#### **BCCF E-MAIL BULLETIN #7**

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Stephen Wright

#### WORLD YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2002 edition of this junior age-category tournament (U10, U12, U14, U16, and U18 sections for both Boys and Girls) has just ended in Heraklio, Crete.

Twenty of our best juniors represented Canada in the 802-player event, and several of them were among the leaders in their respective sections: Dinara Khaziyeva placed 13th in the U16 Girls with 7/11, IM Mark Bluvshtein (U14

Boys) and Shiyam Thavandiran (U10 Boys) both placed 8th with 7.5 and 8 points respectively. Canada's best hope for a medal was Alina Sviridovitch (U10 Girls) - in the last round she played for the gold medal on board one.

Unfortunately she lost to eventual section winner Lara Stock of Croatia and had to settle for 5th place, still a remarkable performance.

B.C. was represented on the team by Fanhao Meng (U14 Boys) and Tiffany Tang (U12 Girls): Fanhao broke even for the event with 5.5/11, while Tiffany was at -1 (5/11). Here is a win by each of them.

Meng,F (2313) - Barbosa,H [B22] WYCC - B14 Heraklio (1.11), 15.11.2002

1.e4 c5 2.c3 Nf6 3.e5 Nd5 4.d4 cxd4 5.Nf3 e6 6.cxd4 b6 7.Nc3 Nxc3 8.bxc3 Qc7 9.Bd2 Bb7 10.Bd3 d6 11.0-0 Nd7 12.exd6 Bxd6 13.h3 Bf4 14.c4 Bxd2 15.Nxd2 Qf4 16.Nb3 0-0 17.Qg4 Qxg4 18.hxg4 Rfd8 19.Rfd1 Rac8 20.f3 e5 21.Bf5 exd4 22.Rxd4 Rc7 23.Rad1 Bc8 24.g5 g6 25.Bg4 h6 26.f4 Kf8 27.Nd2 Re8 28.Ne4 Nc5 29.Nf6 Bxg4 30.Nxe8 Kxe8 31.gxh6 Rc8 32.h7 Ke7 33.Rd8 1-0

Tang,T - Chierici,M [C60] WYCC - G12 Heraklio (2.9), 16.11.2002

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Nge7 4.0-0 a6 5.Ba4 b5 6.Bb3 d6 7.h3 Bb7 8.c3 Qd7 9.d4 Rd8 10.Re1 h6 11.Nbd2 Ng6 12.Nf1 Be7 13.Ng3 0-0 14.Nf5 Bf6 15.d5 Nce7 16.Ng3 Nc8 17.Bc2 Nb6 18.Nh2 c6 19.dxc6 Bxc6 20.Ng4 Bh4 21.Nf5 Bg5 22.Nfxh6+ gxh6 23.Bxg5 Qc7 24.Bxd8 Qxd8 25.Nxh6+ Kg7 26.Nf5+ Kg8 27.Qxd6 Bd7 28.Rad1 Re8 29.Bb3 Rf8 30.h4 Qc8 31.Qxb6 Bxf5 32.exf5 Qxf5 33.Qe3 Nxh4 34.Qxe5 Qh7 35.Qf6 Rc8 36.Rd7 Rf8 37.Rd8 Qh5 38.Rxf8+ Kxf8 39.Re5 Qh7 40.Qd8+ Kg7 41.Rg5+ Ng6 42.Qd5 Qg8 43.Bc2 Qe8 44.Qd4+ Kh6 45.Rg3 Qc8 46.Bxg6 fxg6 47.Qf6 Qe8 48.Rh3# 1-0

Further games and results can be found on the official website, World Youth Chess Championships 2002, while WYCC 2002 has pictures and information from a Canadian perspective, thanks to Patrick McDonald.

### BUGHOUSE NEWS by Ben Daswani

Unfortunately, only a worst-ever 9 players showed up to the November Open Bughouse Tournament... a mere 60% of the previous record low. Graham Sadoway won the November Open Bughouse Tournament with a score of 31/48. In second was Gavin Atkinson with 29.5 and in third was Ray Barrett with 27.5. The crosstable can be found at http://geocities.com/bughouse\_bc/nov02xta ble.html.

#### JACK TAYLOR MEMORIAL

We will have a report on this event in the next issue. However, the crosstable can already be viewed at Jack

Taylor 2002. Among those who tied

for second is an unfamiliar name: Valeriya Gansvind is a women's FIDE master from Russia - stay tuned for more details.

## JUNIOR GRAND PRIX #3

Thirty-eight players took part in the third Vancouver Grand Prix event, held at the Vancouver Bridge Centre on November 24th. As before, the top half of the field were placed in quads and played three games each, while the remainder took part in a fiveround Swiss. Winners in the quads were: Gavin Atkinson and Lucas Davies, Valentina Goutor and Lawrence Bau, Danny Yu and Nikhil Jain, Monika Prokopowicz and Lesley Cheng, and Steven Roller, Kevin Au and Lo-Ching Chow (three-way tie for first). Michael Wee came first in the Swiss with a perfect score, followed by Mihai Beschea on 4.0/5 and a tie for third between Alexandra Botez and Brianna Reid with 3.5. Congratulations to all!

Junior Grand Prix 3 Quad A Junior Grand Prix 3 Quad B Junior Grand Prix 3 Quad C Junior Grand Prix 3 Quad D Junior Grand Prix 3 Quad E Junior Grand Prix 3 Swiss

Current standings in the Grand Prix are as follows:

Atkinson, Gavin 14.3 Davies, Lucas 11.0 Goutor, Valentina 10.9 Davies, Noam 10.6 Cheng, Lesley 10.6 Yu, Danny 10.0 Chow, Lo-Ching 9.5 Almasan, Ovidiu 8.9 Kostin, Andrey 8.7 Young, Bryan 8.4 Sum, Peter 8.1

Participants count their best six scores from the eight Grand Prix events to be held, so there is still plenty of time for the standings to change. The above players have played in all three of the events held so far, other players will close in on their scores as more events take place.

#### **READER'S GAME**

Reader Paul McNichol submitted the following game, played in a recent UBC Tuesday Night event:

"In this tournament (I won the Under 1800 Division) I played perhaps one of my best games to date. . . I found move #19.Ne6+ interesting since I thought intuitively that it was the correct move. I do not have a mating attack as of yet, and I do not win any material (so in a sense, it is a true sacrifice), but I felt it was correct, because Black's Queenside pieces had not been developed, and White's pawn on e6 would be very strong positionally."

McNichol,P - Hardy,J [B80] UBC September Vancouver (3), 17.09.2002

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 e6 6.Be3 a6 7.f3 b5 8.Qd2 Bb7 9.0-0-0 Be7 10.g4 h6 11.h4 Nfd7 12.h5 Ne5 13.f4 Nxg4 14.Rg1 Nxe3 15.Qxe3 Kf8 16.Qg3 Rg8 17.Bh3 Bc8 18.f5 e5 19.Ne6+ fxe6 20.fxe6 Bg5+ 21.Kb1 Bb7 22.Rdf1+ Bf4 23.Ne2 g5 24.hxg6 Rg7 25.Nxf4 exf4 26.Qxf4+ Kg8 27.Qf7+ Rxf7 28.gxf7+ Kh8 29.f8Q+ Qxf8 30.Rxf8+ Kh7 31.Bf5# 1-0

### THIRTY YEARS AGO by Bruce Harper

Today, as was the case 20, 30 and 50 years ago, players tend to place more emphasis on openings than on endings. Opening books outsell all others by a wide margin, and players tell themselves "if I really know this opening, I won't have to play an ending - or a middlegame, for that matter!"

But interesting things happen in endings. A startling example was Robert Zuk's experience in the 1972 B.C. Open. Zuk, as everyone should know, was long a powerhouse in B.C. chess, and was one of Canada's top players in 1972.

But luck was not with him in the 1972 B.C. Open, where he ran into not one, but two stalemates! And by "stalemates" I don't mean the "draws", as uninformed laymen often use the term, but the real thing.



In the first game, Zuk had Black against Richard Pomfret, who had been outplayed in what I believe was a King's Indian Defence. Black is two pawns up in an opposite-coloured bishop ending, and while the pawns are doubled on the h-file, Black's more active king and bishop makes you think there is a win there somewhere.

Zuk played 1...Bg3+ 2.Kf1 (the king obviously can't go the other way, as Black plays 2...Kf2-g1) Bh4. Now it looks like zugzwang, as White's king can't move and the bishop has no safe square. But after 3.Bf3!, Black is stuck, because 3...Kxf3 is stalemate!

Lightening struck again later in the tournament.



Here Zuk, again playing Black, had good winning chances against Alan Hill. I noted in my column that this was an adjourned position which was played out immediately after the conclusion of the Pomfret-Zuk game, "for the benefit of any psychologists who are interested".

Black's winning plan consists of advancing his passed pawns and winning a rook by mate threats. If White's rooks don't remain connected, they will be vulnerable to Black's queen. The first step for Black is to centralize his queen, but Zuk ignored this general principle in favour of the immediate 1...g3?, only to run into 2.Rg7+ Kf4 3.Rd4+ Ke3 4.Re7+! Kf3 5.Re3+! Kxe3 6.Re4+ Kf3 7.Rf4+, with either a stalemate (if the rook is captured) or a perpetual check (if it isn't). I leave it to you to confirm that neither 2...Kh6 nor 2...Kf6 changes the result. Black's problem was that his queen was on a poor square and could never capture White's annoying rook, lifting the stalemate.

In both of these games, you'll notice that White had no pawn moves available to him. Stalemates can arise even when the weaker side has pawns which can move, but very rarely (because the pawns have to use up their moves in some combinative way). If your opponent has no pawn moves, watch out for stalemate! Beginners should always leave their opponents some pawn moves (rather than taking them), but everyone has to watch for stalemate tricks.

Fairly recently Tiffany Tang let slip a winning rook ending against Valentina Goutor by allowing a perpetual rook attack (as in Hill-Zuk, although Hill had two rooks!), so nothing has really changed in the last thirty years...

### B.C. - WASHINGTON MATCHES

Due to their proximity and relative isolation from other major chess centres, there has always been a (generally!) friendly rivalry between players from British Columbia and the state of Washington. For many years this rivalry has had an official outlet in team

matches: from the mid-1940s onwards a large annual match was held, sometimes on 50 boards or more. That particular series died out in the early 1960s, but was revived in 1985 as an individual match between the B.C. and Washington champions (or representatives), played on the large set at Park Royal Mall. This ended in 1992; instead we now have an annual junior match, with two players from each grade (1-12) squaring off against their respective counterparts from the other country. This year's event takes place in Seattle on December 7th, and we wish our twenty-four member team the best of luck as they attempt to repeat their winning performance from last year.

One of the more unusual B.C. - Washington contests took place in 1968 - unusual, in that it was conducted by radio. Willie Skubi (Washington) set up the match, using the facilities of ham radio operators John Solbakken

(Seattle) and Bob Eldridge (Vancouver). Seattle had requested the strongest possible opposition, so Elridge lined up Duncan Suttles, Bob Zuk (replacing Elod Macskasy on short notice) and Tim Anderson. The Vancouver players won the match fairly easily, with a final score of 2.5-1.5.

"The game on board 1 went on after the other two had finished. Pupols was in trouble with a bad position and six moves to make in 3 minutes to the time control. He made them with full 40 seconds to spare, but by that time was dependent on some kind of a swindle to pull it out of the fire"

Pupols,V - Suttles,D [A42] Radio match, 1, 1968

1.d4 g6 2.c4 Bg7 3.e4 d6 4.Nc3 Nc6 5.Be3 e5 6.d5 Nce7 7.f3 f5 8.Bd3 Nf6 9.exf5 gxf5 10.Nge2 0-0 11.Qd2 c6 12.0-0-0 cxd5 13.Nxd5 Nexd5 14.cxd5 Qc7+ 15.Qc2 Rf7 16.Nc3 a6 17.Kb1 b5 18.Bxf5 b4 19.Ne2 Bxf5 20.Qxf5 Nxd5 21.Qe4 Nxe3 22.Qxa8+ Rf8 23.Qe4 Nxd1 24.Rxd1 Qb6 25.Ng3 Kh8 26.Qd3 Qf2 27.Qd2 Qxd2 28.Rxd2 Rd8 29.Rd5 Bf8 30.Ne4 Be7 31.Kc2 Kg7 32.Kb3 Kf7 33.Kxb4 Ke6 34.Nc3 Rc8 35.Ra5 Rb8+ 36.Ka3 d5+ 37.Ka4 Rb4+ 38.Ka3 d4 39.Ne4 d3 40.Nc5+ Bxc5 41.Rxc5 d2 42.Kxb4 d1Q 43.Rc6+ Kd5 44.Rc8 Qd4+ 45.Kb3 Qd3+ 46.Rc3 Qd1+ 47 Ka3

Qd2 48.g4 Qxh2 49.Kb3 Qe2 50.a3 a5 51.Ka2 h6 52.Kb3 Kd4 53.Ka2 a4 54.Rc6 Qxf3 55.Rxh6 Qxg4 56.Rb6 Kd3 57.Rb4 Qd1 58.Rb8 e4 59.Rd8+ Kc2 60.Rxd1 Kxd1 0-1

"... on board 2 Bob Zuk mounted a crushing attack with a remorseless squad of peons pushing Jeff Fox back into his field ... Bob noted afterwards: 'I think Black's 6-7-8 moves premature - he should castle. On move 17 Black should take the pawn. After White's 18th Black is lost."

Zuk,R - Fox,J [E80] Radio match, 2, 1968

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 d6 3.Nc3 g6 4.e4 Bg7 5.f3 c6 6.Be3 a6 7.Qd2 b5 8.g4 Qa5 9.h4 h5 10.g5 Nh7 11.f4 Nd7 12.a3 Rb8 13.Nf3 Nhf8 14.Bd3 bxc4 15.Bxc4 c5 16.0-0 Ne6

17.b4 Qc7 18.Nd5 Qa7 19.dxc5 dxc5 20.Rad1 Qb7 21.f5 gxf5 22.exf5 Nc7 23.Bxc5 Nxd5 24.Bxd5 Qc7 25.f6 Qg3+ 26.Qg2 Qxg2+ 27.Kxg2 Bf8 28.g6 fxg6 29.f7+ Kd8 30 Ba7 1-0

"On board 3 Chris Corwin playing White considers he had an advantage which he let slip. Tim Anderson offered a draw around move 16 or so, and one was agreed on move 25 after his original 25th move had been incorrectly communicated . . . Both players were rather short of time, with 15 mins and

24 mins respectively for another 25 moves. The time control was 50 in 2."

Corwin,C - Anderson,T [D04] Radio match, 3, 1968

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.e3 g6 4.Nbd2 Bg7 5.Bd3 0-0 6.e4 dxe4 7.Nxe4 Nxe4 8.Bxe4 Nd7 9.0-0 Nf6 10.Bd3 Bg4 11.Be3 c6 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qd5 14.Qe2 Rad8 15.Rfe1 e6 16.c3 Rd7 17.Bf4 Qa5 18.Be5 Nh5 19.Bxg7 Kxg7 20.Qf3 Qd5 21.Qg4 Nf6 22.Qg3 Rfd8 23.Re5 Qd6 24.f4 Kh8 25.Rae1 -

[Quotations by Bob Elridge from Northwest Chess, June 1968, 12-14.]

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Upcoming junior events:

December 7 Annual BC - Washington Junior Match, Seattle December 8 Greater Victoria City Championship December 8 Christmas Party/Blitz/Siamese, Vancouver Bridge Centre

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Time: Round 1; a.s.a.p. after 7pm, Rounds 2-5; 6:30pm Time Control: 40 moves / 90 minutes, game / 60 minutes Entry Fee: \$15, \$12 UBC CC members (available at site), \$8 juniors, \$Free to masters and those joining CFC/BCCF for the first time

Registration: 6:30 - 7 pm before round 1

Prizes: Based on entries (\$\$BEN)

Org & TD: Lyle Craver (604)980-2040

Misc: half point byes available for rounds 1-4 when requested at least 24 hours before game time (in person or by phone only please - no e-mail bye

requests!) Please bring sets, clocks, etc.

### Saturday Chess Fever

Date: Nov. 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14

Location: at the Bridge Center 2776 East Broadway, Vancouver

Rds: 5

Type: Regular Swiss, 2 sections Open and Under 1700

Time: Games start at 5:00p.m. Time Control: 30/90 G/60

Entry Fee: \$25, \$20 for Juniors and Masters

Prizes: \$\$ BEN

Org: James Kerry (604) 438-7666 and Luc Poitras (604) 438-0496

#### Northshorechess.com CM Invitational

Date: Nov.30-Dec. 1, 2002 Place: New Westminster, BC

Rds: 5

Type: 6-player RR

Round times: 9, 2, 7/9, ASAP

TC: SD 120 EF: \$35

Prizes: 1st \$100 plus Fritz 7 software

Reg: interested expert players (2000-2199) e-mail chessfm@shaw.ca for invitations TD

& Org: Vas Sladek

Misc: no smoking, CFC membership required, one ChessBase magazine EXTRA issue to

all players completing their schedule

### Mt. Seymour December Active

Date: Saturday, 7.December, 2002

Place: Parkgate Branch, North Van District Public Library The Enid Dearing meeting

room, 3675 Banff Court, North Vancouver, BC

Rds: 6-player, 5 RR Type: Active, CFC-rated Times: 10 a.m. start

TC: G30

EF: \$12 for CFC members, non-members add \$10

Prizes: 1st ChessBase magazine CD

Reg: interested players must pre-register by e-mail: chessfm@shaw.ca

Org/TD: Vas Sladek, www.northshorechess.com

Misc: bring sets, digital clocks provided

### Dan MacAdam Memorial Tournament

Date: January 18th and January 19th 2003

Type: 5 Round Swiss

Entry Fee: \$35 Regular, \$25 for Juniors Prize Fund: 100% of EF minus Expenses

CFC Rated

Time Control 40/90 minutes - SD/1 Hour

Location: University of Victoria, Human & Social Development Building, Room A-260

Registration: January 18th 8:30AM at the site.

Organizer & TD: Lynn Stringer

Contact: Lynn Stringer at lynnstringer@shaw.ca; Tel (250) 658 5207

#### Kelowna Winter Fest

Dates: Feb. 8 & 9, 2003 Type: 5 Round Swiss Times: 9/2/7; 9/asap

Place: Sandman Inn Kelowna B.C. 2130 Harvey Ave across from Orchard Park Mall

(250) 860-6409

Entry: \$25, \$20 Seniors, \$15 Juniors Non CFC pay entry + \$12

Prizes: BEN

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(250) 545-6677 ianofski@cablelan.net

### Kelowna Summer Fest

Dates: July. 5 & 6, 2003 Type: 5 Round Swiss Times: 9/2/7; 9/asap

Place: Sandman Inn Kelowna B.C. 2130 Harvey Ave across from Orchard Park Mall

(250) 860-6409

Entry: \$25, \$20 Seniors, \$15 Juniors Non CFC pay entry + \$12

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e]g urnament also decided the B.C. Junior Champion for this year: Lucas Davies. He won the title by virtue of achieving the best score by a junior, this with the proviso that the junior contenders were paired together in the last two rounds. Fittingly this took place in an event in memory of Lionel Joyner, since Joyner was Canada's representative to the first World Junior Championship in 1951.

Stephen Wright was the TD, aided and abetted by Katherine Davies.

### Lionel Joyner Memorial

Here is a game by the Under-1600 winner (in all fairness, this was White's first tournament in many a moon, so he was a tad rusty):

Westbrook, M - Prehara, J [C31]

Lionel Joyner mem Vancouver (5), 11.11.2002

1.e4 e5 2.f4 d5 3.exd5 Qxd5 4.Nc3 Qe6 5.Qe2 exf4 6.d4 Qxe2+ 7.Bxe2 g5 8.Nf3 f6 9.Nd5 Bd6 10.Bd2 c6 11.Nc3 Bf5 12.0-0-0 Ne7 13.h4 g4 14.Nh2 h5 15.Bc4 Nd7 16.Nf1 0-0-0 17.Kb1 Nb6 18.Bb3 Ned5 19.Nxd5 Nxd5 20.Ka1 Be4 21.Rg1 f5 22.a3 Rh7 23.Bc1 b5 24.Nd2 Bxg2 25.Rde1 f3 0-1

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The opening ceremonies take place on November 14th, with the first round the next day. It is unclear at this point how much internet coverage there will be, but here are two possible sites to check out:

World Youth Chess Championships 2002 WYCC 2002

## 30 YEARS AGO... by Bruce Harper

Everyone likes a bloodbath, and that's just what you'll see in the game below, which was played in the 1972 B.C. Open. Stan Pakosta, who hailed from what was then Czechoslovakia, played Tchigorin's line against the French Defence - 2.Qe2. Black shouldn't be afraid of this move, and can even answer with 2...e5 (3.f4!?). Here Black went into some kind of Closed Sicilian, which is fine as well.

Black's problems arose when he mechanically developed and delayed his central counterplay too long. The formation adopted by Black is sound and aesthetically pleasing, but this didn't stop White from launching a dangerous attack with 11.h4!? Even so, 13...d5! would have been a good illustration of the principle that "an attack on the wing should be met by a counterattack in the centre".

13...Bf6 and 14...Bxg5 were as bad as they looked. After Black traded off the one piece which was defending his king and opening the h-file, it wasn't all that surprising (except maybe to Black!) that White was able to finish off the game with a flashy sacrifice. It goes without saying that this is just the kind of game you want to play during a grueling weekend Swiss!

Pakosta, S - Pankhurst, J [C00]

B.C. Open, Vancouver (3), 07.10.1972

1.e4 e6 2.Qe2 c5 3.g3 g6 4.Bg2 Bg7 5.f4 d6 6.Nf3 Ne7 7.d3 0-0 8.c3 Nbc6 9.Be3 b6 10.Na3 Bb7 11.h4 h5 12.g4 hxg4 13.Ng5 Bf6 14.Qxg4 Bxg5 15.hxg5 Kg7 16.0-0-0 d5 17.Rh7+ 1-0

### JACK TAYLOR

Since the annual Jack Taylor Memorial will take place in Victoria shortly (see tournament announcements below), it is appropriate to examine the career of this former B.C. champion:

Taylor, John ("Jack") Monteith (July 11, 1907 - September 9, 1974)

Born in Scotland. It is not know when Taylor emigrated to B.C., but he first came to prominence in 1928, when he was described in the Victoria Daily Colonist chess column as "a promising young player." This promise bore fruit the following year when he won the B.C. championship. Taylor repeated this feat in 1930, 1938 and 1945, and also tied for first in 1953. He never made much of a mark nationally, always finishing in the lower half of the Canadian championships he played in, but Taylor did win a number of miniatures in these competitions due to his sharp eye for tactics ("His opening is scholarly with considerable combinative power in the middle game, is our verdict." - Thomas Piper). Taylor was a very popular player, and was instrumental in the development of the City Chess Club (Vancouver).

Taylor,J - Yates,B [B01] BC ch, 1929

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qd8 4.d4 c6 5.Bf4 Nf6 6.Nf3 e6 7.Bd3 Bd6 8.Bxd6 Qxd6 9.0-0 Nbd7 10.Qe2 Nb6 11.Rae1 Nbd5 12.Nxd5 cxd5 13.Ne5 a6 14.f4 0-0 15.g4 Re8 16.g5 Nd7 17.Bxh7+ Kf8 18.Qh5 Nxe5 19.fxe5 Qc7 20.Bg6 1-0

Taylor, J - Hall, L [C15] CAN ch Saskatoon (6), 1945

An interesting twist on the classical bishop sacrifice:

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.Bd3 Ne7 5.Nf3 0-0 6.0-0 Bxc3 7.bxc3 dxe4 8.Bxe4 c6 9.Bxh7+ Kxh7 10.Ng5+ Kg8 11.Qh5 Re8 12.Ba3 1-0

Taylor, J - Jursevskis, M [A13] City C.C. invitational tournament? Vancouver, 1950

1.c4 e6 2.Nc3 d5 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.g3 b6 5.Bg2 Bb7 6.d4 dxc4 7.Qa4+ Nbd7 8.Bg5 Be7

9.0-0 0-0 10.Qxc4 c5 11.dxc5 Bxc5 12.Rfd1 Qe7 13.b4 Bd6 14.Nb5 Rac8 15.Qh4 Bb8 16.Rxd7 Qxd7 17.Bxf6 gxf6 18.Ng5 Rfd8 19.Qxh7+ Kf8 20.Bxb7 fxg5 21.Bxc8 Qxb5 22.Bxe6 fxe6 23.Qh8+ Ke7 24.Qg7+ Ke8 25.Qg8+ Ke7 26.Qg7+ -

Jursevskis,M - Taylor,J [C76] BC ch Vancouver, 03.1951

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 d6 5.c3 g6 6.d4 Bd7 7.Ng5 h6 8.Nf3 Bg7 9.d5 Nb8 10.Bc2 Ne7 11.c4 0-0 12.Nc3 a5 13.h3 Na6 14.Nh2 Nb4 15.Bb1 c6 16.dxc6 Bxc6 17.0-0 f5 18.f3 f4 19.a4 Na6 20.Nb5 Bxb5 21.axb5 Nc5 22.b3 h5 23.Bd2 Qb6 24.Kh1 d5 25.exd5 e4 26.Bxa5 Rxa5 27.Rxa5 Nf5 28.b4 Ng3+ 29.Kg1 Nd3+ 30.c5 Bd4+ 31.Rf2 Bxf2# 0-1

Doe,R - Taylor,J [A16] CAN ch Winnipeg (9), 09.1953

Shortest Game Prize:

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 d5 3.cxd5 Nxd5 4.e4 Nb4 5.Qa4+ N8c6 6.d4 Bd7 7.a3 Nxd4 8.Bb5 Bxb5 9.Nxb5 Ndc2+ 0-1

Reeve, J - Taylor, J [C61] BC Class ch Vancouver (7), 14.04.1974

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Nd4 4.Nxd4 exd4 5.0-0 Bc5 6.d3 Ne7 7.c3 c6 8.Ba4 d6 9.Nd2 b5 10.Bc2 Be6 11.Bb3 0-0 12.Bxe6 fxe6 13.Nf3 dxc3 14.bxc3 Qd7 15.a4 a6 16.d4 Bb6 17.e5 d5 18.Ba3 Rfc8 19.Qd3 Ng6 20.Ng5 c5 21.axb5 Bd8 22.Nf3 c4 23.Qd2 axb5 24.g3 Ra4 25.Ne1 Be7 26.Qb2 Bxa3 27.Rxa3 Ne7 28.Nc2 Rca8 29.Rfa1 Rxa3 30.Rxa3 Ra4 31.Nb4 Qa7 32.Ra2 Rxa2 33.Nxa2 Kf7 34.Kf1 Nc6 35.Qxb5 Qxa2 36.Qxc6 Qb1+ 37.Kg2 Qe4+ 38.Kf1 Qh1+ 39.Ke2 Qe4+ -

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Entry Fee: \$15, \$12 UBC CC members (available at site), \$8 juniors, \$Free to

masters and those joining CFC/BCCF for the first time

Registration: 6:30 - 7 pm before round 1

Prizes: Based on entries (\$\$BEN) Org & TD: Lyle Craver (604)980-2040

Misc: half point byes available for rounds 1-4 when requested at least 24 hours before game time (in person or by phone only please - no e-mail bye

requests!) Please bring sets, clocks, etc.

## Saturday Chess Fever

Date: Nov. 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7, 14

Location: at the Bridge Center 2776 East Broadway, Vancouver

Rds: 5

Type: Regular Swiss, 2 sections Open and Under 1700

Time: Games start at 5:00p.m. Time Control: 30/90 G/60

Entry Fee: \$25, \$20 for Juniors and Masters

Prizes: \$\$ BEN

Org: James Kerry (604) 438-7666 and Luc Poitras (604) 438-0496

## November Open Bughouse Tournament

Date: November 17

Place: Vancouver Bridge Centre

Registration: 9-10 AM

Rounds: TBA. Minimum of 36 games.

EF: \$10. \$5 for juniors/seniors

Info: ben daswani - devil1331@hotmail.com

## Jack Taylor Memorial Tournament

Date: November 23rd and 24th

Type: 5 Round Swiss

Entry Fee: \$35 Regular, \$25 for Juniors Prize Fund: 100% of EF minus Expenses

CFC Rated

Time Control 40/90 minutes - SD/1 Hour

Location: University of Victoria, Human & Social Development Building, Room

A-260

Registration: November 23rd 8:30AM at the site.

Organizer & TD: Lynn Stringer

Contact: Lynn Stringer at lynnstringer@shaw.ca; Tel (250) 658-5207

## Northshorechess.com CM Invitational

Date: Nov.30-Dec. 1, 2002 Place: New Westminster, BC

Rds: 5

Type: 6-player RR

Round times: 9, 2, 7/9, ASAP

TC: SD 120 EF: \$35

Prizes: 1st \$100 plus Fritz 7 software

Reg: interested expert players (2000-2199) e-mail chessfm@shaw.ca for

invitations

TD & Org: Vas Sladek

Misc: no smoking, CFC membership required, one ChessBase magazine EXTRA issue

to all players completing their schedule

## Mt. Seymour December Active

Date: Saturday, 7.December, 2002

Place: Parkgate Branch, North Van District Public Library

The Enid Dearing meeting room, 3675 Banff Court,

North Vancouver, BC Rds: 6-player, 5 RR Type: Active, CFC-rated Times: 10 a.m. start

TC: G30

EF: \$12 for CFC members, non-members add \$10

Prizes: 1st ChessBase magazine CD

Reg: interested players must pre-register by e-mail: chessfm@shaw.ca

Org/TD: Vas Sladek, www.northshorechess.com

Misc: bring sets, digital clocks provided

# Dan MacAdam Memorial Tournament

Date: January 18th and January 19th 2003

Type: 5 Round Swiss

Entry Fee: \$35 Regular, \$25 for Juniors Prize Fund: 100% of EF minus Expenses

CFC Rated

Time Control 40/90 minutes - SD/1 Hour

Location: University of Victoria, Human & Social Development Building, Room

A-260

Registration: January 18th 8:30AM at the site.

Organizer & TD: Lynn Stringer

Contact: Lynn Stringer at lynnstringer@shaw.ca; Tel (250) 658 5207

### Kelowna Winter Fest

Dates: Feb. 8 & 9, 2003 Type: 5 Round Swiss Times: 9/2/7; 9/asap

Place: Sandman Inn Kelowna B.C. 2130 Harvey Ave across from Orchard Park Mall

(250) 860-6409

Entry: \$25, \$20 Seniors, \$15 Juniors Non CFC pay entry + \$12

Prizes: BEN

TD & Org Lynn Stringer, Wally Steinke & Ian Higgs wsteinke@sd22.bc.ca ph

(250) 545-6677 ianofski@cablelan.net

### Kelowna Summer Fest

Dates: July. 5 & 6, 2003 Type: 5 Round Swiss Times: 9/2/7; 9/asap

Place: Sandman Inn Kelowna B.C. 2130 Harvey Ave across from Orchard Park Mall

(250) 860-6409

Entry: \$25, \$20 Seniors, \$15 Juniors Non CFC pay entry + \$12

Prizes: BEN

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