Foreword

Dear Chess Friends

Welcome to the first Yearbook for English Chess Federation.

I am pleased to report that the change of name from British to English went very well indeed and I thank you for the privilege of being elected the first President.

I would like to pay tribute to the many people who worked so hard and free of charge to ECF in order to achieve an orderly transition.

The excitement of a new era was over shadowed by the double tragedy of Losing first Steve Boniface in October 2005 and then John Robinson February 2006.

Both were Senior Arbiters and covered a wide range of events in the chess calendar.

At the time of writing we are still reeling from the shock and trying to fill the roles that they would have fulfilled.

Due to FIDE commitments I was unable to attend Steve's funeral but I was able to attend St Peter's Church in Stanion for a funeral service for John, which was a celebration for his life. After the cremation service the family invited his chess friends to join family and church friends for a celebration lunch. I know we will continue to celebrate the lives of our two loyal servants and further announcements will be made to this effect.

The change of name caused an increase in the office workload and our thanks go to Cynthia, Sophie, Gemma and Tina for their efforts. In July 2005 Dawn decided to leave us for pastures green and opened a new business venture with her husband. They took over a golf clubhouse just outside of Hastings and have extended an invitation to me to call for tee on my next visit to the office. I am sure you join me in wishing them good luck. We then welcomed Tina to the team and she is getting to know our operating systems and the characters behind them.

I am delighted to announce that we have found a magnificent home for the Library.

I have signed a contract with University Centre Hastings and the terms and conditions will be published in the near future. Particular thanks to Cynthia for finding the first contact and carrying out negotiations.

Gerry Walsh ECF President

2005/2006 has been a hectic year for the ECF Office at Battle. We are always busy, but the change of name to English Chess Federation, change of status to a Company Limited by Guarantee and the changes to the membership structure have made the work load enormous and I thank our Members for their understanding.

When Dawn Chalcraft left the office for pastures new, I knew it would be difficult to replace her and I interviewed many candidates before Tina Weddell came along. Once again we are a tightly knit dedicated unit. There were many sad loses of chess friends in 2005, but for me personally the death of John Robinson was the saddest. John truly was a prince among men.

The most exciting project to come to fruition this year is the housing of the National Library as reported in the President's Foreword.

I thank all of those members of the public who have sent in messages of appreciation for our efforts, it makes such a difference and of course my thanks to the girls.

Cynthia Gurney
Manager of Finance and Management Services



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Chairman: John Philpott (as above)

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Governance Committee:

Chairman: V John Dunleavy (as above)

Committee: Richard Haddrell, Andrew Leadbetter, John Paines, John Philpott and ex officio the President.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REPORT

Welcome to the first yearbook of the English Chess Federation (ECF).

In my report for the 2005 BCF yearbook I expressed the view that the BCF should change its structure to become a Company Limited by Guarantee. It is pleasing to report that decisions were taken during last year not only to become a Company Limited by Guarantee but also to change the name of the Organisation to English Chess Federation (ECF). The first Annual General Meeting of the ECF was held on 22nd October 2005. This was achieved only through the efforts of a number of people who worked so hard on the mountain of administrative tasks. I am grateful to them all, particularly the office staff and the members of the sub-committee created to oversee this change.

The year also saw a change to the Board of the company. The ECF Board consists of nine Directors, two of whom are Non-Executive Directors. A number of Managerial posts, each reporting to a particular Director, were also created in order to ensure that activities which

had previously been the direct responsibility of Board Directors would be continued.

No doubt it will take a little time for all these changes to be fully assimilated but the changes should equip the organisation to move forward into the future with confidence.

Another major change during the year has been the introduction of the membership scheme operated by the Northern Counties Chess Union. There has been a considerable response to this scheme and during the coming year the ECF will be reviewing it and taking a decision whether to extend it further.

One of the problems facing organisations such as the ECF is the lack of sponsorship – the impact of the 2012 Olympics could make it more difficult for non-Olympic sports to obtain sponsorship. This could have a significant impact on our future activities.

During the year it has been a pleasure to attend various activities such as the County Championship. There is no doubt that there are many many people who contribute to chess in a quiet efficient way – organising activities at a local club level, league level, county level, union level, national and international levels. To them all I give my grateful thanks.

Roy Heppinstall Chief Executive



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DIRECTORS' REPORTS

FINANCE



2004/5 was an excellent year. The surplus for the year was nearly £14,000 due to a surplus of nearly £8,000 on the Scarborough Congress and sponsorship of the Olympiad team. In addition it was possible to make a provision of £6,000 for players fees for the 2005 European Team championships and there was a further installment of £14,000 from the Banwell Estate to the legacy fund. The overall effect was to all but double the reserves to nearly £60,000 and restore them to the minimum safety level.

2005/06 is looking like a more normal year. Council voted for a 1p increase in game fee to 44p to put the grading list on the website. The Isle of Man congress broke even. The sponsorship of the International team was not repeated, and this remains a long term concern, along with the looming end of support for junior chess provided by the BCF Youth Trust.

My thanks as always to the work of the office in keeping the accounts. I would particularly like to record the thanks and appreciation of the Federation to Geoff Steele, who retired as auditor with the change to ECF after a staggering 23 years in the job. He will be a very hard act to follow. However retirement is perhaps not quite the right word, since he has now taken on the job of Company Secretary to ECF.

Robert Richmond Finance Director

BCF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th APRIL 2005

1. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The British Chess Federation is an unincorporated body and the accounts are prepared in accordance with current recommended accounting practices.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Tangible fixed assets are shown at cost less depreciation which is charged on a straight line basis to write off the costs over their estimated useful lives at the following rates:-

Fittings in leased premises 5 years (the period of the lease)

Telephone system
Computer network system
Other office equipment
Other computer equipment
Chess equipment

10 years
7 years
5 years
4 years
10 years

Events finishing up to the end of July 2005 have been included in the accounts. These events are the Counties, National Club and Schools Championships. The only summer event not included is the BCF Congress.

As in previous years, further provisions have been made to fund events held at greater intervals than one year.

Direct Members' Subscriptions have been credited when received and a provision has been made in the accounts for subscriptions paid in advance for future years and for the cost of services to be supplied after the Balance Sheet date until the subscriptions expire.

2. MANAGEMENT BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT.

We are responsible for overseeing the keeping of proper accounting records, preparing accounts for each financial year which show a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Federation at the year end and the surplus or deficit for the period and for safeguarding the assets of the Federation and for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

In preparing the financial statements we have:

- selected suitable accounting policies and then applied them on a consistent basis, making judgements and estimates that are prudent and reasonable.
- stated whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements.
- prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis.

3. APPROVAL OF THE ACCOUNTS ON BEHALF OF THE MANAGEMENT BOARD

G. Walsh President

R. Richmond Finance Director

AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE COUNCIL OF THE BRITISH CHESS FEDERATION

I have audited the financial statements on pages three to fourteen which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page one.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT BOARD AND AUDITOR

As described on page one, the Management Board is responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is my responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on my audit of those statements and to report my opinion to you.

BASIS OF OPINION

I conducted my audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the Management Board in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Federation's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

I planned and performed my audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which I considered necessary in order to provide me with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatements, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming my opinion I also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

OPINION

In my opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the Federation's affairs as at 30th April 2005 and of its surplus for the year then ended.

G. F. STEELE Chartered Accountant

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BALANCE SHEET: 30th APRIL 2005

	£	2005 £	£	2004 £
FIXED ASSETS	2	2	2	٨
Permanent Invested Fund Asse	ts	62,038		62,331
Chess Equipment at cost	12,746	,	10,775	,
Accumulated Depreciation	10,303		10,153	
		2,443		622
Office Equipment at cost	30,679		30,678	
Accumulated Depreciation	23,993	0.000	20,022	40.050
CURRENT ASSETS		6,686		10,656
Cash at Bank and In Hand	79,102		47,766	
Debtors & Prepayments	25,062		26,243	
Debtors - Unfinished Events	3,053		1,007	
Stocks	1,996		1,771	
	109,213		76,787	
	=====		=====	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	00 077		07.000	
Creditors Subscriptions and Grants	23,277		27,909	
Received in advance	26,193		19,413	
Creditors - Unfinished Events	9,311		8,900	
	58,781		56,222	
	=====		=====	
NET CURRENT ASSETS		50,432		20,565
		404.500		04.474
		121,599		94,174
Represented By :-		=====		=====
Permanent Invested Fund		62,038		62,331
General Fund :-		02,000		02,001
Brought Forward	2,165		12,767	
(Deficit)/Surplus per Income				
& Expenditure Account	13,718		(10,602)	
		15,883		2,165
Legacies Fund		42,348		28,348
Alexander Prize Fund		1,330		1,330
		121,599		94,174
		=====		=====

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS AS AT 30th APRIL 2005

PERMANENT INVESTED FUND			
<u>Investments</u>		Market	Income
	At Cost	<u>Value</u>	(Net)
Allianz Dresdner RCM Funds (UK)	£	£	£
6,000 U K Equity Income	1,210	13,432	414
Invesco Fund Managers	, -	-, -	
3,232 Perpetual Income & Growth fund	2,025	9,206	257
6,640 Perpetual UK Growth Income	7,628	12,700	212
Merrill Lynch Fund Managers	F 707	40.040	00
8,000 British Blue Chip Income Fund Mellon Investment Funds	5,727	10,319	96
2,500 The Newton Income Fund	4,746	11,569	141
Baring Fund Manager	7,770	11,509	171
8,000 Global Bond Trust	5,104	6,701	173
Schroeder UT Ltd.	-,	2,121	
4,000 Retail Tokyo Income	5,191	5,630	-
Fidelity European Value			
1,250 Ordinary	4,573	9,688	37
Old Mutual Gerrard Investment Funds	4 000	0.050	
1,500 CCS UK Smaller Companies	4,826	3,950	62
Henderson Investors 250 Global Technology Fund	3,940	728	_
British Assets Trust	3,340	120	_
9,000 Ordinary GBPO .25	9,585	9,651	267
Treasury	-,	2,221	
£4,000 6 3/4% Stock 2004	-	-	140
£3,000 2 1/2% Index Linked Stock 2009	6,094	7,369	216
	60,649	100,943	
Unquoted - shares in The Chess Centre Ltd	750	34,695	-
(NA		405.000	
(Market value 30 th April 2004 £123,692)		135,638	2,015
Bank		=====	
Barik	1,060		40
	,		
			2,055
			====
Delever due to the DOE general funds	62,459		
Balance due to the BCF general funds	421		
	62,038		
	=====		

The investments in the Permanent Invested Fund are held by trustees under a deed dated 1929 which is perpetuated by supplementary deeds every 21 years (next renewal 2013) whereby the income is paid to the Federation and the trustees *may* make distributions of capital in exceptional circumstances of urgent need provided the money is for the benefit of "the objects" of the Federation, but only on the authority of a resolution of Council.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS AS AT 30th APRIL 2005

<u>LEGACIES FUND</u>	<u>2005</u>	2004
	£	£
Balance 1 st May 2004	28,348	33,340
Add: Legacies received in year:-		
R Banwell	14,000	-
Interest	1,742	
	44,090	33,340
Less utilised on - Staunton Society	-	500
The Ron Banwell Masters	-	2,000
BCF Centenary	1,742	1,292
European Team	-	1,200
	42,348	28,348
	=====	=====

FEES, HONORARIA AND BENEFITS

	FEES
Members of the Management Board N Graham	600
Officers H Grist	250
R Haddrell	8,100
J Robinson	300
A Ruffle	2,112
D Smith	300

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT 30TH APRIL 2005

INCOME General Funding Direct Members Game Fees National Grading Management Services Home Chess Congress Chess Congress - British Championships Women's Chess Marketing & Publicity International Junior Chess	2005 £ 62,821 32,237 61,400 8,658 8,500 4,071 977 63,333 9,821 2,624 18,898 39,608	2004 £ 64,843 29,199 51,016 8,888 11,299 4,081 16,005 63,444 1,668 1,292 6,905 52,001
National Coaching	25,351	5,020
ŭ		
	338,299	315,661
EXPENDITURE	=====	=====
Direct Members	9,802	11,935
Game Fees	[′] 17	37
National Grading	17,965	19,431
Management Services	103,472	100,594
Home Chess	3,559	10,430
Congress Chess	5,769	21,737
Congress - British Championships	55,474	56,059
Women's Chess	12,750	9,930
Marketing & Publicity	2,965	1,978
International	31,486	17,621
Junior Chess	55,306	70,942
National Coaching Doubtful Debts	26,016	5,666
Doubtidi Debis		(97)
	324,581	326,263
	====	=====
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR	13,718	
DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR	13,7 10	10,602
	======	=====

STRATEGIC PLANNING, INTERNATIONAL RATING & GRADING

STRATEGIC PLANNING

The ECF produces annually the following documents:

- Long-term Strategic Plan
- 1 year Business Plan
- Achievement Report against the Previous year's Business Plan

Copies of these documents can be found on the ECF website at www.englishchess.org.uk.

My thanks to Neville Belinfante for compiling the documents, to my fellow directors for providing the necessary inputs and to the Office staff for their support.

INTERNATIONAL RATING

The FIDE membership requirement has not been applied properly by the BCF to date. A start was made this year with the 4NCL where non-members did not get their games rated, although the games counted for their opponents. A different approach will be required during 2006 because of changes to the submission format required by FIDE. (That means that games must be rated either for both players or for neither player.) Consequently, the following changes have been introduced:

For leagues, the existing rating fee will be replaced by a team fee that will cover both the rating fee and the membership requirement. Team members will still be required to be individual members if they play in congresses. Note: the 4NCL intend to make individual membership mandatory for the 06/07 season.

For congresses, congresses will only be rated if they enforce an individual membership. This policy will become effective from 1st March 2006.

GRADING

1. ECF Grading goes on line

The Grading List appeared on-line for the first time on 22nd July, and was updated on 23rd August. The revised version is the official version for ECF competitions throughout the season. The printed book, based on exactly the same data, went to the printer at the same time and was available for distribution in the first week of September. In the 60 days to 19th September, the statistics for visits to the online grading web site were:-

Player lookups 75,572 (every player in the land 7 times)

Grading list downloads1135

There are differences between the printed and the online lists. The printed list gives Juniors' ages and the website list doesn't. (It is intended to seek permission from the Information Commission to rectify this.) The printed list includes a small number of people who have declined to appear in the online list. The online list is more versatile. It permits searches by player or club, and gives information, which there isn't room for in the printed book.

2. Review of the Grading Year

Of the principal Grading activities scheduled to be performed during the last year:

- a) The printouts for Direct Members were produced on time in July.
- b) The 2005 Grading List went on sale, in late August. At the same time the online Grading list was updated.
- c) The 2005 Grading CD-ROM should be sent to Graders at the beginning of October.

3. Negative Grades

It is possible, among inexperienced players, for calculated grades to be negative. There has previously been debate about what to do about negative Grades. Previously a Grade of "1" could indicate a negative Grading performance lower than 1 and the negative Grading Performance would be carried forward to the next season. This season, Grades lower than 1 are shown in the list as 0. These Grades, and the games they are based on, will not be used in the next season's calculations. A player graded zero or lower will start the new season with a clean sheet.

4. Amount of Chess Played

The table overleaf shows data on the level of chess activity nationally based on the last five years' Grading Master Lists. The big drop in rapid play seems to be due to the effect of Junior Game Fee. Standard play chess activity remains stable.

No of Results	Standard Play	Rapid Play				
2000/2001 season	203, 686	71, 128				
2001/2002 season	208, 500	71, 651				
2002/2003 season	207, 019	86, 741				
2003/2004 season	206, 295	96, 043				
2004/2005 season	208, 369	64, 088				
Number of player	ers with published Grading					
2000/2001 season	12,	488				
2001/2002 season	12, 2	261				
2002/2003 season	12,	12, 468				
2003/2004 season	12, 8	12, 812				
2004/2005 season	12, 237					

5. Concluding Points

Firstly, I would especially like to thank Carl Hibbard who developed the software for the Online Grading database. I would like to thank the Office at Battle for their support, the ECF Officers Richard Haddrell, Alan Ruffle and Ann Walkeden for all of their hard work throughout the year. I would especially also like to acknowledge the voluntary work of the other members of the Central Grading Team: Howard Grist, Neville Belinfante and Dave Thomas and finally the voluntary efforts of the 100 or so local Graders without whom there would be no Grading Lists.

C E Majer Director of Strategic Planning & Grading

WOMEN'S CHESS

Women's chess has been going from strength to strength in 2005.

The National Girls' Team Championships were held in May 2005 and attracted an unprecedented 235 competitors from all across the UK. This festival of chess was held in the historic grounds of Claremont Fan Court School. The venue boasted picnic facilities, tours of the mansion and grounds and live video matches. The 2006 event will be held on June 10th.

The 2nd All England Girls' National Finals took place in Nottingham in July 2005, for girls who had qualified at their All England regional events. Competition between the 108 competitors was extremely fierce and the eventual section winners were:



Photo: Some of the All England Girls' Winners

Under 7: Rowan White, Natalie Cass

Under 8: Megan Cleeves

Under 9: Maria Wang

Under 10: Megan Owens

Under 11: Fay Birch

Under 12: Fay Birch, Anjali Lakhani

Under 14: Lateefah Messam-Sparks,

Thilagini Anandajeyarajah

Under 18: Chantal Siresina

The introduction of events which combined coaching and tournament play proved to be very popular, with six events being held all around the country. Please do not hesitate to contact me through the website for women and girls' chess – chessuk.com, if you would like to host one of these important new events.

Claire Summerscale Director of Women's Chess

HOME CHESS 2004-2005

County Championship

The County Championships returned to Ratcliffe College, Syston, the first venue used by the retiring Controller, to a large, well appointed Sports Hall, with room to walk between all the boards.

Lancashire and Manchester contested the Open Championship, with the Mancunians retaining their trophy by 11-5, with Harry Lamb winning the Best Game Prize for his win on board 16. The Minor Counties Championship saw Derbyshire make a rare Finals appearance, but lose 9-7 to defending Champions Norfolk. The U175 were without their defending Championships, but Devon were worthy winners on the day against another Lancashire team by $9\frac{1}{2}$ to $6\frac{1}{2}$.

The U150s saw the closest finish of the day, with the retiring controller watching two adjacent boards on which a player had claimed a draw under Article 10.2 Both games were drawn, leaving a drawn match with Notts the winners over Norfolk on board count.

Lancashire were successful in the U125s beating Middlesex 11-5. The U100s saw Essex win against another county who do not often grace the finals, Staffordshire.

The Bursar of the College, Mr Andrew Nutter, presented the prizes, with the assistance of Roy Heppinstall, the BCF CEO. The Director of Home Chess made an impassioned plea for someone to take over the running of this event. Thanks were expressed to the controlling team, Messrs Shaw, Elwin and Cresswell and to the Browns of Sharnford who assisted with the compiling of results.

National Club Championship

Again the National Club Finals split between two venues. The Minor Championships was played at Queniborough Village Hall, where Lancaster beat Hammersmith with the final game going to the last few seconds. The rest of the Finals were played at the Golden Lane Community Centre courtesy of London Chess League and Brian Smith.

The Open was the expected triumph for Wood Green. The Minor player between Lancaster and Hammersmith was so close that discussions where held as to what would happen if all 5 boards were drawn. Eventually as with the Major Plate Championship with Hounslow and South Norwood an unfortunate blunder decided the match. The Minor Plate saw Newark win comfortably, a win helped by their opponents conceding a board.

The players were somewhat amused and honoured by a fly pass of vintage aeroplanes. The event was well controlled by David Sedgwick and the Director of Home Chess thanked everyone for their support over the years.

Counties & District Correspondence

This has been ably controlled by John Philpott, in addition to his many other duties for the ECF. Congratulations to the 2004/5 winners who were:
Ward Higgs - Yorkshire
Sinclair - Essex 2
Minor Counties - Nottinghamshire
Brown Pond - Leicestershire

Final results as per link www.johnphilpott.freeserve.co.uk/20045%20cross%20tables.htm

I would like to thank all those who have helped me during my most enjoyable term of office, especially George Thirlaway for his invaluable advice, my fellow directors, the controllers of the various events for their support, Julie Johnson for putting up with phone calls at all hours, Cynthia, and the ladies of the office for putting me right on so many things and finally and most importantly, the chess players who came to the events and by being there ensured that the work we had put in was worthwhile. I hand over to Chris Majer in the knowledge that he will enjoy your full support and backing.

Cyril Johnson
Director of Home Chess

INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT 2004 - 2006

My second year in office began while I was in Majorca with the England squads. Although the result could have been better I was nevertheless very relieved to bring in, with the considerable help of Allan Beardsworth financial support for the team's participation which in turn played a large part in helping the Federation return a balanced budget. It certainly made our treasurer Robert Richmond very happy. The year ended with the England team in Gothenburg for the Euro Team Championship. It seems only appropriate to begin with their performances.

Team England

October 2004 saw the England Open and Women's Team participate in the 36th Chess Olympiad, (14-31 Oct) in the province of Calvia, Majorca, Spain. As a result of excellent work done through the year by Allan Beardsworth, a sponsor was found in Deloitte, the internationally renowned financial services provider. A big thank you must also be expressed to the BCF who provided some money for players fees as well as to a private donor who put forward £2,500. As a result of their support we were able to put out our strongest available team. Captaining the teams was Allan Beardsworth for the Open and John Emms for the Women.

A major setback earlier in the year had been Nigel Short's decision to sign a contract to play in a tournament in Holland that clashed with the first half of the Olympiad. After careful consideration the selectors decided to include him in the team even though he would only be available for the last six rounds. Other countries that were faced with the same predicament made the same decision. In retrospect it was not the right decision. The final result was disappointing including Mr Short's form on arrival from Holland. The team scored 31 points and finished =30th; our poorest placing in years. However another point and a half would have put us in the top 10. Also disappointing was that we hardly played any of the top 10 seeds. Michael Adams was excellent, leading from the front on top board. He scored a very good 10/13, unbeaten and all of this in spite of contracting a bug that laid him low around rounds 9-11.

Others to play well was Jon Speelman with 6.5/11 and Peter Wells on debut with 5/9. Luke McShane played many long games which included a lot of saved lost games. However he would be disappointed with his return of 5/11. Mark Hebden scored 3/8. Allan Beardsworth worked tirelessly as team captain and also managed to take some excellent photographs.

	Р	W	D	L	%age	Rat Per
M Adams	13	7	6	0	76.9	2773
N Short	4	1	1	2	37.5	2412
L McShane	11	2	6	3	45.45	2492
J Speelman	11	3	7	1	59	2570
M Hebden	8	1	4	3	37.5	2365
P Wells	9	2	6	1	55.5	2504

The Women's team achieved their best ever result in finishing =6th (or 8th on tie break) on 25 points. Harriet Hunt achieved a stunning 2558 performance and just missed a board prize with her score of 9.5/13. She was ably supported by Jovanka Houska with 8/13. Heather Richards played a lot of fighting chess which resulted in the odd tragic loss with Mel Buckley not letting anyone down on her outings. The final total of 25 points was well deserved.

H Hunt	13	8	3	2	9.5	2558
J Houska	13	5	6	2	8	2390
H Richards	11	3	3	5	4.5	2237
M Buckley	5	2	2	1	3	2156

The European Team Championship, Gothenburg 29 July – 8 August

July saw an early staging of the European team Championship. Its largely August staging probably had a lot to do with the low season cheap hire of the vast conference space that they used within the rather splendid Gothia Towers Hotel. We were represented by an Open and Women's team. No sponsorship meant no Adams and Short. Nevertheless there was money forthcoming from the Treasurer which did allow the selectors the chance to debut two of the best of the next generation and also to give Luke his first crack at top board. It worked very well. We finished 13th out of 40 with 21 game points (five places above our seeding). In 14th place was Russia. The team with results consisted of:

L McShane	9	5	2	2	6	66.7	2703
J Speelman	7	1	6	0	4	57.1	2556
D Gormally	8	4	3	1	5.5	68.8	2653
P Wells	4	0	1	3	1/2	12.5	2199
N Pert	8	2	6	0	5	62.5	2560

Luke put in a great performance which carried great hopes for the future. Danny's handling of the pressures of playing at this level was revelatory. He richly deserved his 2653 performance and if we can find a way for Danny to solve his fear of flying we will have our next super GM. Nick took the brunt of black and always stayed calm and collected in the way he handled the pressure. John was Mr Reliable in his 28th year of representing England. Peter found the twin role of being team captain and playing not easy and this certainly probably cost him points. Having a non playing captain should always be preferable.

The Women finished 13th with 20.5 points (also 5 places above seeding). This was a top effort. In the past we have been criticised for lacking depth and yet here we fielded a team of five for the first time and without Harriet Hunt. This allowed Jessie Gilbert a debut opportunity and also marked the return after a few years absence of Susan Lalic. Both achieved plus scores. However it was Jovanka with a tournament rating performance of 2410 and Heather with a 2353 performance who excelled. Heather finished with four consecutive wins.

	Р	W	D	L	Pts	TRP
J Houska	9	4	4	1	6	2410
S Lalic	8	4	1	3	4.5	2304
H Richards	8	5	1	2	5.5	2353
I Lauterbach	5	1	0	4	1	1879
J Gilbert	6	3	1	2	3.5	2154

The European Individual Championship

The European Individual Championship took place in Warsaw from 17 June to 3 July. Apart from the title of European Champion also at stake were plenty of World Championship qualifying places. As a result the event attracted over 200 entries. Grants were made available from my directorate for those wishing to participate and this attracted Danny Gormally, Gawain Jones, Peter Wells and Simon Williams. Danny later had to withdraw leaving the other three to take on the might of Europe. And 'might' it was with Peter being well into the hundreds in terms of seeding. Therefore to finish 79th with 7/13 was a minor triumph and it all started with an upset victory over Luke van Wely in the first round. Simon and Gawain both scored 6 points to finish in 155th and 163rd places. Sadly none managed to qualify for one of the world championship places. The winner was Romania's Livie-Dieter Nisipeanu.

Also starting in June (10th-25th) was the Women's Individual in Chisinau, Moldova. Representing us was Jovanka Houska and what an excellent performance she put in to score 8 points and finish =7th (or 12th on tie break) from a field of 164. It was more then enough to qualify her for the Women's World Championship to take place shortly. I am very pleased to say that the Federation will be helping her with a considerable grant from the legacies fund. We wish her and her second Andrew Greet a successful Championship.

Domestic International Events

We should have a lot more international events. One event that is really taking off is the Coventry International. It was flooded with titled players and allowed players the opportunity for 9 round title norms and getting an elo rating. It also copied the continental style of being played as one big section with lots of grading prizes. Mark Hogarth and Roy Woodcock are to be congratulated for seeing their dream realised. The 4NCL continues to go from strength to strength. It provides wonderful opportunities for serious chess and the final weekend event offers great viewing for the chess fan. Watching Sutovsky v Sokolov to decide the first division title last May was in my opinion as exciting as some of the great moments in the ASHES series. The Gibraltar Telcom Open has been another great success with two editions since the last year book. The 2005 event allowed Danny Gormally to achieve the Grandmaster title. And then there is the majestic Monarch Assurance Isle of Man. It seems to get stronger every year. However we still need more big time events to happen on the main land.

The Selection Committee

It is with a feeling of sadness that I received the retirement of Ray Edwards from the selection committee. Ray has been an excellent servant of English Chess and his input on matters concerning the national team was always excellent. Also the provision of a central London venue by lending us the boardroom of the BCM and one that is open in the future was very generous and very much appreciated. Luckily Brian Smith the big chief of the Wood Green teams in the 4NCL has agreed to fill the vacancy. There is no more respected person amongst the professional players then Brian. Welcome to the team. The rest of the team is Michael Adams, Nigel Short, Harriet Hunt, and myself.

The Team England Women's Set Up

For most of the last two years the running of the Women's team in International events came under the Women's Directorate. However with the scaling down of the new Management Board to nine directors, 'Women's International Chess' has again come back into the International Directors ambit with Claire Summerscale as the

Manager of Women's Chess concentrating much more on Women's Chess development especially through girl's chess. As a result I have persuaded Susan McFarland to assist me with International Women's Chess. As a former CEO of the British Chess Federation and Women's Chess Director she is well qualified.

The International Ratings Officer

The International Ratings Officer was moved from my Directorate to the Grading section where I certainly think it fits better. However my directorate still pays the fees to FIDE. At a recent board meeting David Welsh pointed out how few International Grading events are held in this country. We compare poorly to countries such as France and Spain. Certainly cost is one of the major obstacles. As a result I shall be working in tandem with the IRO to find ways of making it cheaper for tournament organisers to be able to advertise the attraction of getting an ELO rating, and so follow the example of the Blackpool Conference who were the first weekend congress to ELO rate. How many of us are aware that the baseline for an ELO rating is now 1600.

Peter Wells and the Wise Men

One of the people I owe a lot of gratitude to is GM Peter Wells. He has put in a lot of hours as my assistant. His work in organising our player's participation in the European Individual was top notch. I also always welcome his input on matters concerning professional players and I think it has certainly helped improve the relationship between the professional players and the Federation.

I am very grateful to my 'wise men' task force. This will continue. Allan Beardsworth's work for the Majorca Olympiad was beyond the call of duty and resulted in the Deloitte sponsorship. Also very involved are Mark Hogarth and Brian Smith. Added to this list is the Federation's marketing man Roy Lawrence.

The 37th World Chess Olympiad

The 'wise men' are going to be very busy as the next Olympiad is around the corner. Instead of in the autumn it will take place from the 20th May to 4th June in Turin, Italy. The chess community will move into the facilities vacated by the Winter Olympics. The playing venue will be the speed and ice skating rink. If we are going to have Mickey Adams and Nigel Short play for us then we will need funds. One area is to get more money from the Federation. As we saw with the England cricket board prioritising the National team can reap big rewards. We are all happy when the national team win medals as they did on FOUR occasions in the eighties and nineties then taking gold in the 1997 European Team in Pula. But without money this is not going to happen as we will not be able to field our strongest team. I will therefore need everyone's help in pushing this agenda. So far things are looking promising. It is also a FIDE Election year and a very interesting contest is shaping up as there is a challenger of some substance in Bessel Kok. Good competition can only be good for chess.

Final Thoughts

On many occasions I find this job very rewarding. It is certainly a good feeling to have the trust of the professional players in this country. Attending the Majorca and Gothenberg events was also a privilege; an experience for a chess fan that is not easily beaten. In June I had the honour of presenting the prizes in the Adams v Hydra match. I only wish I could have presented Michael with more. It was an event that marked a significant turning in the battle between man and machine. With his excellent result in the Corus Wijk an Zee event in January Michael is now back to form and has put Hydra behind him. The San Luis event seems also to have found a worthy successor to Garry Kasparov in Veselin Topalov and we seem closer than in a long time to having one accepted world champion.

However doing this job is worth nothing if we the chess community do not find a successor to the Duncan Lawrie sponsorship. For a start the players will loose confidence in us as a Federation and therefore in me and it will then be time to allow someone with fresh ideas and contacts to do the job. Also there is considerable stress and worry over where the money will come from. No sponsor not only means no top players but also uncertainty and leaving decisions to the very last minute in the hope that something will appear. We are a much bigger community then we think with lots of chess lovers in positions of influence. If you are one of these then do come forward. Let us make Team England win again.

Finally I would like to thank the Office staff led by Cynthia Gurney and her very able assistants Gemma, Sophie and Tina for all their help. And to you out there lets make the first year of being the English Chess Federation, a year marked by the introduction of the Northern Membership Scheme, as the year that we will be positive about chess. Lets take the message to all that it is cool to play chess.

Rupert Jones International Director

FIDE HONOURS

The principal sources for this material were The FIDE Golden Book 1924-2002 by Willy Iclicki and BCF Yearbooks.

ADMINISTRATIVE						
1924	One of the 15 founders of FIDE	F H Rawlins	1938	Life Member	J N Derbyshire	
1925	Vice President	L Rees	1947-58	Permanent Fund Administrator	G S A Wheatcroft	
1927-41	Permanent Fund Administrator	The Hon G Hamilton-Russell	1950s	Acting Australasian Zonal President	R G Wade (OBE)	
1927-44	Permanent Fund Administrator	H E St. John Mildway	1953	Life Member	Baruch H Wood (OBE)	
1925	Life Member	Herbert Dobell	1958-78	Permanent Fund Administrator	Vic Soanes	
1925	Life Member	R C Griffiths	1972	Medal of Merit	A Sunnucks (Mrs Mothersill)	
1925	Life Member	Major E Montague Jones	1974-82	Zonal President	Harry Golombek OBE	
1925	Life Member	L Rees	1978-96	Permanent Fund Administrator	Harry Golombek OBE	
1927	FIDE Congress	London	1996-	Permanent Fund Administrator	David Jarrett	
1927	Life Member	The Hon. G Hamilton-Russell	1982-94	Zonal President	Kevin O'Connell	
1927	Life Member	H Hartley	1987	Most esteemed Friend of FIDE	Jerwood Foundation	
1927	Life Member	G St. John Mildway	1987	Most esteemed Friend of FIDE	Lloyds Bank	
1928	Life Member	R P Michell	1987	Most esteemed Friend of FIDE	Novag Computers	
1928	Honorary Member	L Rees	1989-93	Executive Board Member	David Anderton OBE	
1929	Life Member	J Keeble	1994	Most esteemed Friend of FIDE	Hastings Borough Council	
1929	Life Member	A J Lowther	1996-	FIDE Treasurer	David Jarrett	
1929	Life Member	E G Sergeant	1997	Most esteemed Friend of FIDE	British Airways, Zambia	
1930	Honorary Member	The Hon. G Hamilton-Russell	1999	Commander of the Legion of GMs	Steve Davis OBE	
1930	Life Member	H Scott	1999	Commander of the Legion of GMs	L Lewis	
1933	FIDE Congress	Folkestone	1999	Grand Knight of FIDE	Lord Callaghan	
1935	Life Member	A M S Shannon	2001	Honorary Member	R G Wade, OBE	
1937	Life Member	A J Mackenzie	2001	President's Award for Tournaments	Hastings International Congress	

	TEAM PLAYING HONOURS						
1927	Olympiad, Bronze , 3/16, 36½/60	British Empire	1963	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England		
1927	Olympiad, Silver 12/15	Sir G Thomas	1964	Olympiad, 18/50, 31/52	BCF		
1928	Olympiad, we did not play		1965	Clare Benedict Team, 4/6	England		
1930	Olympiad, 8/18, 40½/70	British Empire	1966	Clare Benedict Team, 5/6	England		
1931	Olympiad, 9/19, 44/72	British Empire	1966	Women's Olympiad, 9th, 12/26	BCF		
1933	Olympiad, 10/15, 27/56	BCF	1966	Olympiad, 21/52, 27½/52	BCF		
1935	Olympiad, 12/20, 37/66	BCF	1967	Harrachov Students Olympiad, Bronze	England		
1937	Olympiad, = 12/19, 34/72	BCF	1967	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England		
1939	Olympiad, we withdrew		1968	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England		
1952	Olympiad, 16/25, 14/32	BCF	1968	Olympiad, 16/53, 33/52	BCF		
1953	World Deaf Teams, Silver	England	1969	Women's Olympiad, 10/15, 12½/28	BCF		
1954	Olympiad, 9/26, 18 points in final	BCF	1969	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England		
1955	Clare Benedict Team, 5/6	England	1970	Olympiad, 25/60, 30/44	BCF		
1956	Clare Benedict Team, 6/6	England	1970	Olympiad, Board 3 Gold 12½/16	W Hartston		
1956	Olympiad, 8/34, 20 points final	BCF	1970	Clare Benedict Team, Silver, 2/6	England		
1957	Women's Olympiad, 7/21, 8 points	BCF	1971	Clare Benedict Team, Silver, 2/6	England		
1958	Olympiad, 11/36, 16 points	BCF	1972	Olympiad, 17/48, 37/56	England		
1960	Olympiad, = 11 th , 16½ points	BCF	1972	Women's Olympiad, 8/23, 4 points	England		
1960	Clare Benedict Team, Silver, 2/6	England	1972	Clare Benedict Team, 4/6	England		
1961	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England	1972-76	Correspondence Olympiad, Bronze	Great Britain		
1962	Clare Benedict Team, Bronze, 3/6	England	1973	Clare Benedict Team, Silver, 2/8	England		
1962	Olympiad, 13 th -14 th , 26½/44	BCF	1974	Olympiad, 10/73, 26/88	England		
1963	Women's Olympiad, we did not play		1974	Women's Olympiad, 8/26, 4/30	England		

	TEAM PLAYING HONOURS cont.						
1974	Clare Benedict Team, Gold , 1/8	England	1990	Women's Olympiad, 7/65, 24/42	England		
1975	Europe of the Nine Tournament, Bronze, 3/9	Great Britain	1990	Visa-IBM Chess Summit, Silver	England		
1975	European Team, 8/8	England	1990	World Solving, 1 st -2 nd	Great Britain		
1976	Olympiad, Bronze , 3/48, 35½/52	England	1992	Olympiad, 8/102, 33/56	England		
1976	Olympiad, Board 4 Gold	M Stean	1992	Women's Olympiad, 22/62, 22/42	England		
1976	Women's Olympiad, Silver , 2/23	England	1993	European Team, Bronze , 3/38	England		
1977	Clare Benedict Team, Silver, 2/8	England	1993	European Women's Team, 13/37	England		
1977-82	Correspondence Olympiad, Bronze	Great Britain	1994	Olympiad, 4/124, 341/2/56	England		
1978	Common Market Team, Silver, 2/8, 171/2	Great Britain	1994	Women's Olympiad, 6/81, 241/₂/42	England		
1978	Olympiad, = 12/65, 31½/56	England	1996	Olympiad, 4/114, 34/56	England		
1978	Women's Olympiad, 8/8, 7½ points	England	1996	Olympiad, Board 4 Gold 10½/13	M Sadler		
1978	World Under 26 Team, Gold	England	1996	Women's Olympiad, 10/74, 24/42	England		
1979	Claire Benedict Team, Gold , 1/7	England	1997	European, Gold, 1/34	England		
1979	World Under 16 Team Championship, Gold	England	1997	European Women's Team, Bronze, 3/30	England		
1980	European Team, Bronze , 3/8	England	1997	World Team Championship, 4th, 201/2/36	England		
1980	Common Market Team, Gold, 1/9, 231/2	Great Britain	1998	Olympiad, 11/76, 301/2/56	England		
1980	Olympiad, 6/42, 321/256	England	1998	Women's Olympiad, 20/72, 22/42	England		
1980	Women's Olympiad, 13/42, 22/42	England	1999	European, Board 5 Bronze	M Chandler		
1982	Olympiad, 10/94, 32/56	England	1999	European Team, 10/36	England		
1982	Women's Olympiad, Board 2 Silver	Sheila Jackson	1999	European Women's Team, 7/36	England		
1982-83	European Team, 4/8	England	1999	European Women's, Board 1 Gold	Harriet Hunt		
1982-87	Correspondence Olympiad, Gold	Great Britain	2000	Olympiad, 7 th -13 th , 33/56	England		
1984	Olympiad, Silver , 2/88, 37/56	England	2000	Women's Olympiad, 7 th -9 th , 25/42	England		
1984	Olympiad, Board 2 Gold	John Nunn	2001	European Team, 4/35	England		
1984	Women's Olympiad, 7/52, 24½/42	England	2001	Michael Adams, Board 1 Gold	M Adams		
1985	World Team Champ'ship, Bronze , 3/10, 30½/54	England	2001	European Women's Team, Bronze /32	England		
1986	World Under 26 Team, Gold	England	2002	Olympiad, 7/134, 331/2/56	England		
1986	Olympiad, Silver , 2/108, 39½56	England	2002	Women's Olympiad, 18/89, 24/42	England		
1986	Olympiad, Board 3 Gold	Nigel Short	2003	European Team 17/37, 19/36	England		
1986	Women's Olympiad, 8/49, 24½42	England	2003	European Women's Team 10/31, 9½/18	England		
1987-95	Correspondence Olympiad, Silver	England	2004	Olympiad, 30/129, 31/84	England		
1986	World Solving, Gold	Great Britain	2004	Women's Olympiad, 8/87, 25/56	England		
1988	Olympiad, Silver , 2/107, 341/2/56	England	2004	Olympiad, Board 1 Bronze	M Adams		
1988	Women's Olympiad, 11/56, 23/42	England	2004	World Chess Solving Championships, Silver	Great Britain		
1989	World Team Champ'ship, Bronze , 3/10, 21½/36	England	2005	European Solving Championship, Silver	Great Britain		
1989	European Team, = 8/28	England	2005	World Chess Solving Championships, Gold	Great Britain		
1990	Olympiad, Bronze , 3/65, 351/2/56	England					

INDIVIDUAL HONOURS						
1926, 1927	World Girls' Champion	Vera Menchik	1974	World Under 20, Gold, 7/9	Tony Miles	
1927-44	Women's World Champion	V Menchik-Stevenson	1974	World Under 16, Gold	A Jonathan Mestel	
1928, 29-30	World Girls' Champion	R Gregory	1975	World Under 20, Bronze, 9	A Jonathan Mestel	
1931, 32-33	World Girls' Champion	H Bullen	1975	European Under 20, Gold	John Nunn	
1934	World Girls' Champion	M Ballard	1975	World Under 16, Gold	David Goodman	
1935	World Girls' Champion	Rowena Dew (Mrs Bruce)	1977	European Under 20, Gold	Shaun Taulbut	
1936, 37	World Girls' Champion	E Saunders (Mrs Pritchard)	1978	World Under 16, Bronze, 8	Nigel Short	
1951	World Under 20, Silver, 8/11	M Barker	1979	World Under 16, Silver, 8	Nigel Short	
1959	World Under 20, Bronze, 8/11	Dave Rumens	1980	World Under 20, Silver, 9	Nigel Short	
1967	World Under 20, Silver, 51/2/8	Ray Keene (OBE)	1981	World Under 20, Bronze, 9	Nigel Short	
1973	World Under 20, Silver, 8	Tony Miles	1981	World Under 17, Gold , 7½/9	Stuart Conquest	
1973	World Under 20, Bronze, 71/2	Michael Stean	1982	World Under 16, Bronze, 71/2	James Howell	

	INDIVIDUAL HONOURS cont.						
1984	World Deaf Champ'ship, Bronze	A J Boyce	1996	World Girls' Under 16, Bronze	Ruth Sheldon		
1985	Interzonal Qualifiers	Miles, Nunn, Short, Speelman	1996	World Amateur, Gold	Brian Johnson		
1986	World Under 12, Gold 8/11	Dharshan Kumaran	1997	World Girls' Under 20, Gold	Harriet Hunt		
1987	World Girls' Under 14, Gold	Cathy Haslinger	1997	World Individual Solving, Gold	Dr Jonathan Mestel		
1987	Interzonal Qualifiers	Miles, Nunn	1997	World Championship, 4 th -5 th	Nigel Short		
1987	Interzonal 1-3	Nigel Short (MBE)	1997	World Championship, 3 rd	Michael Adams		
1987	Interzonal 1-3	Jon Speelman	1998	World Under 18, Gold 81/2	Nicholas Pert		
1987	World Under 16, Silver 9	Michael Adams	1998	World Girls' Under 18, Gold	Ruth Sheldon		
1987	World Under 18, Silver	Demetrios Agnos	1998	Women's World Amateur, Gold	Rosalind Kieran		
1988	World Under 18, Gold 9/9!	M Hennigan	1999	World Championship, Semi-finalist	Michael Adams		
1988	World Under 18, Silver 61/2/9	D Agnos	1999	Women's World Amateur, Gold	Jessie Gilbert		
1988	Candidates, Quarter-finals	Nigel Short	2000	World Championship, Semi-finalist	Michael Adams		
1988	Candidates, Semi-finals	Jon Speelman	2000	European Girls' Under 20, Gold	Jovanka Houska		
1989	World Under 16, Bronze	Matthew Sadler	2000	European Under 10, Silver	David Howell		
1990	World Girls' Under 10, Bronze 7½	Jovanka Houska	2001	European Under 12, Bronze	David Howell		
1991	World Under 16, Gold	Dharshan Kumaran	2001	European Under 14 Girls', Bronze	Jessie Gilbert		
1992	World Girls' Under 14, Bronze	Harriet Hunt	2002	World Under 12, Bronze	David Howell		
1992	World Girls' Under 12, Silver	Ruth Sheldon	2004	World Championship, Silver	Michael Adams		
1992	World Under 10, Gold , 81/2	Luke McShane	2004	World Chess Solving Champion	John Nunn		
1993	World Championship Candidate	Nigel Short (MBE)	2004	Euro Community Youth Girls U12, Gold	Sheila Dines		
1993	World Girls' Under 14, Gold	Ruth Sheldon	2004	Euro Community Youth Girls U16, Silver	Sarah Hegarty		
1994	European Under 14, Gold	Karl Mah	2005	World Chess Solving Champs, Silver	Jonathan Mestel		
1996	World Girls' Under 18, Silver	Harriet Hunt	2005	World Chess Solving Champs, Bronze	John Nunn		

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Paul R Bielby

From the North East. Has held several positions within NCCU, including President, Junior Organiser and Secretary (twice). In addition Paul occupied several positions in County Durham. As "Bishop"he was the weekly columnist for the Newcastle Evening Chronicle and has produced bulletins and coaching material.

He has organised innumerable events for Juniors and continues in coaching and organising for junior chess players. Paul was one of the main architects in the creation of the Northumbria Junior Chess Association which looks after virtually all junior chess activity in Northumberland and Durham. He continues to edit and publish a junior newsletter for NJCA, Coaches at Royal Grammar school in Newcastle and runs a junior team in the Northumbrian league.

Robert Howard Jones

From Devon. Involved in Junior chess in South Devon and Exmouth since the late sixties. Ran the Exmouth and District Primary Schools Chess League for 25 years, and set up the Exmouth Junior Congress that he ran single handedly for 20 years.

In addition Bob was President of Devon County Chess Association representing Adult players and took over as General Secretary continuing in that post today. Add to that the post of General Secretary of WECU which he has held for nearly 20 years.

A keen chess player, he has played for his County for 41 consecutive years. His club under his captaincy has won the top Division of the Devon League for the last five years. Bob has an entry to the Guiness Book of Records as the inaugural World Marathon Chess Champion in 1961. For the last 5 years he has run the unique Royal Beacon Seniors Congress.

John M Robinson

Known to many on the board as a regular controller of BCF events during the last 20 years. John quietly manages his roles as controller and arbiter. He is always willing and ready to come to tournaments and to give advice to those who are setting up new events. He has always been willing to host county matches in his village of Stanion.

For many years the Events director of the MCCU and is now the Grading Director. In recent years he has taken the



job of taking entries for the British Championships, relieving the Congress Director of an onerous task. In addition John has undertaken work for 4NCL and the controlling of various correspondence chess events.

Photo: John Robinson (center) receiving his President's Award from Gerry Walsh. Roy Woodcock (left) also received his Honorary Life Vice Presidency certificate from Gerry Walsh.

Sadly shortly after he received his Presiden'ts Award John died peacefully in Corby Community Care Centre, after being taken ill in October 2005.

Stephen Robert Boniface - (1951 - 2005) Posthumous Award

While a pupil at Northampton Grammar School, Steve joined the White Melville Club and soon played for his county, beginning his lifelong chess career, culminating in his appointment as a BCF Senior Arbiter and FIDE International Arbiter.

During his lifetime Steve's monumental services to chess were recognised by popular acclaim, though never marked with a formal award. We are sad to make this award posthumously.

Previous Recipients

1983	TJ Beach, BP Reilly, BH Wood	1994	R Haddrell, L Roberts, R James
1984	WR Morry, Mr & Mrs RM Bruce, GD Self	1995	G Goodwin, J Roycroft, C Power
1985	KJ Bloodworth, O Dixson, TW Sweby	1996	RG Blake, Richard James, S Lovell
1986	DH Butler, WB Turner, RG Wade	1997	K Brown, F Manning, R Simpson
1987	CW Warburton, JJ Lauder, The BBC	1998	D Smith, EB Chapman
1988	PC Gibbs, PE Morrish, RO Powis	1999	J Leake, A Phillpott, The Times
1989	DJ Blackman, RE Boxall, GF Walsh	2000	H Sims, J Littlewood
1990	M Taylor, GMA Smith OBE, GAM Boswell	2001	CM Bent, J Lawson
1991	B Cafferty, EE Croker, JG Jones	2002	J Beard, P Burnett, C Murray
1992	KG Humphreys, R Woodcock, Oakham School	2003	BN Beasley, R Smith, D Hemsley, R Furness
1993	G Kendall, AJ Douglas	2004	M Bolan, J French, P Watson

CLUB OF THE YEAR

Heywood Chess Club

Two strong nominations were received and Heywood Chess club was chosen for the award. In a relatively short space of time Heywood has grown to 60 members, a third of them juniors. The committee were impressed with the clubs policy of involving children of both sexes, handicapped children and children from disadvantaged backgrounds. The club hosts the Heywood Congress, the second largest in the North West.

Unfortunately there were no nominations for Small Chess Club of the Year.

Previous Winners

1984	Grantham	1995	Hull
1985	Killingworth	1996	Guildford
1986	Rose Forgrove	1997	Coulsdon & Purley
1987	Crowborough Albany	1998	No award
1988	Stowmarket	1998	No award
1989	King's Head	2000	Cowley
1990	No award	2001	Wallasey, Exmouth & Rolle Faculty
1991	No award	2002	Checkmate Junior & Royston
1992	Basingstoke	2003	Kenilworth, Stapleford
1993	No award	2004	Alwoodley, Norwich Junior & The Brown Jack
1994	Barbican, Wanstead & Woodford		•

PLAYER OF THE YEAR



Michael Adams was awarded the BCF Player of the Year 2005 Award for a record eleventh time on 27th June. The award was presented following the Hydra vs. Michael Adams 'Man vs. Machine' at Wembley Conference Centre. Rupert Jones and Roy Lawrence of the BCF presented the award following the final game of the series. This provided some compensation for a disappointed Mickey Adams following the Hydra demonstration of computer superiority.

Photo: left to right - Roy Lawrence (ECF Marketing Director), Michael Adams and Rupert Jones (ECF International Director)

Michael Adams was born on 17 November 1971. He is currently ranked seventh in the world with a current rating of 2741. He is Britain's highest rated player. Crowned British Champion at the age of just 17 in 1989, he also won the Championship again in 1997.

He has an impressive record in leading tournaments – in the FIDE knock-out tournament in 1997 to eliminate challengers to play Anatoly Karpov, he won matches against Giorgadze, Tiviakov, Svidler, Van Wely and Short before losing in the finals to the formidable Anand. In 1999 at Dos Hermanas 'Mickey' Adams finished clearly ahead of Kramnik, Anand, Svidler, Karpov, Topalov and Judit Polgar. In the 2004 FIDE World Championship he reached the finals again, playing and eliminating Asabri, Asrian, Hamdouchi, Nakamura, Akopian, and Radjabov. In the finals he lost 3.5-4.5 to current FIDE Champion Rustam Kasimdzhanov.

The players were voted for by BCF Direct Members and Chess Journalists, the top four are:-

- 1 Michael Adams
- 2 Danny Gormally
- 3 Luke McShane
- 4 = Harriet Hunt & Jonathan Rowson

Previous Winners

1984 Murray Chandler	1991 Nigel Short	1998 Michael Adams
1985 John Nunn	1992 Nigel Short	1999 Michael Adams
1986 Nigel Short	1993 Michael Adams	2000 Michael Adams
1987 Jon Speelman	1994 Michael Adams	2001 Michael Adams
1988 Nigel Short	1995 Michael Adams	2002 Michael Adams
1989 Jon Speelman	1996 Michael Adams	2003 Luke McShane
1990 Michael Adams	1997 Luke McShane	2004 Luke McShane

MAGAZINE OF THE YEAR

Another popular award and the Committee were very impressed by the standard of all the magazines and by how much can be achieved by amateurs. Our choice for this year is Northumberland Chess Association Bulletin whose editor is John Wheeler.

Previous Winners

2003 The Chequered Board 2004 En Passant

WEBSITE OF THE YEAR

Once again a very popular award category with several nominations. The committee selected the 4NCL website, **www.4ncl.co.uk**, whose webmaster is P Sowray. The site has wealth of information regarding the 4NCL but with much more for those just browsing.

Previous Winners

2003 www.essexchess.org.uk 2004 www.clevelandchess.co.uk

BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD

Though the three other books short listed this year had considerable merit, there was a clear winner for 2005.

My Great Predecessors Part 4 Gary Kasparov (Everyman) pp 496 £25.00

The four volumes of My Great Predecessors so far published are setting a new standard, both in terms of content and presentation. The series when completed will surpass anything previously published on the world champions and their challengers.

This latest volume deals with Fischer and his dramatic ascent to the title but also with his Western contemporaries and rivals, Reshevsky, Najdorf and Larsen. Naturally the famous Reykjavik match with Spassky is considered in depth. The high analytical chess standard is maintained and Kasparov continues to display his unique insight into the turning points, both on and off the board, in the matches and careers of the players. Whilst Kasparov can be highly critical he also shows great sympathy for the fates of players who gave their lives to chess.

The book, as in all the series, is beautifully produced.

Short List

Whilst there are too many chess books published today that are little more than data base dumps, there are still excellent volumes to be found, from which the judges have been able to make a selection of four very worthwhile volumes

Curação 1962 Jan Timman (New in Chess) pp 216 £15.99

This last Candidates tournament was one of the most important in chess history, leading to a new world champion, Petrosian. It also greatly influenced Fischer who believed the Russians ganged up on him and in consequence led to matches rather than tournaments deciding the world title challenger. Timman, one of the chess world's most perceptive writers, casts his eagle eye over players, controversies and games. There are many excellent photographs.

Learn from the Legends Michael Marin (Quality Chess) pp 312 £ 17.99

It is always a pleasure to welcome a new chess publisher particularly when they produce books as good as this. The idea behind the title is to take the most characteristic and best elements of eight champions' play and see what can be gleaned from their remarkable virtuosity. The author took six years to produce this book and the effort shows in the remarkable insight and ideas on every page. Entertainment and instruction are admirably combined.

My Great Predecessors Part 4 Gary Kasparov (Everyman) pp 496 £25.00

The latest edition of Kasparov's monumental opus deals with Fischer. One can only say that the high standard of the preceding volumes is maintained. Gary's retirement from professional chess playing is to be regretted, but at least he may have more time to write! The book is outstanding in everyway and beautifully produced.

My Most Memorable Games Boris Gelfand (Edition Olms) pp 262 £17.99

Gelfand has been one of the worlds leading players for more than ten years. He has selected 51 of his best games which he has annotated in great detail, but in a way that will appeal to players of all levels. Also included are a selection of combinations and endings and a special section on 8Rb1 in the Grunfeld defence, a famous Gelfand speciality. Admirably produced, this volume is an excellent addition to the best game genre.

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Alan J Walton

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Year and Venue	British Champion	Lady Champion	Veterans / Seniors
1904 Hastings	W. E. Napier	Miss K. B. Finn	No contest
1905 Southport	H. E. Atkins	Miss K. B. Finn	No contest
1906 Shrewsbury	H. E. Atkins	Mrs F. D. Herring	No contest
1907 Crystal Palace	H. E. Atkins	Mrs F. D. Herring	No contest
1908 Tunbridge Wells	H. E. Atkins	Mrs. A. L. Curling	No contest
1909 Scarborough	H. E. Atkins	Mrs. D. L. Anderson	No contest
1910 Oxford	H. E. Atkins	Mrs H. M. Houlding	No contest
1911 Glasgow	H. E. Atkins	Mrs H. M. Houlding	No contest
1912 Richmond	R. C. Griffith	Mrs. D. L. Anderson	No contest
1913 Cheltenham	F. D. Yates	Mrs A. N. G. Moseley	No contest
1914 Chester	F. D. Yates	Mrs F. D. Houlding	No contest
1915-18	No contest	No contest	No contest
1919 Hastings	No contest	Mrs. S. J. Holloway	No contest
1920 Edinburgh	R. H. V. Scott	Mrs. A. Stephenson	No contest
1921 Malvern	F. D. Yates	Mrs. D. L. Anderson	No contest
1922 London	No contest	Miss E. C. Price	No contest
1923 Southsea	Sir G. A. Thomas, Bt.	Miss E. C. Price	No contest
1924 Southport	H. E. Atkins	Miss E. C. Price	No contest
1925 Stratford-upon-A	H. E. Atkins	Mrs. A. Stephenson	No contest
1926 Edinburgh	F. D. Yates	Mrs. A. Stephenson	No contest
1927 London	No contest	No contest	No contest
1927 London 1928 Tenby	F. D. Yates	Miss E. C. Price	No contest
1929 Ramsgate	Mir Sultan Khan	Miss M. D. Gilchrist	No contest
1930 Scarborough	No contest	Mrs. A. Stephenson	No contest
1930 Scarborough 1931 Worcester	F. D. Yates		No contest No contest
		Mrs. R. P. Michell & Mrs. T. Wheelwright	
1932 London	Mir Sultan Khan	Mrs. R. P. Michell	No contest
1933 Hastings	Mir Sultan Khan	Miss Fatima	No contest
1934 Chester	Sir G. A. Thomas, Bt.	Miss M. D. Gilchrist	No contest
1935 Yarmouth	W. Winter	Mrs. R. P. Michell	No contest
1936 Bournemouth	W. Winter	Mrs. S. J. Holloway	No contest
1937 Blackpool	W. A. Fairhurst	Miss R. M. Dew (Mrs. Bruce)	No contest
1938 Brighton	C.H.O'D. Alexander	Miss Musgrave	No contest
1939 Bournemouth	No contest	Miss E. Saunders (Mrs. Pritchard)	No contest
1940-45	No contest	No contest	No contest
1946 Nottingham	R. F. Combe	Miss E. Saunders	No contest
1947 Harrogate	H. Golombek	Miss E. Tranmer	No contest
1948 London	R. J. Broadbent	Miss E. C. Price	No contest
1949 Felixstowe	H. Golombek	Miss E. Tranmer	No contest
1950 Buxton	R. J. Broadbent	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1951 Swansea	E. Klein	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1952 Chester	R. G. Wade	No contest	No contest
1953 Hastings	D. A. Yanofsky	Miss E. Tranmer	No contest
1954 Nottingham	L. W. Barden & A. Phillips	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1955 Aberystwyth	H. Golombek	Miss J. F. Doulton & Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1956 Blackpool	C.H.O'D. Alexander	Mrs. E. Pritchard	No contest
1957 Plymouth	Dr. S. Fazekas	Capt. P. A. Sunnucks	No contest
1958 Leamington	J. Penrose	Capt. P. A. Sunnucks	No contest
1959 York	J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1960 Leicester	J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1961 Aberystwyth	J. Penrose	Miss E. Tranmer	No contest
1962 Whitby	J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1963 Bath	J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce	No contest
1964 Whitby	M. J. Haygarth	Capt. P. A. Sunnucks	No contest
1965 Hastings	P. N. Lee	Mrs. E. Pritchard	No contest
1966 Sunderland	Dr. J. Penrose	Mrs M. E. E. Clarke & Miss G. Moore	No contest
1967 Oxford	Dr. J. Peniose Dr. J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce & Miss D. Dobson	No contest
		Miss D. Dobson	
1968 Bristol	Dr. J. Penrose		No contest
1969 Rhyl	Dr. J. Penrose	Mrs. R. M. Bruce & Miss D. Dobson	No contest
1970 Coventry	R. G. Wade	Mrs. J. Hartston	No contest
1971 Blackpool	R. D. Keene	Mrs. J. Hartston	No contest
1972 Brighton	B. R. Eley	Mrs. J. Hartston	No contest
1973 Eastbourne	W. R. Hartston	Mrs. J. Hartston	No contest
1974 Clacton	G. S. Botterill	Mrs. J. Hartston	No contest
1975 Morecambe	W. R. Hartston	Miss S. Jackson	No contest
1976 Portsmouth	A. J. Mestel	Dr. J. Hartston	No contest
1977 Brighton	G. S. Botterill	Dr. J. Hartston	No contest
1978 Ayr	J. S. Speelman	Miss S. Jackson	No contest
1979 Chester	R. Bellin	Dr. J. Miles	No contest
1980 Brighton	Dr. J. D. M. Nunn	Miss S. Jackson	No contest
1981 Morecambe	P. E. Littlewood	Miss S. Jackson	No contest
1982 Torquay	A. J. Miles	Miss J. Garwell	P. C. Hoad
1983 Southport	A. J. Mestel	Mrs. R. Hamid & Mrs. H. Milligan	P. C. Hoad
1984 Brighton	N. D. Short	Miss B. Sathe & Mrs. V. Unni	H. Golombek & P. C. Hoad
1985 Edinburgh	J. S. Speelman	Mrs. R. Hamid	D Andrew, H Golombek & P C Hoad
Year and Venue	British Champion	Lady Champion	Veterans / Seniors
1986 Southampton	J. S. Speelman	Mrs. S. K. Arkell	P. C. Hoad
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1987 Swansea	N. D. Short	Miss C. Forbes	P. C. Hoad
1988 Blackpool	A. J. Mestel	Miss C. Forbes	D. Baldwin
1989 Plymouth	M. Adams	Mrs. R. Hamid	P. C. Hoad
1990 Eastbourne	H. J. Plaskett	Mrs. S. K. Arkell	P. C. Hoad
1991 Eastbourne	J. M. Hodgson	Mrs. S. K. Arkell	J. Soesan
1992 Plymouth	J. M. Hodgson	Mrs. S. K. Arkell	J. Soesan
1993 Dundee	M. Hennigan	Ms. S. Dhar	Lim Kok-Ann & R. D. Westra
1994 Norwich	W. Watson	Miss C. Forbes	G. Botteley
1995 Swansea	M. Sadler	Miss H. Hunt	Lim Kok-Ann
1996 Nottingham	C. G. Ward	Miss H. Hunt	D. Mayers
1997 Hove	M. Adams & M. Sadler	Miss H. Hunt	M. Cook
1998 Torquay	N. D. Short	Mrs S. Lalic	M. Cook
1999 Scarborough	J. M. Hodgson	Miss H. Hunt	I.B.N. Smith
2000 Street, Somerset	J. M. Hodgson	Miss H. Koneru	J. Toothill
2001 Scarborough	J. G. Gallagher	Miss M. Buckley	N. Gill
2002 Torquay	R. B. Ramesh	Miss H. Koneru	D .G. Ellison
2003 Edinburgh	A. Kunte	Ms K. Arakhamia-Grant	N. Stephenson, G. Dickson, D. Anderton
2004 Scarborough	J. Rowson	Ms K. Arakhamia-Grant	D. Smith, N. Stephenson
2005 Isle of Man	J. Rowson	No contest	D. Anderton

Junior Champions 1923 - Present

	Under-21	Under-18	Girl's Under-18	Under-16	Under-15
1923	No contest	P. S. Milner-Barry	No contest	No contest	No contest
1924	No contest	W. H. Pratten	No contest	No contest	No contest
1925	No contest	W. H. Pratten	No contest	No contest	No contest
1926	No contest	C.H.O'D. Alexander	No contest	No contest	No contest
1927	No contest	G. H. Rowson	No contest	No contest	No contest
1928	No contest	A. Mortlock	No contest	No contest	No contest
1929	No contest	J. M. Craddock	No contest	No contest	No contest
1930	No contest	J. M. Craddock	No contest	No contest	No contest
1931	No contest	J. M. Craddock	No contest	No contest	No contest
1932	No contest	A. W. J. Down	No contest	No contest	No contest
1933	No contest	A. W. J. Down	Muriel Ballard	No contest	No contest
1934	No contest	F. Rabinovitch	Gladys Kay	No contest	No contest
1935	No contest	F. Parr	Beatrice Walsh	No contest	No contest
1936	No contest	L. G. O'Neill	Elaine Saunders	No contest	No contest
1937	No contest	A. R. Duff	Elaine Saunders	No contest	No contest
1938	No contest	A. R. Duff	Elaine Saunders	No contest	No contest
1939	No contest	A. R. Duff	Phillis Prosser	No contest	No contest
1940	No contest	J. Richardson	No contest	No contest	No contest
1941-43	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest
1944	No contest	No contest	Lorna Judge	No contest	No contest
1945	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest
1946	No contest	J. A. Fuller	Pamela Heath	No contest	No contest
1947	No contest	J. Penrose	Audrey Pocknell	No contest	No contest
1948	No contest	D. G. Horseman	Audrey Pocknell	No contest	No contest
1949	No contest	M. N. Barker	Jean Craker	No contest	No contest
1950	No contest	M. N. Barker	Jean Craker	No contest	No contest
1951	No contest	M. N. Barker	Ann Bennett	No contest	No contest
1952	No contest	B. Cafferty, P. C. Gibbs & P. D. Sanderson	Margaret E. E. Wood	No contest	No contest
1953	No contest	K. F. H. Inwood	Myrtle Barnes	No contest	No contest
1954	No contest	K. D. Sales	Myrtle Barnes	No contest	No contest
1955	D. F. Griffiths	C. Tayar & D. Tidmarsh	Margaret E. E. Wood	No contest	No contest
1956	B. Cafferty	C. F. Girling & M. Macdonald-Ross	Margaret E. E. Wood	No contest	D. G. Macdonald
1957	J. D. Taylor	D. E. Rumens	Sheila Corbyn	No contest	J A Lawrence & C Waring
1958	No contest	D. J. Mabbs	Sheila Corbyn	No contest	M. Neave & M. Stevenson
1959	No contest	M. Firth, J. A. Lawrence & J. M. Oliff	Rosalie Norbury	No contest	G. Chesters & D. I. W. Reynolds
1960	No contest	D. R. Thomson	Verina Horsnell	No contest	V. W. Knox
1961	D. G. Wells	R. A. Beach	Verina Horsnell	No contest	P. Murphy
1962	K. B. Richardson	P. N. Lee	Gillian Moore	No contest	R. Moss
1963	M. J. Basman & R. A. Harris	P. Jamieson	D Dobson, G Moore & Marcia Syme	N. J. Patterson	No contest
1964	C. F. Woodcock	B. Denman & R. Keene	Dinah Dobson	L. L. Tate	No contest
1965	A. J. Whiteley	M. N. Walsh	Marcia Syme	I. Friedlander & A. Perkins	No contest
1966	B. J. Denman & A. T. Ludgate	T. D. Baldwin & S. Webb	J Dobson, R McWaters & M Moore		No contest
1967	L. S. Tate	J. Horner, G. Speed & P. Waters	A. Patterson	M. J. Corden, P. Karmas & S. Saverymuttu	No contest
1968	L. de Veauce	M. J. C. Corden	M. Saverymuttu	R. Bailey	No contest
1969	R. G. Eales	C. Cubitt	J. Fielding & M. McGinn	M. F. Stean	No contest
	Under-21	Under-18	Girl's Under-18	Under-16	Under-15
1970	D. M. Wise	J. G. Nicholson, J. P.	Alison Povall	A. J. Mestel &	No contest
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1972 J. M 1973 L. D 1974 J. G 1975 P. L 1976 R. L 8 R 1977 J. M W. N 1978 D. S Clar 1979 N. R	J. Miles M. Quinn D. Marks G. Nicholson Littlewood Britton, C R Chandler R W Haldane M. Hodgson & N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall	Somerville & K. J. Wicker A. J. Mestel P. E. Littlewood J. Kinlay C. S. Crouch R. Britton J. C. Benjamin M. Pein & S. J. B. Knott	Sheila Jackson Susan Caldwell S. A. Hutchinson, M. A. Hutchinson & E. M. Sadler Jane Anson Jane Seymour Angela Eagle & Jane Garwell Clare Whitehead	J. S. Speelman C. M. Cooley C. S. Crouch R. C. Picot C. Baker, P. Hadden, H. MacPherson & S. Taulbut T. Fernley & P. J. Sowray D. H. Cummings	No contest No contest No contest No contest No contest No contest
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1974 J. G 1975 P. L 1976 R. L 1977 J. M W. N 1978 D. S Clar 1979 N. R	G. Nicholson Littlewood Britton, C R Chandler W Haldane M. Hodgson & N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall	C. S. Crouch R. Britton J. C. Benjamin M. Pein & S. J. B. Knott	Hutchinson & E. M. Sadler Jane Anson Jane Seymour Angela Eagle & Jane Garwell	C. Baker, P. Hadden, H. MacPherson & S. Taulbut T. Fernley & P. J. Sowray	No contest No contest
1975 P. L 1976 R L 1977 J. M W. N 1978 D. S Clar 1979 N. R	Littlewood Britton, C R Chandler W Haldane M. Hodgson & N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall	R. Britton J. C. Benjamin M. Pein & S. J. B. Knott	Jane Anson Jane Seymour Angela Eagle & Jane Garwell	MacPherson & S. Taulbut T. Fernley & P. J. Sowray	No contest
1976 R L & R 1977 J. M W. N 1978 D. S Clar 1979 N. R	Britton, C R Chandler M Haldane M Hodgson & N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall	J. C. Benjamin M. Pein & S. J. B. Knott	Angela Éagle & Jane Garwell		
1976 & R 1977 J. M W. N 1978 D. S Clar 1979 N. R	M. Haldane M. Hodgson & N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall	M. Pein & S. J. B. Knott	Jane Garwell	D. H. Cummings	No contest
1977 W. N 1978 D. S Clari 1979 N. R	N. Watson Shuttleworth, T. M. rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall		Clare Whitehead		1
1978 Clar 1979 N. R	rke, A. J. Muir & J. Hall			N. W. Ivell	No contest
	D. Davidson	S. Quigley	Carey Groves	T. L. Milligan	No contest
1980 A. P		S. G. R. Kerr	Claire Watkins	P. K. Wells	No contest
		P. K. Wells	Clare Whitehead	A. C. L. Dyson	No contest
1981 M. F		C. L. Dyson, M. Kerridge & J. R. Richardson	Lavinia Pereira	N. L. Carr	No contest
1982 M. K	Kerridge	G. Waddingham	Karen Cartmel	T. P. Wall	No contest
	Thomas, C. Dawson, Khan & B. Lund	B. Sharp & D. Watts	Susan Walker	N. McDonald	No contest
1984 S. C	C. Brown	N. Crickmore & N. McDonald	No contest	C. Ward & P. Rossiter	No contest
1985 M. L	L. Condie	S. Elliott	Sarah Christopher	P. Georghiou, D. Simpson & D. Wood	No contest
	Adams, M Condie, S nquest & N McDonald	P. Morris	Caroline Hallett	C. Duncan & R. Tozer	G. Buckley & J. Rogers
1987 S. C	Conquest	R. Tozer	J Harwar & N Regan	M. Piper & A. Webster	A Gillies, L Jones & M Piper
1988 M. A	Adams	I. MacKay	Natasha Regan	E. Holland & P. Whitworth	O. Worsfold
1989 M. A	Adams	M. Harris	Julie Harwar, Cathy Haslinger & Heidi Heron	P. Brown, J. Merriman & M. Sanger	J. Poulton
1990 M. A	Adams	S. Calderwood & C. Ray	Heidi Heron	J. Poulton	B. Connell & S. Joseph
		G. Haslinger	Ann-Marie Ashby	P. Hughes	A. Gillen
		S. Lunn	Ann-Marie Ashby	J. Vigus	R. Gaughan
1993 D. K	Kumaran	S. Gillen	Fiona Webster	T. Hinks-Edwards & R. Sheldon	J. Newman & T. Walton
1994 A. V	Webster	J. Cobb	No contest	P Chaplin, P Goldstein, L Jacobs & N Jain	N Jain
1995 M. S	Sadler	A. Hunt	Mandy Haslinger	A. Leech & I. Debbage	N. Alfred & A. Leech
1996 J. P		A Greet, O. Rosten & R. Churm	R Bates, A Dyce, M Haslinger & E Howard	N Alfred & N Roberts	M. Roberts
1997 K S	Sasikiran	A Dyce	Ruth Bates & Heather Richards	B. Addison	B. Addison, D. Bates, J Bourne & L. Rackham
11448		A Greet, D Buckley & D Tan	Iva Anguelov	D Edwards	D Edwards
	Sacikiran	K Boztas, R Martin, S Menon & M Taylor	Rosalind Kieran	T Stock	Marienne Howard
2000 B Ke		B C Addison	Elaine Rutherford	A Hughes	K Boztas & A Kelly
	,	David Shaw	Teresa Khoo	Ezra Lutton	Ezra Lutton
	shnan Sasikiran	Robert Payne	Teresa Khoo	M Dignam & T Eggleston	M Dignam & T Eggleston
2003 Hari		S Ghasi, Y Gogte, R Mycroft	Sabrina Chevannes	William Bennet	William Bennet
	wain Jones	S Williams, T Eggleston	Sabrina Chevannes	W Bennet, S Fowler	Simon Fowler
2005 Step	phen Gordon	Stephen Gordon	Jessica Thilaganathan	P Constantinou, C Russell	L Bayliss, D Hall, J Thomas

	Under-14	Under-13	Under-12	Under-11
1963	T. Baldwin	No contest	No contest	No contest
1964	T J Gluckman & M R Myant	No contest	No contest	No contest
1965	G. Campbell	No contest	No contest	No contest
1966	R. Bellin & R. Woodford	No contest	No contest	No contest
1967	J. D. M. Nunn	No contest	No contest	No contest
1968	A. J. Miles	No contest	No contest	No contest
1969	J. S. Speelman	No contest	No contest	No contest
1970	T. P. Chapman	No contest	No contest	No contest
1971	P. Cooley	No contest	No contest	No contest
1972	C. Gladwin	No contest	No contest	No contest
1973	J. C. Benjamin	No contest	No contest	No contest
1974	P. G. Smith	No contest	No contest	No contest
1975	N. R. Benjamin	No contest	No contest	N. Walford
1976	C. Frostick	No contest	No contest	A. C. L. Dyson
1977	D. J. King & N. D. Walford	No contest	No contest	J. D. Hockaday & D. L. Lee
1978	M. Bennett & P. K. Wells	No contest	No contest	N. L. Carr
1979	G. W. Lane	No contest	No contest	E. S. Lee
1980	E. S. Lee	No contest	No contest	J Hockaday, P Rossiter, J Sharp, M Wheeler & D Wood
1981	D. J. Watts	No contest	No contest	D.P. Wheeler
1982	M. A. Wheeler	No contest	No contest	M. Adams
1983	P. J. Rossiter	No contest	No contest	J. Glass

	Under-14	Under-13	Under-12	Under-11
1984	D. James & S. McQuillan	No contest	M. Walker & J. Akehurst	M. Sadler

1985	J. Hutchings	No contest	S. Cullip	A. Keehner
1986	A. Webster	A. Webster	A. Jones	D. Essex
1987	L. Jones	J. Poulton	Selim	D. Rosenburg
1988	S. Pain & D. Wolstencroft	S. Ansell & M. Turner	A. Eyton	B. Connell
1989	S. Willetts	S. Gillen & D. Jagoe	A. Gillen	E. Goodall
1990	J. Vere	P. Griffiths	L. Russell	J. Vigus
1991	R Bates, M Ferguson, A Hunt & H Hunt	T. Mifsud	R. Brown	D. Das
1992	J. Clifford & L. McShane	M. Chokshi	A. Greet	A. Bamford
1993	B. Kelly	D. Harwood	S. Haslinger	S. Armour
1994	G. Parker & M. Fisher	S. Deall & D. Tompson	R. Dickie & M. Roberts	E. Player
1995	P. Levermore	D Hodge, R Jones & R Palliser	M. Broomfield	S. Buckley
1996	B. C. Addison & R. Watts	R. Rattray	C. Charman	K. Chakraborty & N. Timms
1997	C. Hanley & A. Longson	D. Kay	K. Chakraborty	K Boztas, K Kahar, R Martyn & L Trent
1998	L. D'Costa	L. D'Costa	C. Deva, T. Nixon & L. Trent	C. Deva
1999	A. Farley & R. Martyn	Lawrence Trent	C. Dorrington, S. Ghasi, A. Habibi & J. Lappage	W. Bennett
2000	Eesha Karavade	S. Chevannes & R. Payne	A Ghasi	A. Gupta
2001	Sumeet Ghasi	William Bennet	Simon Fowler & James Hanley	Arjun Chirukandath Manoj
2002	Daniel Diamond	Peter Roberson	Thomas Pym	D. Adhav, G C Manoj & A Corke
2003	James Hanley	Thomas Pym	Anya Corke	Fenil Shah
2004	Xi-Yang Guo, D Hall, A Corke	Ankush Khandelwal	Richard Lobo, Jac Thomas	Sheila Dines
2005	M David, A Khandelwal, J Thomas	D Groves, R Lobo	Yang-Fan Zhou	Megan Owens

	Under-10	Under-9	Under-8
1984	No contest	D Essex	No contest
1985	No contest	S Woodford	No contest
1986	No contest	I Nathoo	No contest
1987	No contest	A Calderwood, R MacFarlane & A Miah	No contest
1988	A Calderwood	James Vigus	No contest
1989	James Vigus	J Conlon	No contest
1990	Adam Hunt	Karl Mah	No contest
1991	Joe Conlon & Karl Mah	Luke McShane	No contest
1992	T Holmes	R Murphy	A Chowdhury
1993	L Debbage	S Casement & S Clark	A Kissoon & G Walker
1994	S Bough & S Casement	S Buckley, A Das, M Jones & T Sachdev	T Sachdev
1995	A Kissoon	K Chakraborty	K Chakraborty
1996	K Chakraborty & G Jones	Ameet Ghasi	G Jones
1997	S Gordon	Jonathan Zoubaida	T Thiruchelvam
1998	Lee Gold	B Buckley, M D Elstrop & T M Sharp	David Howell
1999	David Howell	David Howell	C Bellin, D Hawrami, S Khoo & S Pozzo
2000	T W Pym & J Snowden	D Hawrami, S Modwal & T Robinson	P Negi
2001	Gauri Chirukandath Manoj	Parimarjan Negi	Subin Sen
2002	Gauri Chirukandath Manoj	Gauri Chirukandath Manoj	Yang-Fan Zhou
2003	Chirakandath Manoj	Prasanna Rao, Fenil Shah	Sahaj Grover
2004	S Sathyanandha, B Wetherfield	D Fernandez, D Hunt, S Sathyanandha	Nathan Taylor, Milo Thrumble
2005	J Lenier, S Sathyanandha	Jude Lenier, Nathan Taylor	James Bowler

	Girl's Under-16	Girl's Under-15	Girl's Under-14	Girl's Under-13
1970	No contest	No contest	Sheila Jackson	No contest
1971	No contest	No contest	Susan L Caldwell	No contest
1972	No contest	No contest	S A Jordan	No contest
1973	No contest	No contest	J F W Park	No contest
1974	No contest	No contest	Helen Granat	No contest
1975	No contest	No contest	Helen Granat	No contest
1976	No contest	No contest	Claire E Whitehead	No contest
1977	No contest	No contest	Carey A Groves	No contest
1978	No contest	No contest	Gaynor D James	No contest
1979	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest
1980	Karen Cartmel & Lavinia Pereira	No contest	Susan Walker & M Hepworth	No contest
1981	Karen Cartmel	No contest	Caroline Hallett	No contest
1982	Susan K Walker	No contest	M Eaves	No contest
1983	Cathy Forbes	No contest	Caroline Hallett	No contest
1984	Mandy Hepworth	No contest	D Johnson & J Baxendine	No contest
1985	Caroline Hallett	No contest	D Johnson	No contest
1986	H Eaves	Julie Harwar	Cathy Haslinger	Cathy Haslinger
1987	Cathy Haslinger	Cathy Haslinger	J Eastwood	J Eastwood
1988	J Eastwood & Angela Eyton	G O'Farrell	E Holland, S Joy & R Mother	shil S Joy & Claire Lusher
1989	Angela Eyton	J Eastwood	S Joy & T Thompson	K Horsfield & F Webster
1990	Cathy Haslinger & S Joy	T Thompson	Fiona Webster	Harriet Hunt & Louise Orton
1991	T Thompson & F Webster	Fiona Webster	Harriet Hunt	Harriet Hunt
1992	Emily Howard	A Nathoo & S Smith	C Webster	Lorna Burrows & E Howard
1993	Ruth Sheldon	Heather Lang	Emily Howard	Mandy Haslinger
1994	Emily Howard	Emily Howard	Ruth Bates & Jessica Ho	Jessica Ho
1995	Ruth Bates	Ruth Bates & Jessica Ho	Jo Badger, Jessica Ho & E F	ord Jo Badger & A John
1996	Jessica Ho & Heather Richards	Melanie Buckley & E Ford	Jo Badger	Rosalind Kieran
	Girl's Under-16	Girl's Under-15	Girl's Under-14	Girl's Under-13
1997	Iva Anguelov Iv	/ana Houska	Sophie Tidman	Sophie Tidman

1998	Ivana Houska	Ivana Houska	Marienne Howard	Lydia Goodwin
1999	Marienne Howard	Marienne Howard	A Winston	Teresa Khoo
2000	Alexandra Kelly	Alexandra Kelly	Eesha Karavade	Sabrina Chevannes
2001	Sabrina Chevannes	Sabrina Chevannes	Suzie Blackburn	Sarah Hegarty
2002	Karen Bradley	Karen Bradley	Claire Morris	Sarah Hegarty
2003	Priyanka Desai	M Rudula Namibar	no girl	Robyn Smith
2004	Selina Khoo	Selina Khoo	Anya Corke	Anya Corke
2005	Lynsey Shovlin	Chantal Sirisena	Hannah Dale	Thilagini Anandajeyarajah

	Girl's Under-12	Girl's Under-11	Girl's Under-10	Girl's Under-9	Girl's Under-8
1982	No contest	Sabrina Needham	No contest	No contest	No contest
1983	No contest	A-M & C Ashby	No contest	No contest	No contest
1984	C Ashby	D Pothecary & C Haslinger	No contest	S Joy & C Green	No contest
1985	C Haslinger & C Joy	Cathy Haslinger	No contest	Nicola Hon	No contest
1986	J Smith	Claire Lusher	No contest	J Saunders	No contest
1987	J Smith	J Saunders	No contest	A Nathoo	No contest
1988	Fiona Webster	H Burns & A Nathoo	A Nathoo	A Kieran	No contest
1989	Harriet Hunt	H Hunt & A Nathoo	Mandy Haslinger	Mandy Haslinger	No contest
1990	Harriet Hunt	Emily Howard	Ruth Bates	Mandy Haslinger	No contest
1991	Emily Howard	Ruth Sheldon	E Ford	Rosalind Kieran	No contest
1992	M Haslinger & C Holmes	Mandy Haslinger	Jo Badger	R Kieran, S O'Neill & C Thrower	Siobhan O'Neill
1993	Mandy Haslinger	Claire Thrower	Elaine Rutherford	Claire Thrower	Tania Sachdev
1994	Jo Badger & E Orton	Rosalind Kieran	Tania Sachdev	Tania Sachdev	Tania Sachdev
1995	Heather Richards	Claire Thrower	L Nathoo & A Winston	C Harrington & E Player	S Blackburn, S Higgins & H Walker
1996	V Kowalkowski	A Winston	Lydia Goodwin	Heather Walker	K Barnes
1997	Marienne Howard	J Gilbert & L Goodwin	Jessie Gilbert	K Barnes & K Kulkarni	L Hulley & K Kulkarni
1998	A Wilson & B Das	Sabrina Chevannes	C H Morris	P Aarons, Y Ball & C Halpin	Poppy J Aarons
1999	Sabrina Chevannes	Sarah Hegarty	Sarah Hegarty	Selina Khoo & N Miller	Selina Khoo
2000	F Berlin, D Gross & C Morris	Sarah Hegarty	V J Sindjhu	Amy Officer	K Hale & A Officer
2001	Katie Martin	Selina Khoo	Selina Khoo	Venkata Sathapriya	S Hale & R Hughes
2002	P Aarons, S Khoo & N Miller	Anya Corke	Amy Officer	Z Geidelberg & R Hughes	Rhian Hughes
2003	Anya Corke	Amisha Parmar	Sheila Dines	Rhian Hughes	Megan Owens
2004	Amy Officer	Sheila Dines	Alexandra Bottemanne	Megan Owens	Maria Wang
2005	S Dines, J Thilaganathan	Megan Owens	Megan Owens	Radha Jain	Radha Jain

BRITISH RAPIDPLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS 1986-Present

1986	Nigel Short	1996	Michael Adams
1987	Nigel Davies	1997	Stuart Conquest
1988	Murray Chandler, Glenn Flear, Mark Hebden Julian Hodgson & John Nunn	1998	Keith Arkell
1989	John Nunn	1999	Michael Adams
1990	Mark Hebden Julian Hodgson, Jonathan Speelman & R Wojtkiewicz	2000	Ameet Ghasi & Aaron Summerscale
1991	Lev Polugaevsky & Jonathan Speelman	2001	Mark Hebden
1992	John Nunn & William Watson	2002	Peter Wells
1993	No contest	2003	Peter Wells
1994	Mark Hebden	2004	Nicholas Pert
1995	Michael Adams	2005	Mark Hebden

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open Championship 1908 - Present

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1908	Middlesex	1934	Middlesex	1962	Warwickshire	1984	Kent
1909	Middlesex	1935	Lancashire	1963	Middlesex	1985	Middlesex
1910	Middlesex	1936	Middlesex	1964	Middlesex	1986	Middlesex
1911	Surrey	1937	Middlesex	1965	Middlesex	1987	Middlesex
1912	Kent	1938	Lancashire	1966	Lancashire	1988	Kent
1913	Middlesex	1939-45	No contest	1967	Lancashire	1989	Middlesex
1914	Middlesex	1946	Lancashire	1968	Lancashire	1990	Greater Manchester
1915-19	No contest	1947	Middlesex	1969	Lancashire	1991	Kent
1920	Surrey	1948	Lancashire	1970	Cambridgeshire	1992	Staffordshire
1921	Yorkshire	1949	Middlesex	1971	Cambridgeshire	1993	Kent
1922	Lancashire	1950	Middlesex	1972	Cambridgeshire	1994	Leicestershire
1923	Lancashire	1951	Oxfordshire	1973	Essex	1995	Cambridgeshire
1924	Surrey	1952	Oxfordshire	1974	Yorkshire	1996	Kent
1925	Middlesex	1953	Middlesex	1975	Kent	1997	Kent
1926	Lancashire	1954	Surrey	1976	Kent	1998	Kent
1927	Middlesex	1955	Middlesex	1977	Lancashire	1999	Cambridgeshire
1928	Middlesex	1956	Middlesex	1978	Lancashire	2000	Yorkshire
1929	Surrey	1957	Warwickshire	1979	Middlesex	2001	Cambridgeshire
1930	Lancashire	1958	Essex	1980	Middlesex	2002	Essex
1931	Middlesex	1959	Lancashire	1981	Kent	2003	Kent
1932	Middlesex	1960	Lancashire	1982	Yorkshire	2004	Greater Manchester
1933	Lancashire	1961	Warwickshire	1983	Kent	2005	Greater Manchester

Minor County Championship 1982 - Present

1982	Leicestershire	1988	Cambridgeshire	1994	Middlesex	2000	Herts
1983	Sussex	1989	Lincolnshire & S Humberside	1995	Suffolk	2001	Herts
1984	Sussex	1990	Huntingdon & Peterborough	1996	Sussex	2002	Norfolk
1985	Sussex	1991	Oxfordshire	1997	Oxfordshire	2003	Staffordshire
1986	Berkshire	1992	Bedfordshire	1998	Suffolk	2004	Bedfordshire
1987	Sussex	1993	Oxfordshire	1999	Herts	2005	Norfolk

Lower Teams Championships 1982 - Present

Year	U175 (2 nd team pre-1993)	U150 (3 rd team pre-1993)	U125 (U130 pre-1993)	Under 100
1982	Kent	No contest	No contest	No contest
1983	Middlesex	No contest	No contest	No contest
1984	Middlesex	No contest	No contest	No contest
1985	Middlesex	No contest	No contest	No contest
1986	Lancashire	No contest	No contest	No contest
1987	Lancashire	Lancashire	No contest	No contest
1988	Middlesex	Warwickshire	No contest	No contest
1989	Lancashire	Nottinghamshire	No contest	No contest
1990	Middlesex	Kent	No contest	No contest
1991	Middlesex	Bedfordshire	No contest	No contest
1992	Middlesex	Middlesex	Lancashire	No contest
1993	Greater Manchester	Middlesex	Hertfordshire	No contest
1994	Hampshire	Cleveland	Cleveland	No contest
1995	Nottinghamshire	Warwickshire	Suffolk	Kent
1996	Leicestershire	Devon	Warwickshire	Suffolk
1997	Essex	Nottinghamshire	Lancashire	Nottinghamshire
1998	Essex	Warwickshire	Lancashire	Essex
1999	Essex	Warwickshire	Cambridgeshire	Surrey
2000	Warwickshire	Essex	Cambridgeshire	Surrey
2001	Warwickshire	Greater Manchester	Lancashire	Cleveland
2002	Essex	Lancashire	Warwickshire	Kent
2003	Sussex	Lancashire	Norfolk	Lancashire
2004	Essex	Cambridgeshire	Shropshire	Norfolk
2005	Devon	Nottinghamshire	Lancashire	Essex

County Rapidplay Championship 1988 - Present

1988	Nottinghamshire	1996	Nottinghamshire	2002	Greater Manchester
1989	Warwickshire	1997	Nottinghamshire	2003	Yorkshire
1990-92	No contest	1998	Yorkshire	2004	No contest
1993	Nottinghamshire	1999	Yorkshire	2005	Bedfordshire
1994	Nottinghamshire	2000	Yorkshire		
1995	Warwickshire	2001	Yorkshire		

Counties Under-18 Championship 1950 - Present

1950	Middlesex	1964	Warwickshire	1978	Warwickshire	1992	Surrey
1951	Warwickshire	1965	Middlesex	1979	Middlesex	1993	Middlesex
1952	Middlesex	1966	Surrey	1980	Yorkshire	1994	Surrey & Middlesex
1953	Middlesex	1967	Lancashire	1981	Middlesex	1995	Greater Manchester
1954	Warwickshire	1968	Middlesex	1982	Middlesex	1996	Surrey
1955	Gloucestershire	1969	Lancashire	1983	Hampshire	1997	Suffolk
1956	Warwickshire	1970	Staffordshire	1984	Hampshire	1998	Kent
1957	Warwickshire	1971	Warwickshire	1985	Warwickshire	1999	Kent
1958	Middlesex	1972	Lancashire	1986	Middlesex	2000	Warwickshire
1959	Middlesex	1973	Lancashire	1987	Kent	2001	Essex
1960	Surrey	1974	Lancashire	1988	Hampshire	2002	Warwickshire
1961	Surrey	1975	Surrey	1989	Middlesex	2003	Essex
1962	Essex	1976	Middlesex	1990	Warwickshire	2004	Lancashire
1963	Middlesex	1977	Kent	1991	Greater Manchester	2005	Kent

	Girl's Under-18	Champic	nships	U-	18 Minor Championships	Girl's U-18 Minor Championships	
1971	Somerset	1991	Middlesex	1986	Durham	1986	No contest
1972	Lancashire	1992	Oxfordshire	1987	Northumberland	1987	No contest
1973	Lincolnshire	1993	Suffolk	1988	Derbyshire	1988	Oxfordshire
1974	Devonshire	1994	Surrey	1989	Oxfordshire	1989	Gwent
1975	Lancashire	1995	Kent	1990	Suffolk	1990	Oxfordshire
1976	Warwickshire	1996	Surrey	1991	Oxfordshire	1991	Suffolk
1977	Lancashire	1997	Surrey	1992	Somerset	1992	Suffolk
1978	Lancashire	1998	Surrey	1993	Staffordshire	1993	Somerset
1979	Surrey	1999	Surrey	1994	Buckinghamshire	1994	Norfolk
1980	Surrey	2000	Surrey	1995	Somerset	1995	Norfolk
1981	Surrey	2001	Surrey	1996	Bucks & Sussex	1996	Glos & Leics
1982	Surrey	2002	Surrey	1997	Cheshire & N Wales	1997	Suffolk
1983	Middlesex	2003	Surrey	1998	Berkshire	1998	Surrey
1984	Middlesex	2004	Surrey	1999	-	1999	Staffordshire
1985	Hampshire	2005	Surrey	2000	Suffolk	2000	Staffordshire
1986	Middlesex			2001	Surrey	2001	Surrey
1987	Essex			2002	Surrey	2002	Leicestershire
1988	Middlesex			2003	Hertfordshire	2003	Staffordshire
1989	Hampshire			2004	Warwickshire	2004	Wiltshire
1990	Middlesex			2005	Warwickshire	2005	Witshire

County & District Correspondence Championship 1922 - Present

1922	Cornwall	1943	Yorkshire	1964	Lancashire	1985	Berkshire
1923	Kent	1944	Surrey	1965	Yorkshire	1986	Somerset
1924	West of Scotland	1945	Warwickshire	1966	Lancashire	1987	Berkshire
1925	Lancashire	1946	Lancashire	1967	Lancashire	1988	Essex
1926	Lancashire	1947	Lancashire	1968	Lancashire	1989	Warwickshire
1927	Somerset	1948	Sussex	1969	Lancashire	1990	Essex
1928	Middlesex & Surrey	1949	Cheshire	1970	Warwickshire	1991	Essex
1929	Middlesex	1950	Lancashire	1971	Lancashire	1992	Essex
1930	Middlesex	1951	Essex	1972	Surrey	1993	Warwickshire
1931	Middlesex	1952	Essex	1973	Lancashire	1994	Essex
1932	Yorkshire	1953	Middlesex	1974	Lancashire	1995	Sussex
1933	Cambridgeshire	1954	Middlesex	1975	Lancashire	1996	Essex
1934	Lancashire	1955	Gloucestershire	1976	Lancashire	1997	Essex
1935	Lancashire & Surrey	1956	Hampshire	1977	Lancashire	1998	Warwickshire
1936	Cambs & Middlesex	1957	Lancashire	1978	Gloucestershire	1999	Sussex
1937	Middlesex	1958	Suffolk	1979	Somerset	2000	Sussex
1938	Yorkshire	1959	Yorkshire	1980	Gloucestershire	2001	Yorkshire
1939	Yorkshire	1960	Yorkshire	1981	Lancashire	2002	Yorkshire
1940	Berkshire	1961	Gloucestershire	1982	Surrey	2003	Essex
1941	Lancashire	1962	Gloucestershire	1983	Kent	2004	Yorkshire
1942	Lancashire	1963	Yorkshire	1984	Somerset	2005	Yorkshire

OTHER BCF CHAMPIONSHIPS

BCF NATIONAL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIP 1958 - Present

(formerly the Times National Schools Championship)

1958	Calday Grange	1974	Southern Grammar, Portsmouth	1990	St Paul's
1959	Calday Grange	1975	St Paul's London	1991	Manchester Grammar
1960	Wolverhampton Grammar	1976	Bolton	1992	Nottingham High
1961	Colfe's	1977	Bluecoat Liverpool	1993	Truro
1962	Liverpool Institute High	1978	St Paul's	1994	Ipswich
1963	Hove Grammar	1979	St Paul's	1995	Methodist College, Belfast
1964	Liverpool Institute High	1980	King Edward VI, Southampton	1996	Manchester Grammar School
1965	Dulwich College	1981	St Paul's	1997	Manchester Grammar School
1966	Dulwich College	1982	St Paul's	1998	Manchester Grammar School
1967	Battersea Grammar	1983	Queen Mary's Walsall	1999	St Paul's
1968	Bolton	1984	RGS Newcastle	2000	St Paul's
1969	Dundee High	1985	St Paul's	2001	Oakham School
1970	Dulwich College,	1986	Plymouth College,	2002	Hampton School
1971	Ayr Academy	1987	Queen Mary's Walsall	2003	Oakham School
1972	Ayr Academy	1988	St Paul's	2004	Monmouth School
1973	Bolton	1989	St Paul's	2005	Nottingham High School A

TEAM LIGHTNING CHAMPIONSHIP 1954 - 1992

1954	Oxford University	1971	Cambridge	1983	Streatham & Brixton
1955-60	No contest	1972	London Commercial	1984	King's Head
1961	Romford	1973	London Commercial	1985	Botanic Regulars
1962	Birmingham	1974	Cambridge University	1986	England Under-16
1963	Birmingham	1975	Rotherham	1987	Muswell Hill
1964	Newham	1976	Bolton	1988	No contest
1965	Islington	1977	Leicester Students	1989	No contest
1966	Nottingham	1978	Atherton	1990	Mitcham
1967	Cheltenham	1979	King's Head	1991	BCF "Lions"
1968	Leeds	1980	King's Head	1992	Widnes
1969	Brighton	1981	Oxford University	1993-2001	No contest
1970	King & King	1982	King's Head		

INDIVIDUAL LIGHTNING CHAMPIONSHIP 1954 - 1992

1954	L W Barden	1973	M Horton	1984	N L Carr
1955-63	No contest	1974	J C Pigott	1985	A Dunnington & P G Large
1964	B Cafferty & M Macdonald-Ross	1975	D S C Goodman	1986	J Ady & R Payne
1965	O M Hindle	1976	A J Miles	1987	K Arkell, N Bryans, C Crouch & A Martin
1966	B Cafferty	1977	R Lobo	1988	No contest
1967	B Cafferty	1978	N D Short	1989	No contest
1968	B Cafferty	1979	G D Lee & C M Cooley	1990	C S Crouch
1969	B Cafferty	1980	N D Short	1991	N L Carr, C Dunworth & C Ward
1970	B Eley	1981	A D Martin	1992	G Buckley, A Collinson, N Davies & G Lilley
1971	I Gelfer	1982	C Crouch, M Hebden, J Hodgson, A Prie & W Watson	1993 -	No contest
1972	M Horton	1983	M Hebden & J Levitt		

NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open Championship 1950 - Present

1950	Cambridge University	1969	Cambridge University	1988	Glasgow Polytechnic
1951	Lud Eagle	1970	Cambridge University	1989	Wood Green
1952	Oxford University	1971	Oxford University	1990	Wood Green
1953	Ilford	1972	Cambridge University	1991	Barbican
1954	Cheltenham	1973	Cambridge University	1992	Barbican
1955	Cheltenham	1974	Cambridge University	1993	Wood Green
1956	Ilford	1975	Cambridge University	1994	Paisley YMCA
1957	Leicestershire	1976	Athenaeum	1995	Barbican
1958	Cambridge University	1977	Atticus	1996	Barbican
1959	Cheltenham	1978	Islington	1997	Wood Green
1960	Cambridge University	1979	Oxford University	1998	Wood Green
1961	Sutton Coldfield	1980	King's Head	1999	Wood Green
1962	West Ham	1981	King's Head	2000	Wood Green
1963	Manchester	1982	Rugby	2001	Bedford
1964	Ilford	1983	Oxford University	2002	Wood Green
1965	York	1984	Cambridge University	2003	Cavendish
1966	Oxford University	1985	Streatham & Brixton	2004	Wood Green
1967	Bradford	1986	Cambridge University	2005	Wood Green
1968	Islington & North London	1987	Wood Green		•

Other National Club Championships 1976 - Present

Year	Open Plate (for 1st round losers)	Major (U175)	Major Plate (for 1st round losers)
1976	Streatham	No contest	No contest
1977	Islington & North London	No contest	No contest
1978	South Manchester	No contest	No contest
1979	Mushrooms	No contest	No contest
1980	London Central YMCA	No contest	No contest
1981	PERME Waltham Abbey	No contest	No contest
1982	Writtle	No contest	No contest
1983	Leeds University	No contest	No contest
1984	Canterbury	Tunbridge Wells	No contest
1985	Kynoch	King's Head	Bishops Stortford
1986	Sale	Hastings & St Leonards	Berkhamsted
1987	King's Head	Lichfield	Sutton-in-Ashfield
1988	Powdermill	Cambridge University	Formby
1989	Streatham & Brixton	Oldham	Streatham & Brixton
1990	Richmond	Fulham	Rose Forgrove
1991	Atticus	Warley Quinborne	Rose Forgrove
1992	Wood Green	Kingston	Morecambe

Year	Open Plate (for 1st round losers)	Major (U175)	Major Plate (for 1st round losers)
1993	Slough (Lady Haig)	Southend-on-Sea	Guildford
1994	Hayes	Hastings & St Leonards	Maidstone
1995	Crowthorne	King's Head	Exeter
1996	Ilford	Eastbourne	Huddersfield
1997	Maidstone	St Johns Ear	Undercliffe
1998	Bedford	Guildford	Huddersfield
1999	Charlton	Guildford	Southampton
2000	Mushrooms	Southampton	Wanstead & Woodford
2001	Mushrooms	Aylesbury	The Holt
2002	Maidstone	Wood Green	Rose Forgrove
2003	Mushrooms	Basingstoke Juniors	The Holt
2004	Maidstone	Wanstead & Woodford	Wood Green
2005	No contest	Writtle	Hounslow

Year	Minor (U125)	Minor Plate (for 1st round losers)	Handicap Rapidplay
1981	Gloucester	No contest	No contest
1982	Cambridge University	No contest	No contest
1983	Cambridge University	No contest	No contest
1984	King's Head	Sale	No contest
1985	Rose Forgrove	Metropolitan	No contest
1986	Rose Forgrove	Chloride Lorival	No contest
1987	Marlwood School	Sutton-in-Ashfield	No contest
1988	Barnstaple	Ipswich	No contest
1989	Calderdale	Musketeers	No contest
1990	Calderdale	Cowley	No contest
1991	Rose Forgrove	Sutton-in-Ashfield	No contest
1992	Calderdale	Bourne End	No contest
1993	Sun Life (Bristol)	Calderdale	No contest
1994	Rose Forgrove	Slough (Lady Haig)	Slough (Lady Haig)
1995	King's Head	Sherwood House	Maidstone
1996	Grendel	Ashfield	Maidstone
1997	West End Halifax	Hull	Bedford
1998	Alwoody	Ashfield	Cowley
1999	Ashfield	Crusaders	Cardiff
2000	Basingstoke	Rose Forgrove	Cardiff
2001	Whitstable	Linton	Guildford
2002	Checkmate	Hastings & St Leonards/Hesperides	Wanstead & Woodford
2003	Newark	Alwoodley	Syston
2004	Newark	Alwoodley	Cardiff, Magdalen College School B, Wanstead & Woodford
2005	Lancaster	Newark	Bedford

Year	U-100	U-100 Plate (1st round losers)	Handicap Rapidplay Plate (1st round losers)
1994	No contest	No contest	No contest
1995	No contest	No contest	University of London
1996	No contest	No contest	University of London
1997	Basingstoke	Grappenhall	Southbourne
1998	Basingstoke	Syston	Imperial College
1999	Magdalen College School	Basingstoke	Poulton-le-Fylde
2000	Magdalen College School	Basingstoke	Poulton le Fylde
2001	South Hams	Cowley	Bedford
2002	No contest	No contest	No contest

Year	Intermediate (U150)	Intermediate Plate (for 1st round losers)
1981	No contest	No contest
1982	No contest	No contest
1983	No contest	No contest
1984	No contest	No contest
1985	No contest	No contest
1986	Lichfield	GEC Coventry
1987	Calderdale	Scarborough
1988	Hackney	Warley Quinborne
1989	Oxford University	Cambridge University
1990	Charlton	Prescott & Knotty Ash
1991	Little Lever	Metropolitan
1992	Liverpool	Hammersmith
1993	Oxford University	Great Lever
1994	Portsmouth University	Tamworth & District
1995	Cosham	Eastbourne
1996	Exeter	Olton
1997	Southend-on-Sea	Morecambe
1998	Maidstone	King's Head
1999	Maidstone	Cosham
2000	Nuneaton	Great Lever
2001	Rose Forgrove	Thornbury
2002	No contest	No contest

GRAND PRIX WINNERS 1974 - Present

Year	Grand Prix	Petit Prix	Female Prix	Junior Prix	Disabled Prix
1974	Tony Miles & Gerald Bennett	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest
1975	Tony Miles	Gerald Bennett	Dinah Wright	No contest	No contest
1976	Dave Rumens	Roddy McKay	Dinah Wright	No contest	No contest
1977	George Botterill	Jeff Horner	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1978	Dave Rumens	Nigel Short	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1979	John Nunn	Mark Hebden	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1980	John Nunn	Tony Miles	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1981	Mark Hebden	Keith Arkell	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1982	Tony Miles	Jeff Horner	Jana Miles	No contest	No contest
1983	Jim Plaskett	Nigel Short	S Jackson & J Miles	No contest	No contest
1984	Tony Miles	Keith Arkell	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1985	Peter Large	Mark Hebden	Sheila Jackson	No contest	No contest
1986	Jim Plaskett	Mark Hebden	Susan Arkell	No contest	No contest
1987	Murray Chandler	Gary Lane	Susan Arkell	Chris Ward	No contest
1988	Keith Arkell	Colin Crouch	Susan Arkell	James Howell	No contest
1989	Michael Adams	Keith Arkell	Susan Arkell	Chris Ward	No contest
1990	Julian Hodgson	James Howell	Susan Arkell	Aaron Summerscale	No contest
1991	Michael Adams	Keith Arkell	Susan Arkell	Andrew Webster	No contest
1992	Michael Adams	James Howell	Susan Arkell	Matthew Sadler	No contest
1993	Michael Adams	Keith Arkell	Susan Arkell	Matthew Sadler	No contest
1994	Mark Hebden	Keith Arkell	Susan Lalic (ex Arkell)	Mark Ferguson	Graham Lilley
1995	Matthew Sadler	James Howell	Harriet Hunt	Jonathan Parker	Graham Lilley
1996	Keith Arkell	No comparable award	Susan Lalic	Jonathan Parker	Graham Lilley
1997	Mark Hebden	No comparable award	Ruth Sheldon	Jonathan Rowson	Graham Lilley
1998	Mark Hebden	No comparable award	Susan Lalic	Simon Williams	Dean Hartley
1999	Julian Hodgson	Senior Prix	Jovanka Houska	Simon Williams	Graham Lilley
2000	Mark Hebden	Michael Franklin	Anna Partington	Simon Williams	Graham Lilley
2001	Julian Hodgson	James Sherwin	Harriet Hunt	Nicholas Pert	Dean Hartley
2002	Keith Arkell	Michael Franklin	Harriet Hunt	Stewart Haslinger	Graham Lilley
2003	Peter Wells	Michael Franklin	Meri Lyell	Craig Hanley	Dean Hartley
2004	Mark Hebden	Clive Pemberton	Sheila Dines	Ankush Khandelwal	Dean Hartley
2005	Andrew Greet	Barry Sandercock	Sheila Dines	Sheila Dines	Jack Rudd

Year	Graded Prix U175	Graded Prix U150	Graded Prix U125	Graded Prix U100
2004	Brendan O'Gorman	Jinwoo Song	Richard Desmedt	Steve Webster
2005	Michael Kobylka	Jinwoo Song	Phil Bull	John Constable

Year	U18 Prixette	U18 Prix	U16 Prix	U14 Prix	U12 Prix	U10 Prix	Amateur Prix
1982	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Roy Woodcock
1983	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	P Lucas
1984	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Steven Richard
1985	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Michael Carroll
1986	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Glen House
1987	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Stephen Ledger
1988	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	No contest	Vinton Lewis
1989	Harriet Hunt	Stephen Cullip	Andrew Webster	J Parker	No contest	No contest	Vinton Lewis
1990	M Haslinger	A Webster	Jonathan Parker	Marc Bautista	No contest	No contest	Paul Shand
1991	M Haslinger	M Sadler	R Gaughan	Richard Bates	No contest	No contest	Gunnar Berzins
1992	C Webster	J Parker	S Haslinger	R Gaughan	Chris Beckett	Luke McShane	Rod Burroughs
1993	Ruth Sheldon	M Ferguson	Adam Hunt	Richard Bates	Tom Remington	No contest	Philip Briggs
1994	J Houska	James Cobb	Richard Bates	Toby Stock	John Tompson	No contest	Philip Briggs
1995	Ruth Sheldon	Karl Mah	Luke McShane	Desmond Tan	Toby Stock	No contest	G Ashcroft
1996	Ruth Sheldon	L McShane	Chris Dunlop	A Longson	M Broomfield	Peter Titmas	Paul Kelly
1997	Rosalind Kieran	K Sashikiran	Karl Mah	Craig Hanley	Thomas Rendle	M Thiruchelvam	Noel Boustred
1998	H Richards	Lorin D'Costa	M Thiruchelvam	David Shaw	Lawrence Trent	David Howell	A Horton-Kitchlew
1999	Sophie Tidman	Nicholas Pert	Edward Leung	Simon Buckley	Sumeet Ghasi	David Howell	Nick Burrows
2000	Sarah Hegarty	Craig Hanley	Simon Buckley	Ameet Ghasi	Thomas Pym	Henry Kingston	S Williams
2001	Selina Khoo	Ameet Ghasi	Thomas Rendle	Dana Hawrami	Robert Heaton	Callum Kilpatrick	David Jameson
2002	Teresa Khoo	Craig Hanley	Daniel Diamond	Paul Plant	Thomas Pym	Anuk Sirisena	Chris Edwards
2003	Naomi Miller	Lorin D'Costa	Stephen Gordon	Thomas Pym	Jia Shen Lee	S Sathyanandha	Caroline Robson

ECF MASTER POINTS SYSTEM

ECF Regional Master, County Master and Club Master titles can be awarded to anyone for performances subject to the following requirements: -

- 1. Events must be played at a normal rate of play and must be affiliated to the ECF via the Game Fee Scheme. Rapidplay games are not eligible for consideration.
- 2. In order to gain master points, a player must play at least five games in any given event, which can be a tournament or a league, etc. Games decided by forfeit or adjudication, awarded as byes or by any means other than over the board play, cannot be included. Games once started, which are forfeited for whatever reason, shall however be included. Games played against computers are not included:
- 3. There are three master titles, based on different levels of performance: -

	Performance level	v <u>s a field of av. grade</u>
Regional Master	180 or higher	150 or higher
County Master	160-179	130 or higher
Club Master	130-159	100 or higher

- 4. A score of at least 40% must be achieved in any event counting towards a title. In order to be awarded the title of Club, County or Regional Master, a player must have at least FIVE performances (norms) at that level.
- 5. An event of NINE rounds or more counts as two norms.
- Results supporting a title application must be achieved in events with starting dates that fall within a five-year period.
- 7. Higher results which have been applied to a lower level title may nonetheless be applied to a higher title at a later date.
- 8. At least 80% of the opponents encountered in any given event must have established ECF grades. Ungraded opponents will be counted as being of the same grade as the average of the grades of the other opponents met in that event.
- 9. It is the responsibility of the player to ensure that the certificate provided is completed correctly. Forms can be obtained from the ECF Office.
- 10. Certificates should be sent to the ECF Office together with a fee of £15 (£5 for ECF Direct Members). Cheques must be made payable to the ECF.

Holders of Master Titles as at March 2006

(Asterisked players qualified earlier at a lower level)

Regional Masters (33)

Richard J Almond	Steve Connor	Naveen Jain (India)	Koichi B Nicholas**	Timothy Seymour
Andrew Baruch	Mike Donnelly	Chris Jones	Kenneth Norman	Philip Stimpson
Kevin J Bailey*	Jeremy Fraser-Mitchell	Christopher J A Jones	Dr Adrian Pickersgill	John F Wheeler
Paul R Bielby	Anthony R Fulton	Aiden M Leech*	Branko Pribanich	Martin G Walker
Andrew J Bigg**	Jessie Gilbert**	Daniel Linder	Thomas Rendle**	Ernest M White
Nigel W Blades	Costas Harris**	James J McDonnell	Mark C Rich	
Christopher Briscoe	Jamie Hopkins	Jonathan Mutton*	Heather Richards**	

County Masters (23)

Alex J Edmans*	Jamie Hillman	J Ezra Lutton	Carl S Portman*
Sam Essen*	I D Hunnable	Steve Moore	Mark I Roberts
David J Faulkner	Angus S James*	James R Nicolson	Jinwoo Song
Karl Forman	Richard M Jones	Paul W O'Brien*	Neville H Twitchell
Dean Hartley	Stephen M Jones*	Anna Partington*	Dr Steve M Williams*
Tim Hebbes*	Robert A Lanzer	David A Patrick	

Club Masters (45)

J Garth Andrews	Malcolm C Clarke	Christopher M Jones	Robert P Radford
Jo Badger	Peter Dallas	Gawain C B Jones	William Ramsden
Paul Badger	Paul Davies	Nigel P Kerby	Christopher Rawlinson
Dale J Bailey	Connagh-Joseph de Mooi	Graham Lee	Paul Richards
Lyall C P Bayliss	Daniel Diamond	Cosmos Lim	Henry Sharples
William D Bennet	Anthony M Eskinazi	Christopher Lund-Yates	Gregory Tebble
Nigel Bye	Douglas Forbes	William McLaughlin	Liam D Varnum
David Campbell	Raymond Gosden	Steve Mills	Paul Welford
Stephen J E Casement	Christopher Hansell	Peter Morrey	Roy Woodcock
Kumardip Chakraborty (India)	Ralph M Hewes	Dinah Norman	
James Chappell	Raymond K Hunt	James Peet	
Stephen J Chick	Akash Jain	Tom Peet	

Smith & Williamson 92nd British Chess Championships

For many years, I have been an Arbiter at the British Chess Championships and more recently I have acted also as Deputy Director. I have never been quite certain how the Congress Office operated, but I think I know the situation on the 'shop floor' fairly well.

I had no reservations about asking Alex MacFarlane to be Chief Arbiter of the British Chess Championships. He maintained excellent conditions for the players and ensured the smooth day-to-day running of the tournaments. I took over Neil's position in the Office upstairs, so Alex and I did the jobs previously done by Neil, Alex and myself. This did set me to wondering what exactly I had been doing at Scarborough: the position of Deputy Director did not seem to be missed. Neil Graham, however, was missed. The Office did not seem quite the same without his merry quips, and I knew for the first time that the 'buck' really did stop here, and I had to make any critical decisions myself.



Jonathan Rowson with Alex McFarlane

As a team, we are a fairly quirky lot, and I did my best to play to our strengths. Everyone worked very well together and there was little sign of tiredness towards the end of the second week. We had all worked hard, but not been pushed past the limit.

You may have noticed that I haven't yet mentioned the important people. The Congress would have been singularly boring without the players. The main events were well contested and all the extra activities were as well supported as they had been in a Congress twice the size. You will see lots of lists of winners, but all participants contribute a lot to the overall success of the event.

I really do thank Gareth Pearce of Smith & Williamson for his continued support and sponsorship. He opened the Congress together with David Cretney, the Manx Minister of Tourism and our President, Gerry Walsh. It is tempting to list everyone, but so often this leads to missing out someone obvious. Everyone worked hard, and I do appreciate it, but I must make special mention of the friendly approach and quiet efficiency of the Villa Marina staff.

The daily bulletin was a great success, the Cricketers did themselves proud, the Congress website received favourable comment and the great majority of the players enjoyed both the Chess and the delights of the Isle of Man. We were still meeting players a couple of days after the Championships ended, when about half the Arbiting team spent a little longer on the Island before finally making our way home.

David Welch
Director of Congress Chess



RICHARD BOXALL PLATE AWARD WINNERS

1986	Mary Kluth	1996	Alec Webster
1987	Frank & Olive Hatto	1997	Roger Edwards
1988	Harry Baines	1998	Alex McFarlane
1989	Mary Kerridge	1999	Stewart Reuben
1990	David Welch	2000	Victor Cross
1991	David Wallace	2001	John Robinson
1992	Neil Graham	2002	Richard Furness
1993	Eric Croker	2003	Hugh Flockhart
1994	George Smith	2004	Ian Cowen
1995	Peter Purland	2005	John Turnock

David Welch (left) with John Turnock.



The 2005 Smith & Williamson British Championships Prize Winners

Championship Results

		Ti	FIDE					R	0 U N D	S					
Pos	Player	tl	Rtng 2599	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Score
1	ROWSON, Jonathan W	g		w27+	b20-	w25+	b16+	w14+	b7=	w12+	b3=	w6+	b2+	w4=	8.5
2	CONQUEST, Stuart	g	2503	w18+	b13=	w23+	b20=	w6+	b12=	w3=	b7+	w14+	w1-	b10+	8
3	HASLINGER, Stewart G	m	2412	w29-	b34+	w43+	w8=	b11+	w10+	b2=	w1=	b12=	w19+	b6+	8
4	EMMS, John M	g	2509	b33=	w25=	b24+	w28=	b8=	w20=	b11=	w9+	b16+	w7+	b1=	7.5
5	PERT, Richard	m	2424	b32+	w11+	b8+	w14=	w12-	b17+	w7-	b6-	w27+	b18+	w20+	7.5
6	GORDON, Stephen	f	2390	b46+	w39+	b15=	w10=	b2-	w28+	b19+	w5+	b1-	w12+	w3-	7
7	GREET, Andrew N	f	2425	w30+	b15-	w32+	b29+	w13+	w1=	b5+	w2-	b10+	b4-	w9=	7
8 9 10 11 12	JESSEL, Stephen KNOTT, Simon J B LITTLEWOOD, Paul E RUDD, Jack WARD, Chris G	m m	2285 2382 2355 2268 2485	b38+ w43+ w34+ w40+ b25=	w19+ b23= b29= b5- w45+	w5- w29= w17+ w22+ b13+	b3= b39= b6= b17= w15+	w4= w15+ w20+ w3- b5+	b14- w19= b3- b30+ w2=	w30+ b10- w9+ w4= b1-	b29= b4- b12= b13= w10=	w17+ w30+ w7- w18- w3=	b20= w26+ b14+ b36+ b6-	w12= b7= w2- w27+ b8=	6.5 6.5 6.5 6.5
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	ASHTON,Adam JONES, Gawain C MASON, Don MORRISON, Graham SOWRAY, Peter J WHITE, Michael JR WILLIAMS, Simon K WOODWARD,Timothy	m f f m f	2294 2442 2265 2322 2364 2200 2461 2313	b41+ b24+ b42+ b45= b21+ b2- w36+ w31+	w2= w28+ w7+ w33+ w26+ w41= b8- w1+	w12- w20= w6= b26= b10- b38+ w30= b14=	b36+ b5= b12- w1- w11= w19- b18+ w2=	b7- b1- b9- b32+ b33+ b46+ w39+ b10-	w26= w8+ w33+ w24+ w5- w32+ b9= b4=	b25+ w16= w17- b14= b15+ b20- w6- w18+	w11= b17+ b21= w20= w14- w24+ b27= b16=	b20= b2- b25= w4- b8- b11+ w29+ w13=	w16= w10- w22+ b13= w29+ w5- b3- w8=	b28= w18= b19= w17= b16= b14= w15= b5-	6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	CUMBERS, Paul HALL, Daniel J HODGSON, John MITCHELL, Martin NIXON, Thomas C M RAYNER, Francis STOREY, Charles THERRIEN, Alex		2118 2036 2225 2172 2195 2216 2211 2294	w17- b39- b37+ w14- w12= w44+ b1- w35+	b44+ w46+ w9= b35+ b4= b17- w31- b14-	b28- b11- b2- w4- b1- w16= b40- w21+	w24- b32- w33- b21+ w31+ b30- w38+ b4=	b37= w45+ b36+ w43+ w29= w34+ b42+ w30=	w38+ b40= w29= b16- b39= b13= w43+ b6-	b40+ w34= b24= w23= w13- w31= b28+ w27-	w15= b31+ w26= b18- b34+ b23= w19= b32=	b26- w23= b22= b28= w15= w21+ b5- w24=	w35+ b15- w25= w31+ b23= b9- w33+ b39+	w23= w36+ b21= b33= b26= w25= b11- w13=	5.5 5.5 5.5 5.5 5.5 5.5 5.5
29 30 31 32 33	EGGLESTON, David J EGGLESTON, Thomas A PYM, Thomas W SURTEES, Mike TIPPLESTON, Charles E	С	2138 2166 2099 2142 2203	b3+ b7- b20- w5- w4=	w10= w42+ b27+ b40+ b16-	b9= b19= w39- b7- w45+	w7- w26+ b25- w22+ b23+	b25= b28= w35= w16- w17-	b23= w11- w36+ b18- b15-	w39+ b8- b26= b41+ w35+	w8= w33+ w22- w28= b30-	b19- b9- b34+ b33- w32+	b17- b40= b24- w43+ b27-	w32= w39= w40+ b29= w24=	5 5 5 5
34	BONAFONT, Philip		2116	b10-	w3-	b42+	w46=	b26-	w37+	b22=	w25-	w31-	b44+	b35=	4.5
35	DE COVERLY, Roger		2086	b28-	w24-	b37=	w41=	b31=	w46+	b33-	b38+	w39=	b21-	w34=	4.5
36	DIGNAM, Matthew P		2194	b19-	w38=	b41+	w13-	w23-	b31-	b42+	w40+	b43+	w11-	b22-	4.5
37	FRASER, Joseph		1959	w23-	b43-	w35=	b45=	w21=	b34-	w44-	w46+	b41=	w38=	w42+	4.5
38	POOBALASINGAM, Peter		2067	w8-	b36=	w18-	b27-	w44+	b21-	b46+	w35-	w42=	b37=	w45+	4.5
39	STONE, Andrew		2265	w22+	b6-	b31+	w9=	b19-	w25=	b29-	w43=	b35=	w28-	b30=	4.5
40	CHAPLIN, Peter		2062	b11-	w32-	w27+	b43-	b41+	w22=	w21-	b36-	b44+	w30=	b31-	4
41	VARNAM, Liam		2088	w13-	b18=	w36-	b35=	w40-	b44+	w32-	b42-	w37=	b45=	w46+	4
42	MCDONNELL, James J		2054	w15-	b30-	w34-	b44+	w27-	b45=	w36-	w41+	b38=	w46=	b37-	3.5
43	WATERS, Michael		2125	b9-	w37+	b3-	w40+	b24-	b27-	w45+	b39=	w36-	b32-	w44-	3.5
44	ILETT, Raymond		1824	b26-	w21-	b46-	w42-	b38-	w41-	b37+	b45+	w40-	w34-	b43+	3
45	HUMPHREYS, Jerry		2115	w16=	b12-	b33-	w37=	b22-	w42=	b43-	w44-	b46=	w41=	b38-	2.5
46	TAYLOR, Geoffrey P		2135	w6-	b22-	w44+	b34=	w18-	b35-	w38-	b37-	w45=	b42=	b41-	2.5

Smith & Williamson British Ladies' Champion: (incorporated within British Championship) no contest.

British Under 18 and Under 21 Champion: (incorporated within British Championship) Stephen Gordon, Numerica 3C's

Alexander Best Game Prize: Stuart Conquest

2006 Championship Qualifiers: Those with 7/11 in the British Championship and eligible players in the first 4 places in the Major Open.

Most Improved Rating Performances: Stephen Jessel, Du Vesinet (2150-2299); David Eggleston, Durham (under 2150) Title Norm achieved within "The British": Stephen Gordon – IM





ΔII R	ritish Champions are shown in	Bold Type All Junior e	vents have	Britis	sh Under 10 Championship		
	ast one boy champion and at le			1 =	Jude Lenier	Crowborough	6
	ers in first or first equal position				Saravanan Sathyanandha		6
year	group.	·		3	Thomas Mavin	Aycliffe	5½
Maio	or Open			4 =	Megan Owens	Monmouth	5
1	Shakil Abu Sufian	Bangladesh	81/2		Gordon Scott	Norfolk	5
2 =	Simon Fowler	Coddon	7½	Britis	sh Under 9 Championship		
	Kh. Aminul Islam	Bangladesh	71/2	1 =	Jude Lenier	Crowborough	6
_	John Sugden	Hastings	7½ -	•	Nathan Taylor	Worsley	6
5 =	Peter Constantinou	Bedford Modern	7	3=	Brandon Clarke	Leicester	5
	David Hart Peter Marusenko	Chorley Ukraine	7 7		James Abrams	Letchworth	5
	i etei Maruseriko	Oktaine	,	5 =		Kent	4½
Briti	sh Senior Championship				Thomas Mavin Charlie Mills	Darlington Sussex Junior	4½ 4½
1	David Anderton	Walsall Kipping	6		Thomas Senior	Haberdashers Askes	41/2
2	Paul Byway	Hertford	5½	Girl	Radha Jain	Pinner	3½
3	Norman Stephenson	Middlesbrough	5				
Briti	sh Under 18 Girl Champion				sh Under 8 Championship		
Dilu	Jessica Thilaganathan	Richmond	5	1	James Bowler	Leeds	5½
	oocoica riinaganaman	THOMMONIA	· ·	2 3 =	Radha Jain Milo Thrumble	Pinner Richmond	4½ 4
Briti	sh Under 16 Championship			3 =	James Walsh	Leyland	4
1 =	Peter Constantinou	Bedford Modern	5		James Waish	Leyianu	4
	Chris Russell	Norwich	5	Briti	sh Under 175 Championshi	o	
	Lyall Bayliss	Tunbridge Wells	5	1	Stephen Connor	Wirral	4
	Dan Hall Joseff Thomas	Swindon Monmouth	5 5	2 =		Norfolk & Norwich	3½
6 =	Similan Anandajeyarajah	Richmond Juniors	3 4½		Keith Palmer	Louth	3½
0 –	Vedantha Kumar	Haberdashers Askes	41/2	4 =	Martin Cutmore Jeremy Fallowfield	Wood Green	3 3
	Thomas Pym	Newport	41/2		Roy Hughes	Stourbridge Norwich	3
9 =	Ankush Khandelwal	Nomads	4		Paul Kendall	Milton Keynes	3
	Philip J Makepeace	Bucks	4		Brendan O'Gorman	DHSS	3
	Chantal Sirisena	Richmond Juniors	4		David Patrick	Halifax	3
Girl	Daniel Wells Lynsey Shovlin	Newark Perth	4 3				
OIII	Lylisey Shoviili	i eitii	3		sh Under 150 Championship		417
Briti	sh Under 15 Championship	(within U16)		1 =	Jeremy Fallowfield	Stourbridge Bolton	4½ 4½
1 =		Tunbridge Wells	5	3 =	Roger Howley Simil Anandajeyarajah	Richmond Juniors	4½ 3½
	Dan Hall	Swindon	5	3 –	Matthew Cornford	Middlesbrough	3½
	Joseff Thomas	Monmouth	5		Chantal Sirisena	Richmond Juniors	3½
Girl	Chantal Sirisena	Richmond Juniors	4		Martin Bush	Wantage	3½
Driti	sh Under 14 Championship			7 =	Munroe Morrison	Wolverhampton	3
1 =		Rugby	5		Brendan O'Gorman	DHSS	3
. –	Ankush Khandelwal	Nottingham	5		Amy Officer	Scotland	3 3
	Jac Thomas	Monmouth	5		Andrew Price Marcel Taylor	Leamington Radcliffe & Bingham	ა 3
4 =	Hannah Dale	Lincoln	4		Marcer raylor	Nadollile & Diligilalii	3
	Richard Lobo	Orpington	4	Britis	sh Under 125 Championship)	
	Calum Macqueen	Scotland	4	1	Andrew Winchcombe	Maidenhead	41/2
8 =	Liam Rabbitte Lyall Bayliss	Swinton Kent	4 3½	2 =	Jeffrey Fleischer	Coulsdon & Purley	4
0 =	Lateefah Messam-Sparks	West Nottingham	3½		Tom Peet	Muswell Hill	4
	Editorian Meddam Opanio	Woot Wottingnam	0/2	_	Roy Lawrence	Sutton Coldfield	4
Briti	sh Under 13 Championship			5 =	Douglas Forbes Anuk Sirisena	Gerrards Cross Richmond Juniors	3½ 3½
1 =	David Groves	St Helens	5		David Woodruff	Keynsham	3½
_	Richard Lobo	Orpington	5		24.14 11004.4.1	110)11011011	0,2
3 =	Thilagini Anandajeyarajah		4½	Britis	sh Under 100 Championship		
5 =	Robert Lydiard Roland Johnson	Dorking Brentwood School	4½ 4	1 =	Edward Farrington	Darlingtn	4
5 –	Lateefah Messam-Sparks	West Nottingham	4		Dinesh Jain	Pinner	4
	Jessica Thilaganathan	Surbiton	4	4 =	Doreen McIntosh David Everitt	Walsall Haywards Heath	4 3½
	Jac Thomas	Monmouth	4	4 =	Robert Hart	Chorley	3½
				6 =	Lana Boztas	Ashtead	3
	sh Under 12 Championship	D: 1	5 47	-	Christine Constable	Coulsdon & Purley	3
1 2 =	Yang-Fan Zhou	Richmond Juniors	5½		lain Hope	Scotland	3
2 =	Shiela Dines Jessica Thilaganathan	Surrey Junior Surbiton	5 5				
	Michael Rabbitte	Swinton	5		Day Week 1		01/
	Anuk Sirisena	Richmond Junior	5	1 =	Paul Bielby David Cutmore	Jesmond Wood Green	3½ 3½
6 =	Dominic Foord	Willesden & Brent	4		Neville Gill	Douglas IOM	3½
	David Groves	St Helens	4		Howard Hughes	Burnley	3½
	Ilya lyengar	Bucks Junior	4		Paul Stokes	Battersea	3½
	Akash Jain	Pinner	4	6 =	Anthony Eccles	Wanstead	2½
	Sam Turner	Monmouth	4		Nic Fallowfield	Stourbridge	2½
Britis	sh Under 11 Championship				James Nicolson	Greater Manchester	2½
1	Megan Owens	Monmouth	6		Colin Procter Marcel Taylor	Alwoodley	2½ 2½
2 =	Akash Jain	Pinner	5	11 –	Reinhard Schmerwitz	Radcliffe & Bingham Germany	2½ 2
	Ben Wetherfield	Richmond	5	11 =	Simon Sellick	Bracknell	2
4 =	Ilya Iyengar	Bucks Junior	4½				-
	Saravanan Sathyanandha	Haberdashers Askes	4½				

Five	Day Week 2			Wee	kender Atkins		
1	Stephen Connor	Atticus	4	1=	Hugh Brechin	Edinburgh	4
2	Reinharad Schmerwitz	Germany	3½		Jonathan	Waugh	4
3 =	David Cutmore	Wood Green	3	3	Alan Ormsby	Isle of Man	3½
	Alec Toll	Norwich Dons	3	4 =	Charles Chadwick	Australia	3
					Nic Fallowfield	Stourbridge	3
Harı	y Baines Week 1				Calum Macqueen	Scotland	3
1	Michael Kobylka	Wood Green	6½	GP	Anthony Eskinazi	London	3 3
2	Stephen Pride	Cambridge	6	GP	Nigel Kerby	Bishops Stortford	3
3	Andrew Price	Leamington	4½	GP	Amy Officer	Scotland	3
Harı	y Baines Week 2			Wee	kender Manx		
1	Michael Kobylka	Wood Green	7	1 =	David Gilbert	DHSS	4
2	Patrick Gower	York	6		Dougslas Forbes	Gerrards Cross	4
3	Ian Kingston	West Nottingham	5½		Ricahrd Furner	Isle of Man	4
				4	Martin Brown	Warrington	3½ (GP)
Rap	idplay – Week 1			5 =	Lana Boztas	Ashtead	3
1	Peter Marusenko	Ukraine	5½		Robin Carr	Cowley Workers	3
2	Andrew Baruch	Warwickshire	5		Andrew Macqueen	Scotland	3
3 =	Matthew Dignam	Berkhamstead	4½				
	David Eggleston	Durham City	4½				
	Andrew Greet	Cornwall	4½				
GP	Jeremy Fallowfield	Stourbridge	4				
Rap	idplay – Week 2						
1 .	Gawain Jones	Slough Sharks	5½				
2	Stephen Jessell	Du Vesinet	5				
3 =	John Garnett	Elmwood	41/2				
	Kh. Aminul Islam	Bangladesh	41/2				
GP	Xi-Yang Guo	Rotherham	4				

2005 Junior Prize Winners, with David Welch, Congress Director





Above: Timothy Woodward v Jonathan Rowson (the eventual winner of the British Championship against the only person he lost to).



Above: Stephen Jessel v Simon Williams



Above: Don Mason v Andrew Greet



Photographs from the Villa Marina playing hall.



BRITISH CHESS FEDERATION GRAND PRIX 2005



Grand Prix 2005 Winners: Barry Sandercock, Gerry Walsh (ECF President presenting prizes), John Constable and Sheila Dines.

Other prizes were presented at the 4NCL weekend, photographs were not available at time of going to print.

Grand Prix	Andrew Greet
Female Prix	Sheila Dines
Senior Prix	Barry Sandercock
Junior Prix	Sheila Dines
Disabled Prix	Jack Rudd
Under 175 Prix	Michael Kobylka
Under 150 Prix	Jinwoo Song
Under 125 Prix	Phil Bull
Under 100 Prix	John Constable

There has been a huge increase in the workload this year in determining Grand Prix scores. 2004 was, of course, a part year but even so the amount of players scoring points rose substantially. The table below gives the number of players with qualifying scores together with those who reached a maximum. The number of players with qualifying scores this year ran to 1,516 – a 41% increase on 2004 with the Junior Prix showing a huge increase in players. Increasing the points threshold however meant that the number of players reaching maximum points remained static at 24.

	2004	Max	2005	Max	% increase
Grand Prix	209	6	242	1	16
Female Prix	76	4	107	6	49
Senior Prix	152	2	214	3	41
Junior Prix	204	7	362	9	60
Disabled Prix	21	3	34	2	62
Under 175	76	1	94	1	24
Under 150	115	0	170	1	48
Under 125	106	1	164	1	56
Under 100	115	0	129	0	12

I have no idea if the Federation will be able to continue with the Grand Prix though a further extension year has been granted and this years events will continue until the Smith & Williamson British Championships in Swansea. Simply put if every player who appeared on the spreadsheets of qualifying players donated £4.00 there would be enough to keep the Grand Prix going in its current form with the same amount of prize money. If just one of those players could find a sponsor for the comparatively small amount that is needed for this event, the future of the Grand Prix would be assured.

Neil Graham Grand Prix Controller

NATIONAL COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2004/2005

Ratcliffe College, Syston, Leicester - 2nd July

Open Championship Final

Board	Lancashire	Ref No	Grade	Score	Greater Manchester	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	Paul Littlewood	114488B	223	1/2	Adam Ashton	102327F	202	1/2
2	Graham Morrison	253127G	Elo 215	1	Alan A Smith	119158F	206	0
3	Charlie Kennaugh	100057D	194	0	Lucas Van der Linden	253929K	199	1
4	Brett Lund	114671D	197	0	Dale James	113508K	195	1
5	Ben Hague	104268D	205	1/2	David Hulmes	113216H	195	1/2
6	John Littlewood	114485G	200	0	Robert M Taylor	171278A	193	1
7	Nick Ivell	113407D	198	1/2	Richard Beach	106435G	192	1/2
8	Howard Hughes	113173E	195	1/2	Stephen Pickles	-	186	1/2
9	Alan Beardsworth	246792G	-	0	John Bentley	133437C	186	1
10	Phil Almond	105671C	189	0	Mike Surtees	119904D	187	1
11	Peter Jowett	113955B	181	1/2	Alan Walton	121082J	190	1/2
12	Chris Dunlop	166453A	190	0	Ali Jaunooby	241589G	191	1
13	Malcolm Peacock	113955B	178	1/2	Phil Adams	105488A	177	1/2
14	Lee Kay	127340B	178	1/2	J Lloyd Powell	117352C	181	1/2
15	Mike Conroy	113955B	173	1/2	Graham Burton	107756K	172	1/2
16	Mark Whitehead	113955B	167	0	Harry Lamb	114004J	173	1
	Total			5	Tota	al		11

Minor Counites Championship Final

Board	Norfolk	Ref No	Grade	Score	Derbyshire	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	Mike Gough	111462B	202	1	P Madden	114779B	190	0
2	Stephen Orton	116510A	193	0	J Tait	120021F	193	1
3	David LeMoir	114307E	190	1/2	J Shannon	118750J	181	1/2
4	Roderick Calindas	229507G	189	1/2	P Briggs	1027272K	180	1/2
5	Ken McEwan	115278G	182	1	D Latham	210988J	173	0
6	Caius Turner	174888K	176	0	M Alcock	105573C	174	1
7	Nigel Blades	106856J	172	1	S Gilmore	111264J	171	0
8	Terry Turner	120707G	167	1	T Bould	107033C	170	0
9	Stephen Pullinger	117522B	166	1	A J Mort	115852B	171	0
10	Gerd Wagner	246271A	166	0	R Allen	105641E	163	1
11	Mervyn Hughes	113186C	162	1/2	R Gamble	111035E	152	1/2
12	James Heppell	175040K	160	0	M Johnson	113695B	156	1
13	Trevor Ansell	105777H	159	1	D Kent	127483B	151	0
14	Steve Moore	115736L	158	0	R Farley	110431H	151	1
15	Roy Hughes	113194B	158	1/2	D Jarvis	173444B	153	1/2
16	Charlie Fry	194294D	157	1	M Hill	112669G	135	0
	Total	•	•	9		Total	•	7

U175 Championship Final

Board	Devon	Ref No	Grade	Score	Lancashire	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	Graham Bolt	106951C	173	0	Glyn Morris	115816J	171	1
2	Dave Regis	155647C	168	1/2	Stephen Mulligan	115950B	166	1/2
3	Brian W R Hewson	112584K	168	1	Newton, Robert A	125474B	165	0
4	Trefor F Thynne	120405B	166	1	John Cooper	108842H	163	0
5	Alan W Brusey	107557D	153	1	John Lyth	114718D	163	0
6	Chris J Bellers	162616E	158	1	Hamer, Martyn	131102F	162	0
7	Oskar Hall	-	160	1	Steve Horrocks	113006H	162	0
8	Adam C Woodruff	191067L	161	0	Scott Riley	117968J	160	1
9	Paul Brooks	215149C	160	1/2	Andrew Jaques	100668L	158	1/2
10	Arthur Pinkerton	142963C	154	0	Bob Taylor	120174J	165	1
11	Mark V Abbott	129415F	153	0	Steve Appleby	105788B	155	1
12	William H Ingham	173310C	148	1/2	Andrew Clarkson	108459J	147	1/2
13	Mark S Ozanne	223118K	149	1/2	Dennis Owen	194001G	147	1/2
14	Simon Waters	121187A	148	1/2	Jim Howarth	193044J	141	1/2
15	John G Gorodi	111441E	142	1	Emlyn Dobson	109735A	141	0
16	Jonathan Underwood	242283K	138	1	Dave Gaston	111108F	127	0
	11 Mark V Abbott 129415F 1 12 William H Ingham 173310C 1 13 Mark S Ozanne 223118K 1 14 Simon Waters 121187A 1 15 John G Gorodi 111441E 1					Total		6½

U150 Championship Final

Board	Norfolk	Ref No	Grade	Score	Nottinghamshire	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	D Twitchell	120728D	149	0	Tony Wright	127129F	148	1
2	G Blowers	106914H	146	1/2	Daniel Wells	231112E	146	1/2
3	J McAvoy	115198J	146	1/2	Tim Lane	114054B	146	1/2
4	B Jeffrey	140731E	146	1/2	Keith Walters	121070B	142	1/2
5	J Burrows	185504K	145	0	John Tassi	120066F	141	1
6	H Duncanson	185233E	144	1	Kevin Harvey	222174F	139	0
7	T Robinson	188590L	144	1/2	Dave Flynn	155703J	136	1/2
8	C Russell	191125K	143	1/2	Keith Brameld	125733L	138	1/2
9	N Gorvin	160016D	142	1/2	Stan Cranmer	151489B	137	1/2
10	P Badger	106018B	136	0	Phil Morgan	115766F	137	1
11	L Gladwell	111280G	135	1	Brian Hayward	112398B	135	0
12	C Tuffin	120639E	129	1	George Murfet	115976J	134	0
13	J Bell	201505F	128	0	Keith Roper	118199D	131	1
14	D Guttridge	248099C	126	1/2	Sean Foreman	246339J	126	1/2
15	G Tebble	160524A	126	1	Bob Taylor	104775K	130	0
16 A Donnelly 185499K 117 ½ Neil Graham 111493B 128						1/2		
	Total	•		8	T	otal		8
			44 = Boar	d Count			29 = Boai	d Count

U125 Championship Final

Board	Middlesex	Ref No	Grade	Score	Lancashire	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	T Black	249713L	124	1/2	Steve Fanning	149183A	121	1/2
2	C Fewtrell	110547E	123	1/2	Ray Ashcroft	124333A	121	1/2
3	D G Wayte	121256E	121	0	Pete Thompson	249585F	120	1
4	J T Harvey	113374F	120	0	Lynne Morrison	253122H	122	1
5	G O'Grady	155156F	119	0	Peter Furlong	110985G	122	1
6	A Morton	131952J	117	0	Vince Goodridge	157147D	119	1
7	M Huba	113131L	116	0	Harry Praeger	186633D	118	1
8	M Leman	101827K	101	0	Phil Raynor	103541B	118	1
9	J MacNamara	115366D	115	1	Paul Talbot	241563L	117	0
10	K Parr	181021C	113	1	Steve Flaherty	110640F	116	0
11	W Porter	117308L	111	1	Geoff Jones	113820A	115	0
12	R A Balatoni	150390L	110	0	Liam Rabbitte	230064D	114	1
13	F Ainscow	105540K	109	1/2	Peter Howarth	113092E	114	1/2
14	G Parfett	135387B	105	0	Paul Horam	112978J	111	1
15	J Farrell	110459H	101	1/2	Paul Tinton	233851J	105	1/2
16	B Irving	113395A	101	0	Michael Rabbitte	230065F	100	1
	Total			5	Т	otal		11

U100 Championship Final

Board	Essex	Ref No	Grade	Score	Staffordshire	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	R Johnson	231659G	85	1	Kelvin Jones	230986F	97	0
2	D Lewis	194330D	98	1	M Page	116614B	97	0
3	M Pool	122347B	97	1/2	P Allan	171035H	97	1/2
4	D H Wallace	213883K	98	1	B Marlow	2451592G	96	0
5	A Clark	256791L	60	1	M Savin	118546K	95	0
6	J Fallman	233623G	89	1/2	Simon Jones	113908D	95	1/2
7	R Prickett	117442D	89	0	P Broomhall	107382F	92	1
8	S Clarke	253947A	87	1	Bryan Hall	111900D	91	0
9	G Lane	150214B	87	1/2	Doreen McIntosh	141743F	88	1/2
10	L Whittaker	165111A	82	0	A Meakin	104387A	88	1
11	K Murray	184165J	85	1	R Gogerty	111339C	81	0
12	W de Jong	213660A	88	1	Peter Evans	128860L	78	0
	Z W de Jong Z13000A 88					Total		3½

Photograhs from the County Championships Finals by Gilbert Podor





The County Championships playing hall (left) and trophies (above).



County Championships in play.

Photographs from the National Club Finals by Ian Hunnable



Open winners Wood Green receiving the trophy from Cyril Johnson.



Major winners Writtle receiving the trophy from Cyril Johnson.

NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2004/2005

Queniborough Village Hall – 10th July

	OPEN												
Board	WOOD GREEN	Ref No	Grade	Score	ILFORD	Ref No	Grade	Score					
1	John Emms	110255C	238	1	Richard Palliser	153052F	220	0					
2	Chris Ward	121112C	229	1	Jonathan Rogers	118518A	215	0					
3	Richard Pert	129722D	227	1	John Hodgson	112796C	222	0					
4	Bernd Rechel	129664A	218	1/2	David Sands	118480F	192	1/2					
5	Neil McDonald	115262C	219	1	David Coleman	108579K	204	0					
6	Desmond Tan	153490H	218	0	Jon Hanley	114858J	197	1					
				4½				1½					

	MAJOR												
Board	Wanstead & Woodford	Ref No	Grade	Score	Writtle	Ref No	Grade	Score					
1	Larry E MArden	114905C	175	1/2	Chris Fegan	227415C	180	1/2					
2	Ian D Hunnable	113229F	168	1/2	David Millward	115575B	167	1/2					
3	Steve Gilmour	128892B	162	0	Ivor Smith	119247E	166	1					
4	Terry Whitton	121577C	149	1/2	Pat McDermott	115247E	148	1/2					
5	Mark Murrell	116012G	143	1/2	Robert Rodie	118137D	137	1/2					
			159.4	2			159.6	3					

			MAJOF	R PLATE			
Board	Hounslow	Grade	Score	South Norwood	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	Gerald Moore	193	1	B Ogunsholia	150462K	188	0
2	Ben J Giles	158	1/2	D Spearman	144163C	159	1/2
3	Leon J Fincham	158	1/2	P D Dupre	109972D	153	1/2
4	Don Chaudhry	153	1/2	H M Cath	108110L	152	1/2
5	Peter Staneland	137	1/2	R J D Readin	117729E	145	1/2
		159.8	3			159.4	2

	MINOR											
Board	Hammersmith	Ref No	Grade	Score	Lancaster *	Grade	Score					
1	J H Woolley	127090E	145	1/2	R A Collins	147	1/2					
2	M C Price	173127A	131	0	A Fawcett	140	1					
3	A Ironmonger	253412F	120	1/2	C Fisher	135	1/2					
4	K Hedger	224069F	117	1/2	W M Fairbairn	107	1/2					
5	J Nelson	134305B	100	1	B Standen	93	0					
			122.6	2½		124.4	21/2					

			N	IINOR PLA	ATE			
Board	Tunbridge Wells	Ref No	Grade	Score	Newark	Ref No	Grade	Score
1	Richard Haddrell	111856A	139	1/2	Kevin Shutt	19421D	156	1/2
2	R Goodfellow	111388E	138	0	Daniel Wells	231112E	146	1
3	Richard Beowell	112584K	128	1/2	G Wollerton	127081D	136	1/2
4	Mike Emery	188095J	81	0	R Myers	233342K	104	1
5	Default			0	M Goodwin		81	1
			121.5	1			124.6	4

General view of playing hall, each row of tables being one match.

From bottom to top: Minor Plate, Major Plate, Major, Open

Photograph by Ian Hunnable.



TOURNAMENTS

1st World School Chess Championship, 21-29 April 2005

2005 Is The School Chess Year In All Fide Countries!!

Eddie please insert the article and pictures from the May/June 2005 chessmoves, back outside cover. However please keep titles to the same formatting as in the Yearbook. Thanks

Braille Chess Association's AGM Tournament, 8-10 April 2005

The Braille Chess Association (BCA) held its Annual General meeting (AGM) Tournament at the Sleep Inn, Newton Aycliffe, on Friday 8 - Sunday 10 April.

This tournament was generously supported by the Freemasons of County Durham and Northumbrian Water, and members of Darlington Lions club gave up a lot of time to help with transport.

Principal results. Open (22 competitors) 1st Chris Ross (Huntingdon) 4.5/5 2nd Tyson Mordue (Bristol) 4/5

3rd-7th= Alec Crombie (Uppingham), Michael Delaney (Dublin), Sean Loftus (Dublin), McQuillan (Southampton), Les Whittle (Morpeth) Norman Wragg (Sheffield) 3.5/5



Shirley Watkins receives her prize from Tournament Controller Julie Leonard.

U100 Grading prizes: Yan Kit Chan (Nottingham), Richard Murphy (Macclesfield), George Plechaty (Basildon), Peter Price (Birmingham), Roger Waters (Taunton) 2/5

Minor (8 competitors) 1st Shirley Watkins (Blackpool) 4.5/5 2nd Orlando Sobers (Birmingham) 4/5 3rd Tony Murray (Dublin) 3/5



Chris Ross receives his prize from Tournament Controller Julie Leonard.

I.A.P.S. National Chess Championships 2005

The 33rd I.A.P.S.National Chess Championship, held at Aldro School was well supported again this year and the players and staff members were surprised to have the prizes presented by 7 times World snooker champion Steve Davis.

The Individual Championship was extremely close this year and won by Katie Hale (Millfield). She scored 6.5 out of 7 to be the first ever, female winner of the Championship. In 2nd place came Andrew Winchcombe (Claires Court) 6/7 with Charles Court (Aldro) last years winner 3rd =, together with Samuel Franklin (Dulwich), George Salimbeni (Great Walstead), Richard Weaving (Warwick School) and Andrew Boyle (Aldro) who all scored 5/7.

The competition was of a high standard and International Master Andrew Martin was impressed with many of the games. He chose the game played by Katie Hale (Millfield) against Andrew Boyle (Aldro) as the best game of the Championship and the game by Daniel Matten (Twickenham) as the best game in the simultaneous display. He was the only player to beat Andrew Martin.

Aldro School achieved the double winning two National titles, the Hodgson senior team cup and the David Bull Cup for the best four under 11 players.

Katie Hale was also the girls champion and Millfield School won the Girls Team Cup.

As well as the chess all the competitors enjoyed the facilities provided by Aldro and the 5 a-side football competition on the Tuesday evening was particularly popular. On the Tuesday afternoon most of the teams visited Chessington World of Adventure and enjoyed a complete break from the chess.

It is hoped that we will be able to hold the Championships at Aldro next year and any schools affiliated to I.A.P.S. will be most welcome.

I.A.P.S. National Champion Katie Hale (Millfield)

Girls Champion Katie Hale (Millfield)

2. J Winter (DCPS)

3. H Thomas (Aldro)

4. J Light (Highgate)

Best U11 player in the Championship

Richard Weaving (Warwick School) & Samuel Franklin (Dulwich)

Section Winners

Group Winners A J Winter (D.C.P.S.) & J Royal (Millfield) 1. B Ashworth (Aldro)

L MacDonald (Millfield) N Deo (Twickenham) H Kandohla (Twickenham)

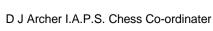
Hodgson Cup 1st Aldro 366 2nd Millfield 353.5

3rd Twickenham Prep 348

David Bull Cup 1st Aldro 305

2nd Dulwich College Prep. 274.5 3rd Twickenham Prep 269

Congratulations to all the competitors who made it a most enjoyable four days for staff and players and many thanks to Mr Steve Davis for presenting the prizes.





Steve Davis presenting Charles and Henry Court from Aldro School with the Hodgson Cup and the David Bull Cup.

European Team Championship, 29 July - 8 August 2005

Open Team Report

As we have become used to England doing well in such events as the European Team and the Olympiad we seem to forget that one of the major factors behind that success was an excellent sponsor in Duncan Lawrie. Since 2001 that has not been there. As a result we have to get used to a new reality which is that of a struggle for money to get a good side out to represent us. So failing to do the best thing I think that to send out a team that began the process of giving the next generation a crack of the whip turned out to be very successful in Gothenburg and the second best thing to do. As a result we should be very pleased with the teams performance in coming 13th (five places ahead of seeding) and dare I say it ahead of the Russians. Four members of the team got plus scores AND IMPROVED THEIR RATINGS.



Rupert Jones (2nd from right) with the Men's Team

Luke McShane on one for the first time had a very good tournament. He came to Gothenburg from an unfortunate experience in China and a little bit down in confidence and then played out of his skin. It looked like he was going to win a medal but two defeats later to Navarra and Vladimir Georgiev cost him his chance. However a fine win against Rozentalis in the last round still gave him an excellent plus three and 6/9 and a performance in excess of 2700. On board three and one of two players making his debut was Danny Gormally. What a star we have in the making if we can only find ways to ease his travel fears. Despite all the worries about getting him there and then getting him back, once there he put them all to one side and played superb chess. With one round to go he was all set for a board prize. A quick draw in the last round and all his rivals winning cost him his chance yet a score of 5.5/8 and a performance rating of 2650 plus represented a fine debut. The other debutante was Nick Pert and another fine debut it was. He went through the event unbeaten and ended up with plus 2. And now to the veteran of the team. Danny and Nick seemed to be in awe of the fact that Jon first made his debut for England in 1977 before some of them were born. And one thing you can get from Jon is solidity and an unbeaten performance. And finally let me congratulate Peter Wells on doing a fine



job as captain though he would probably be the first person to admit that it did affect his play. Once we get a good sponsor again for the international team we can go back to having non playing captains and being less budget conscience. Another factor is that the team standings were done on match points. Our game points score was 21 which is just short of the total game points we scored in winning the event in 1997.

Our sincere thanks to the Swedish organisers who were very efficient in putting the whole thing together, whether it was from being met at the airport and delivered to the hotel in smart new Volvo's, generally everything was excellent. The venue and the hotel were all in the same place and with lots of space and the food got better.

All we need now is a good sponsor so we can get a team out again that can challenge for medals. Where the likes of Gormally and Pert (and let us not forget David Howell) can compete for places in a team with Adams,

Short and McShane. Then we will give ourselves the chance to again win medals. Is there anybody out there reading this who can help? We are waiting to hear from you.

Rupert Jones, International Director

European Women Team Championship 2005 - A captain's log...

The picturesque city of Gothenburg played host to the European Team Championships 2005. With a U2 concert on the first day and being situated next to Scandinavia's largest theme park, Gothenburg was truly a magnificent setting for such a prestigious international event.

A new format had been introduced for the Women's team championship, whereas in previous years the teams had simply consisted of two players and a reserve the teams had been doubled to four players and a reserve. This change had severe implications on many countries; many could not send teams as it was so expensive, others had problems finding players of a reasonable strength who could participate. In effect the change only really benefited a few countries that had the depth to perform consistently. However despite the changes in place, the actual strength of the top teams was phenomenal several of them could have happily held their own in the Open team section.



Rupert Jones with the Women's Team

The young Russian team, were the runaway favourites, they were so strong that former World Championship Contender Alisa Galliamova could only make the reserve board. Hot on their heels were the Georgians who were further strengthened by the last minute arrival of Maia Chiburdanidze. However in the end, it was Poland and its team of International Masters who finished somewhat surprisingly first.

Rank	Team	+	=	-	MP	Pts.	Although we were without our regular top board Harriet Hunt, we
1	Poland	6	3	0	15	23	managed to field a very strong team of myself (captain), IM Susan
2	Georgia	5	4	0	14	21½	Lalic, WIM Heather Richards, WIM Ingrid Lauterbach and WFM
3	Russia	5	2	2	12	22	Jessie Gilbert. Despite our low seeding (18 out of 27), the return
13	England	3	3	3	9	20½	of Susan and the injection of young blood in the shape of Jessie
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filled us with optimism. Our main goal was to finish in the top ten and play at least one of the strongest teams and after a somewhat an unlucky start we managed to stage a magnificent comeback to finish in thirteenth place.

It was a great honour that I was chosen to be captain although I was a little bit nervous as to how both the team and myself but I needn't have worried the whole team had such a positive attitude that it made my job very easy. On top board I scored six points

from nine, I was happy with my performance although typically I had hoped for a few more wins!! After nearly four years of absence from serious chess it was a welcome sight to have Susan back on the team. Such is her strength and experience that despite her absence she managed a very creditable 4.5 out of eight holding her own against many strong players. Heather has had an incredible summer this year picking up an average thirty rating points per tournament and in Gothenburg it was no exception. Scoring a magnificent 5.5 out of 8 she played in her characteristic attacking style managing a fine win over International Master Svetlana Prudnikova from Serbia and Montenegro.

Jessie managed to shake off the curse that has haunted newcomers in the previous years. With her enthusiasm and optimism coupled with some calm logical play she was a real asset to the team. I am sure that we will see much more of her in later years. This tournament turned into something of a nightmare for Ingrid but even so to her credit she put in 100% effort into every game even though she was very unlucky not to have scored more points.



Jovanka Houska (left) on Board 1

Bo.		Name	Rtg	FED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Pts.	RtgAvg	Rp
1	IM	Houska Jovanka	2342	ENG	1/2	1	0	1	1/2	1/2	1	1	1/2	6.0	2285	2410
2	IM	Lalic Susan	2362	ENG	0	1	0	1	1	1/2		1	0	4.5	2261	2304
3	WIM	Richards Heather	2150	ENG	1/2		0	1	0	1	1	1	1	5.5	2212	2353
4	WIM	Lauterbach Ingrid	2156	ENG	0	0			0		1	0		1.0	2119	1879
5	WFM	Gilbert Jessie	2151	FNG		Ω	1	1		Ο	1		1/3	3.5	2097	2154

Jovanka Houska

Gothenburg 2005

By Susan McFarland

Gothenburg, scene of this year's European Team Championships, is a thriving, modern city of half a million people. Although a major Swedish port and a strong business and industrial centre, it is an attractive city to visit. The streets are spacious, the pace of life is relaxed and the welcome is friendly. Most people speak some English, which was a great help in restaurants, on the trams and in shops. This is a great European city, as is illustrated by the Konstmuseet, the art gallery, with works by the French Impressionists, Rembrandt, Rubens and Picasso as well as a fine Nordic collection. There are many places to stay, and these championships used the best. The glass-fronted Hotel Gothia Towers, where the players stayed, is connected to the Gothenburg Convention Centre, where the event took place, and together they provided comfortable and stylish surroundings for players, officials and visitors alike.

Both England Teams did well, fighting to the very last game, and both improved from their seedings of 18th to finish in 13th places. Fine performances were given by Luke McShane, 6/9, Danny Gormally, 5.5/8, Jovanka Houska, 6/9, and Heather Richards, 5.5/8. The Women's Team result is especially good given that, unlike many of their opponents, they were without a coach. Jovanka Houska deserves special mention, combining her debut on Board 1 with captaining the Women's Team. Visitors were able to walk round the playing hall and see many chess stars: men like Ivanchuck, Korchnoi, Svidler and European Champion Nisipeanu; and women such as Maia Chiburdanidze, Alexandra Kosteniuk, Antoaneta Stefanova and Pia Cramling. Each team's progress was clearly shown on display boards, and most games were visible unless they attracted a crowd. The commentary room featured live commentary on leading games delivered by well-known chess players, with some sessions in English by Nick de Firmian. An excellent bookshop was available and the café provided a range of snacks and sandwiches Swedish style. The organisers hope to host the 2010 Olympiads in the same venue. Certainly, these championships were extremely well organised and very pleasant to visit.

It was a pleasure witnessing the success of the England Teams, and the achievements of the younger players look promising for the future. It is very much to the BCF's credit that it sent two such good teams without sponsorship. However, it remains true that in order to field the best teams with full support, the ECF (as it will be) will need sponsorship.

British Rapidplay Championships, 12-13 November 2005

Open (Prize £		
1st	Mark Hebden	9.5/11	500
2nd	Danny Gormally	9	250
=3rd	Craig Hanley	7.5	87.50
=3rd	Stewart Haslinger	7.5	87.50
=5th	Harriet Hunt	7	16.67
=5th	Stephen Mannion	7	16.67
=5th	Matthew Turner	7	16.67
Grading 204-184	Akbanma Seyed Arash		20
	Richard Tozer		20
Grading 183-170	Dale James		40
Grading U 170	Sarah Hegerty		40
Best Female	Harriet Hunt	7	50

Major (Score	Prize £	
=1st	Edward Hurwitz	8/11	198.33
=1st	Jim Nicholas	8	198.33
=1st	Michael Round	8	198.33
=4th	Koici Nicholas	7.5	37.50
=4th	Stephen Crowdy	7.5	37.50
Grading 151-143	Richard Glover	6.5	40
Grading U 143	David Wedge	6	40
Best Female	Katie Martin	6	50

Intermedia	Prize £		
1st	Russel Goodfellow	9/11	300
2nd	Amisha Parma	8.5	150
=3rd	Paul Day	8	87.50
=3rd	Masrura Khakimova		87.50
=5th	Bill Ward	7.5	12.50
=5th	Robert Dean	7.5	12.50
=5th	Barry Marshall	7.5	12.50
=5th	Michael McDonagh	7.5	12.50
Grading U 127	Robert Glegg	7	20
Grading U 118	Mark Talbot	7	30
Grading U 109	Gerald Cuaresma	7	30
Best Female	Amisha Parma	8.5	50

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=1st	Sharan Soni	9	190
=3rd	David W Adams		40
=3rd	John Blackburn		40
=3rd Edward Basham			40
=3rd Robert Glover			40
=3rd	Elyes Rigby-Zeghlach		40
Grading 97-91 Simon Kerridge			25
Grading 90-82	Robert Hughes		8.33
	Samuel Franklin		8.33
	Harry Streeter		8.33
Grading 81-72	Michael Barker		12.50
	Edward Farrington		12.50
Grading U72	Sam Walker		25
Best Female	Sandra Blackburn		50

One D	ay Event - Sunday	Score	Prize £
=1st	Carl Pickering	4/5	25
=1st	Jim Vickery	4	25
=1st	Gareth Haslinger	4	25
Grading Prize	Carl Pickering		5

Junio	r Sunday Under 16	Score	Prize £
1st	Leteefah Messam-Sparks	5/6	Medal and Book
2nd	Sam Towse	4	Medal and Book
3rd	Eric Williamson	3	Medal and Book
Best Girl	Leteefah Messam-Sparks		5

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1st	Jude Lenier	4/6	Book
Best Girls	Claudia Smalley		2.50
	Georgia Howorth		2.50

Leicester Grandmaster Mark Hebden (pictured left) powered his way to his fourth British Rapidplay Championship with an impressive 9.5/11. Hebden was chased down to the wire by Danny Gormally who had to be content with the runners up prize finishing with a very strong 9/11. Young pretenders Craig Hanley and Stewart Haslinger shared third place watching from a respectful distance with 7.5/11 each.

Herefordshire Congress, 26-28 August 2005

Open								
1st =	M Burrows	Wigston	173	4	£160			
	C Vitoux	France	208	4	£160			
3rd =	S Christmas	Nelson	163	3½	£26.67			
	A Rawlinson	Drunken Knights	182	3½	£26.67			
	H Lamb	Bolton	162	3½	£26.67			

		Minor			
1st	C Eckloff	Whoberley	110	5	£120
2nd =	J Preece	Ludlow	109	3½	£65
	B Tonks	Morrison	115	3½	£65

	Major												
1st =	P Barker	Hereford	149	4	£75								
	K Brameld	Rose of England	142	4	£75								
	L Collard	Hereford	146	4	£75								
	J Fallowfield	Stourbridge	148	4	£75								



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The top 2 teams from each section will be promoted to Division 3.

							Division	4B Ta	bles														
Team	W	D	L	Р			Team	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	GP	MP
H'mark Kingfisher 2	11	0	0	22		1	Hmark K'fisher 2	XXX	41/2	3½	3½		41/2	3½	6	5	5½	4	5		6	51	22
Slough Sharks 3	9	1	1	19		2	Slough Sharks 3	1½	xxx	3½	41/2	3		5½	3½	5½	4½	5½	3½	3½		44	19
Brown Jack	8	1	2	17		3	Brown Jack	2½	2½	xxx	3	4½	4½		6	3½	3½	3½	5		6	44½	17
Mindsportsltd.com 2	5	3	3	13		4	Mindsportsltd.com2	2½	1½	3	xxx	3	2½	41/2		41/2	3	3½	4½	4		36½	13
Metropolitan	5	3	3	13		5	Metropolitan		3	1½	3	xxx	1/2		1½	3	3½	41/2	4	5	6	35½	13
Monmouth	6	0	5	12		6	Monmouth	1½		1½	3½	5½	xxx	5	2½	1½	4		2	6	3½	36½	12
Addlestone	6	0	5	12		7	Addlestone	2½	1/2		1½		1	xxx	3½	4½	4½	4	1	4½	4	31½	12
FCA Solutions 2	5	0	6	10		8	FCA Solutions 2	0	2½	0		41/2	3½	2½	xxx		2	2	3½	6	4	30½	10
Warwicks. Select 2	4	1	6	9		9	Warwicks Select 2	1	1/2	2½	1½	3	4½	1½		xxx	2½	41/2		5	6	32½	9
Braille Chess Assoc.	4	1	6	9		10	Braille CA	1/2	1½	2½	3	2½	2	1½	4	3½	xxx			6	3½	30½	9
Grendel's Mother	4	0	7	8		11	Grendel's Mother	2	1/2	2½	2½	1½		2	4	1½		xxx	4	5½	5	31	8
Pontypridd	3	0	8	6		12	Pontypridd	1	2½	1	1½	2	4	5	2½			2	xxx	5	2½	29	6
Halesowen	1	0	10	2	1	13	Halesowen		21/2		2	1	0	1½	0	1	0	1/2	1	xxx	3½	13	2
SCS 2	1	0	10	-3 *		14	S. County Stars 2	0		0		0	2½	2	2	0	2½	0	3½	2½	xxx	15	-3 *

The top 2 teams from each section will be promoted to Division 3. * 1 point deducted because of the number of defaulted boards.

Cleveland Chess Association

League Tables 2004/2005

	A Division												
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts						
Middlesbrough Rooks	14	13	1	0	621/2	21½	27						
Elmwood A	14	12	1	1	64	20	25						
Redcar A	14	7	3	4	451/2	38½	17						
Peterlee	14	7	2	5	48	36	16						
Middlesbrough Wasps	14	6	1	7	37½	461/2	13						
Whitby	14	3	3	8	35½	481/2	9						
Athenaeum	14	2	1	11	28	56	5						
Synthonia A	14	0	0	14	15	69	0						

B Division													
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts						
Teesside Hungarians	14	9	2	3	421/2	27½	20						
Darlington A	14	8	3	3	41	29	19						
Elmwood B	14	6	5	3	401/2	29½	17						
Hartlepool	14	5	5	4	39½	30½	15						
M'bro Bishops	14	6	2	6	36	34	14						
Stokesley A	14	4	6	4	33½	35½	14						
Woodpushers	14	4	3	7	30½	38½	10 *						
Synthonia B	14	0	2	12	15½	52½	2						

^{*} Woodpushers Deducted 1pt for failing to register team before the 31st Oct

	C Division												
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts						
Upper Eskdale	14	12	0	2	47	21	24						
Redcar B	14	8	3	3	42	28	19						
Guisboro	14	9	0	5	42	28	18						
Middlesbrough Tyros	14	5	4	5	37½	321/2	14						
Elmwood Juniors	14	4	3	7	35	35	11						
Stokesley Knights	14	4	2	8	29½	38½	10						
Middlesbrough Knights	14	5	1	8	23	47	10*						
Synthonia C	14	1	3	10	22	48	5						

^{*} Middlesbrough Knights deducted 1pt for late cancellation of match

Leeds Chess Association

League Tables 2004/2005

Division 1												
	Р	W	D	L	For	Def	Pts					
Rose Forgrove 1	14	12	0	2	501/2	0	24					
Alwoodley A	14	10	4	0	47	0	24					
Pudsey A	14	8	3	3	43	0	19					
Alwoodley B	14	6	0	8	32	0	12					
Rose Forgrove 3	14	4	3	7	301/2	0	11					
Rose Forgrove 2	14	4	2	8	31	0	10					
Pudsey B	14	4	1	9	291/2	0	9					
Alwoodley C	14	0	3	11	16½	0	3					

Division 2													
	Р	W	D	L	For	Def	Pts						
Copperworks	14	12	1	1	51	0	25						
Rose Forgrove 4	14	9	2	3	481/2	0	20						
West Leeds A	14	9	2	3	47	0	20						
Rose Forgrove 5	14	6	4	4	35½	0	16						
Alwoodley D	14	4	3	7	29	0	11						
Pudsey C	14	3	3	8	29	1	8						
Alwoodley E	14	2	2	10	18½	2	4						
Rose Forgrove 6	14	2	1	11	201/2	2	3						

East Anglian Chess Union

County Match Results - 2004/2005

			OPEN			
(16 boards)	Norfolk	Suffolk	Cambs	Beds	Match Pts.	Game Pts.
Norfolk		4 + 11½	81/2 + 101/2	8½ + 10½	10	53½
Suffolk	12 + 41/2		9 + 61/2	8½ + 9	8	49½
Cambs	7½ + 5½	7 + 9½		8½ + 11½	6	49½
Bedfordshire	7½ + 5½	7½ + 7	7½ + 4½		0	39½

	UNDER 150										
(16 boards)	Norfolk	Cambs	Suffolk	Match Pts.	Game Pts.						
Norfolk		9 + 7	7½ + 10½	4	34						
Cambs	7 + 9		8 + 8	4	32						
Suffolk	8½ + 5½	8 + 8		4	30						

	UNDER 125											
(16 boards)	Norfolk	Suffolk	Cambs	Beds	Match Pts.	Game Pts.						
Norfolk		8 + 9	10 + 61/2	13½ + 10	9	57						
Suffolk	8 + 7		10½ + 9	8½ + 7½	7	50½						
Cambs	6 + 9½	5½ + 7		7 + 10	4	45						
Bedfordshire	2½ + 6	7½ + 8½	9+6		4	39½						

	UNDER 100												
(12 boards)	Norfolk	Cambs	Suffolk	Match Pts.	Game Pts.								
Norfolk		8 + 41/2	10½ + 7	6	30								
Cambs	4 + 7½		101/2 + 91/2	6	31½								
Suffolk	1½ + 5	1½ + 2½		0	10½								

Norfolk win division on result of individual matches against Cambridgeshire

Huntingdon & Peterborough Chess Association

League Tables - 2004/2005

		Division	One		•							
P W D L G Pts												
Perkins A	12	8	3	1	39	19						
Peterborough A	12	7	1	4	36	15						
Spalding	10	6	2	2	40	14						
Warboys	10	6	1	3	31	13						
Peterborough B	12	5	3	4	29	13						
Buckden	12	2	0	10	16.5	4						
Perkins Bishops	12	1	0	11	18.5	2						

		Division	Two			
	G	Pts				
St. Neots	12	8	1	3	31	17
Warboys B	12	7	2	3	32	16
Buckden B	12	5	3	4	23.5	13
Spalding B	12	2	7	3	22.5	11
Perkins Knights	12	2	6	4	19	10
Warboys C	12	2	5	5	19	9
Peterborough C	12	2	4	6	21	8

Fenland K.O.												
Peterborough A	4	Dotorborough A	3½									
Ely	2	Peterborough A	3/2	Dotorborough A	4							
Peterborough B	1	Coolding	21/	Peterborough A	4							
Spalding	5	Spalding	21/2			Peterborough A						
Bye		Combridge City	4			Peterborough A						
Cambridge City		Cambridge City	4	Combridge City	2							
Warboys	2½	Perkins	2	Cambridge City								
Perkins	3½	Perkins										

Leicestershire & Rutland Chess Association

League Tables 2004/2005

Division 1												
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts					
Oakham 1 (C)	14	12	1	1	50	20	25					
Wigston 1 (R)	14	10	2	2	42	27	22					
Shepshed 1	14	8	2	4	40	30	18					
Birstall 1	14	6	5	3	39	31	17					
Loughborough 1	14	4	2	8	31	39	10					
Littlethorpe 1	14	1	8	5	28.5	42	10					
Loughborough 2 (R)	14	1	4	9	24.5	46	6					
Wigston 2 (R)	14	1	2	11	24	45	4					

	Division 2													
	Р	W	D	٦	F	Α	Pts							
Braunstone 1 (C)	14	9	4	1	44.5	26	22							
Thurnby 1 (P)	14	9	3	2	41.5	29	21							
Littlethorpe 2	14	8	3	3	42.5	281	19							
Syston 1	14	7	1	6	39.5	30	15							
Ashby 1	14	4	2	8	27	42	10							
Wigston 3	14	5	0	9	26.5	44	10							
Loughborough 3 (R)	14	2	4	8	28.5	42	8							
Birstall 2 (R)	14	3	1	10	29	41	7							

	Division 3													
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts							
Littlethorpe 3 (C)	14	9	2	3	44	26	20							
Syston 2 (P)	14	8	1	5	36.5	34	17							
Wigston 4	14	7	1	6	37.5	33	15							
DSS	14	6	3	5	33	37	15							
Hinckley 1	14	6	2	6	36.5	34	14							
Mkt. Harboro	14	6	0	8	34	36	12							
Braunstone 2 (R)	14	4	3	7	29.5	41	11							
Birstall 3 (R)	14	2	4	8	29	41	8							

		Divi	sion 4						
P W D L F A									
Loughborough 4 (C)	14	10	2	2	35.5	21	22		
Thurnby 2 (P)	14	9	2	3	36	22	20		
Littlethorpe 4	14	8	3	3	35	23	19		
Syston 3	14	5	7	2	30	27	17		
Oadby	14	5	3	6	28.5	33	13		
Spinney Hill 1	14	4	3	7	26.5	31	11		
Braunstone 3 (R)	14	0	6	8	19	37	6		
Ashby 2 (R)	14	0	4	10	18.5	37	4		

		Divi	sion 5				
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
Littlethorpe 5 (C)	12	10	1	1	35	14	21
Wigston 5 (P)	12	7	2	3	27	21	16
Braunstone 4	12	5	3	4	26	23	13
Spinney Hill	12	4	4	4	23	26	12
Syston 4	12	3	3	4	19.5	21	9
Hinckley 2 (R)	12	3	1	8	22.5	28	7
Syston 5 (R)	10	0	2	8	10	31	2

		Divi	sion 6				
	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
Shepshed 2 (C)	14	11	3	0	43	13	25
Littlethorpe 6	14	10	2	2	41	15	22
Uppingham	14	6	4	4	32.5	30	16
Littlethorpe	14	5	5	4	28	28	15
Oakham 2	14	4	3	7	28	34	11
Leics University	14	4	2	8	24	32	10
Syston 6	13	2	2	9	15	36	6
LPSCA	13	2	1	10	13.5	38	5

London Chess League

League Tables – 2004/2005

	League Tables - 2004/2003															
	Division 1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Pen	GP	MP
1	Wood Green		4.5	8	11.5	10	6.5	9	11	10	6.5	7.5	9.5		94	10
2	Kings Head 1	7.5		7.5	7	7	3	8	7.5	7.5	7	7	8		77	10
3	Drunken Knights	4	4.5		7.5	5	10	8.5	6.5	4.5	7.5	8.5	8.5		75	7
4	Mushrooms 1	0.5	5	4.5		7.5	4	8.5	5	9.5	6.5	7	8		66	6
5	Athenaeum 1	2	5	7	4.5		6.5	6.5	9	3	5.5	7.5	6.5		63	6
6	Cavendish 1	5.5	9	2	8	5.5		4.5	9	5.5	8	10	10	-0.5	77	5.5
7	Ilford	3	4	3.5	3.5	5.5	7.5		5	7	9.5	9	7		64.5	5
8	Metropolitan 1	1	4.5	5.5	7	3	3	7		9	6	5	7		58	4.5
9	Hackney 1	2	4.5	7.5	2.5	9	6.5	5	3		5	9	9.5	-1	63.5	4
10	Cavendish 2	5.5	5	4.5	5.5	6.5	4	2.5	6	7		8	6		60.5	4
11	Wanstead 1	4.5	5	3.5	5	4.5	2	3	7	3	4		4		45.5	1
12	Richmond	2.5	4	3.5	4	5.5	2	5	5	2.5	6	8		-1	48	0.5
	Division 2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		Pen	GP	MP
1	Streatham		5	5	5.5	6	6.5	6	6	8	5.5	5.5			59	9
2	Dulwich Plough 1	5		4	6	5.5	7	5.5	7	6	5.5	8.5			60	8.5
3	Beckenham & Ch 1	5	6		7.5	4.5	5	5.5	5.5	7	5	5.5			56.5	7.5
4	Wimbledon 1	4.5	4	2.5		5	4	6.5	6.5	6	6	8			53	5.5
5	Lewisham	4	4.5	5.5	5		3	5	6.5	5.5	6.5	5			50.5	5.5
6	Kings Head 2	3.5	3	5	6	7		4.5	2	4	5.5	6.5		-0.5	47	4
7	Phoenix	4	4.5	4.5	3.5	5	5.5		6.5	6.5	5	3.5		-1	48.5	3
8	Athenaeum 2	4	3	4.5	3.5	3.5	8	3.5		3	7.5	6			46.5	3
9	Metropolitan 2	2	4	3	4	4.5	6	3.5	7		5	5			11	3
10	Hackney 2	4.5	4.5	5	4	3.5	4.5	5	2.5	5		9		-0.5	47.5	2
11	Mushrooms 2	4.5	1.5	4.5	2	5	3.5	6.5	4	5	1			-0.5	37.5	1.5
	Division 3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		Pen	GP	MP
1	Woodbridge	'	6	3	6.5	6.5	6	6.5	8	8.5	6	7.5		1 011	64.5	9
2	East Ham	4	-	6.5	5.5	5.5	4.5	7.5	5.5	7	6.5	4.5			57	7.5
3	Albany	7	3.5	0.5	6.5	1.5	2	6	5.5	6.5	8.5	6.5		-0.5	53.5	6.5
4	Battersea 1	3.5	4.5	3.5	0.5	6	6.5	7	5	6.5	8	8		-0.5	58.5	6
5	Hammersmith	3.5	4.5	8.5	4	-	5.5	5	7	6.5	4.5	5.5		-0.5	54.5	5
6	Kings Head 3	4	5.5	8	3.5	4.5	5.5	5	4.5	5.5	3	9		-0.5	52.5	4.5
7	Wanstead 2	3.5	2.5	4	3.3	5	5	J	5	5.5	5.5	5.5			44.5	4.5
8	Beckenham & Ch 2	2	4.5	4.5	5	3	5.5	5	J	3.5	7	5.5	 	 	45.5	4.5
9	Cavendish 3	1.5	3	3.5	3.5	3.5	4.5	4.5	6.5	3.5	6.5	6.5		 	43.5	3
10	Metropolitan 3	4	3.5	1.5	2	5.5	7	4.5	3	3.5	0.5	6.5		1	43.5	3
11	Watham Forest	2.5	4.5	3	2	4.5	1	4.5	4.5	3.5	3.5	0.5		-2	33.5	-1.5
_ 11	Watham Folest	2.5	4.5	<u> </u>		4.5	'	4.5	4.5	3.3	3.3			-2	33.3	-1.5
	Division 4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Pen	GP	MP
1	West London		4	5	5.5	3	6	6	3.5	5	4.5	6.5	7.5		56.5	8.5
2	Capablanca	4	_	5	4	4	6.5	4	5	4.5	5	4.5	6.5	-0.5	53	8.5
3	Dulwich Plough 2	3	3		4	5	5	5	4.5	5	5	4.5	6	0.0	50	8.5
4	Wimbledon 2	2.5	4	1	_ T	3	5	5	7.5	6.5	15	5.5	65.5		53.5	ο.σ

	Division 4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Pen	GP	MP
1	West London		4	5	5.5	3	6	6	3.5	5	4.5	6.5	7.5		56.5	8.5
2	Capablanca	4		5	4	4	6.5	4	5	4.5	5	4.5	6.5	-0.5	53	8.5
3	Dulwich Plough 2	3	3		4	5	5	5	4.5	5	5	4.5	6		50	8.5
4	Wimbledon 2	2.5	4	4		3	5	5	7	6.5	4.5	5.5	65.5		53.5	8
5	London Deaf	5	4	3	5		4	4.5	3	4	6.5	6.5	5		50.5	7.5
6	Morley College	2	1.5	3	3	4		2.5	5.5	5.5	6	6	5		44	5.5
7	Athenaeum 3	2	4	3	3	3.5	5.5		2.5	5.5	3.5	5	5.5		43	4.5
8	Kings Head 4	4.5	3	3.5	1	4	2.5	5.5		4.5	3	4	4	-1	39.5	4
9	DHSS	3	3.5	3	1.5	4	2.5	2.5	3.5		4.5	6	3.5		37.5	2.5
10	GLCC	3.5	3	3	3.5	1.5	2	4.5	5	3.5		3	4		36.5	2.5
11	Battersea 2	1.5	3.5	3.5	2.5	1.5	2	3	4	2	5		4.5	-0.5	33	2
12	Metropolitan 4	0.5	1.5	2	1.5	3	3	2.5	4	4.5	4	3.5		-0.5	30	1.5

North Staffordshire & District Chess Association

League Tables – 2004/2005

Division One									
	Р	W	D	L	Pts				
Cheddleton A	14	13	0	1	26				
Stafford A	14	8	1	5	17				
Newcastle A	14	7	2	5	16				
Macclesfield	14	4	5	5	13				
Cheddleton C	14	4	5	5	13				
Holmes Chapel A	14	3	4	7	10				
Cheddleton D	14	3	3	8	9				
Cheddleton B	14	3	2	9	8				

Division Two									
	Р	W	D	L	Pts				
Holmes Chapel C	14	9	3	2	21				
Holmes Chapel B	14	8	2	4	18				
Broughton Arms	14	8	2	4	18				
Creda A	14	7	3	4	17				
Newcastle B	14	7	3	4	17				
Newcastle C	14	5	2	7	12				
Fenton A	14	3	2	9	8				
Kidsgrove A	14	0	1	13	1				

Division Three									
	Р	W	D	L	Pts				
Creda B	20	14	4	2	32				
Leek St. Edward's D	20	15	1	4	31				
Leek St. Edward's A	20	13	3	4	29				
Leek St. Edward's B	20	12	4	4	28				
Stafford B	20	10	7	3	27				
Leek St. Edward's C	20	9	5	6	23				
Kidsgrove B	20	7	4	9	18				
Creda C	20	5	3	12	13				
Newcastle D	20	2	5	13	9				
Fenton B	20	4	1	15	9				
Blind Social Centre	20	0	1	19	1				

Eight-board Knock-out
Cheddleton 5 Newcastle 3

Under-135 Knock-out	
Holmes Chapel 3½ Creda 1½	

Under-110 Knock-out	
Cheddleton 4½ Kidsgrove ½	

Oxford & District Chess League

League Tables – 2004/2005

Division 1										
	Р	W	D	L	Def	- Pts	Pt diff	Pts		
University 1	12	11	1	0	0	0	31	23		
Cowley 1	12	7	4	1	0	0	25	18		
Oxford City 1	12	6	2	4	0	0	9	14		
Witney 1	12	5	2	5	0	0	2	12		
University 2	12	4	1	7	0	1	-14	8		
Wantage 1	12	2	1	9	0	0	-21	5		
Oxford City 2	12	1	1	10	0	0	-32	3		

Division 2										
	Р	V	D	L	Def	- Pts	Pt diff	Pts		
Didcot 1	10	7	0	3	0	0	13	14		
City 3	10	6	1	3	0	1	6	12		
Cowley 2	10	4	2	4	0	0	4	10		
N Oxford	10	3	3	4	0	0	-2	9		
Didcot 2	10	3	1	6	0	0	-13	7		
Banbury	10	3	1	6	0	1	-8	6		

Division 3										
	Р	W	D	L	Def	- Pts	Pt diff	Pts		
MCS 1	12	10	1	1	0	0	28	21		
Bicester 1	12	8	1	3	0	0	7	17		
University 3	12	5	2	5	0	0	4	12		
Wantage 2	12	5	1	6	0	0	1	11		
Cowley 4	12	4	3	5	0	0	-3	11		
Morris 1	12	4	0	8	0	1	-10	7		
Morris 2	12	1	2	8	1	2	-27	2		

Division 4										
	Р	V	ם	L	Def	- Pts	Pt diff	Pts		
University 4	12	9	1	1	1	2	14	17		
City 4	12	7	3	2	0	0	25	17		
MCS 2	12	7	0	5	0	0	-1	14		
Cowley 5	12	4	2	6	0	0	-13	10		
Witney 2	12	4	2	6	0	0	2	10		
Wantage 3	12	3	3	6	0	0	-12	9		
Didcot 3	12	2	1	9	0	0	-15	5		

Frank Wood Shield	MCS 1
Arthur Mushens (Div 1 individual)	David Shaw (University 1)
Bernard Wyatt (Div 2 individual)	Richard Brent (North Oxford)
David Del Nevo (Div 3 individual)	Jeffrey Levicki (MCS 1)
Sam Phipps (Div 4 individual)	John Rowlinson (City 4)
Dave Metcalfe	Ian Brooke

Portsmouth & District Chess League

League Tables - 2004/2005

	Division 1									
		Р	W	ם	L	Gs	Pts			
1	Gosport A	8	6	0	2	28	12			
2	Cosham A	8	4	2	2	29½	10			
3	Portsmouth A	8	3	2	3	24	8			
4	Chichester A	8	3	1	4	21	7			
5	Emsworth A	8	1	1	6	171/2	3			

Division 3									
		Р	W	ם	L	Gs	Pts		
1	Cosham C	10	8	1	1	37	17		
2	Portsmouth B	10	7	0	3	32	14		
3	Chichester C	10	5	0	5	28	10		
4	Emsworth C	10	3	1	6	30	7		
5	Portsmouth C	10	2	2	6	27½	6		
6	Fareham B	10	2	2	6	25½	6		

	Rapidplay League - West									
		Р	W	D	L	Gs	Pts			
1	Fareham	8	7	0	1	40	21			
2	Passed Pawn	8	5	1	2	33½	16			
3	Cosham	8	4	1	3	28	13			
4	Portsmouth West	8	1	1	6	19	4			
5	Gosport	8	0	1	7	13½	1			

	Division 2									
		Р	W	ם	L	Gs	Pts			
1	Cosham B	8	7	0	1	32½	14			
2	Fareham A	8	4	0	4	26	8			
3	Gosport B	8	4	0	4	25½	8			
4	Chichester B	8	3	1	4	25	7			
5	Emsworth B	8	1	1	6	11	3			

	Rapidplay League - East									
	P W D L Gs Pts									
1	Emsworth A	8	6	2	0	461/2	20			
2	Portsmouth East	8	6	1	1	37	19			
3	Bognor & Arun	8	3	2	3	33	11			
4	Emsworth B	8	2	0	6	24	6			
5	Waterlooville J.	8	0	1	7	16½	1			

RapidPlay Playoff:	Emsworth A	bt Fareham
Cole Cup:	Emsworth	(3-2 v Cosham A)
Cole Plate:	Gosport	(4-1 v Fareham)
Individual:	Dominic Tunks	(Emsworth)
Ruth Rose:	Dave Gibson	(Cosham)
John Grant:	Scott Crockart	(Fareham B)

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JUNIOR CHESS

This has been a year of change, with 3 directors in post within a very short time. We look forward to a period of stability and planned growth in Junior Chess.

Glorney and Faber Cups

These were held in Liverpool in July 2005. Grateful thanks are due to Norman Stephenson and Charika Sirisena for stepping into the breach and acting as team managers with great success.

Congratulations to the England Boys team who retained the Glorney Cup with 21½ points from a possible 25. The team of Simon Fowler, Peter Constantinou, Robert Heaton, Paul Lam and Richard Westwood all performed well. It had been agreed beforehand that England would run 2 teams in the Faber Cup for Girls. When it was realised that another nation was not bringing a girls team, St Michael's School, Aughton came into the breach with Sophie Williams, Rachel Cass and Chantale Belkhiri making an England C team and celebrating their debut with a 2-1 over

Belgium!

The England A team of Chantal Sirisena, Charlotte Wilcox, and Claire Morris cruised to a convincing win with 13 points from a possible 15 without losing a board in the process. The England B team was weakened by a very late withdrawal but Hannah Dale and Jessica Thilaganathan both played well.

Thanks are due to Peter Purland for his wise advice and controlling. Many thanks also to Liverpool Hope University for their hospitality and kindness.



From left to right: Robert Heaton, Richard Westwood, Simon Fowler, Peter Constantinou, Paul Lam, Claire Morris, Charlotte
Wilcox and Chantal Sirisena.

Glorney Cup

TEAM	Belgium	Czech Rep	England	Ireland	Scotland	Wales	Score	Place
Belgium		3½	2½	4	3½	4½	18	2nd
Czech Rep	1½		0	3½	3	5	13	3rd
England	2½	5		4½	4½	5	21½	1st
Ireland	1	1½	1/2		2	3½	81/2	5th
Scotland	1½	2	1/2	3		3½	10½	4th
Wales	1/2	0	0	1½	1½		3½	6th

Faber Cup

TEAM	Belgium	Czech Rep	England "A"	Ireland	England "B"	England "C"	Score	Place
Belgium		1½	0	1½	3	1	7	3rd
Czech Rep	1½		1½	3	2	3	11	2nd
England "A"	3	1½		3	2½	3	13	1st
Ireland	1½	0	0		1½	2	5	4th
England "B"	0	1	1/2	1½		2	5	5th
England "C"	2	0	0	1	1		4	6th

World Youth Championships

These were held in Belfort, France in July. The following report is from Eric Khoo who with Traci Whitfield, and Tony O'Toole ran the event on site.

It is the last round of this year's World Youth Chess Championships.

The WYCC is not a normal competition. It involves the best or chosen representatives of each country in the world to compete in a fair and level field environment. It is an event in which the representatives are proud to be chosen and endeavour to prepare and perform the best possible for their countries.

In today's last round, we scored 3 wins and 2 draws. George O'Toole, Sheila Dines and Gawain Jones won to chalk up a final score of 6, 7 & 7 points respectively. Dana Harami drew to score 6.5 points while Li Wu drew to make the highest English score of 7.5 points - even though he was refused a visa to play for England up until the

11th hour!

On the whole, all the players performed well and almost everyone was on a positive score, i.e. above a 50% level. This is one of the best team performances from England. Notable achievements are: Stephanie Hales improved from her previous record in WYCC; Craig Whitfield achieved the best Under 10 Boys performance for the last few years; Li Wu threatened the top boards in the Under 16 Boys and was in the running for a medal until the 8th round; Gawain Jones was in his last WYCC and also in top form with medal chance until round 8. Chantal Sirisena, Jessica Gilbert, and George O'Toole also played very well indeed.



It must be reported that we were just able to successfully maintain high team spirits this year with significant help from all parents onsite, despite the adverse conditions - thanks to Mrs. Whitfield for assisting in the language barriers and the coaches for continuing to work hard in preparing the players in a what can be only described as a very hostile environment to compete in such a prestigious event.

Well done team, until next year.

Eric Khoo

World Junior Championships

These were held in Istanbul in November, clashing with the first term of the university year, making it impossible for anyone to enter who was not on a gap year. Jessica Gilbert entered and performed creditably.

European Youth Championships



The England players in full regalia.

Photo: Matt Hunt

These were held in Herceg Novi in September. The party was led by Harriet Hunt with the assistance of Lawrence Trent, both of whom we thank for their efforts. The support of parents was also invaluable, Nitin Lakhani, Hu Wang, Matt Hunt, Patrick Abrams and Sen Purushothman all provided expertise. The report is from Matt Hunt whose literary skills kept us all informed.

And back to business: coaching started last night, after the draw came out and resumed at 08:15 this morning. A light mist hung over the sea – maybe it was there every day but we have never had to be up that early before. Breakfast was taken on the run, but all were set for the England get-together at 10 past 10, ready for the 10:30 start of the last round. After a few final words from Harriet it was the by now traditional "group troop" down 160 stairs (Tom and Glen counted them) to the playing halls. The accompanying persons then convened around the outdoor café tables – but with little shade it was a blessing when the occasional cloud took the real heat out of the sun. Even Sen made it – a real red letter day! Players (not England ones) started coming out after an hour or so – the last round often produces shorter games but we are confident that Harriet's exhortations to the England players for a

third positive score day in a row will keep them at their

boards come hell or high water or the end of lunchtime in the restaurant.

The chess bit:

Maria Wang has recovered from yesterday's tummy ache and takes her score against Hungarians to 2/2, playing an opening she learnt just an hour before the game started. Tom Pym's opponent is from the host country and appropriately enough plays the Yugoslav attack against the Sicilian Dragon, but doesn't really do the attack bit and Tom wraps up a quick win. The U18 boys don't have a good day, but their U10 counterparts do well, with James Abrams winning convincingly to complete an excellent second week's chess, and



Debriefing (clockwise): Maria, Harriet Hunt, James, Danny and Tom. Photo: Matt Hunt

Danny Hunt securing a steady draw to finish on an excellent $5\frac{1}{2}$ /9. By 2.30 pm I still haven't seen Sarah Hegarty or Ankush Khandelwal – Sarah is still playing and eventually wins in the endgame, but what has happened to Ankush? Has he made a dreadful blunder and can't face coming to report back? Eventually I go into the deserted tournament hall and look through the scoresheets. I'm delighted to find he's won a fourth game in a row, joining Danny as England's top scorer on $5\frac{1}{2}$ points. This takes our day's tally to $8\frac{1}{2}$ points from 13, a third very good haul of results which brings the squad back to exactly 50% overall – a great finish after a difficult first week. Well done everyone!

Matt Hunt.

Section	England Player (Seeding)	Col	Opponent (Seeding)	Ctry	Rating	England Result	Total Points
U18B	Gawain Jones (10)	В	Jasper Broekmeulen (41)	NED	2196	0	41/2
	Robert Heaton (57)	В	Michal Luch (16)	POL	2414	0	4
U18G	Jessie Gilbert (21)	W	Maria Schoene (25)	GER	2096	1/2	5
	Sarah Hegarty (43)	W	Ondina Kovacs (38)	ROM	1997	1	4
U16B	Tom Pym (51)	В	Ivan Femic	SCG		1	3½
U16G	Chantal Sirisena (38)	В	Manuela Mader (23)	GER	2041	1/2	41/2
U14B	Ankush Khandelwal (47)	В	Mikhail Demidov (18)	RUS	2204	1	5½
U14G	Amisha Parmar (18)	В	Evgenia Tekhnoriadova	RUS		1	5
U12B	Subin Sen (12)	В	Ivan Bukovski	BUL		1	5
U12G	Anjali Lakhani	W	Lanita Stetsko	BLR		0	3½
U10B	Daniel Hunt	W	Jurica Srbis	CRO		1/2	5½
	James Abrams	В	Mehti Mammadov	AZE		1	4
U10G	Maria Wang	W	Dalma Honsch	HUN		1	41/2

BCF Junior Masters Ampleforth October 2005

This was the last of a very successful series at the school, and Peter, Gill and Matthew Turner must be congratulated and thanked. The hospitality of the brothers also helped make the event, which was opened by Gerry Walsh, such a feature of the chess scene. The Ampleforth competition will be hard to replace. The event was won by Thomas Pym after a playoff from Peter Poobalasingham with James Hanley, Ankush Khandelwal, Vedantha Kumar and Andrew Tucker joint 3rd. The U14 prize was won by Jac Thomas, the U13 by George O'Toole and Charlie Hierons winning the u11. The girl's title was won by Sheila Dines.

Prize winners – over £3,000 in cash was distributed to:

Ampleforth Champion 2005 after blitz play-off: Thomas Pym Equal first and runner-up on blitz play-off: Peter Poobalasingham 3rd= James Hanley, Ankush Khandelwal, Vedantha Kumar & Andrew Tucker

Girls' Champion: Sheila Dines U14 Champion: Jac Thomas U13 Champion: George O'Toole U11 Champion: Charlie Hierons

Grading prizes to: Noah Schlesinger, Edward Farrington, Charlie Hierons, David Grant, Fay Birch, William Jones & Megan Owens

Best performance against grade to: Vedantha Kumar, Loius Graham, James Harrington, Robbie Coates, Edward Farrington, & Anand Krishnan

Game of the round awards to: Rd1 Toby Thurgood 0-1 William Jones, Rd2 Ben Wetherfield 1-0 Michae Keetley, Rd3 Senthuran Sathyanandha 0-1 Daniel Hunt, Rd4 Amisha Parmar 1-0 Robert Thompson, Rd5 Edward Farrington 1-0 Julian Ryan, Rd6 Xiyan Qu 0-1 James Harrington

Peter Turner Reports

In the splendour of Ampleforth Abbey & College 200 chess enthusiasts gathered to enjoy the 6th and final 'Ampleforth Experience'. This year, with 21 current British Junior Champions competing, must rank as the most prestigious junior tournament ever in Britain. It also marks the birth of the English Chess Federation. The players and their supporters 'conspired' to make this a showpiece of the very best of British chess, a fitting tribute to this unique tournament. Every competitor was presented with an Ampleforth medal.

In the magnificent setting of the Main Hall at Ampleforth College the final move, of the blitz play-off to decide the Ampleforth Champion was made. Thomas Pym overcame Peter Poobalasingam in a wonderful, nerve-jangling emotionally charged atmosphere. Thomas emerged the victor and took the title for the second time in three years.

Photograhs from Ampleforth 2005



Ampleforth 2005 Winner Thomas Pym



Headmaster Fr. Gabriel stands by as Fr. Justin makes the opening move on the top board



Gerry Walsh with some of the competitors.



The playing hall



GM Matthew Turner, Chess Tutor at Millfield School presents an inscribed chessboard, set & clock to Fr. Justin for use in the college. Fr. Justin, a keen chess player, is an inspirational tutor to boys & girls at the college.



Thomas Pym (left) overcame Peter Poobalasingam (right) in a wonderful, nerve-jangling emotionally charged atmosphere

National Counties Team Championships

These were held at St Peter & Paul School, Syston, Leicester in June. The defending champions Lancashire could not defend their title, but the eventual winners Kent was a surprise to themselves!

OPEN

1st	Kent	18 points
2nd	Warwickshire	17
3rd	Sussex	15½
4th	Essex	14
5th	Cheshire & N Wales	10
6th	Derbyshire	5½
7th	Northants	4

LADIES

1st Surrey	91/2
2nd Wiltshire	7
3rd Bucks	1½

The headmistress of the school Fiona Buchan, welcomed the teams to the school, for a second visit, and confirmed that the event would return on May 20th 2006. Alan Ruffle told the teams that next year's event would see one change. The Minor Counties trophies would be competed for by teams whose average grading was less than 110.

There are many excellent junior events which I would like to have publicised in this report. If the organisers would care to send me copy for next year, I will ensure that it is reported fully.

My thanks to Peter Turner for help and advice, for all the parents for their understanding of what has been an interesting start to my career in Junior chess at this level, to those who support by organising events, by coaching in schools and finally and most importantly, the players who ensuring the continuation of this excellent sport.

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BCF NATIONAL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIP 2004/2005

Championship: Nottingham High School A

Plate: Hampton School



The competition, which is open to all schools in England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, attracted 123 entries. This is the second time Nottingham High School has won the competition in the 47 years that it has been running (last winning in 1992).

Nottingham HS set a record by qualifying for the last four in both Plate and Championship. The Semi-finals and Finals were played Saturday / Sunday 2-3 July 2005 at Quorn Hall International Educational Centre, Quorn, Leics. This is a rather splendid country house whose early history we don't know, though it is now under the administration of Leicestershire County Council. Dave Welch, BCF Chief Arbiter, officiated as always. BCF CEO Roy Heppinstall was in attendance, together with acting Director of Junior Chess & Education Cyril Johnson.

Photo: Nottingham High School A - (back row, left to right) Dominic Heining, Ian Harris, Michael Keetley & Dr John Swain, the school's master-in-charge of chess. (Front row, left to right) Ankush Khandelwal, Balvinder Grewal & Kishan Lakhani.

Dr John Swain, Nottingham High School's master-in-charge of chess, said: "I am delighted about the boys' achievement in winning the national title. Their team spirit and willingness to learn from each other were really impressive throughout the many months of the competition. It is particularly pleasing that the younger players in the 'B' team have done so well too, and that even younger boys from the Junior School have achieved national success once again at the same time."

The competition goes back to 1957, and no one is sure whether the achievement of Haberdashers Askes in winning two different Zones is unique. It probably is.

Richard Haddrell BCF National Schools Championship Controller

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

FINAL

	Nottingham HS A			Blue Coat Oldham	
1	Ankush Khandelwal	162	1/2 1/2	Stephen Gordon	221
2	Balvinder Grewal	174	10	Katie Martin	157
3	Kishan Lakhani	131	10	Jason Wright	147
4	Michael Keetley	122	10	Nathan Butterworth	118
5	Ian Harris	128	1 0	Robyn Smith	138
6	Dominic Heining	118	0 1	Karen Bradley	119
	(15.1)		41/2 11/2	(17)	

THIRD PLACE PLAY-OFF

	RGS Guildford			Monmouth School A	
1	Sam Williams	201	1/2 1/2	Joseff Thomas	140
2	Matthew Harborne	182	0 1	Jac Thomas	133
3	Eugene Geidelberg	117	1/2 1/2	Calum Kinloch	105
4	James Guiney	118	1/2 1/2	Matthew Kinloch	99
5	Michael Baker	105	0 1	Ben Clayton	69r
6	Bryce Conduit	97	10	Sam Lazarus	71r
	(16.11)		21/2 31/2	(14)	

SEMI FINALS

	Blue Coat Oldham			RGS Guildford	
1	Stephen Gordon	221	10	Sam Williams	201
2	Katie Martin	157	0 1	Matthew Harborne	182
3	Jason Wright	147	0 1	Eugene Geidelberg	117
4	Nathan Butterworth	118	10	James Guiney	118
5	Robyn Smith	138	10	Michael Baker	105
6	Karen Bradley	119	10	James McCallion	86
	(17)		4 2	(16)	

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	(14)		11/2 41/2	(15.1)	

PLATE CHAMPIONSHIP

FINAL

	Hampton School			Nottingham HS B	
1	Murugan Thiruchelvam	215	10	Ted Pynegar	99
2	Graham Hantman	142	1/2 1/2	Oliver Exton	93
3	Noah Schlesinger	109	10	Edwin Justice	*71
4	Rahil Davda	104	10	Jonathan Day	87
5	Nicholas Moon	113	0 1	Toby Thurgood	93
6	George Danker	69	1/2 1/2	Daniel Lin	85
	(14.11)		4 2	(12.11)	

THIRD PLACE PLAY-OFF

	Oakham School			Southend HS	
1	Adam Eckersley-Waites	172	1/2 1/2	George O'Toole	149
2	William Bennet	180	10	Antony O'Toole	145
3	David Hart	152	1 0	Daniel Hedges	122
4	Alex Mapletoft	139	0 1	Alex O'Toole	113
5	Louis Graham	134	10	Corin Gilmore	
6	Matthew Moore	126	10	Robert Payne	*100
	(16.7)		41/2 11/2	(15.3)	

SEMI FINALS

	Southend HS			Hampton School	
1	George O'Toole	149	0 1	Murugan Thiruchelvam	215
2	Antony O'Toole	145	1/2 1/2	Graham Hantman	142
3	Daniel Hedges	122	01	Noah Schlesinger	109
4	Alex O'Toole	113	0 1	Rahil Davda	104
5	Corin Gilmore		1/2 1/2	Nicholas Moon	113
6	Robert Payne	*100	0 1	Harry Godfrey	107
	(15.3)		1 5	(15.5)	

	Nottingham HS B			Oakham School	
1	Ted Pynegar	99	01	Adam Eckersley-Waites	172
2	Oliver Exton	93	01	William Bennet	180
3	Edwin Justice	*71	01	David Hart	152
4	Jonathan Day	87	10	Alex Mapletoft	139
5	Toby Thurgood	93	1/2 1/2	Louis Graham	134
6	Daniel Lin	85	10	Andrew Foster-Yeow	142
	(12.11)		21/2 31/2	(16.7)	

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Guisborough, 1980

Queen Elizabeth Grammar, Blackburn, 1927

THE BRITISH LAND UK CHESS CHALLENGE

TERAFINAL REPORT 2005

This year's British Land UK Chess Challenge Terafinal, held at the Source in Sheffield on 20th and 21st August, must go down as one of the most keenly fought to date. Granted the top seed won, but he lost the lead at one point and the pressure of being the favourite, especially with high prize money at stoke, is extremely taxing. Add to this the 3-1 scoring system which penalizes the so-called grandmaster (really overweight chicken) draw and we have an excellent test of cool.

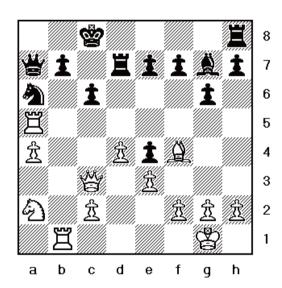
Stephen Gordon, this year's STRAT, came through with flying colours. He won his first three games, faltered in round 4 against E Josiah Lutton, but came back strongly to win in rounds 5 and 6. Stephen then used his British Land prize money of £1,000 to help fund his trip to Barcelona, where he registered his third International Master norm and may soon be awarded the title!

Almost 200 children took part in the chess weekend. There were 46 players in the top event, the Terafinal, comprising the National Champions from 12 age groups (with separate boy and girls champions). In addition, there were two Challengers sections, each with a top prize of £500 for players who came 2nd or 3rd in the qualifying events. Finally, a very popular "Relax with Chess" event allowed parents and siblings to enjoy a friendly tournament at the same time as the main competition.

With over £8,000 in prize money at stake in this Final event, matches between the juniors were incredibly intense. Despite this, all the games were contested in excellent sporting manner. In second equal place were Peter Roberson, Peter Constantinou and Sabrina Chevannes. All these players tore up the form book by outpointing higher ranked players and showing that determination and focus will often make up for a paper deficit in grading. Sabrina Chevannes also took the £500 prize for top girl player.

For a long time the Under 11 prize, which was also £500, was in doubt and several players could have won it in the last round. With half and hour of the playing session still to go, Danae Kokossis held a slender lead, but there was one game still to finish between Tom Huband and Craig Whitfield. Craig Whitfield was pressing throughout the game but Tom held him off manfully until right near the end, Craig broke through and won the U11 title plus the Patrick Rebello Cup. This was Craig's second major triumph in two years, as last year he had also won the Under 9 title. His decisive victory came the previous year against Megan Owens.

Girl power times three

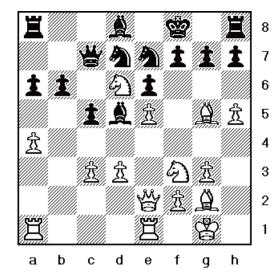


The days when the girls would just roll over in face of enemy fire are long gone, and in the last round, 3 of the top girls destroyed their higher rated opponents. First, Sabrina Chevannes against "The Boss", Jonathan Lappage (diag)

Jonathan had captured a hot pawn on b2 earlier in the game, and now had his two major pieces, the queen and the king, in a severely embarrassing position. In fact, white can even consider the queen sacrifice 1 Qxc6+?! bxc6 2 Rxa6!! on the grounds that 2 ... Qxa6 3 Rb8 is mate. Admittedly, things are not so clear if black replies with 2 ... Qb7 or 2 ... e5.

Sabrina brought her last attacking piece into play with 1 **Nb4** and now Lappage flicked in the spoiler 1... **Qb6!** attacking the rook and preparing to checkmate should white blunder with 2 Nxa6?? Qxb1! Here, 2 Rb5! followed by Na6 or Nxc6 looks destructive enough, but Sabrina chose a different course: **2 Rxa6! bxa6 3 Rb3** parrying the back row threats and turning the attention back on the black king again.

3 ... c5 4 Nxa6! Qa7 5 Rb8+ Qxb8 6 Nxb8 and black's position is now a smoking ruin. He tried his checkmate threat again, but could only hold out for a few more moves. 6 ... Rb7 7 Qxc5+ Kd8 8 Nc6+ Ke8 9 Nb4 e5 10 Qc8+ Ke7 11 Qxb7+ black resigned. ZOP!

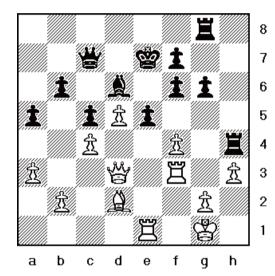


Sarah Hegarty v E Josiah Lutton

Black had a grisly position here, with his king uncastled on f8, the rook shut in at h8 and a white knight sitting on d6. His attempt to free himself with a knight sally only rebounds horribly.

1... Nxe5 2 Qxe5 Nc6 3 Qxd5! black resigns. If 3 ... exd5 4 Re8 is mate.

POW!!

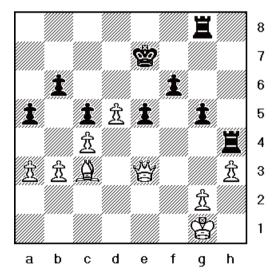


Finally **Sheila Dines** brought tactical flair to her demolition of the inform James Foster.

1 fxe5 Bxe5 2 Rxe5+!

This sacrifice is two pronged. If the rook is captured by the pawn, the check at e5 regains material with interest; if captured by the queen, she falls to a pin.

2 ... Qxe5 3 Re3 Rd4 4 Rxe5+ fxe5 5 Qd3 f6 6 b3 g5 7 Bc3 Rh4



e5 has not been a lucky square for James, and now lightning strikes in the same place twice.

8 Bxe5! fxe5 9 Qxe5+ Kf7 10 Qf5+ Ke7 11 Qe6+ Kf8 12 d6 Rd4

A blunder, but there was nowt for it.

13 Qe7++

SPLAT!

The 2005 British Land Chess Challenge comes to an end. It remains to thank the sponsors The British Land Company Plc and in particular the Chairman John Ritblat, whose unstinting generosity and dedication to the education of young people has enabled the tournament to thrive and grow over the past 6 years. John Ritblat has now received a well deserved Knighthood "for his services to the arts". Congratulations!

Summary Results

TERAFINAL

Stephen J	Gordon	18	В	3 Cs	Lancs	16	STRAT	£1,000
Sabrina L	Chevannes	18	G	Birmingham Checkmate	Warks	15	Best Girl	£500
Peter	Constantinou	16	В	Bedford Modern	Beds	15	2 nd =	£335
Peter T	Roberson	16	В	Basingstoke CC	Hants	15	2 nd =	£335
Sarah N	Hegarty	16	G	Millfield	Somerset	13	5 th =	£100
Peter S	Poobalasingam	15	В	Millfield	Somerset	13	5 th =	£100
Craig M	Whitfield	10	В	Hassell	Staffs	12	Best Under 11	£500
Sheila J	Dines	12	G	Old Palace	Surrey	12	7 th =	£85
Anjali	Lakhani	12	G	Long Eaton CC	Notts	12	7 th =	£85
Jonathan	Lappage	18	В	Magdalen CS	Oxon	12	7 th =	£85
Jeffrey P	Levicki	13	В	Magdalen CS	Oxon	12	7 th =	£85
Dani	Malik	14	В	Solihull Checkmate	Warks	12	7 th =	£85
Kaiser	Malik	13	В	King Edwards	Warks	12	7 th =	£85
Lateefah	Messam-Sparks	13	G	Notts Girls HS	Notts	12	7 th =	£85
Claire H	Morris	17	G	St Helen's	Berks	12	7 th =	£85
Jude	Lenier	9	В	Crowborough JCC	Sussex	9	Best Joint U9	£70
Alan B	Merry	9	В	Bury Knights JCC	Suffolk	9	Best Joint U9	£70
Nathan	Taylor	9	В	Bolton JCC	Lancs	9	Best Joint U9	£70

CHALLENGERS A

William D	Bennet	17	В	Oakham	Rutland	16	1 st=	£375
Matthew J	Harborne	18	В	Basingstoke CC	Hants	16	1 st =	£375
Suzy G	Blackburn	18	G	Alsager	Staffs	15	3 rd = Best Girl	£150
Ti	Chen	18	В	Magdalen CS	Oxon	15	3 rd =	£150
Jia Shen	Lee	14	В	St Olave's Grammar	Kent	15	3 rd =	£150
Joe P	Fraser	15	В	E Grinstead JCC	Sussex	14	6th	£75
Akash	Jain	11	В	Haberdashers Askes	Middx	13	7 th = Best U11	£100
Luke	Barron	13	В	Neale Wade	Cambridge	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Matthew E	Dodd	14	В	King Edward VI Camp Hill	Worcs	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
John	Emanuel	18	В	King Edward VI Camp Hill	Worcs	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Eugene	Geidelberg	13	В	Basingstoke CC	Hants	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
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Victor GL	Jones	10	В	Baring	Kent	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Daniel	Lin	12	В	Nottingham High	Notts	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Samuel	Milson	11	В	Grimoldby	Lincs	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Megan E	Moruzzi	13	G	St Edward's	Staffs	12	8 th =	£3+book/video
Manibharathi	Periasamy-Manjula	10	В	Robin Hood	Surrey	12	8 th =	£3+book/video

CHALLENGERS B

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Dominic M	Rabbitte	16	В	Swinton CC	Lancs	15	3rd	£200
Xi-Yang	Guo	15	В	SASCA	Yorks	14	4th	£150
Harvey	Birch	12	В	Claremont	Surrey	13	5 th =	£65
Kishan	Lakhani	13	В	Notts High	Notts	13	5 th =	£65
Philip J	Makepeace	16	В	Dr Challoners	Bucks	13	5 th =	£65
Timothy P	Seymour	18	В	Richmond JCC	Middx	13	5 th =	£65
Elliott	Auckland	12	В	Skinners	Kent	12	9 th =	Book/Video
Tom J	Harbour	15	В	Bedford Modern	Beds	12	9 th =	Book/Video
Thilagini	Anandajeyarajah	13	G	Tolworth	Surrey	12	Best Girl	£100
Daniel	Molnar	11	В	Norwich JCC	Norfolk	12	Best U11	£50
Gordon W	Scott	10	В	Norwich JCC	Norfolk	12	Best U11	£50

Michael Basman August, 2005

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Division 1 (Ward Higgs)							
1	Yorkshire 20						
2	Sussex	18½					
3	Essex	17½					
4	Lancashire	13					
5 =	Kent	12					
5 =	Greater Manchester	12					
7	Middlesex	11½					
8	Hants	11					
9	Warwickshire	10½					
10	Hertfordshire	10					
11	Worcestershire	9½					
12	Northumberland	9					

Division 2 (Sinclair)							
1	Essex 2	17					
2	Warwickshire 2	13½					
3	Surrey	13					
4 =	Suffolk	12					
4 =	Gloucestershire	12					
6	Staffordshire	10½					

Division 3 (Minor Counties)							
1	13						
2	11½						
3	Somerset	10					
4	Cumbria	9½					
5	Berkshire	9					
6 =	81/2						
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Division 4 (Brown Pond)							
1	1 Leicestershire 9						
2	Lancashire 2	8½					
3	Warwickshire 3	7½					
4 =	Worcestershire 2	6					

The winners of the best game prizes were:-

Brian Herriott (Yorkshire) and jointly to John Cooper (Notts) and Chris Howell (Kent 2) for their drawn game.

Engla	and (8)	Scotland (4)		
Brooks, Dr Ian	Hanison, Bernard	Borwell, Alan P	MacGregor, Colin A	
Chambers, Duncan	March, Dennis	Livie, George W G	Sneddon, lain	
Crapper, Trevor	Rawlings, Alan			
Gallimore, Derek	Wharrier, Jo			

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Grandmasters (18)								
England (13)	Coleman, Peter	Markland, Peter	Richardson, Keith	Scotland (3)	Lady Grandmaster (2)			
Brookes, John	Hall, Richard V M	Millican, Peter	Povah, Nigel	Bryson, Douglas	Barber, Dr Jill			
Brooks, Dr Ian	Hollis, Adrian	Penrose, Jonathan		Kilgour, David	Jones, Mary			
Clarke, Peter	Johnson, Maurice	Prizant, Michael		Muir, Andrew				

	Senior International Masters (33)							
England (23)	Conroy, Mike	Pugh, John	Valerio, Giuseppe	Giulian, Philip	Nightingale, Darrell			
Anderson, John	Davies, Gordon H	Read, Michael	Verney, Dr Kevern	McNab, Colin	O'Duill, Antoin			
Asquith, Dr Jerry	Footner, John	Rich, Charles	Vivante-Sower, John		Taylor, W Desmond			
Barnsley, Tony	Frostick, Clive	Snape, Ian L		Ireland (6)				
Bowyer, Ken	Kitson, Keith	Tait, Jonathan A	Scotland (4)	Harding, Timothy D				
Carleton, John	Mukherjee, Ajoy	Thomas, Trevor	Craig, T J	Gibney, Dr Eugene J				
Chandler, Clifford	Pheby, Ian M	Timson, Paul F	Finnie, Douglas S	Ludgate, Alan T				

	International Masters (39)								
England (27)	Donnelly, Dr Mike	Rhodes, John D	Thompson, Ian	Livie, George W G	Wales (1)				
Adams, John	Ebbett, David	Shephard, Chris	Toothill, John	McAlpine, Kenneth B	Lamford, Paul				
Anderton, David W	Fraser, Fred J L	Shaw, Sidney	Williams, Christopher C	Pyrich, George D					
Boyd, Frank	Harman, Ken	Smith, Peter	Wills, Mike	Sprott, George R	Ireland (1)				
Brigden, Michael	Horton, Michael	Sowden, Edward		Thomson, Thomas	Salter, David				
Brockbank, Henry	Lumley, W F	Sowray, Peter J	Scotland (9)	Watson, Joe					
Chambers, Duncan	Lynn, Liam	Stewart, Alan	Beecham, C Richard	Wickens, Tim S	International Lady Masters (1)				
Corfield, Julian	Pegg, Russell	Suto, Janos I	Borwell, Alan Peter		Clarke, Peggy				

Winners of Correspondence Championships

British Correspondence Chess Championship

1921	Rev. F. E. Hammond	1948	F Parr & G Wood	1975	G H Davies & D Ebbett
1922	J. H. Blake	1949	H Israel & F Parr	1976	J K Footner
1923	W. A. Hooper	1950	F Parr	1977	P H Clarke
1924	W. H. Gunston	1951	R W Bonham & E Brown	1978	C C W Shepherd
1925	Thorold Gosset	1952	A Hallmark	1979	S D Cunliffe, C C W Shepherd & A M Stewart
1926	Dr. R. C. Macdonald	1953	H G Rhodes	1980	A M Stewart
1927	Dr. R. C. Macdonald	1954	J A Fuller	1981	C Woodford
1928	W. H. Gunston	1955	J A Fuller	1982	C R Chandler
1929	J. E. West	1956	F Parr	1983	D Bryson
1930	Dr. R. C. Macdonald	1957	S C Davey	1984	D Bryson
1931	W. H. Whicher	1958	P J Oakley	1985	D Bryson & C Williams
1932	T. H. Tylor	1959	S Milan	1986	C Woodford
1933	T. H. Tylor	1960	B Cafferty	1987	C R Chandler M H Hawley & A T Ludgate
1934	T. H. Tylor	1961	Dr C S Hunter & S C Davey	1988	K J Bowyer, A T Ludgate & J D Thorn
1935	G. S. A. Wheatcroft	1962	S Milan	1989	C R Chandler & M P F Singleton
1936	W. L. Roche	1963	S Milan	1990	P J Millican
1937	Dr R. C. Macdonald	1964	P B Dodson	1991	A M Stewart
1938	F A Richardson & E Ellison	1965	S Milan	1992	M Johnson & M P F Singleton
1939	H. A. Marshall	1966	A S Hollis & S Milan	1993	G Valerio & K J Verney
1940	W. L. Roche	1967	A S Hollis	1994-5	K J Verney & A Barnsley
1941	J Wolstenholme	1968	J Timperley	1995-7	R V M Hall
1942	W R Morry	1969	S Milan	1997-9	C Rich
1943	R W Bonham	1970	S Hopewell	1999-01	S Tatlow
1944	D V Hooper	1971	A S Hollis	2001-03	P A G Dargan & S S Shaw
1945	B H Wood	1972	F Boyd	2003-4	K Kitson
1946	G Wood	1973	M A Walker	2004-5	M Micklethwaite
1947	R W Bonham & J Cairncross	1974	A M Stewart		

British Ladies' Correspondence Chess Championship

1976 Mrs	J Rogers	1986	Mrs D Helbig	1996	Mrs M E Jones
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1977	Mrs S Long	1987	Mrs D M Cooper	1997	Mrs M E Jones
1978	Mrs J Rogers	1988	Mrs D M Cooper	1998	Mrs L Barnes
1979	Miss C Hadgkiss	1989	Mrs D M Cooper	1999	Mrs L Barnes
1980	Miss C E Whitehead	1990	Dr J A Barber	2000	Mrs L Barnes
1981	Mrs J Binns & Mrs H Brunker	1991	Dr J A Barber	2001	Mrs L Barnes
1982	Mrs M Rowlands	1992	Ms V Craven	2002	Ms V Craven
1983	Mrs M E Jones	1993	Ms V Craven	2003	Ms V Craven
1984	Mrs D Helbig	1994	Miss N Regan	2004	Ms V Craven
1985	Mrs E Hartford	1995	Mrs M E Jones	2005	Ms S Sweet

British Junior Correspondence Chess Championship

1967	A Hurdle & P McDermott	1978	J Day & C Rice	1989	J P McKenna & P Webster
1968	P F Timson	1979	D McGill	1990	K Townsend
1969	M A Walker	1980	M Johnstone & E Teichmann	1993-4	P Belleville
1970	N Graham & M A Walker	1981	R Parker & M Read	1995	O Lightowlers
1971	P Giulian	1982	M Johnstone & M Read	1996-7	T Chamberlain & S Jones
1972	C C W Shepherd	1983	A Tankel	1998	A Hughes
1973	P Corliatti	1984	E Whipp	1999	No contest
1974	R Musson	1985	N A Down & E Whipp	British .	Junior Email Correspondence Chess Championship
1975	G Lawrence	1986	N A Down	2002	Chon Lee
1976	E Gibney	1987	G W Lane & P Webster		
1977	D Jackson	1988	J W Clarke		

British Veterans Correspondence Chess Championship

1999	S Shaw
2000	A J A Evans and P C Gibbs
2001	E Sowden
2002	T J Taylor
2003	T J Taylor
2004	M E Davis
2005	T J Taylor

British Postal Chess Team Championship

1968	Nottingham Mechanics	1981	Streatham & Brixton	1994	The Knights of the Square Table
1969	Nottingham Mechanics	1982	Streatham & Brixton	1995	Inland Revenue
1970	Sutton Coldfield	1983	Streatham & Brixton	1996	Peckham Postal Chess Club
1971	Nottingham Mechanics	1984	Inland Revenue	1997	Ilford
1972	Bradford	1985	Inland Revenue	1998	Camden
1973	Dragons	1986	Streatham & Brixton	1999	Square Bashers
1974	Dragons	1987	Streatham & Brixton	2000	Atticus
1975	Cambridge	1988	Streatham & Brixton	2001	Square Bashers
1976	BCCS	1989	Sutton Coldfield	2002	SCCA
1977	Sutton Coldfield	1990	The Knights of the Square Table	2003	Camden
1978	Inland Revenue	1991	The Knights of the Square Table	2004-5	Square Bashers
1979	Streatham & Brixton	1992	The Knights of the Square Table		•
1980	Sutton Coldfield	1993	The Knights of the Square Table		

BFCC Open Championship

F1	D Graham	F7	M Micklethwaite
F2	W F Lumley	F8	M R Saunders
F3	K J Verney	F9	F P Foldvary
F4	D Curnow	F10	K Kitson
F5	C Frostick	F11	S C Ledger
F6	R Savory		

BFCC Club Championship

1990	PCC	1997	BCCA
1991	Ipswich	1998	BCCA
1992	BCCS	1999	BCCS
1993	BCCS	2000	BCCS
1994	BCCS	2001	BCCA
1995	BCCS	2002	BCCS
1996	SCCA	2003	BCCS

CHESS COMPOSITION NEWS

Winton Capital British Chess Solving Championship, 2004-5

This event is now so well established in the British chess calendar that an explanation of what it consists of is no longer necessary. Thanks to the generous sponsorship of Winton Capital Management and the hard work of Controller **Brian Stephenson**, the profile of the Championship has been significantly raised in the last few years. It is now possible for Brian to invite some of the world's top solvers to compete in the Final, held invariably at Oakham School, Rutland, during February. They come with expenses paid and the chance to win significant prize-money (but not the title!), and their presence ensures that the event qualifies as an official solving championship for the calculation of ratings and eventually for the award of norms. Consequently, any competitors, including British entrants, who achieve a high enough score could be on the way to gaining the title of FIDE Solving Master. There were 36 contestants at the 2005 Final, a record for the event.

When GM **Jonathan Mestel** is on form, there is hardly a solver in the world who can match his performance. On this occasion he did not put a foot wrong from start to finish and ended up 5 points clear at the top of the table. The next four places were also occupied by Grandmasters, three overseas visitors and **Graham Lee**, who hosted the event at Oakham. The next-placed British contestants were FM **Michael McDowell**, FM **Colin McNab** and IM **David Friedgood**, the previous year's winner. Full details of this event can be found on Brian Stephenson's website (www.bstephen.freeuk.com), together with problems set in previous years and information about the current Championship.

European Chess Solving Championship, Legnica (Poland), June 2005

This new event in the chess solving calendar derives from an initiative from Poland, whose solvers offered to act as hosts. Keen interest was shown in the ECSC right from the start, and its success can be measured by the fact that teams from 15 countries took part. Each team consists of four solvers, with the three best in each round contributing to the score. A further, and very welcome, feature of the ECSC is that there is an opportunity for Juniors to take part, solving the same problems under the same conditions. Winton Capital Management kindly agreed to provide some funds to support the British team of GM **Graham Lee**, FM **Colin McNab**, GM **Jonathan Mestel** and GM **John Nunn**, with **Paul Cumbers** as reserve and **Adam Eckersley-Waites** (Oakham School) competing in the junior section.

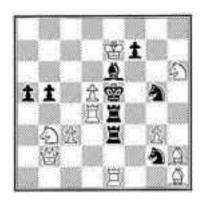
The British team was widely regarded as the favourite to win the Championship, and indeed, after four rounds, it looked as if first place was secure, with Great Britain enjoying a lead of 21 points over Finland. Up to that stage John Nunn had solved everything correctly. But nothing is certain in events like this, and it turned out that all four of the British solvers had trouble with the problems in four and more moves, an exceptionally difficult set. When only John and Jonathan scored the full 15 points on the helpmates in the last round, the Finnish team crept ahead to win by a margin of 2½ points, with Great Britain second. In the junior section Adam came fourth, a fine achievement by a youngster who had hardly solved a single problem until a few weeks before the event!

World Chess Solving Championship, Eretria (Greece), September 2005

After coming second in last year's WCSC and second again in the ECSC, it was surely time for the British team to score an outright victory. This was duly achieved at the 2005 WCSC, though with only one round to go the outcome was in the balance. But FM **Michael McDowell**, GM **Jonathan Mestel** and GM **John Nunn** held their nerve and fought off a strong challenge from the teams from Israel and Finland. Congratulations go to them on a magnificent achievement, made possible once again by the generous sponsorship of Winton Capital Management. This was the first time since 1986 that Great Britain had won the gold medal outright (it was shared with Russia in 1990).

The stage was set for this fine result by the scores gained by two of the team's members in the Open Solving contest held the day before the main event. John Nunn came first in this event with a perfect score, with Jonathan Mestel half a point behind in second place. The weather and atmosphere in Greece clearly appealed to our two strongest solvers.

One of the problems confronting the solvers in the WCSC is shown in the following diagram. The stipulation requires White to play and mate in 3 moves, against any defence that Black may play.



White to play and mate in 3

This problem should not be approached as if it were a game position, which it clearly isn't. The requirement to mate on White's third move demands a special kind of thinking. The key (White's first move) is **1.Nd2**, with the threat of 2.Nc4+ bxc4 3.Qb8. Black can defend by capturing on various squares. 1...Rxd4 allows 2.g4+, to which Black has three replies, all leading to different mates: 2...Rf4 3.c4, 2...Nf4 3.cxd4, and 2...Kxd5 3.Qxb5. 1...Rxc3 leads to 2.Nf3+, with the following replies and mates: 2...Rxf3 3.Rd3, and 2...Nxf3 3.Rexe4. 1...Rxg3 enables White to play a non-checking continuation: 2.Qxb5, with 3.Qb8 to follow. The same white second move, with several threats, is also playable after 1...Bxd5. This problem, to the composer's surprise, turned out to be very difficult. Most solvers dropped points through missing one or more of White's continuations, and some contestants made no headway with it at all.

British Chess Problem Society

This Society, open to chess enthusiasts in all countries, has been in existence since 1918. Monthly meetings are held at the Chadwick Street Recreation Centre in central London during the most of the year, and there is a Residential Weekend around Easter, usually held outside the London area. Members of the Society can attend the monthly meetings, and UK residents may also borrow books in person or by post from the extensive BCPS Library. Members receive two magazines, *The Problemist* and its Supplement, six times a year, and all this for the very reasonable sum of £18 per annum (£15 for one's first year, and half price for under-21s). Enquiries should be addressed to the Society's Assistant Hon. Treasurer, Stephen Taylor, Greenways, Cooling St., Cliffe, Rochester ME3 7UB. A specimen copy of *The Problemist* and of its Supplement, aimed principally at less experienced problem enthusiasts (both edited by **John Rice**) will be sent on request. Hon. Secretary of the BCPS is **Christopher Jones**, 11 Severn Grange, Ison Hill Road, Bristol BS10 7QA.

British chess problem composers

British composers of chess problems continue to win awards for their work, both at home and abroad. The output of **Don Smedley** is relatively small, but his problems are characterised by rich strategy and a fine attention to detail. Here is a recent 3-mover of his which won a prize in an extremely strong composing tourney.

Don Smedley 5th Prize, Tourney in memory of Milan Vukcevich, 2004-5



White to play and mate in 3

The key is **1.Qc4**, with the threat of 2.Rxf5+; if then 2...exf5, 3.Qd5, and if 2...Bxf5 3.Qxd4. The main point of the problem lies in the fact that these two mating moves by the WQ are played as continuations after Black's principal defences, and are then followed by new mating moves. If Black defends with 1...Rc5, White plays 2.Qd5+ Rxd5 3.Nc4, and 2...exd5 3.Re7. Notice that, paradoxically, White gives check on the very square (d5) that Black has just guarded anew. The same thing happens in the second main variation: 1...Bc5 2.Qxd4+ Bxd4 3.Bd6, and 2...Kxd4

3.Bb2. Quite apart from these two impressive lines of play, there is plenty more in the problem. 1...Rxc4 leads to 2.f4+ R or Nxf4 3.Nxc4; 1...dxe3 allows 2.Bb2+ Bc3 3.Bxc3; 1...Rxf3 enables White to play 2.Rxf5+ Rxf5 3.Nxg4, or 2...Ke4 3.Nf6; and 1...Nf4 is followed by 2.Nxg4+ fxg4 3.gxf4. Rich thematic play in which the white and black pieces interact most appealingly.

The helpmate is a style of problem with worldwide popularity. Here Black, playing first, helps White to reach a position in which White can mate in one. With the two sides co-operating, some remarkable effects can be achieved. One of Britain's most successful composers in this field is **Christopher Jones**, who has recently gained the FIDE Master title for composition.

Christopher Jones 2nd Prize, StrateGems 2003



Helpmate in 3: 2 solutions

If direct-mate problems (e.g. White mates in 3) require special thinking, the same can surely be said of helpmates: any notions of opposition must be laid aside. To reach a mating position for White in only 3 moves here requires very precise sacrificial play. The first solution (Black's moves shown first) runs: 1.Qf5 d6 2.cxd6 Ne5 3.dxe5 Bd5; and similar sacrifices are seen in the second solution as well: 1.Qe5 2.g6 2.hxg6 Bf5+ 3.gxf5 Ng5. In both lines of play the aim is to get a black pawn on to a square where it will prevent the black King from escaping.

The next problem is of a type known as a "twin": it has two related positions, the one shown in the diagram and the second arrived at by an interchange of the Ba3 and Nf1. This too is a helpmate, in 4 moves this time.

Brian Edwards
1st Prize, *The Problemist* 2003



Helpmate in 4 (a) diagram (b) interchange Ba3 and Nf1

To get a mate out of the initial position, Black needs an extra piece, so the first move is a promotion. Then the white bishop must get to g5 in order to guard f4 and h4 simultaneously. Black must not only make a move that enables it to do so, but must also play so that the white knight can eventually mate. Black's fourth move must unpin White's mating piece, and this must be a promotion that neither gives check nor interferes with the mate: 1.c1B Bb2 2.c2 Bf6 3.Bxe3 Bg5 4.c1N Nxe3. The solution to position (b) works in much the same way, except that now the white knight guards the squares and the white bishop gives the mate: 1.c1N Nc2 2.Nxe2 Ne1 3.c2 Nxg2 4.c1B Bxe2. The appeal of the problem lies largely in the correspondence between the two lines of play.

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