmarked by Dec 31, 1998 and sent to:

Peter P Lahde
2609 Sailboat Court
Nashville TN 37217

1999 (53rd Annual) TN Open:
Labor Day Weekend (9/3 start).

**1999 (2nd Annual) Tennessee
Quick Chess Championship:**
A weekend day (April - October).

**1999 Tennessee Class Chess
Championship:**

A one or two day weekend event designed to determine a Tennessee champion in USCF-designated "classes" from Master to Class J (classes may be combined, as proposed). If begun, this would hopefully become an annual event in Tennessee.

Bid Details: playing site location, playing area, analysis area, lodging, tournament dates and hours, tournament sections, tournament director plans, and financials. Finance matters include a proposed budget, hotel contracts, and the profit/loss proposal.

NEWS & VIEWS - REGION 2

by NJ Hughes

We are looking forward to a great year. Our individual championship will be held at North Cumberland Elementary in Crossville, while the team championship will take place at Hopewell Elementary. This November 21st the 1998 Nichols Scholastic Memorial will take place in University Center at UTC (University of Tennessee at Chattanooga) For information contact N.J. Hughes @ 423 476-8059. This year we will offer team trophies in our two sections as well as individual trophies. Hope to see you all there.

Grandmaster Simul -- Kingsport FunFest

Each summer the city of Kingsport holds it annual Funfest. It's a family oriented city wide festival with a wide variety of activities. The grandmaster simul is one of the highlights for all chess players. This year two of our regional high school players participated and did very well against GM Pal Benko, with a win and a draw. Playing out of Cleveland High School is Jim Hughes scoring a win. From McMinn County High is Scott Cantrell with a draw. Both young men are outstanding chess players as well as scholars. Below are the games with GM Benko playing white in each game.

WHITE - BENKO

BLACK - HUGHES

1. C4 NF6 2. NC3 G6 3. E4 D6 4. D4 BG7 5. F3 0-0 6. BG5 NBD7
7. QD2 C6 8. NGE2 QA5 9. BH6 A6 10. BxG7 KxG7 11. H4 H5
12. NG3 B5 13. QG5 NB6 14. E5 DxE5 15. DxE5 RE8 16. 0-0-0 NH7
17. NxH5+ KH8 18. QH6 RG8 19. BD3 BF5 20. NE4 BxE4
21. BxE4 NxC4 22. G4 QxA2 23. RH2 QA1+ 24. BB1 NxE5
25. QE3 F6 26. NF4 RAD8 27. RxD8 RxD8 28. RD2 RG8
29. QC3 G5 30. HxG5 NxG5 31. RH2+ KG7 32. NH5+ KF7
33. F4 NE4 34. QD4 NC5 35. QC3 RxG4 36. KC2 RG1
37. QxC5 QxB1 38. KB3 QD3+ 39. QC3 QD5+ 40. KB4 RA1
41. B3 A5++

WHITE - BENKO

BLACK - CANTRELL

1. E4 C5 2. NF3 D6 3. D4 CxD4 4. QxD4 NC6 5. BB5 BD7
6. BxC6 BxC6 7. NC3 NF6 8. BG5 E6 9. 0-0-0 H6 10. BH4 BE7
11. RHE1 A6 12. KB1 RC8 13. QE3 0-0 14. ND4 NxE4
15. BxE7 NxC3+ 16. QxC3 QxE7 17. NF5 QG5 18. NxD6 RCD8
19. G3 QE7 20. QE5 RD7 21. NC4 RFD8 22. RxD7 QxD7
23. B3 QD5 24. QxD5 RxD5 25. KC1 RF5 26. F4 G5 27. NE3 RC5
DRAW AGREED

□ B.B. Jefferson
 ■ Em. Lasker
 Memphis, Simul

1905

1.e4 e5 2.Bc4 Nf6 3.d3 Nc6 4.Nf3 Bc5 5.Nc3 d6 6.Bg5 h6 7.Bh4 Be6 8.Nd5 g5 9.Bg3 a6
 10.a3 Ba7 11.a4 Bxd5 12.exd5 Ne7 13.Nd2 Nfxd5 14.Qf3 c6 15.Ne4 f5 16.Bxd5 cxd5 17.Nf6+
 Kf7 18.Nxd5? g4 19.Qe2 Nxd5 20.h3 h5 21.hxg4 hxg4 22.0-0-0 Qd7 23.f3 Qxa4 24.d4 exd4
 25.Qd3 Ne3 26.Bxd6 Rxh1 27.Rxh1 Qa1+ 28.Kd2 Qxh1
 0-1

□ Em. Lasker
 ■ McDonald
 Memphis, Simul

1905

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bg5 Be7 5.Bxf6 Bxf6 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.e5 Be7 8.Bd3 Nb4 9.h4 Bd7
 10.Ne2 c5 11.c3 Nxd3+ 12.Qxd3 Qb6 13.Qd2 h6 14.Rh3 0-0 15.0-0-0 Kh8 16.Rg3 Rg8
 17.Kb1 Bb5 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Ned4 Bc4 20.b3 Ba6 21.Ne1 Rac8 22.f4 Be7 23.h5 Qc7 24.Nec2
 Bh4 25.Rf3 Be7 26.Re1 Qa5 27.Ree3 b6 28.g4 Bb7 29.Kb2 Qc5 30.Qe1 Rc7 31.f5 Bg5
 32.Re2 Rf8 33.Nb4 a5 34.Nbc2 Be7 35.a4 Rfc8 36.Qf2 g5 37.fxg6 fxg6 38.hxg6 Kg8 39.Re1
 Bf8 40.Nxe6
 1-0

□ Dockery & Posert
 ■ Em. Lasker
 Consultation Game

1905

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Nf6 4.d3 Bc5 5.Bg5 h6 6.Bh4 d6 7.Nc3 g5 8.Bg3 a6 9.a3 g4
 10.Nd2 Qe7 11.Ne2 0-0 12.f3 Be6 13.Nc3 h5 14.Nd5 Bxd5 15.exd5 Nd4 16.Ne4 Nf5 17.Bf2
 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 b6 19.Ng3 Nh4 20.Qd2 Kh8 21.Rae1 Rab8 22.Re3 Ng6 23.d4 h4 24.Ne4 Nd7
 25.Ke1 f5 26.Nc3 Qf6 27.Ne2 Rfe8 28.Kd1 h3 29.Rg1 hxg2 30.Rxg2 gxf3 31.Rxf3 e4 32.Rb3
 Kg7 33.Qb4 f4 34.Rxg6+ Qxg6 35.Nxf4 Qg1+ 36.Kd2 e3+ 37.Ke2 Qxh2+ 38.Kd3
 0-1

□ Rosenbush, Dr. & J.L. McGehee
 ■ Em. Lasker
 Consultation Game

1905

1.e4 e5 2.Bc4 Nf6 3.d3 Nc6 4.Bg5 h6 5.Bh4 g5 6.Bg3 h5 7.f3 Bc5 8.Qd2 h4 9.Bf2 Bxf2+
 10.Qxf2 a6 11.a4 d6 12.Nc3 Be6 13.Nd5 Bxd5 14.exd5 Ne7 15.Ne2 Nfxd5 16.d4 c6 17.dxe5
 dxe5 18.Rd1 Qa5+ 19.c3 Qxa4 20.b3 Qa5 21.b4 Nxb4 22.0-0 Nbd5 23.Rb1 b5 24.Bxd5 Nxd5
 25.Rbc1 Qb6 26.c4 Qxf2+ 27.Kxf2 Nb4 28.Rfd1 Rd8 29.Rxd8+ Kxd8 30.Rd1+ Kc7 31.c5 a5
 32.Nc3 a4 33.Ke2 Rd8 34.Rb1 Nd5 35.Na2 b4 36.Rc1 b3 37.Nc3 Nxc3+ 38.Rxc3 b2 39.Rd3
 Rxd3 40.Kxd3 b1Q+
 0-1

□ Ames, Koenberg, Hirsch
 ■ Em. Lasker
 Consultation Game

1905

1.e4 e5 2.f4 exf4 3.Bc4 Nf6 4.Nc3 Bb4 5.Bb3 Bxc3 6.dxc3 0-0 7.e5 Re8 8.Bxf4 d5 9.Nf3 Bg4
 10.0-0 Nh5 11.Bg5 Qxg5 12.Nxg5 Bxd1 13.Bxd5 Rxe5 14.Bxf7+ Kh8 15.Raxd1 Nc6 16.Ne6
 Nf6 17.Nxc7 Rc8 18.Nd5 Ne4 19.Nf4 Nf6 20.Rd3 Ng8 21.Rh3 Nh6 22.Nd3 Re7 23.Bd5 Nb8
 24.Rhf3 Nd7 25.Bxb7 Rd8 26.Bd5 Nf6 27.c4 Nhg4 28.h3 Ne3 29.Re1 Nexd5 30.cxd5 Rxe1+
 31.Nxe1 Rxd5 32.Rd3 Re5 33.Rd8+ Ng8 34.Kf2 h5 35.c4 Kh7 36.Rd5 Rxd5 37.cxd5 Nf6
 38.Ke3 Nxd5+ 39.Kd4 Nf4 40.Kc5 h4 41.Kc6 g5 42.Kb7 Kg6 43.Kxa7 Kf6 44.Kb7
 1-0

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL TCA MEMBERSHIP MEETING

September 5, 1998

The Annual Membership Meeting of the Tennessee Chess Association was held at the Ramada Inn in Clarksville, Tennessee on Saturday, September 5, 1998 at 1:30 PM. Acting President Pete Lahde called the meeting to order and requested approval of last year's annual meeting minutes.

Motion to approve - Bill Orgain, Second - Chris Prosser, Vote - Unanimous

Alvin Harris spoke for the Nashville Chess Center and noted that Dr Katahn has offered to donate the building to the TCA if we get proper funding. He noted that our membership is growing because of the NCC, and he wants our further support.

Officers' Reports:

1. Bill Orgain reminded the members about our website in Dickson and noted that we have one of the top five chess websites in the country.
2. President - Pete Lahde noted that our membership is growing because of the NCC, and he wants our further support.
3. Secretary - Jim Baringer stated that TCA membership is growing, particularly in scholastics. He requested that tournament directors send membership forms to him and money to Treasurer Leonard Dickerson.
4. Treasurer - Leonard Dickerson reminded us that the TCN sent out in a timely manner has helped with membership. He also stated that the Financial Report had been posted at the tournament. Leonard emphasized that switching money into money market accounts has helped us get a greater return than we would have gotten at the bank. Leonard stated that even with the market drop, we are about even because we purchased additional shares.
5. Newsletter Editor - Angela McElrath-Prosser thanked all contributors to the TCN and requested future articles from each region. She stated that October 9 is the deadline for submitting articles to appear in the next TCN.
6. Postal Chess Coordinator - Lee Edwards observed that there has been very little interest in Postal Chess and stated that the Board will consider a bylaw revision to change Lee's job to Internet Coordinator.
7. Tournament Coordinator - Wayne Hedger reported that all tournament directors are current with the USCF. He noted that there will be no Turkey Tour next year. Organizers are not interested in it; consequently, there is not much money for it. Wayne requested that all TDs send him tournament dates. He keeps this information centralized. This helps TDs schedule tournaments.
8. Scholastic Coordinator - Harry Sabine noted that three-fourths of our membership is scholastic member and that we set attendance records in both individual and team tournaments. Also, Harry reminded coaches to pick up fliers for 1999 qualifying and finals tournaments. He thanked our four Regional Scholastic Coordinators for their hard work. They are Barbara Crigger, Nancy Hughes,

Chris Prosser, and Bill Cummings. Harry observed that we have an excellent scholastic program, competitive with any state in the country.

Election of Officers

Pete Lahde read the following slate of candidates:

President - Pete Lahde	East TN Director - Richard Westbrook
Vice President - Kent Meadows	Scholastic Coordinator - Harry Sabine
Treasurer - Leonard Dickerson	West TN Director - Ronnie Barnes
Middle TN Director - Roy Manners	Tournament Director - Wayne Hedger

Rea Hayes moved to unanimously elect these candidates.

Second - Jim Baringer Vote - Unanimous

Election of USCF Delegates and Voting Members

Kent Meadows nominated Bill Orgain as one delegate.

Second - Leonard Dickerson Vote - Unanimous

Harry Sabine nominated Wayne Hedger.

Second - Jim Baringer Vote - Unanimous

Bill Orgain moved that the Board appoint voting member.

Second - Wayne Hedger Vote - Unanimous

The voting members are Pete Lahde, Harry Sabine, Leonard Dickerson, Kent Meadows, Roy Manners, and Ronnie Barnes.

Hall of Fame Induction

Pete Lahde introduced Mr James Wright, our newest inductee into the Hall of Fame. Mr Wright received sustained applause. Pete informed Mr Wright that the TCA will mail him his commemorative plaque.

USCF Delegate Reports

Nick Barber was not present so Rea Hayes gave the report. Rea noted that:

- (1) New USCF bylaws will be available in the near future. These bylaws reflect a one member/one vote emphasis.
- (2) A new USCF rule book will be published within the year.
- (3) Life achievement awards are moving forward.

Denker Tournament Report

Rea Hayes reported that our player, Nick Barber, scored 5.5 out of 9 points in the US Open.

Other Business

Wayne Hedger suggested that the TCA have a TN Class Tournament. Also he asked for more players to enter the Labor Day Quick Chess Tournament.

Todd Andrews asked about the state of the Fairfield Glade Tournament. Harry Sabine stated that there is no more Fairfield Glade Tournament because Fairfield Glade has become a conference center.

Bill Orgain moved to adjourn the meeting. Second - Wayne Hedger
Vote - Unanimous The meeting was adjourned at 2:40 PM.

Scott Cantrell - Michael
Filippone

1998, Murfreesboro, Rutherford
County Open

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3
dxc6 5. d3 cxd4 6. cxd4 dxe7
7. d3 dxc4 8. dxc3 dxd3+ 9.
dxd3 a6 10. O-O d7 11. d2
f5 12. g4 h4 13. dxc4 dxc4
14. g3 d8 15. f4 e7 16. f5
b6 17. f2 h6 18. f6 gxf6 19.
exf6 d6 20. dxe1 b4 21.
dxd5 d6 22. dxb4 b5 23.
f4 xf4 24. dxf4 O-O-O 25.
d5 a5 26. dxc2 dxd5 27. dxa5
dxc6 28. dxc3 h5 29. dxc4 d5
30. dxc6 bxc6 31. h3 h4 32.
hxg4 1:0

Evan Williams - Rea B Hayes
1998, Murfreesboro, Rutherford
County Open

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 dxf6 3. d3
dxd5 4. d4 g4 5. dxe2 e6 6.
O-O d7 7. c4 dxf6 8. dxe3 O-O
9. dxc3 dxd7 10. h3 d5 11.
dxf4 c5 12. dxb5 b6 13. dxc2 a6
14. dxc5 dxc5 15. dxc3 g6 16.
d2 d8 17. d4 d6 18. dxc3
e5 19. d5 e4 20. dxc2 d5 21.
f4 d3 22. dxd3 exd3 23.
dxc4 d5 24. d2 f6 25. dxe3
dxe3 26. dxe3 d8 27. dfe1
d4 28. dxd5 dxd5 29. dxd5
d8 30. dxe7+ dxe7 31. dxe7
dxc4 32. d5 d5 1/2:1/2

Griffin Gibson - Terrence Lee
1998, Murfreesboro, Rutherford
County Open

1. e4 d6 2. dxc3 d5 3. e5 d4 4.
exf6 dxc3 5. fxg7 cxd2+ 6.
dxd2 dxd2+ 7. dxd2 dxc7 8.
O-O-O d4 9. dxe2 dxe2 10.
dxe2 dxc6 11. dxc3 dxc3 12.
dxc3 e6 13. dxe1 d8 14. d5
O-O 15. dxf6+ d7 16. dxc5+
d8 17. dxf6 d6 18. dxe4
dxd1+ 19. dxd1 d8 20.
dxd8+ dxd8 21. d2 d7 22.
c3 f5 23. dxc5 d6 24. d7+
d7 25. dxe5 d7 26. dxf7
dxf7 27. f4 d6 28. dxe3 e5 29.
fxe5+ dxe5 30. g3 h6 31. h3 h5
32. h4 c6 33. d3 b6 34. dxe3
a6 35. a3 c5 36. b4 c4 37. a4 b5
38. a5 d6 39. d4 d6 1/2:1/2

Koral Wynn - Ellis E Jones
1998, Murfreesboro, Rutherford
County Open

1. d4 d6 2. c4 e5 3. dxe5 dxc4
4. d3 d5 5. e3 dxc6 6. dxd2
O-O 7. dxe2 dxc5 8. a3 f5 9.
b4 d7 10. dxc2 d6 11. dxc3
d8 12. O-O d6 13. dxd1 d8
14. dfe1 d6 15. d4 d7 16.
dxc2 d6 17. b5 d7 18. d2f3
d8 19. dxc3 dxf3+ 20. dxf3
b6 21. d4 d6 22. dcl d5
23. h3 f4 24. exf4 dxf4 25.
dxe7 dxc3 26. dxf4 dxf4 27.
dxe6 dxe6 28. dxe6 d5 29.
d5 d4 30. d5 1:0

Benjamin M Harris - Bradley S
Watson
1998, Murfreesboro, Rutherford
County Open

1. e4 c5 2. ♖f3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4.
♗xd4 ♖f6 5. ♖c3 g6 6. ♖e3
♗g7 7. f3 O-O 8. ♗d2 ♖c6 9.
♖c4 ♖d7 10. O-O-O ♗a5 11. h4
♗fc8 12. ♖b3 ♖e5 13. h5 ♖xh5
14. ♖h6 ♖xh6 15. ♗xh6 ♖xc3
16. ♖xh5 gxf5 17. bxc3 ♖c8
18. ♖f5 ♖xf5 19. exf5 ♗xc3 20.
♗g5+ ♗h8 21. ♗xe7 ♖c4 22.
♖xc4 ♗xc4 23. ♗f6+ ½:½

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1. ♖f3 e6 2. g3 ♖f6 3. ♖g2 d5
4. O-O b6 5. d3 ♖b7 6. ♖bd2
c5 7. ♖e1 ♖e7 8. ♖e5 ♖bd7 9.
♗xd7 ♗xd7 10. e4 dxe4 11.
♖xe4 ♖xe4 12. ♖xe4 ♖xe4 13.
♖xe4 f5 14. ♖e1 ♖f6 15. ♖b1
O-O 16. ♖f4 ♖ae8 17. ♖e5 ♖d8
18. ♗e2 ♖xe5 19. ♗xe5 ♖fe8
20. ♖bd1 ♗d5 21. b3 ♗xe5 22.
♖xe5 ♖d5 23. ♖de1 ♖xe5 24.
♖xe5 ♗f7 25. f4 ♗f6 26. ♗f2
h6 27. c3 g5 28. ♗f3 g4+ 29.
♗e3 h5 30. d4 cxd4+ 31. cxd4
♖c8 32. ♗d3 ♖c1 33. ♖e2 ♖c7
34. ♖c2 ♖xc2 35. ♗xc2 ♗e7 36.
♗c3 ♗d6 37. ♗c4 ♗c6 38. a4 a6
39. b4 b5+ 40. axb5+ axb5+ 41.
♗c3 ♗d5 42. ♗d3 ♗d6 ½:½

Ronnie C Barnes - James H
Ch'ng
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1. d4 d5 2. c4 dxc4 3. e4 e5 4.
d5 c6 5. ♖xc4 cxd5 6. ♖xd5
♗f6 7. ♖xf7+ ♗xf7 8. ♗xd8
♖b4+ 9. ♖d2 ♖xd8 10. ♖xb4
♗xe4 11. f3 ♖f6 12. ♖c3 ♖c6
13. ♖c5 a6 14. ♖b6 ♖d3 15.
♖d1 ♖f5 16. ♖xd3 ♖xd3 17.
♗d2 ♖c4 18. ♖h3 ♖d5 19.
♖g5+ ♗g8 20. ♖xd5 ♖xd5 21.
b3 h6 22. ♖e4 ♖e7 23. ♖c1
♖c6 24. g4 ♖d5 25. ♖e3 ♖d8
26. ♗e2 ♖c8 27. ♖c5 ♖b5+ 28.
♗f2 ♖xc5 29. ♖xc5 ♖xe3 30.
♗xe3 ♖c6 31. f4 exf4+ 32.
♗xf4 ♗f7 33. b4 ♗f6 34. h4
g5+ 35. hxg5+ hxg5+ 36. ♗e3
♗e5 37. a3 ♗d5 38. ♖e4 ♗e5
39. ♖xg5 b6 40. ♖f7+ ♗f6 41.
♖d8 ♖a8 42. ♗f4 ♗e7 43. g5
♗xd8 44. ♗e5 ♗e7 45. a4 ♖c6
46. a5 bxa5 47. bxa5 ♗f7 48.
♗d6 ♖b5 ½:½

Scott Cantrell - Rea B Hayes
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1. e4 e5 2. ♖f3 ♖f6 3. ♖xe5 d6
4. ♖f3 ♖xe4 5. d4 d5 6. ♖bd2
♖e7 7. ♖d3 ♖f6 8. O-O O-O 9.
♖e1 ♖g4 10. ♖e2 ♖c6 11. c4
dxc4 12. ♖xc4 ♖e8 13. a3 ♖b8
14. ♖ce5 ♖xe5 15. ♖xe5 ♖xe2
16. ♖xe2 c5 17. ♗b3 ♗d5 18.
♗xd5 ♖xd5 19. ♖e3 ♖bd8 20.
♖f3 cxd4 21. ♖xd4 b6 22. ♖ae1
♗f8 23. ♖e5 ♖f6 24. ♖d7+ 1:0

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