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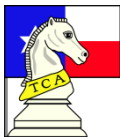
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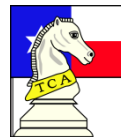


IM Bercys and GM Sadorra fight it off for U.S. Class Title...

In this issue: 2012 U.S. Open, 2012 U.S. Class, 78th Annual Southwest Open, 16th Annual Texas K-12 and Collegiate Championships, UTD GM Invitational, 2012 Pan-Am and much more...



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...And UTD Takes Pan-Am!

2013 Texas State and Amateur Championship

May 24 – May 27 or May 25 - May 27, 2013

7 Round Swiss - Championship and Amateur Sections

[5 Round Swiss Scholastic Side Event.](#)

Championship Section: G/90 with 30 sec increment.

Amateur Section: Rounds 1-7 30/90 d5 SD/1 d5, round 1 of 3 day is G/115 d5

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Byes: Up to two half-point byes, any round, if requested before end of Rd 2.

Rounds (3-Day): Friday 8pm - Saturday 2pm & 6:30pm - Sun 9:30am & 2:30pm.

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U.S. CLASS SCHOLASTIC – 5SS, G/30 d5 – ENTRY FEE \$20 by 9/6, \$25 after

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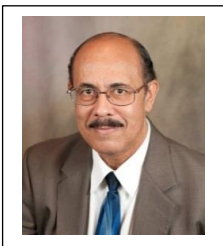
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From the Desk of The Editor

First, I want to thank Selby Anderson for his outstanding service as the previous editor of *Texas Knights*. His outstanding contributions to the Texas Chess Association will leave a lasting impression, not only in the chess community in Texas, but all across this country!

Second, I apologize for the lateness of this issue. I promise to do much better from now on. For me, it has been a very hectic period directing chess tournaments at the State and National levels, as well as a few International events. That said, I accepted the responsibility to be the Editor of this magazine and I should have done better. It is my intention to catch up very quickly. This, as you can see, is a double-issue that includes many of the Fall and Winter events. As soon as I finish with my duties as the Chief Arbiter of the U.S. Championship in St. Louis, I will be sending out the Spring issue. That one will cover the Regional Scholastic and the Texas Collegiate and Scholastic Championships as well as a super strong UT Dallas Spring FIDE Open.

By now, most of you know me. I am an NTD and International Arbiter. I am also the FIDE Zonal President for the U.S. I stay very busy organizing and directing tournaments. Our family moved from Florida to Texas in 2005 and we really love it here! I retired from the Army after 23 years active duty.

Although I played some chess while in the service, Army life did not allow me much time to play or direct events. It was not until 2001 when one of my son's showed adeptness for the game that I became really involved in chess. Twelve years later, chess has become almost a full-time job!

This year, in addition to being the Chief TD of SuperNationals (for the second time), I will be the Chief TD of the U.S. Open (for the third time) and the Chief Arbiter of the premier chess event in the Nation, the U.S. Championship.

I am really excited to be part of the U.S. Championship, and particularly thrilled that some of our players will be in attendance! As you may already know, 16-year old Sarah Chiang has been invited to participate in the U.S. Women's Championship. In the U.S. Championship, we will have four GMs who are Texas residents: Timur Gareev, Alexander Onischuk, Alejandro Ramirez and Conrad Holt. I will include games and pictures of that event in the Spring issue which will go out days after the event concludes.

As you will see in this issue, my approach will be a little different. I have added the list of top players in the center pages. This is one feature that I copied from my friend Harvey Lerman from Florida. In every issue, I will be featuring one of our players. Since this is a double issue, I am recognizing two of them. Actually they are siblings.

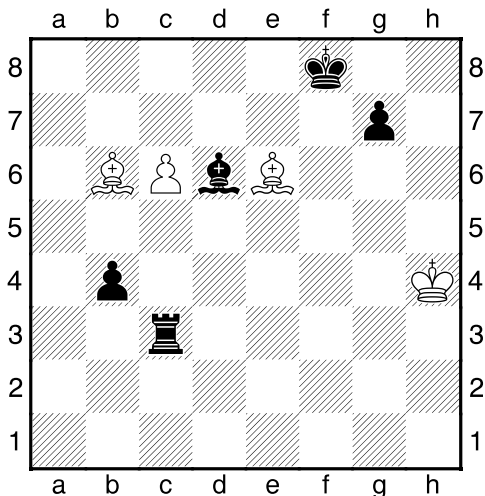
Finally, we need this magazine to be a team effort. To that end, I am asking all the Regional Directors, organizers and TDs to send me pictures, games and crosstables. I will try to give our players the recognition they deserve.

Sarah Chiang – Continued from Page 6

Here are a couple of Sarah's games, against GM Amanov and FM John Bryant.

(1) Amanov Zhanibek (2415) – Chiang Sarah (2101)

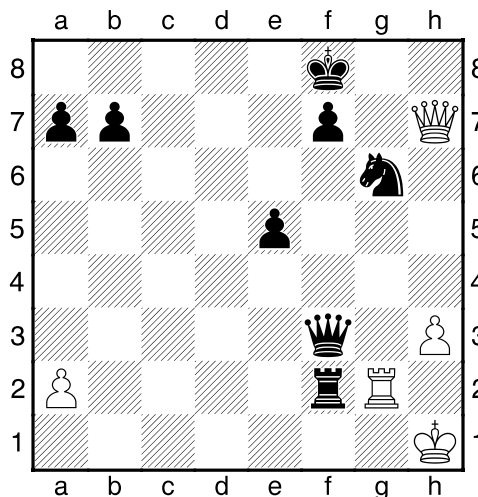
Golden State Open G120 (1), 14.01.2011
 1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 dxe4 4.Nxe4 Bf5 5.Ng3 Bg6 6.Nf3 Nd7 7.Bc4 e6 8.0-0 Ngf6 9.Qe2 Be7 10.c3 0-0 11.Nh4 c5 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.dxc5 Bxc5 14.Bf4 Nb6 15.Bb3 Nbd5 16.Bg5 Be7 17.Rad1 Qb6 18.Qf3 Rfd8 19.h4 a5 20.Bc1 Qc5 21.Bc2 b5 22.Bd3 b4 23.c4 Nb6 24.b3 a4 25.h5 gxh5 26.Be3 Qc7 27.Nxh5 Nbd7 28.Nxf6+ Nxf6 29.Bf4 Qc5 30.Be3 Qe5 31.Bb6 Rdb8 32.Rfe1 Qb2 33.Re2 Qa3 34.c5 axb3 35.axb3 Rc8 36.Re5 Qb2 37.Rg5 Ra1 38.Rxa1 Qxa1+ 39.Kh2 Qd4 40.Qg3 Ne4 41.Rg4 f5 42.Rxe4? fxe4 43.Bc4 Qf6 44.Ba6 Ra8 45.Bb7 Ra1 46.Qg4 Qe5+ 47.g3 Qf6 48.Bxe4 Qxf2+ 49.Bg2 Re1 50.Kh3 Re2 51.Qf3 Qxf3 52.Bxf3 Rc2 53.c6 Bd6 54.Bd4 Rd2 55.Bb6 Rd3 56.Be2 Rxc3+ 57.Kh4 Rxb3 58.Bc4 Rc3 59.Bxe6+ Kf8 0-1



(2) Bryant John Daniel (2468) – Chiang Sarah (2180)

Western States Open G120,60,30 (6), 23.10.2011

1.e4 c6 2.d3 d5 3.Nd2 Nf6 4.Ngf3 Bg4 5.h3 Bxf3 6.Qxf3 e6 7.g3 Nbd7 8.Bg2 Bd6 9.0-0 0-0 10.Qe2 e5 11.Nf3 Qc7 12.Nh4 g6 13.Bg5 Rfe8 14.exd5 cxd5 15.c4 dxc4 16.Rac1 cxd3 17.Qxd3 Qb6 18.Be3 Bc5 19.Bxc5 Nxc5 20.Qe3 Rac8 21.Qh6 Nce4 22.g4 Rxc1 23.Qxc1 Qc5 24.b4 Qxb4 25.Qe3 Nc3 26.Nf5 Nfd5 27.Qg5 Qf4 28.Nh6+ Kg7 29.Nf5+ Kg8 30.Nh6+ Kg7 31.Nf5+ Kf8 32.Qh4 gxf5 33.Bxd5 Nxd5 34.Rd1 Ne7 35.Qxh7 fxc4 36.Rd3 Rc8 37.Rg3 Ng6 38.Rxc4 Qf5 39.Kg2 Rc2 40.Kh1 Qf3+ 41.Rg2 Rxf2 0-1



Next issue will have coverage of Sarah at the U.S. Women's Chess Championship!

Jonathan Chiang – Continued from Page 7

School, oh school. For some reason, I have tons of school. I guess that's because I am in 7th grade. Even so, school shouldn't be a hindrance to your chess study. I know, sometimes school can be actually really hard. Some days I barely get to do chess. Usually I try to do at least 3 hours a day.

Some days I get to do more, some days I get to do less. At the end of the day, there's usually at least half of an hour a day to do some tactics here and there, or even just play a game of ICC. Every little thing helps even if it is small.



Jonathan and Sarah Chiang – Members of the All-America Chess Team and the second-highest rated brother-sister combination in the Nation!

TCA Treasurer's Report - April 29, 2013

Income

September memberships	\$125.00
October memberships	500.00
November memberships	100.00
December memberships	0.00
January memberships	0.00
February memberships	35.00
March memberships	65.00
April memberships	35.00
2012 SW Open memberships	455.00
2012 Texas State Grade and memberships	324.00
Texas Masters memberships	12.50
Texas Junior Teams Tournament	75.00
Region 3 Scholastic Championships Tournament	160.00
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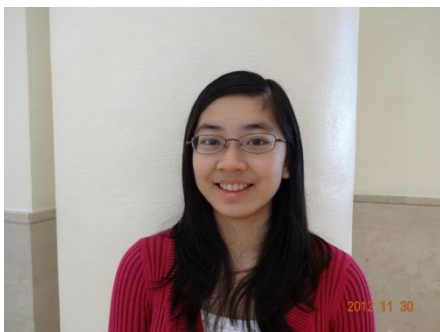
Total \$2,558.00

Expenses

Texas Masters tournament	1000.00
USCF Affiliate dues (2 years)	<u>80.00</u>
Total	\$1,080.00

April 29, 2013

WF checking account balance	\$16,302.93
BOA checking account balance	\$9,508.05



Spotlight on...Sarah Chiang

Seven years ago, the local elementary school's chess club organizer walked into my dad's office to get his eyes checked, and a few days later my brother and I signed up for the chess club. Ever since then, my family's life has been wrapped around chess, and it has affected almost every aspect of my life. I have been blessed with opportunities to play in many international tournaments as well as to see many different countries and their cultures. Chess has also taught me many lessons that will help me later on in the future such as setting goals and working hard.

I have many immediate goals in chess such as winning the upcoming World Youth Chess Championship in November and achieving rating milestones. There are also many other tournaments that I would like to be able to qualify and perform well in such as the US Junior Closed, US Women's Championship, and Pan American Youth Festival (Open section) to name a few. Ultimately, my main goal for chess is to become a Grandmaster.

Currently my coach is GM Gregory Kaidanov. I have had numerous coaches throughout my years of playing chess, and there have been times where more than one coach would be working with me. I appreciate all that my coaches have done, and each has helped me in different aspects of chess.

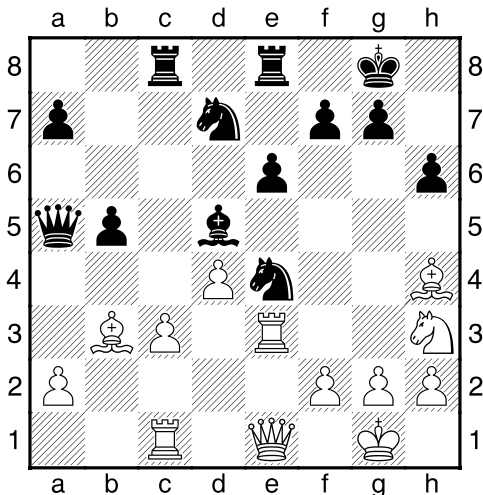
Two years ago I enrolled in an online virtual school called Connections Academy. The main reason for the switch was because the local public school only allowed a certain number of absent days which made it difficult to participate in international tournaments. The goal was also to have more hours to study chess, but high school takes up a lot of me time. I am currently in 10th grade, and most days I have around 2-3 hours a day for chess. Though, there are days when I barely have any time for chess because of certain assignments. My course load consists of AP US history, AP computer science, and honors classes in pre-algebra, language arts, and chemistry. I have also been taking karate for many years. Currently, I am a second degree black belt, and will be testing for my third degree next year in January. I go to classes around three times per week, and am one of the highest ranked students in the school. As of right now, I have not seriously looked into which college I would like to attend, but my goal is to get accepted into an exceptional university. As for a profession, I am looking into becoming a pediatrician.

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Yotov,Valentin (2624) – So,Wesley (2711)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (6), 30.12.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e3 0-0 5.Bd3
d5 6.Nf3 c5 7.0-0 cxd4 8.exd4 dxc4 9.Bxc4
b6 10.Bg5 Bb7 11.Rc1 Nbd7 12.Re1 Rc8
13.Bb3 Re8 14.Bh4 Bxc3 15.bxc3 b5 16.Ng5
h6 17.Nh3 Qa5 18.Re3 Bd5 19.Qd2 Ne4
20.Qe1 Nef6 21.Rg3 Ne4 22.Re3 Nef6
23.Rg3 Ne4 24.Re3 ½-½



Robson,Ray (2691) – Chirila,Cristian (2579)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (6), 30.12.2012

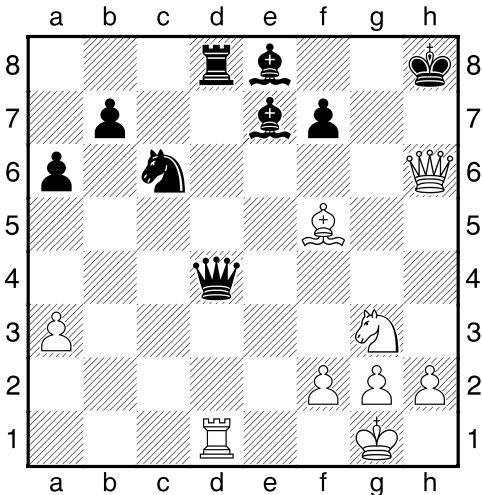
1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 f5 4.d3 fxe4 5.dxe4
Nf6 6.0-0 Bc5 7.Bxc6 bxc6 8.Nxe5 0-0 9.Nc3
Ba6 10.Nd3 Bb6 11.Bg5 Qe8 12.Re1 Rb8
13.Na4 Bxd3 14.Nxb6 Rxb6 15.cxd3 Rxb2
16.Qc1 Rb5 17.a4 Rb3 18.Be3 Qe6 19.Bxa7
Rxd3 20.Qc2 Qb3 21.Qxb3+ Rxb3 22.a5 Ra8
23.Bd4 c5 24.Bxc5 Rb5 25.Rac1 Raxa5
26.Bd4 c6 27.f3 Ra2 28.Red1 Rg5 29.Bf2
Rb5 30.Bd4 Rg5 31.g3 Rh5 32.Bf2 Rb5

33.Bd4 Rb3 34.Rf1 Rd2 35.Bc3 Rd3 36.Bxf6
gxf6 37.Kg2 Rb2+ 38.Kh3 Rdd2 39.Rh1 Kf7
40.Rc5 Kg6 41.g4 d5 42.Rxc6 Rb3 43.Kh4
Rxf3 44.e5 d4 45.Rd6 Kf7 46.exf6 Rxf6
47.Rd7+ Kg6 48.h3 Rf7 49.Rd6+ Rf6 50.Rd7
Rf7 51.Rd5 Rd3 52.Ra1 h6 53.Ra6+ Rf6
54.Ra7 Rdf3 55.Rxd4 h5 56.Rdd7 hxg4
57.hxg4 Rf8 58.Rg7+ Kf6 59.g5+ Kf5
60.Raf7+ Ke6 61.Rxf3 Rxf3 62.Kh5 Rg3
63.Kg6 Ra3 64.Rf7 Ra5 65.Rf1 Ke7 66.Kh6
Ra2 67.g6 Rh2+ 68.Kg7 Re2 69.Kg8 Rg2
70.g7 Re2 71.Rh1 1-0

Sadorra,J(2617) – Corrales,F (2667)

2012 Pan Am Princeton (6), 30.12.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bf4 Be7 5.e3 0-0
6.a3 c5 7.dxc5 Bxc5 8.Nf3 Nc6 9.Qc2 Qa5
10.Rd1 Be7 11.Be2 dxc4 12.Bxc4 Nh5 13.0-0
Nxf4 14.exf4 a6 15.Ne4 h6 16.Ba2 Rd8
17.Rxd8+ Qxd8 18.Rd1 Bd7 19.Bb1 Kf8
20.Ng3 g6 21.f5 exf5 22.Qd2 f4 23.Qxf4 Kg7
24.Qd2 Qb6 25.Bxg6 Rd8 26.Bf5 Be8
27.Bd3 Kg8 28.Qxh6 Qxb2 29.Nd4 Qxd4
30.Bh7+ Kh8 31.Bf5+ 1-0





Spotlight on...Jonathan Chiang

Drowsy from my nap in the car, I look outside to see where my dad has taken me. I see dim lights inside the building. It's night so the eerier light seems a little creepy. My dad opens up the car door while I gingerly step out of the car. I stretch my little arms as I rub my eyes trying to rub the sleep away. The wind feels nice on my face as I scan the area looking... just looking. I glance down at the road and notice the cracks and dark stains on the parking lot. I take my dad's hand and gently swing it as he takes me to the Dallas Chess Club.

I was 5 when I first went into Dallas Chess Club. Now I am 12 and am still going. I play chess for not only a hobby but also to learn about real life. What other sport can you go to 4 different continents, 6 countries (going 7 after going to world youth which is in Slovenia) by the age of 12? It's amazing how chess teaches you to not only be competitive, but also shows you how to be a good sport and how to react even if things don't go your way (that means no slamming pieces or just walking away :P). It's like real life in a toned down form.

I don't exactly want to be a professional chess player. The chess player/coach wasn't really a calling for a career. I would like to be something like a lawyer or a financial analyst. I might go to UTD or any other chess college to play chess and as my undergrad.

Before a round of a tournament, I usually do some chess.com tactics (it's actually fun! :D) or some form of tactics to get my mind set ready. The real formula is to be alert enough so you don't miss easy simple tactics, but not to over prepare so you are tired and exhausted even before the round started! Of course this doesn't mean to slack off or not prepare for your opponent just because I said it (I am not held responsible).

Everyone has their own goals. My chess goal is to be a grandmaster before going to college. I won't have much time in college to do chess, so making GM before is vital. The usual "I want to become the greatest bestest chess player in the whole wide world" is ok and all, but you can't just go for the norm. You have to have a goal which you want to achieve and not somebody else's goal. This is the only way for you to get to where you want to go. So with enough drive and a good guidance, you can be whatever you want to be (this was preachy wasn't it...)

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113TH Annual U.S. Open

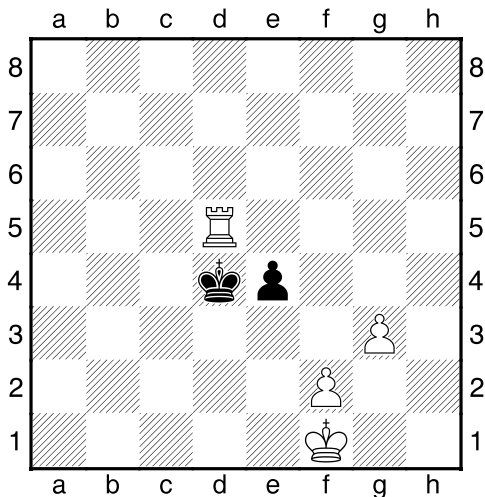
The 113th Annual United States Open Chess Championship was held in Vancouver, Washington, 4-12 August 2012. Thirteen Texas players made the trip to the Northwest to compete in our premier Open tournament. At the end of the event, here is how they finished in this 9-round event:

Pos	Name	Rating	Pts
T9	GM Ramirez, Alejandro	2643	7
T9	Guadalupe, Francisco, II	2305	7
T41	WFM Labeledz, Patrycja	2329	6
T41	FM Langer, Michael	2264	6
T41	Pamatmat, Jarod M	2233	6
T147	Obili, Abhishek	1894	5
T218	Davis, Charles R	1741	4.5
T363	Carter, Stephen Alan	1568	3.5
T363	Emery, Paul Richard	1360	3.5
T363	Brenner, Eric	1276	3.5
T417	Irwin, Philip	1912	3
T417	Kuzma, Steve	1293	3
T509	Obili, Yatin	762	1

In addition to those players, there were a few others whose home state is not Texas but who were, at the time, going to school in Texas. Three of these students performed well, including then-TTU student GM Manuel Hoyos and UTD student IM Salvijus Bercys (7.5 points). Bercys earned \$820 for this 5-way tie for 4th place. Daniel Gater of UTD (6.5 points) earned \$150 as he finished in a 14-way tie for the 2nd-4th Expert prize. The trio of GM Manuel Hoyos, GM Dmitry Gurevich, and FM John Bryant finished in a tie for first place with 8.0 points, each one getting \$4,667. Manuel won the Blitz play-off and pocketed the additional \$200 bonus. Francisco finished in a 4-way tie for top master and earned \$643. Here is the Blitz play-off game that decided the title and trophy between Hoyos and Bryant:

US Open Vancouver, WA, 12.08.2012

1.c4 Nf6 2.g3 g6 3.Bg2 d5 4.cxd5 Nxd5 5.Nc3 Nb6 6.Nf3 Bg7 7.0-0 0-0 8.d3 Nc6 9.Be3 h6 10.Rc1 Be6 11.a3 Nd5 12.Nxd5 Bxd5 13.b4 e5 14.b5 Nd4 15.Bxd4 exd4 16.Nd2 a6 17.Bxd5 Qxd5 18.bxa6 Rxa6 19.Rxc7 Rxa3 20.Qb1 b5 21.Rfc1 Rc3 22.Ne4 Rxc7 23.Rxc7 Rb8 24.Qb4 Qe5 25.Rc6 Bf8 26.Qb3 Kg7 27.Ra6 b4 28.Ra7 Qf5 29.Qb2 Qd5 30.e3 b3 31.Ra4 Bc5 32.Ra5 Rc8 33.Rb5 f5? 34.Nxc5 Rxc5 35.Rxb3 Kf7 36.Rb7+ Ke6 37.Rb6+ Kf7 38.exd4 Rc7 39.Rb5 Qf3 40.d5 Qd1+ 41.Kg2 Qxd3 42.Qe5 Qe4+ 43.Qxe4 fxe4 44.h4 Kf6 45.Rb6+ Kf5 46.h5 gxh5 47.Rxh6 Kg5 48.Re6 Kf5 49.Rd6 Rc2 50.Kf1 Ke5 51.Rd8 Rd2 52.Rh8 Rxd5 53.Rxh5+ Kd4 54.Rxd5+



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Hoyos,Manuel (2679) – Bryant,John (2455)

**Chirila,Cristian (2579) –
Calugar,Arthur (2452)**

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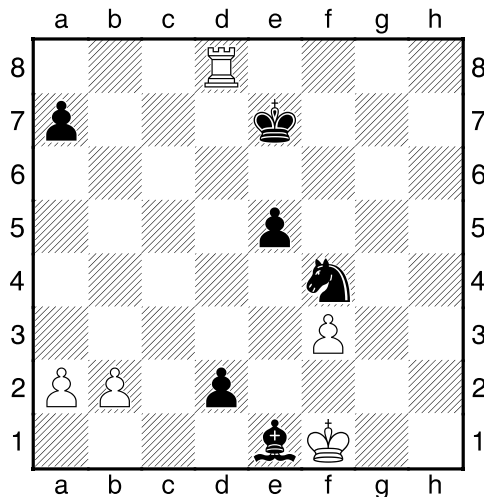
1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.cxd5 Nxd5
5.Qb3 Nb6 6.d4 Bg7 7.e4 0-0 8.Be3 a5 9.Rd1
a4 10.Qc2 Nc6 11.Ne5 Nb4 12.Qc1 Be6
13.d5 Bxe5 14.dxe6 Qe8 15.f4 Bg7 16.Nb5
Qc6 17.Qxc6 bxc6 18.exf7+ Kxf7 19.Bxb6
cxb5 20.Bc5 Na6 21.Be3 c6 22.e5 Nb4
23.Bc5 Nd5 24.g3 g5 25.fgx5 Bxe5 26.Bd4
Bxd4 27.Rxd4 a3 28.bxa3 Rxa3 29.Bxb5
cxb5 30.0-0+ Nf6 31.gxf6 exf6 32.Rd6 Kg6
33.Rf2 Rc3 34.Rd5 b4 35.Rb5 Rc4 36.Rb6
h5 37.h3 Kg5 38.Kg2 Rd4 39.h4+ Kg6
40.Kh3 Rc4 41.Rb5 Ra8 42.Rb6 Rf8 43.Rd2
Rg4 44.Rdd6 Rf7 45.Ra6 Rf8 46.Rdb6 Rc4
47.Rb5 Rd4 48.Raa5 Rh8 49.Rb6 Rf8 50.Ra7
Rf7 51.Ra8 Re7 52.Rf8 Rf7 53.Rh8 Rfd7
54.Rg8+ Rg7 55.Ra8 Re7 56.Raa6 Rf7
57.Ra5 Rf8 58.Rbb5 Rh8 59.Rb7 Rc4
60.Raa7 Rg8 61.Ra6 Rc3 62.Rb5 Kf7
63.Rb7+ Kg6 64.Rb5 Kf7 65.Rb7+ ½-½

**Getz,Alec (2443) – Yotov,Valentin
(2624)**

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Princeton (5), 29.12.2012

1.c4 e5 2.g3 d6 3.Bg2 f5 4.Nc3 Nf6 5.d3 Be7
6.e4 c6 7.Nge2 0-0 8.0-0 Na6 9.h3 Kh8
10.Be3 Qe8 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.g4 Bxg4
13.hxg4 Nxd4 14.Ng3 Qg6 15.Qe2 d5
16.Nd1 Nb4 17.Bh3 h5 18.Kh1 Nxd3
19.Nxh5 Nxe3 20.Nxe3 Bc5 21.Ng3 Qh7
22.Kh2 Nf4 23.Qg4 Rf6 24.Nef5 Raf8
25.cxd5 cxd5 26.Rac1 Bb6 27.Rc3 Bd8
28.Rc8 Rg6 29.Qh4 Qxh4 30.Nxh4 Rh6
31.Ngf5 Rc6 32.Rxc6 bxc6 33.Rc1 g5
34.Rxc6 gxh4 35.Bg4 Bb6 36.f3 Bf2 37.Rc7
d4 38.Nh6 d3 39.Bf5 Rxf5 40.Nxf5 d2

41.Rc8+ Kh7 42.Rc7+ Kg6 43.Nxh4+ Bxh4
44.Rd7 Be1 45.Kg1 Kf6 46.Kf1 Ke6 47.Rd8
Ke7 Diagram



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**Breckenridge,Steven (2390) –
Yu,Jonathan (2021)**

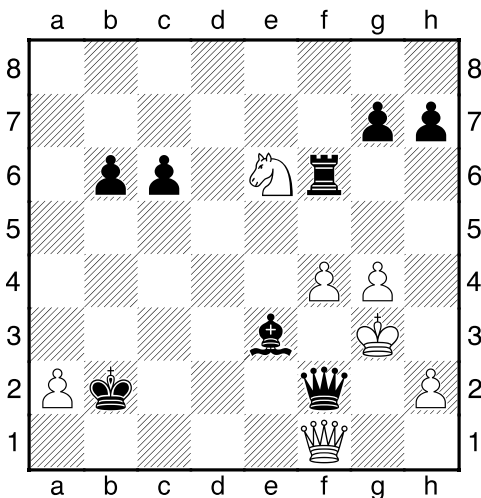
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Bb6 9.0-0 Nge7 10.Re1 0-0 11.Bg5 f6 12.Be3
Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Bg4 14.Be2 Qb6 15.Nfd4
Nxd4 16.Bxg4 Nxb3 17.axb3 Qc5 18.Be6+
Kh8 19.Ra4 Rad8 20.Rd4 Nc6 21.Rh4 d4
22.Reh3 h6 23.Qd2 Qg5 24.f4 Qa5 25.b4
Qa1+ 26.Kf2 f5 27.g4 Ne7 28.g5 Qxb2
29.Qe2 d3 30.Rxh6+ gxh6 31.Rxh6+ Kg7
32.Rh7+ 1-0

Xue,Dyland (2174) – De La Parra,Daniela (2047)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (4), 29.12.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 f5 4.exf5 e4 5.Qe2
Qe7 6.Bxc6 dxc6 7.Nd4 Qe5 8.Nf3 Qxf5 9.d3
Nf6 10.Nbd2 Bd7 11.dxe4 Qg4 12.0-0 Nh5
13.Nb3 Nf4 14.Bxf4 Qxf4 15.g3 Qg4 16.Qe3
Qh5 17.e5 Bg4 18.Nfd4 0-0-0 19.f3 Bh3
20.Rfd1 Qg6 21.Ne2 Rxd1+ 22.Rxd1 Qxc2
23.Rc1 Qxb2 24.Nf4 Bf5 25.g4 Bg6 26.Rd1
b6 27.Rd2 Qa3 28.Qd4 Kb7 29.Ne6 Be8
30.Qd8 Qe7 31.Na5+ Ka6 32.Nxc7+ Kxa5
33.Nxe8 Qxe5 34.Kg2 Bb4 35.Qa8 Bxd2
36.Qxa7+ Kb5 37.Nc7+ Kc5 38.Qa3+ Kd4
39.Qa4+ Kd3 40.Qb3+ Qc3 41.Qe6 Kc2
42.Qe4+ Kc1 43.Ne6 Re8 44.Qe2 Be3
45.Qf1+ Kb2 46.Nc7 Qc2+ 47.Kg3 Rf8
48.Ne6 Rf6 49.f4 Qf2+ 1-0



Quesada,Maydelis (1857) –

Jamison,Courtney (2004)

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Princeton (5), 29.12.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3
d6 6.Bg5 a6 7.Qd2 Be7 8.0-0-0 0-0 9.f4 Qc7

10.Nb3 Nbd7 11.g4 b5 12.a3 Bb7 13.Bd3
Nc5 14.Nxc5 dxc5 15.Bxf6 Bxf6 16.e5 Bxh1
17.Rxh1 Be7 18.Qg2 c4 19.Be4 Rad8
20.Qh3 g6 21.Bg2 f6 22.f5 Qxe5 23.fxc6
Qg5+ 24.Kb1 Qxg6 25.Be4 Qg7 26.Qe3 Rd6
27.h4 Rfd8 28.Bf3 Kh8 29.Ne4 Rd4 30.h5 a5
31.h6 Qg6 32.Nc3 b4 33.Ne2 Rd2 34.Be4
Qf7 35.Nf4 Rd1+ 36.Rxd1 Rxd1+ 37.Ka2 e5
38.Qf3 b3+ 0-1

Labeledz,Patrycja (2282) – Hernandez,Daniel (1978)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (5), 29.12.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 d6 5.0-0 0-0
6.c4 Nbd7 7.Nc3 c5 8.e4 cxd4 9.Nxd4 a6
10.h3 Qc7 11.Qe2 Nb6 12.b3 d5 13.exd5
Nfxd5 14.Nxd5 Nxd5 15.Bb2 Nf6 16.Rfe1
Re8 17.Nf3 Bf5 18.Be5 Qb6 19.Rac1 Nd7
20.Bxg7 Kxg7 21.c5 Qf6 22.g4 Be6 23.Qe3
h6 24.Nd4 Rab8 25.Nxe6+ fxe6 26.Qxe6
Qxe6 27.Rxe6 Rbc8 28.b4 Rc7 29.Rce1 Nb8
30.Be4 Nc6 31.a3 g5 32.Rg6+ Kf7 33.Rxh6
Rd8 34.Rh7+ Kf6 35.Kg2 a5 36.Bxc6 bxc6
37.Rh6+ Kf7 38.Ree6 axb4 39.axb4 Rb7
40.Rxc6 Rxb4 41.Rh7+ Ke8 42.Rc7 1-0

Pavlovic,Milos (2537) – Gater,Daniel (2145)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (5), 29.12.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6
5.Nc3 g6 6.Be3 Bg7 7.f3 Nc6 8.Qd2 0-0 9.g4
Be6 10.Nxe6 fxe6 11.0-0-0 Ne5 12.Be2 Qc8
13.h4 Nc4 14.Bxc4 Qxc4 15.h5 b5 16.Kb1
b4 17.Ne2 a5 18.hxg6 hxg6 19.Bh6 e5 20.b3
Qe6 21.Ng3 Kf7 22.Bxg7 Kxg7 23.Rh6 Kf7
24.g5 Nd7 25.Nf5 Rh8 26.Rdh1 Rxh6
27.Rxh6 Nf8 28.Qh2 Rc8 29.Rh7+ Nxh7
30.Qxh7+ Kf8 31.Qh8+ 1-0

Here are a few of the games of our Texas players:

ROUND 1

Bercys,Salvijus (2479) – Heublum,Harry (1842)

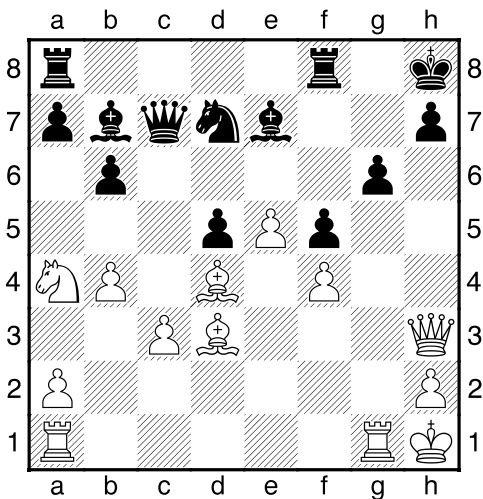
US Open Vancouver, WA (1), 04.08.2012

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6.Be2 Na6 7.Be3 e5 8.d5 b6 9.Nd2 Bd7 10.Rb1
Ne8 11.b4 f5 12.f3 f4 13.Bf2 Nb8 14.c5 g5 15.c6
Bc8 16.Nc4 Nf6 17.g4 fxg3 18.hxg3 h5 19.Ne3
Qe7 20.g4 h4 21.Qd2 Qf7 22.Rh2 Nh7 23.Nf5 Re8
24.Be3 Qg6 25.Nb5 Na6 26.Rb3 Bf6 27.Ra3 Be7
28.Rxa6 Bxa6 29.Nxc7 Bxe2 30.Qxe2 1-0

Guadalupe,Francisco (2305) – Sloan,Kenneth (1824)

US Open Vancouver, WA (1), 04.08.2012

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.e5 Nfd7 5.f4 c5 6.Nf3
Qb6 7.Na4 Qa5+ 8.c3 Nc6 9.Be3 cxd4 10.b4 Qc7
11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.Bxd4 Be7 13.Bd3 0-0 14.0-0 f5
15.g4 g6 16.Kh1 b6 17.Rg1 Kh8 18.gxf5 exf5
19.Qf3 Bb7 20.Qh3



20...Qc6 21.e6+ Nf6 22.Rxg6 Qxe6 23.Bxf5 Qf7

24.Rxf6 1-0

ROUND 2

Ellis,James (2000) – Bercys,Salvijus (2479)

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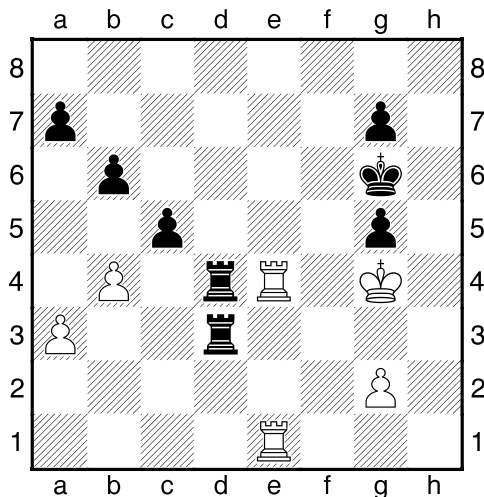
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10.Re1 b4 11.Ne2 Nxe4 12.Nd4 Qb7 13.f4 Be7
14.Qh5 Nf6 15.Qh3 Qc7 16.Rad1 Bb7 17.Kh1 h5
18.f5 e5 19.Ne6 dxe6 20.fxe6 e4 21.exf7+ Kxf7
22.Qf5 exd3 0-1

Waterman,Jeremy (1953) –

Guadalupe,Francisco (2305)

US Open Vancouver, WA (2), 05.08.2012

1.e4 e5 2.d4 exd4 3.Qxd4 Nc6 4.Qe3 Bb4+ 5.Bd2
Bxd2+ 6.Nxd2 d6 7.Bc4 Nf6 8.Ne2 0-0 9.Qc3 Re8
10.f3 d5 11.Bd3 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Nd5 13.Qd2 Ndb4
14.a3 Nxd3+ 15.Qxd3 Qxd3 16.cxd3 Bf5 17.Kf2
Rad8 18.Rhd1 Ne5 19.d4 Ng4+ 20.fxg4 Bxe4
21.Ng1 Rd7 22.Nf3 Red8 23.Rac1 f6 24.Rc4 Bd5
25.Rc3 c6 26.Rcd3 h6 27.b4 Kf7 28.h4 Be4
29.R3d2 b6 30.g5 Bxf3 31.Kxf3 hxg5 32.hxg5
fxg5 33.Kg4 Kg6 34.Kg3 Rd5 35.Re2 Rxd4
36.Rde1 Rd3+ 37.Kg4 R8d4+ 38.Re4 c5 0-1



Sawyer,David (1944) – Langer,Michael (2264)

US Open Vancouver, WA (2), 05.08.2012

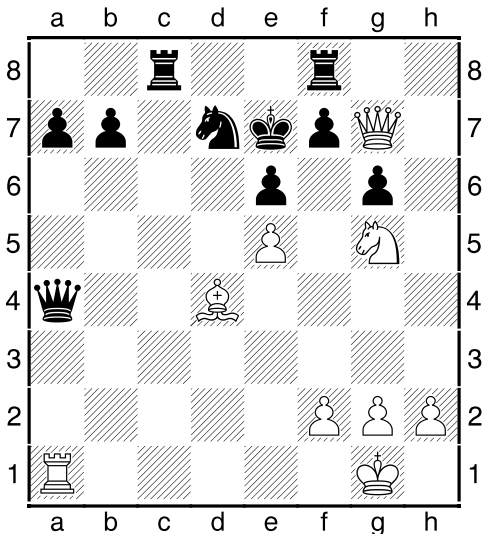
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Nc7 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.0-0 e5 8.a3 Be7 9.b4 0-0 10.b5
Nd4 11.Nxe5 Bf6 12.Nd3 c4 13.Nc5 Ndx5
14.Nxb7 Nxc3 15.dxc3 Qxd1 16.Rxd1 Bxc3
17.Rb1 Bf5 18.e4 Bg4 19.f3 Be6 20.Nc5 Ba5
21.Rd4 Bb6 22.Rxb6 axb6 23.Nxe6 Nxe6 24.Rxc4
Rac8 25.Rxc8 Rxc8 26.Be3 Nc5 27.Bf1 Ra8
28.Bc1 Nb3 29.Be3 Rxa3 30.Bxb6 Nd2 31.Be2
Nxf3+ 32.Bxf3 Rxf3 33.Kg2 Rb3 34.Bc7 Kf8
35.Bd6+ Ke8 36.Bc5 Rb2+ 37.Bf2 Rb3 38.Bd4 g6
39.Bf6 Kd7 40.Kh3 Ke6 41.e5 Kf5 42.Kh4 h5 0-1

ROUND 3

Gutman,Richard (2052) – Labeledz,Patrycja (2329)

US Open Vancouver, WA (3), 06.08.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 dxc4 5.a4 Bf5
6.e3 e6 7.Bxc4 Bb4 8.0-0 Nbd7 9.Qe2 0-0 10.e4
Bg6 11.Bd3 Rc8 12.Rd1 Qa5 13.e5 Nd5 14.Bxg6
hxg6 15.Ne4 c5 16.Nd6 Rb8 17.Ng5 cxd4 18.Nc4
Qa6 19.Rxd4 Rbc8 20.b3 Bc3 21.Bb2 Bxd4
22.Bxd4 N5b6 23.Qg4 Nxc4 24.Qh4 Rfe8
25.Qh7+ Kf8 26.bxc4 Qxc4 27.Bb2 Qb3 28.Qh8+
Ke7 29.Qxg7 Rf8 30.Bd4 Qxa4 0-1



Langer,Michael (2264) – Hall,Bill (2043)

US Open Vancouver, WA (3), 06.08.2012

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Nf6 3.c4 c6 4.d4 cxd5 5.Nc3 g6
6.Qb3 Bg7 7.cxd5 0-0 8.Be2 Nbd7 9.Bf3 Nb6
10.Nge2 Bf5 11.a4 Bd3 12.a5 Bc4 13.Qb4 Bxe2
14.Nxe2 Nbx5 15.Qxb7 Qd6 16.Qb3 Rab8
17.Qa3 Nb4 18.0-0 Nfd5 19.Bd2 Qa6 20.Rfc1 e6
21.b3 Rfd8 22.Rc4 Bf8 23.Qa4 Rb5 24.Nf4 Nxf4
25.Bxf4 Nd3 26.Rc6 Qxc6 27.Bxc6 Rb4 28.Qa2
Nxf4 29.g3 Nd3 30.d5 exd5 31.Rd1 Rd4 32.Qe2
Nb4 33.Rxd4 Nxc6 34.Rd1 d4 35.Qb5 Nb4
36.Rd2 a6 37.Qb6 Rd5 38.Rxd4 Rb5 39.Qd8 Nc6
40.Qd7 Nxd4 41.Qxd4 Rxa5 42.g4 Rb5 43.Qd3
Rb4 44.f3 a5 45.Qc2 Rd4 46.Kf2 Bb4 47.Ke3 1/2-
1/2

ROUND 4

Ramirez,Alejandro (2643) – Sinkewitsch,Nicholas (1818)

US Open Vancouver, WA (4), 07.08.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.g3 d5 4.Nf3 Be7 5.Bg2 0-0
6.0-0 c5 7.cxd5 exd5 8.Nc3 Nc6 9.Bg5 cxd4
10.Nxd4 Be6 11.Rc1 Qd7 12.Nxe6 fxe6 13.Bh3
Rad8 14.Qa4 Ne8 15.Bf4 g5 16.Be3 h5 17.Rfd1
g4 18.Bg2 Nd6 19.Bf4 Nc4 20.Qc2 Qe8 21.Nxd5
exd5 22.Bxd5+ 1-0

Labeledz,Patrycja (2329) – Norowitz,Yaacov (2569)

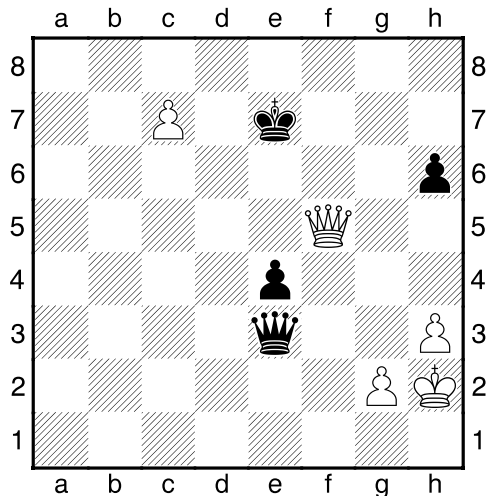
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10.e3 Na5 11.Qc3 c6 12.b4 Nxc4 13.Nxc4 dxc4
14.Qxc4 e5 15.dxe5 Nd7 16.Qc3 Qe7 17.0-0 Qxe5
18.Qxe5 Nxe5 19.Be2 Rfd8 20.Rfd1 f5 21.f4 Nf7
22.g4 fxg4 23.Bxg4 Kf8 24.Kf2 Nd6 25.Rd4 Nb5
26.Rxd8+ Rxd8 27.Rd1 Rxd1 28.Bxd1 Nc3
29.Bb3 c5 30.bxc5 Ne4+ 31.Kf3 Nxc5 32.Bc2 b5

So,Wesley (2711) – Flores,Mauricio (2596)

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1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.Nf3 Bg7 5.cxd5
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b6 10.0-0 Bb7 11.Qd3 cxd4 12.cxd4 Ba6
13.Qe3 Bxe2 14.Qxe2 Nc6 15.d5 Nd4
16.Nxd4 Bxd4 17.Rd1 Bg7 18.Ba3 Be5
19.Rbc1 Qd7 20.Rc6 Rfc8 21.Qc2 e6 22.g3
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Qe3 43.Rc7 Kh6 44.Qc1 1-0



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Bachmann,Axel (2602) – Robson,Ray (2691)

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Princeton (3), 28.12.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nf3 Bg7 4.Nc3 d5 5.e3 0-0
6.cxd5 Nxd5 7.Bc4 Nxc3 8.bxc3 c5 9.0-0
Qc7 10.Qe2 Bg4 11.Ba3 Nd7 12.Bb5 a6
13.Bxd7 Bxd7 14.Rac1 b6 15.h3 Bc6 16.e4
e6 17.dxc5 bxc5 18.Bxc5 Rfc8 19.Bd4 e5
20.Be3 Bxe4 21.c4 Bc6 22.Rfd1 Ba4 23.Rd5
Bc6 24.Rdd1 Rd8 25.c5 Bb5 26.Qc2 Qc6
27.Qc3 Rxd1+ 28.Rxd1 Qe6 29.Qa5 h6 30.a4
Bc6 31.Rd8+ Rxd8 32.Qxd8+ Qe8 33.Qb6
Bxa4 34.Qxa6 Qc6 35.Qa7 Qd7 36.Qb8+
Qe8 37.Qb6 Bc6 38.Nd2 Qd7 39.f3 Qd5
40.Bf2 f5 41.Nc4 e4 42.f4 Qxc4 43.Qxc6
Qc1+ 44.Kh2 Qxf4+ 45.Bg3 Qc1 46.Qd6 Qe3
47.c6 Bd4 48.Qxg6+ Kh8 49.Qe8+ Kg7
50.Be5+ Bxe5+ 51.Qxe5+ Kf7 52.Qxf5+ Ke7
53.c7 Diagram

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Serna,Jeffrey (2033) – Zheng,Haotian (2051)

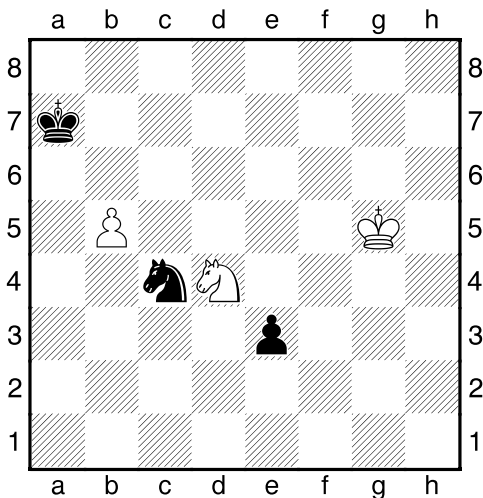
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10.Qd2 Nc7 11.dxc6 Nxc6 12.Qxd6 Rd8
13.Qc5 Qxc5 14.Bxc5 b6 15.Be3 Nd4 16.0-0-0
Be6 17.f3 Bf8 18.Bxd4 exd4 19.Nb5 Nxb5
20.Bxb5 Rac8 21.Ne2 Bxa2 22.Rxd4 Rxd4
23.Nxd4 Bc5 24.Rd1 Rd8 25.c3 Be6 26.Kc2
Bc8 27.b4 Bf8 28.Ra1 Bh3 29.Rxa7 Rc8
30.Kd3 Bd6 31.Ra1 Bg3 32.Ne2 Rd8+
33.Ke3 Bb8 34.Ra6 Bf1 35.Nd4 Bxb5
36.Nxb5 Bg3 37.Rxb6 Bxh4 38.f4 Be1
39.Rc6 Bd2+ 40.Kf3 Rd3+ 41.Kg4 Be1 42.f5
Rg3+ 43.Kf4 Rg1 44.f6 h5 45.gxh6 Bd2+
46.Kf3 Bxh6 47.e5 Rf1+ 48.Kg2 Rf5 49.Rc8+
Kh7 50.Nd6 Rg5+ 51.Kf3 Rxe5 52.Rh8+
Kxh8 53.Nxf7+ Kg8 54.Nxe5 Bd2 55.b5
Bxc3 56.Ng4 Ba5 57.Ke4 Kf7 58.Kd5 Bd8
59.Kc6 Ke6 60.b6 Bxb6 61.Kxb6 1-0

**Camacho,Cheradee (2246) –
Kannappn,Priyadarshan (2497)**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (2), 28.12.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 d5
5.Bb5 dxe4 6.Nxc6 Qxd1+ 7.Kxd1 a6 8.Ba4
Bd7 9.Nc3 Bxc6 10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.Nxe4 e5
12.c4 0-0-0+ 13.Kc2 Rd4 14.Nd2 Ne7 15.b3
Ng6 16.Bb2 Rd7 17.Rad1 f6 18.Ne4 Be7
19.Rxd7 Kxd7 20.Rd1+ Ke6 21.Bc1 Nh4
22.Be3 Nxc2 23.Bc5 Nh4 24.Bd6 Rd8
25.Nc5+ Kf7 26.Bxe7 Kxe7 27.Nxa6 Nf3
28.Nb4 Rxd1 29.Kxd1 Kd6 30.Ke2 Nxc2
31.a4 e4 32.a5 h5 33.a6 Kc7 34.a7 Kb7
35.Nxc6 h4 36.b4 h3 37.b5 Nf3 38.Kf1 Nd2+
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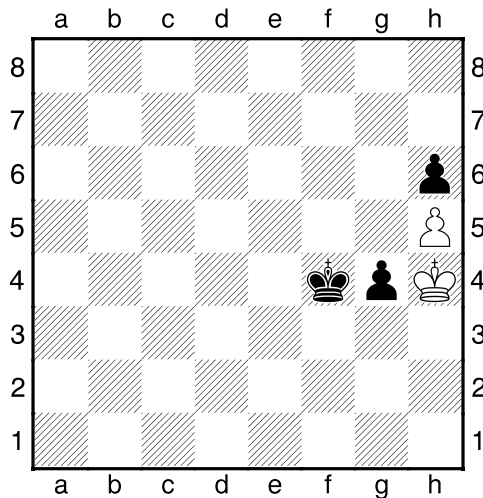


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49.Nxe3 Nxe3 ½-½

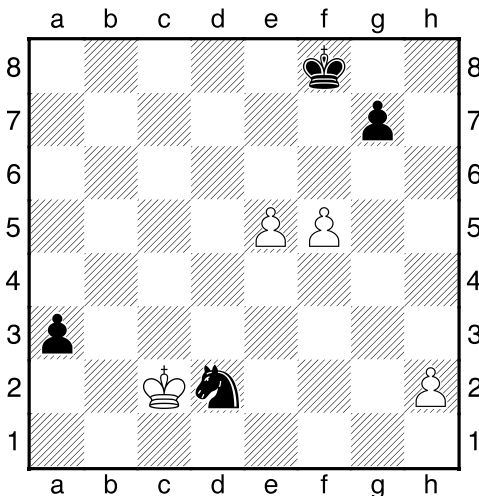
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Hoyos,Manuel Leon (2666)**

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17.f5 b4 18.fxe6 bxc3 19.exf7+ Kf8 20.Bxc3
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Nf6 24.b4 Qb6 25.Rf3 Rab8 26.Rb3 Rf8
27.Bf3 Kxf7 28.Qe2 Qc7 29.Re1 e5 30.b5
Kg7 31.Bc6 Nh5 32.Ra3 Rf7 33.Rea1 Rbf8
34.Bf3 Nf4 35.Qe4 Qc5 36.Ra8 Nh3 37.gxh3
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Qb6 41.Qf3 Qb7 42.Qxb7+ Rxb7 43.Kg2 d5
44.cxd5 Rxb5 45.Rd1 Kf7 46.Kf3 Rb4 47.d6
Rf4+ 48.Ke3 Ke8 49.Rd5 Rh4 50.Rxe5+ Kd7
51.Kf2 Rxh3 52.Kg2 Rh6 53.Rd5 Rh4
54.Kg3 Re4 55.Rd2 Re6 56.Kg4 h6 57.Kg3
Rxd6 58.Re2 Re6 59.Ra2 Ke7 60.Ra7+ Kf6
61.Ra2 Re5 62.Kf4 Re6 63.Rb2 Rc6 64.Ra2
Rc4+ 65.Kg3 Re4 66.Ra6+ Kf5 67.Ra5+ Re5
68.Ra4 Re3+ 69.Kf2 Rd3 70.Kg2 g5 71.Ra5+
Kg4 72.Ra4+ Kf5 73.Ra5+ Ke4 74.Ra4+ Rd4
75.Rxd4+ Kxd4 76.h4 g4 77.h5 Ke5 78.Kg3
Kf5 79.Kh4 Kf4 ½-½



33.Bxh7 b4 34.Bc2 a5 35.e4 a4 36.f5 b3 37.axb3 a3 38.Bb1 Nxb3 39.Kf4 Nc1 40.e5 Ne2+ 41.Ke3 Nc3 42.Kd3 Nxb1 43.Kc2 Nd2 0-1



Gustafsson,Alexander (2060) – Bercys,Salvijus (2479)

US Open Vancouver, WA (4), 07.08.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 d6 3.Nc3 e5 4.d5 Be7 5.e4 0-0 6.Be2 Ne8 7.Nf3 Bg4 8.Nd2 Bd7 9.b4 a5 10.bxa5 Rxa5 11.Nb3 Ra8 12.Be3 Bg5 13.Qd2 Bxe3 14.Qxe3 b6 15.0-0 Na6 16.f4 exf4 17.Rxf4 Qg5 18.Nd4 Nf6 19.Nf3 Qh6 20.e5 Ng4 21.Qc1 dxe5 22.Re4 Qxc1+ 23.Rxc1 Nc5 24.Nxe5 Nxe4 25.Nxd7 Nxc3 26.Bxg4 Nxa2 27.Rf1 Rfe8 28.d6 cxd6 29.Nxb6 Rab8 30.Nd5 Nb4 31.Bh5 Rf8 32.Ne7+ Kh8 33.Bxf7 Rb7 34.Nd5 Rbxf7 35.Rxf7 Rxf7 36.Nxb4 Rf4 37.Nd5 Rxc4 38.Kf2 Kg8 0-1

Peake,Ethan (1907) – Guadalupe,Francisco (2305)

US Open Vancouver, WA (4), 07.08.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 Nxe4 6.d4 b5 7.Bb3 d5 8.dxe5 Be6 9.Nbd2 Ne5 10.c3 Be7 11.Bc2 Bg4 12.Re1 0-0 13.Nb3 Nc6 14.Qd3 g6 15.Nfd4 Nxd4 16.Nxd4 Nxd4 17.cxd4 Qd7 18.Be3 Bb4 19.Rec1 f6 20.Qb3 Be7 21.Bd3 Rf7 22.a4 b4 23.Qc2 fxe5 24.Qxc7 Bd6 25.Qc6 Qxc6 26.Rxc6 Rf6 27.Bg5 Re6 28.dxe5 Bb8 29.Rc8+

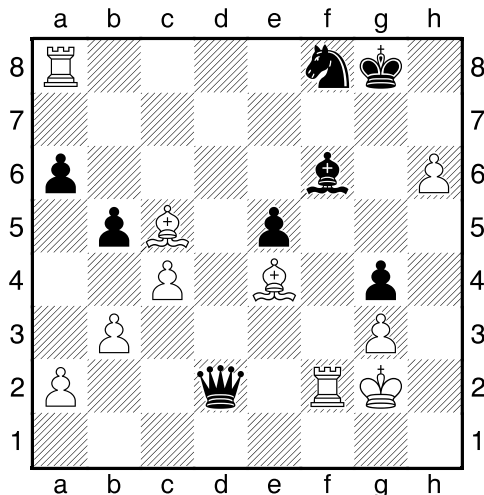
Kf7 30.Rac1 Rxe5 31.Rxb8 Rxb8 32.f4 Re6 33.Rc7+ Kg8 34.Rc5 Be2 35.f5 gxf5 36.Bxf5 Re5 37.g4 Bxg4 38.Bf4 Re1+ 39.Kf2 Re2+ 40.Kg3 Bxf5 41.Bxb8 Be6 42.Rc6 Kf7 43.Rxa6 Rxb2 44.a5 b3 45.Rb6 d4 46.Be5 Rd2 47.a6 d3 48.Bc3 Ra2 49.Rb7+ Kg6 50.a7 Bd5 51.Rd7 Bh1 52.Rxd3 b2 53.Rd1 Be4 54.a8Q Bxa8 55.Rd6+ Kf5 56.Rf6+ Ke4 57.Rb6 Ra3 58.Rxb2 Rxc3+ 59.Kh4 Kf4 60.Rb4+ Be4 61.Rb8 Rc6 62.Rf8+ Bf5 63.Kh5 Rc5 64.Kh4 Rc3 0-1

ROUND 5

Ramirez,Alejandro (2643) – Yan,Gaibo (2149)

US Open Vancouver, WA (5), 08.08.2012

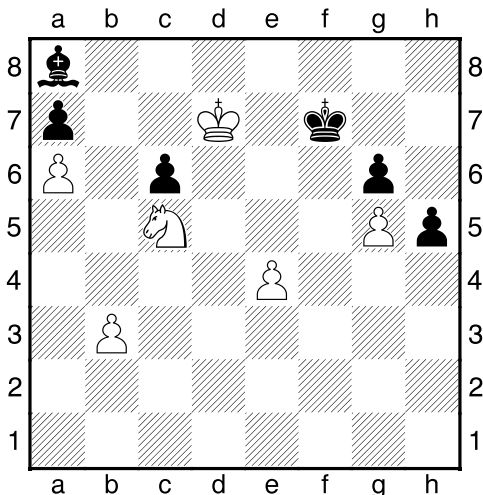
1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nf3 Bg7 4.g3 b6 5.Bg2 Bb7 6.0-0 0-0 7.Nc3 d6 8.Qc2 c5 9.d5 a6 10.e4 e5 11.dxe6 fxe6 12.Rd1 Qc7 13.Ng5 Re8 14.Bh3 Bc8 15.Qd3 Bf8 16.e5 dxe5 17.Qf3 Bg7 18.Qxa8 Bb7 19.Qa7 Nc6 20.Bxe6+ Kf8 21.Nd5 Nxd5 22.Bxd5 h6 23.Ne6+ Rxe6 24.Qxb7 Qxb7 25.Bxe6 Nd4 26.Bd5 Qd7 27.Be3 Qf5 28.Rd2 g5 29.f3 Bf6 30.Rf1 Kg7 31.Kg2 h5 32.h3 Qg6 33.Be4 Qf7 34.b3 Qe6 35.Re1 Qd6 36.Rf2 Qd7 37.Kh2 Qe7 38.Bc1 Qd6 39.Rg1 Kh8 40.h4 g4 41.fxg4 hxg4 42.Rgf1 Bg7 43.Kg2 Ne6 44.Be3 Nd4 45.Rf7 b5 46.Ra7 Ne6 47.Ra8+ Nf8 48.h5 Kg8 49.h6 Bf6 50.Bxc5 Qd2+ 51.Rf2 1-0



Bercys, Salvijus (2479) – Gross, Ronald (2145)

US Open Vancouver, WA (5), 08.08.2012

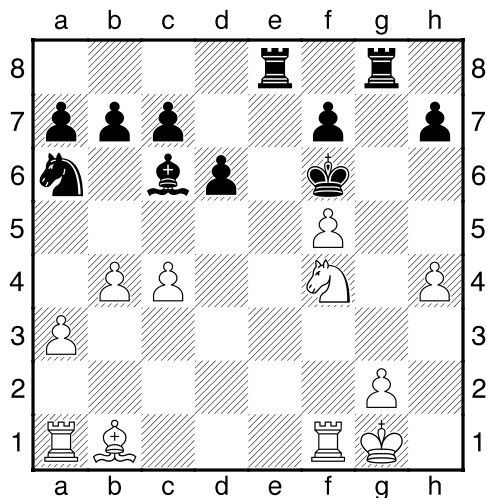
1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bg5 c5 5.cxd5 cxd4
6.Qxd4 Be7 7.e4 Nc6 8.Bb5 0-0 9.Bxc6 bxc6
10.d6 Qxd6 11.Qxd6 Bxd6 12.0-0-0 Bb4 13.Nge2
Ng4 14.Bh4 Ba6 15.Bg3 Rfd8 16.h3 Nf6 17.f3
Bc5 18.Kc2 Kf8 19.Be5 Ke7 20.Nd4 Rac8 21.Rd2
Nd7 22.Bg3 Nb6 23.Rhd1 Bxd4 24.Rxd4 Rxd4
25.Rxd4 Bf1 26.Rd2 Nc4 27.Rf2 Rd8 28.Kc1 Bd3
29.b3 Nb6 30.Bf4 f6 31.Be3 e5 32.a4 Rd7 33.Na2
Ba6 34.Nb4 Bb7 35.a5 Nc8 36.a6 Ba8 37.Bc5+
Ke8 38.Rd2 g6 39.Rxd7 Kxd7 40.Kd2 Kc7 41.Ke3
Nb6 42.Nd3 Nc8 43.h4 Kd7 44.g4 Ke6 45.f4 Nb6
46.g5 fxd5 47.hxd5 exf4+ 48.Nxf4+ Ke5 49.Nd3+
Ke6 50.Kd4 Kf7 51.Ke5 Nd7+ 52.Kd6 Nxc5
53.Nxc5 h5 54.Kd7 And as the e-pawn marches
down, it is mate-in-7. 1-0



Guadalupe, F (2305) – Hoefler, Dennis (2062)

US Open Vancouver, WA (5), 08.08.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 Nge7 4.c3 g6 5.d4 Bg7
6.0-0 0-0 7.dxe5 Nxe5 8.Nxe5 Bxe5 9.Bh6 Bg7
10.Bxg7 Kxg7 11.c4 d6 12.Ba4 Ng8 13.Nc3 Be6
14.Qd3 Qg5 15.Bc2 Nf6 16.Ne2 Ng4 17.b3 Rae8
18.h3 Ne5 19.Qc3 Qf6 20.f4 Nc6 21.f5 gxf5
22.exf5 Bd7 23.Qxf6+ Kxf6 24.Nf4 Nb4 25.Bb1
Bc6 26.h4 Rg8 27.a3 Na6 28.b4



28...Be4?? 29.Nh5+ Ke5 30.Bxe4 Rg4 31.Bxb7

Reg8 32.Rae1+ Kd4 33.Nf6 1-0

Langer, Michael (2264) – Ellis, James (2000)

US Open Vancouver, WA (5), 08.08.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3
Nc6 6.Bg5 e6 7.Qd2 Be7 8.0-0-0 0-0 9.Ndb5 h6
10.Bh4 Qa5 11.f4 Nxe4 12.Nxe4 Qxd2+ 13.Rxd2
Bxh4 14.Nbxd6 e5 15.g3 Be7 16.Bc4 Bg4
17.Nxb7 Rab8 18.Nbd6 Nd4 19.Rf1 Ne6 20.fxe5
Ng5 21.Rdf2 Nxe4 22.Nxe4 Rbc8 23.Bxf7+ 1-0

Mcumiskey, Thomas (1921) – Gater, Daniel (2178)

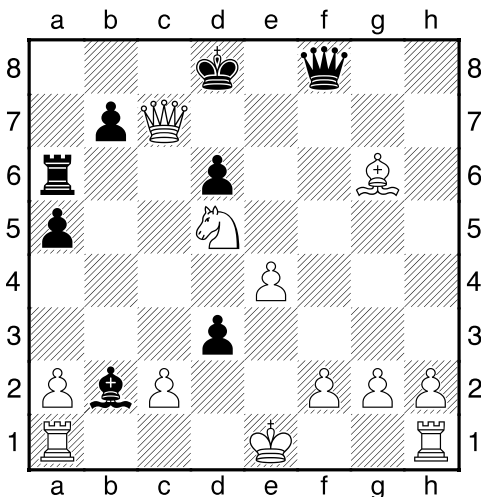
US Open Vancouver, WA (5), 08.08.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6
6.Be2 e6 7.Be3 Be7 8.0-0 Qc7 9.a4 Nc6 10.f4 0-0
11.Bf3 Rb8 12.Qe1 Re8 13.Qf2 Nxd4 14.Bxd4 e5
15.Be3 exf4 16.Bxf4 Be6 17.Nd5 Nxd5 18.exd5
Bf5 19.Rac1 Qc4 20.Qg3 Rbd8 21.b3 Qb4 22.Kh1
Bf6 23.c4 Bb2 24.Rce1 Bd3 25.Bxd6 Qc3 26.Bc7
Bxf1 27.Rxf1 Qxb3 28.Bxd8 Qxc4 29.Qf2 Rxd8
30.Rd1 Bf6 31.Qb6 Rd7 32.Qe3 Re7 33.Qb6 Qxa4
34.d6 Qxd1+ 35.Bxd1 Re1+ 36.Qg1 Rxd1+
37.Kxd1 Kf8 38.Bf3 Bd4+ 39.Kf1 b5 40.Bc6 Be5
41.d7 Ke7 42.h3 Bc7 43.Ke2 Kd6 44.d8Q+ 0-1

**Shokler,Melinda (1763) –
Dennis,Warren**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (1), 27.12.2012

1.e4 g6 2.Nf3 Bg7 3.d4 Nc6 4.Bc4 Nh6
5.Be3 Ng4 6.Ng5 e5 7.Bxf7+ Kf8 8.Qxg4
exd4 9.Bd2 Ne5 10.Qf4 d6 11.Ne6+ Bxe6
12.Bxe6+ Ke7 13.Bb3 Rf8 14.Qh4+ Bf6
15.Qxh7+ Nf7 16.Bh6 a5 17.Bxf8+ Qxf8
18.Bxf7 d3 19.Bxg6+ Kd8 20.Nc3 Ra6
21.Nd5 Bxb2 22.Qxc7# 1-0



**Sadorra,Julio (2617) –
Cassidy,Brian (1987)**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (1), 27.12.2012

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 d5 4.d4 c6 5.g3 Be7
6.Bg2 0-0 7.0-0 Nbd7 8.b3 b6 9.Nd2 Bb7
10.e4 c5 11.e5 Ne8 12.cxd5 cxd4 13.d6
Bxg2 14.Kxg2 dxc3 15.dxe7 Qxe7 16.Nc4
b5 17.Ba3 b4 18.Bxb4 Qxb4 19.Qxd7 g6
20.Rac1 Ng7 21.Qd3 Rfd8 22.Qxc3 a5 23.g4
h5 24.h3 Qb7+ 25.Qf3 Qxf3+ 26.Kxf3 Rd3+
27.Kg2 Ne8 28.Rfd1 Rxd1 29.Rxd1 f5
30.gxh5 gxh5 31.Rd7 a4 32.b4 1-0

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**Urlich,Douglas (1964) –
Bercys,Salvijus (2466)**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (2), 28.12.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 a6 5.Nc3
Qc7 6.Bd3 Nc6 7.Nf3 Nge7 8.0-0 Ng6 9.Be3
b5 10.Ne2 Bd6 11.Ned4 0-0 12.c4 bxc4
13.Bxc4 Nxd4 14.Qxd4 Ne5 15.Rac1 Nxf3+
16.gxf3 Bxh2+ 17.Kg2 Qb8 18.Qd2 Bc7
19.Rh1 Rd8 20.Bg5 Re8 21.Rh3 f6 22.Be3
Re7 23.Rch1 g6 24.f4 Bb7 25.f3 Rg7 26.Kf1
Bc6 27.Qh2 h5 28.Qc2 Bxf4 29.Bxf4 Qxf4
30.Bxe6+ dxe6 31.Qxc6 Rd8 32.Qc3 Rc7 0-1

**Yotov,Valentin (2624) – Schoch,Ian
David (2313)**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (2), 28.12.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 e6 4.e3 Nf6 5.b3 Nbd7
6.Bb2 b6 7.Bd3 Be7 8.0-0 0-0 9.Nbd2 Bb7
10.Qe2 Rc8 11.Rad1 Qc7 12.Ne5 c5 13.f4
Rcd8 14.Ndf3 Ne4 15.Nxd7 Rxd7 16.cxd5
exd5 17.Ne5 Rdd8 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Kh1
Rfe8 20.Bxe4 dxe4 21.Qg4 Bf8 22.Nd7 Bc8
23.Nf6+ Kh8 24.Qh4 Bf5 25.Nxe8 Rxe8
26.Rd5 Qc8 27.Rc1 Qe6 28.Re5 Qd7
29.Rxe8 Qxe8 30.Rd1 Be7 31.Qh5 Bg6
32.Qe5 1-0

**Yotov,Valentin (2624) – Schoch,Ian
David (2313)**

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (2), 28.12.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 e6 4.e3 Nf6 5.b3 Nbd7
6.Bb2 b6 7.Bd3 Be7 8.0-0 0-0 9.Nbd2 Bb7
10.Qe2 Rc8 11.Rad1 Qc7 12.Ne5 c5 13.f4
Rcd8 14.Ndf3 Ne4 15.Nxd7 Rxd7 16.cxd5
exd5 17.Ne5 Rdd8 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Kh1
Rfe8 20.Bxe4 dxe4 21.Qg4 Bf8 22.Nd7 Bc8
23.Nf6+ Kh8 24.Qh4 Bf5 25.Nxe8 Rxe8
26.Rd5 Qc8 27.Rc1 Qe6 28.Re5 Qd7
29.Rxe8 Qxe8 30.Rd1 Be7 31.Qh5 Bg6
32.Qe5 1-0

UTD Wins Pan Am



The 2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess Championships took place in Princeton, NJ. With 44 teams in attendance, five teams finished tied for top honors but **UTD A** brought the top prize on tie-breaks over the teams of Webster B, UMBC, Webster A, and Illinois A. These five teams finished with 5.0 points each. Illinois A won the top prize for the U2200, **Texas Tech B** (4.0 points) took the U2000 top prize while their **Texas Tech C** Team won the U1800. The best team U1600 was Toronto B.

NYU's Andrew Shvartsman won the Board 1 top prize with 5.0, only half-a-point ahead of **UTB's Mauricio Flores**. Mauricio's teammate, **Axel Bachmann** took top honors among Board 2 with 5.5 points. Another Texas student, **TTU's Faik Aleskerov** was the top player on Board 3 with 5.5 points. The Board 4 prize went to Xin Luo of Illinois A with a perfect 6.0 points. The top Alternate was Leon Hoyos of Webster A. Half-a-point behind Leon was **Salvijus Bercys of UTD A** with 3.0 points.

Here are some of the games of the Texas players...

Larson, Nathaniel – Jamison, Courtney (2004)

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (1), 27.12.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Bc4 e6 3.Nc3 Nc6 4.d3 Nf6 5.Nf3
a6 6.Bg5 Be7 7.a4 Qc7 8.Qd2 0-0 9.0-0 d6
10.h3 Nd4 11.Qe3 Nxc2 12.Qf4 Nxa1
13.Rxa1 Nh5 14.Qh4 Bxg5 15.Nxg5 Nf6
16.e5 Nh5 17.Qxh5 h6 18.Nce4 Qd8 19.exd6
b6 20.Rd1 Rb8 21.d4 b5 22.Bxb5 axb5
23.dxc5 Bd7 24.a5 b4 25.a6 Ba4 26.Rd3 Bc2
27.Rf3 hxg5 28.Nxg5 Bg6 29.Nxf7 Bxh5
30.Nxd8 Bxf3 31.Nxe6 Bc6 32.Nd4 Rbc8
33.g3 Bd5 34.d7 Rxc5 35.Nf5 Rc1+ 36.Kh2
Rh1# 0-1

Labeledz, Patrycja (2282) – Brown, Evan

2012 Pan American Intercollegiate Chess
Princeton (1), 27.12.2012

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.g3 Nf6 4.Bg2 Bf5 5.0-0
e6 6.c4 Be7 7.Nc3 0-0 8.b3 Ne4 9.Bb2 a6
10.Rc1 Nb4 11.a3 Nxc3 12.Rxc3 Nc6 13.Rc1
Rb8 14.Qd2 Be4 15.Rfd1 b6 16.Qe3 Na5
17.Qc3 f5 18.Bf1 f4 19.Nd2 fvg3 20.hvg3
Bg5 21.e3 h5 22.Nxe4 dxe4 23.Bg2 h4
24.Bxe4 hxg3 25.fvg3 Bh6 26.Bg2 Qg5
27.e4 Qe3+ 28.Kh1 Rf2 29.Qxe3 Bxe3
30.Rb1 Nxb3 31.Bc3 Nd2 32.Bxd2 Rxd2
33.Bh3 Kf7 34.Rxd2 Bxd2 35.Kg2 b5 36.d5
e5 37.Rb2 Bc3 38.Rb3 Bd2 39.cxb5 Rxb5
40.Be6+ Ke7 41.Rf3 c5 42.Rf7+ Kd8
43.Rd7+ Ke8 44.Rxg7 Rb2 45.Kh3 Bh6
46.Rc7 Bf8 47.Rc8+ Ke7 48.Rxc5 Kf6
49.Ra5 Rb6 50.Bc8 1-0

Round 6

Cooklev,Steven (2124) – Guadalupe,Francisco (2305)

US Open Vancouver, WA (6), 09.08.2012

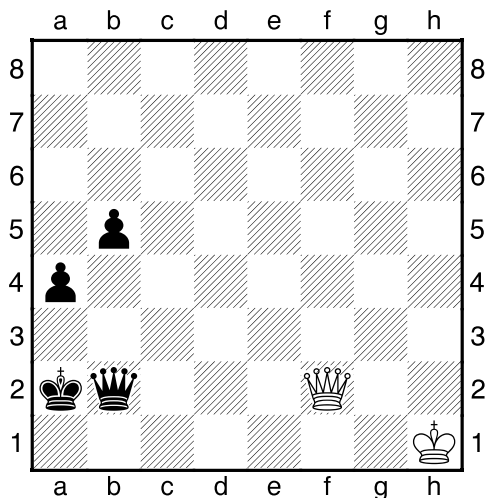
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d6 6.Nf3 a6 7.Nd5 h6 8.c3 0-0 9.b4 Ba7 10.f5
b5 11.Nxf6+ Qxf6 12.Bd5 Bb7 13.g4 Nd8
14.g5 Qe7 15.f6 gxf6 16.Bxb7 Nxb7 17.Nh4
Qe6 18.Nf5 Kh7 19.h4 Rh8 20.Qh5 Kg8
21.Nxh6+ Kf8 22.Rf1 Nd8 23.Rxf6 Qe7
24.Qg6 Ke8 25.Qg7 Qf8 26.Qxf8+ Rxf8
27.Ke2 a5 28.bxa5 Bc5 29.Be3 Bxe3
30.Kxe3 Rxa5 31.h5 Ne6 32.Rxe6+ fxe6
33.g6 Ra3 34.g7 Rxc3 35.gxf8Q+ Kxf8
36.Rg1 c5 37.Rg8+ Ke7 38.Ng4 c4 39.Nf2
Kf7 40.Rd8 d5 41.exd5 exd5 42.Rxd5 Ra3
43.Rxb5 e4 44.Kxe4 Rxa2 45.dxc4 1-0

Rupel,David (2109) – Langer,Michael (2264)

US Open Vancouver, WA (6), 09.08.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 c5 3.Nf3 cxd4 4.Nxd4 e5 5.Nc2
Nc6 6.Nc3 Bc5 7.Be3 Qb6 8.Bxc5 Qxc5
9.Nd5 Nxd5 10.Qxd5 d6 11.e3 Bf5 12.Qxc5
dxc5 13.0-0-0 Ke7 14.Be2 Rhd8 15.f3 Nb4
16.Nxb4 cxb4 17.Rxd8 Rxd8 18.Rd1 Rxd1+
19.Bxd1 Kd6 20.Bc2 g6 21.g4 Be6 22.b3 h6
23.Be4 b6 24.Kd2 f5 25.gxf5 gxf5 26.Bc2 f4
27.Bd3 Bh3 28.Bg6 Ke6 29.Ke2 Bf5
30.Bxf5+ Kxf5 31.Kd3 fxe3 32.Kxe3 h5
33.Kf2 Kf4 34.Kg2 h4 35.Kf2 a6 36.Ke2 e4
37.fxe4 Kxe4 38.Kf2 Kd3 39.Kg2 Kc3
40.Kh3 Kb2 41.Kxh4 Kxa2 42.Kg4 Kxb3
43.h4 Kxc4 44.h5 b3 45.h6 b2 46.h7 b1Q
47.h8Q Qg6+ 48.Kh3 Qf5+ 49.Kg2 Qe4+
50.Kh2 a5 51.Qg8+ Kb4 52.Qf8+ Kb3
53.Qf7+ Qc4 54.Qf3+ Ka4 55.Qd1+ Qb3

56.Qa1+ Kb4 57.Qd4+ Ka3 58.Qd6+ Ka2
59.Kh1 a4 60.Qd2+ Qb2 61.Qf2 b5 0-1

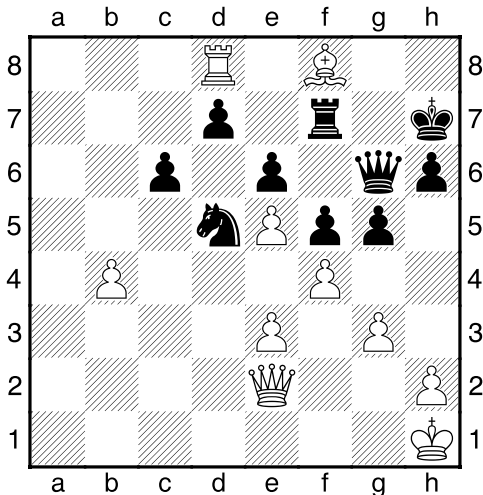


Gater,Daniel (2178) – Arganian,David (2002)

US Open Vancouver, WA (6), 09.08.2012

1.d4 e6 2.c4 b6 3.Nf3 Bb7 4.Nbd2 f5 5.g3
Nf6 6.Bg2 Be7 7.0-0 0-0 8.Rb1 a5 9.b3 Ne4
10.Bb2 Nxd2 11.Qxd2 Be4 12.Rbc1 Bf6
13.Rfd1 Na6 14.a3 c6 15.b4 axb4 16.axb4
Nc7 17.Ne5 Bxg2 18.Kxg2 b5 19.Qd3 bxc4
20.Qxc4 Bxe5 21.dxe5 Nd5 22.Bd4 Qg5
23.Bc5 Rf7 24.f4 Qh5 25.Ra1 Rxa1 26.Rxa1

g5 27.e3 h6 28.Qf1 Kh7 29.Qf3 Qg6 30.Ra8
 Rg7 31.Rd8 Rf7 32.Kh1 Rg7 33.Qe2 Rf7
 34.Bf8 Diagram



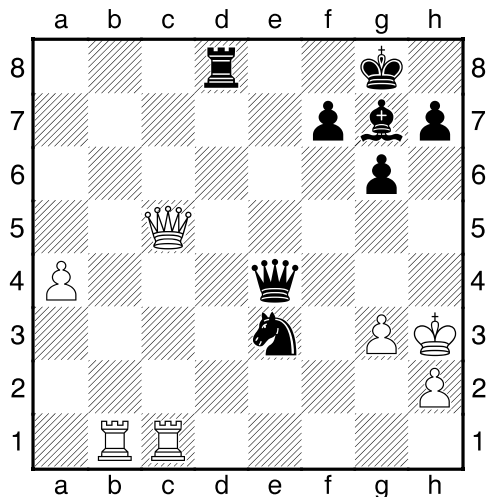
34...g4? 35.Bc5 Rg7 36.Qa6 Qf7 37.Rf8 Qh5
 38.Qc8 1-0

Round 7

**Ramirez,Alejandro (2643) –
 Hoyos,Manuel (2679)**

US Open Vancouver, WA (7), 10.08.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.c4 c5 4.d5 b5 5.cxb5 a6
 6.bxa6 Bxa6 7.Nc3 Bg7 8.e4 Bxf1 9.Kxf1 d6
 10.g3 0-0 11.Kg2 Nbd7 12.Qe2 Qa5 13.a4
 Rfb8 14.Bd2 Rxb2 15.Nd1 Rxd2 16.Nxd2
 Nxe4 17.Nc4 Qb4 18.Ndb2 Nc3 19.Qxe7 Ne5
 20.Qxd6 Nxc4 21.Qc6 Ne3+ 22.fxe3 Qe4+
 23.Kh3 Qf5+ 24.Kg2 Rb8 25.Nc4 Qe4+

26.Kh3 Qxc4 27.Raf1 Nxd5 28.Rb1 Rd8
 29.Rhc1 Qe4 30.Qxc5 Nxe3 0-1



**Bercys,Salvijus (2479) –
 Pamatmat,Jarod (2233)**

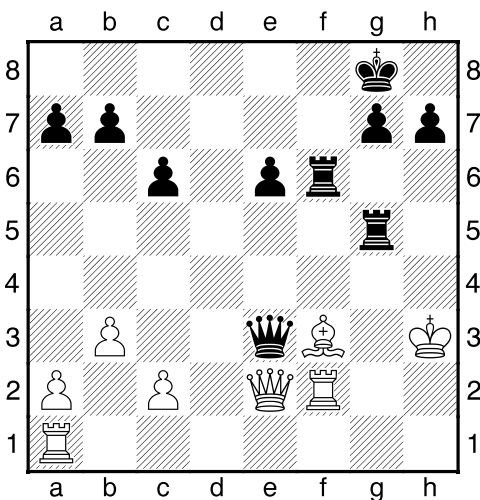
US OPEN, DENKER, BARBER Vancouver,
 WA (7), 10.08.2012
 The battle of two Texans!

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.e3 e6 5.b3 Nbd7
 6.Bd3 Bd6 7.Bb2 b6 8.0-0 0-0 9.Nbd2 Bb7
 10.Ne5 c5 11.Nxd7 Nxd7 12.cxd5 exd5
 13.dxc5 bxc5 14.Qg4 g6 15.Nf3 Qe7 16.Rfd1
 f5 17.Qg5 Qxg5 18.Nxg5 Rfe8 19.Bb5 Re7
 20.Rac1 Nb6 21.Bf6 Rc7 22.Ne6 Rcc8
 23.Bh4 h6 24.Bg3 Bxg3 25.hxg3 c4 26.bxc4
 dxc4 27.Bd7 Nxd7 28.Rxd7 Rab8 29.Rc3 g5

Calugar,Arthur (2312) – Chirila,Ioan (2506)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (8),
20.11.2012

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.b3 d5 3.Bb2 Bg4 4.g3 Nbd7
5.Bg2 c6 6.d4 e6 7.Nbd2 Be7 8.0-0 0-0
9.Ne5 Nxe5 10.dxe5 Nd7 11.h3 Bh5 12.f4 f5
13.exf6 Bxf6 14.Bxf6 Qxf6 15.g4 Bg6 16.e4
dxe4 17.Nxe4 Bxe4 18.Bxe4 Nc5 19.g5 Qc3
20.Bg2 Qe3+ 21.Kh1 Ne4 22.Bxe4 Qxh3+
23.Kg1 Qe3+ 24.Rf2 Rxf4 25.Bf3 Raf8
26.Kg2 Rg4+ 27.Kh3 Rxg5 28.Qe2 Rf6 0-1



Chirila,Ioan (2506) – Holt,Conrad (2496)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (9),
20.11.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.cxd5 cxd5 4.Bf4 Nf6 5.Nc3
Qb6 6.Rc1 Bd7 7.e3 Qxb2 8.Bd3 a6 9.Nge2
Bc6 10.Rb1 Qa3 11.Rb3 Qa5 12.Qb1 Nbd7
13.Rxb7 e5 14.Bxe5 Nxe5 15.Rb8+ Ke7
16.dxe5 Nd7 17.Rxa8 Bxa8 18.0-0 g6 19.f4
Bg7 20.Bc2 Rc8 21.Qe1 Kf8 22.Bb3 Nc5
23.Bxd5 Nd3 24.Qd2 Bxd5 25.Qxd3 Bc4
26.Qd7 Be6 27.Qa4 Qxa4 28.Nxa4 Rc2

29.Nd4 Rxa2 30.Nc5 Bc8 31.Rb1 Ke8
32.Rb8 Kd8 33.Ra8 Bf8 34.Nce6+ fxe6
35.Nxe6+ Kd7 36.Nxf8+ Kc7 37.Ra7+ Kb6
38.Rxh7 Re2 39.e6 Rxe3 40.e7 Bf5 41.g4
Bxg4 42.Nxg6 Bd7 43.Ne5 Rxe5 1-0

Onischuk,Alexander (2676) – Calugar,Arthur (2312)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (9),
20.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 d5 5.cxd5
Nxd5 6.e4 Nb6 7.Ne2 0-0 8.0-0 Nc6 9.d5 Na5
10.Nbc3 c6 11.b3 cxd5 12.exd5 Bg4 13.Bd2
e6 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.Rc1 Qd3 16.h3 Bxc3
17.Rxc3 Qxe2 18.hxg4 Rxf2 19.Qxe2 Rxe2
20.Bh6 Nc6 21.Bxc6 bxc6 22.Rcf3 Nd7
23.Rf7 Rd8 24.Rxd7 1-0

Getz,Alec (2316) – Sadorra,Julio (2546)

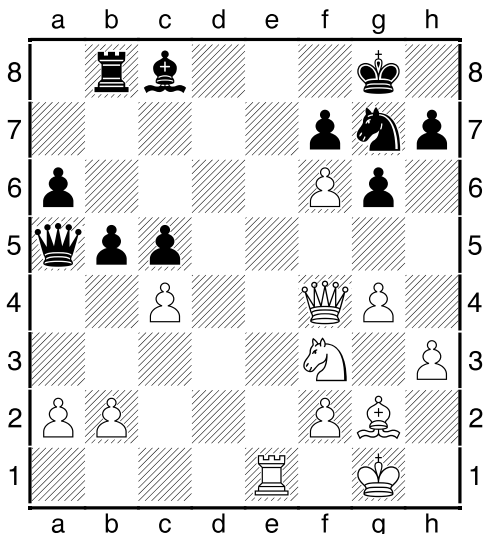
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20.11.2012

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10.Nf1 Be7 11.Be3 f5 12.h4 Nb6 13.h5 Na4
14.Rb1 Qa5 15.Kf2 Ba6 16.g4 fxg4 17.Nh4
Rf8 18.Bxg4 Bc8 19.Kg2 Rb8 20.Ng3 Qb6
21.Nf3 b3 22.axb3 cxb3 23.Qd3 bxc2
24.Qxc2 Qxb2 25.Rxb2 Rxb2 26.Rc1 Bd7
27.Bxe6 Rxc2+ 28.Rxc2 Nb4 29.Bxd7+ Kxd7
30.Rc1 Nb2 31.f5 Nc4 32.Bf2 h6 33.e6+ Kc6
34.Ne5+ Kb5 35.Ng6 Re8 36.Ne2 Bg5
37.Ra1 a5 38.Nc3+ Ka6 39.Kf3 Bf6 40.Nf4
Rd8 41.Re1 Nb6 42.Rd1 Rc8 43.Nfe2 Rc4
44.Bg3 Nc6 45.Rd3 a4 46.Nd1 Rb4 47.Bd6
Rb3 48.Nf2 Nc4 49.Bc5 a3 50.Rxb3 a2 0-1

Onischuk,A(2676) – Hughes,T(2289)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (6),
19.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 0-0 5.Nc3
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Re8 10.Re1 a6 11.h3 Rb8 12.Bf4 c5 13.Nf3
Bf8 14.Bxd6 Bxd6 15.Qxd6 b5 16.e5 Rb6
17.Qd2 Nh5 18.Qh6 Ng7 19.Nd5 Nf5 20.Qf4
Rb8 21.Rad1 Qa5 22.g4 Ng7 23.Nf6+ Nxf6
24.exf6 Rxe1+ 25.Rxe1 1-0



Chirila,I (2506) – Onischuk,A (2676)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (7),

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 b6 4.g3 Bb7 5.Bg2
Be7 6.0-0 0-0 7.Nc3 Ne4 8.Bd2 f5 9.Qc2 Bf6
10.Rad1 Na6 11.a3 Qe7 12.Ne5 d6 13.Nxe4
fxe4 14.Ng4 Bxd4 15.Bc1 Bf6 16.Bxe4 Bxe4
17.Qxe4 Nc5 18.Nxf6+ Qxf6 19.Qc6 Nb3
20.Be3 Rac8 21.Qa4 Na5 22.Bd4 Qe7 23.c5
d5 24.e4 Qe8 25.Qc2 Qg6 26.Rfe1 Nc6
27.Bc3 bxc5 28.Qa4 Qf7 29.f4 Qd7 30.Qc4
Nd4 31.Qd3 e5 32.Bxd4 exd4 33.exd5 Rf5
34.b4 Qxd5 35.bxc5 Rd8 36.Rc1 Qf7 37.Rc4
Rfd5 38.Re4 Qg6 39.Kf2 h6 40.c6 Kh8
41.Kf3 R5d6 42.g4 Rd5 43.h3 R5d6 44.f5
Qf6 45.Kg3 a5 46.Rc5 a4 47.Rc4 Rxc6

48.Rxc6 Qxc6 49.Rxd4 Rxd4 50.Qxd4 Qc2
51.f6 gxf6 52.Qxf6+ Kh7 53.Qf7+ Kh8
54.Qf8+ Kh7 55.Qf7+ Kh8 56.Kh4 Qc5
57.Qf6+ Kh7 58.Qf7+ Kh8 59.Qf6+ Kh7
60.Qf7+ 1/2-1/2

Pavlovic,M(2477) – Sadorra,J (2546)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (7),
19.11.2012

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Bg5 Bb4 5.e5
h6 6.Be3 Ne4 7.Qg4 g6 8.a3 Bxc3+ 9.bxc3
c5 10.Bd3 Qa5 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.Bxd4 Nc6
13.0-0 Nc5 14.Bxg6 Rg8 15.Bxf7+ Kxf7
16.Qh5+ Ke7 17.Nf4 Kd8 18.Qf7 Re8 19.Nh5
Ne4 20.f3 Nxc3 21.Bf2 Bd7 22.Nf6 Re7
23.Qf8+ Be8 24.Bh4 Kc7 25.Ng8 Bd7 0-1

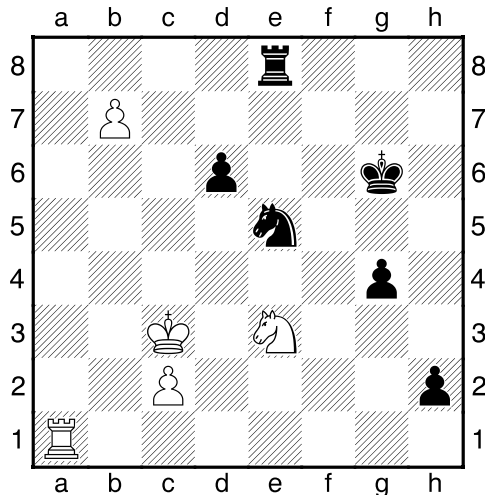
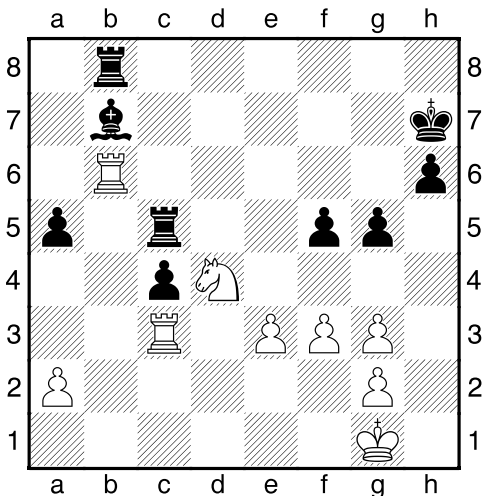
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2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (8),
20.11.2012

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10.0-0 Nbd7 11.f3 Nf8 12.Bc2 Ng6 13.e4
Nxf4 14.Bxf4 Be6 15.Qd3 g6 16.Rae1 Qd7
17.h3 Rad8 18.Be5 Qc8 19.Qd2 Nd7 20.exd5
cxd5 21.f4 Nxe5 22.fxe5 Kg7 23.Ba4 Rf8
24.Rc1 Qb8 25.Ne2 Rc8 26.Rcd1 Qc7 27.Nf4
Qb6 28.Rf3 Qd8 29.Rdf1 Bg5 30.Qf2 Qe7
31.Bb3 Rcd8 32.Kh2 f5 33.Nxe6+ Qxe6
34.g4 f4 35.h4 Be7 36.g5 Rf7 37.Qg2 Qb6
38.Rd3 Qe6 39.Rc3 h6 40.gxh6+ Kxh6
41.Qh3 Qb6 42.Rg1 Qxd4 43.Qe6 Rg7 44.h5
Qb6 45.Qxb6 axb6 46.hxg6 Rxg6 47.Rh3+
Kg7 48.Bc2 Rxg1 49.Rh7+ Kg8 50.Kxg1
Bc5+ 51.Kg2 Re8 52.Rh5 Bd4 53.Bb3 Bxe5
54.Bxd5+ Kg7 55.Rf5 Bd6 56.Rf7+ Kh8
57.Kf3 Re7 58.Rxe7 Bxe7 59.Kxf4 Kg7
60.Kf5 Bf6 1/2-1/2

30.f3 a5 31.Nd4 Rc5 32.Rd6 Kh7 33.Rb6

46.b5 h3 47.b6 h2 48.Ra1 g4 49.Ne3 Ne5+
50.Kc3 Kg6 51.b7 0-1



33...Rc7 34.Nxf5 Rc6 35.Rb5 Kh8 36.g4 Kh7
37.Kh2 Rc7 38.Nd6 Rd7 39.Nxb7 Rdx b7
40.Rxb7+ 1-0

**Langer,Michael (2264) –
Wang,Michael (2148)**

US Open Vancouver, WA (7), 10.08.2012

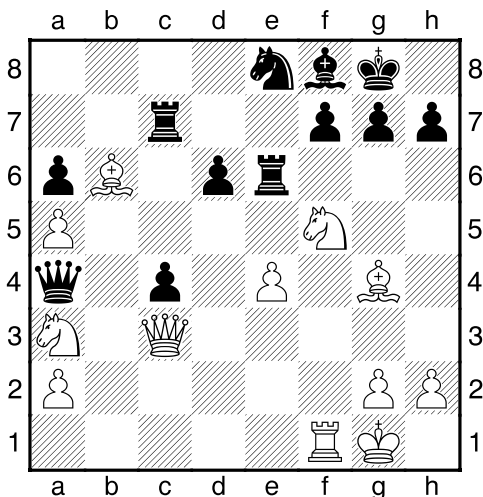
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13.f5 Bxg5+ 14.Kb1 Ne5 15.Qh5 Qe7
16.Nxe6 Bxe6 17.fxe6 g6 18.exf7+ Kxf7
19.Qe2 Kg7 20.Nd5 Qd8 21.Bh3 Rf8 22.Rhf1
Ra7 23.Rxf8 Qxf8 24.Qg2 Bh6 25.Qg1 Rf7
26.Qb6 Rf3 27.Nc7 Be3 28.Ne6+ Kh6
29.Qxe3+ Rxe3 30.Nxf8 Rxh3 31.b3 Nf7
32.Rd2 Re3 33.Rd4 Re2 34.h3 Re3 35.a4
Rxh3 36.Ne6 Rh5 37.Nc7 bxa4 38.Rxa4 a5
39.Nd5 Re5 40.Rxa5 Rxe4 41.Ra7 Kg7
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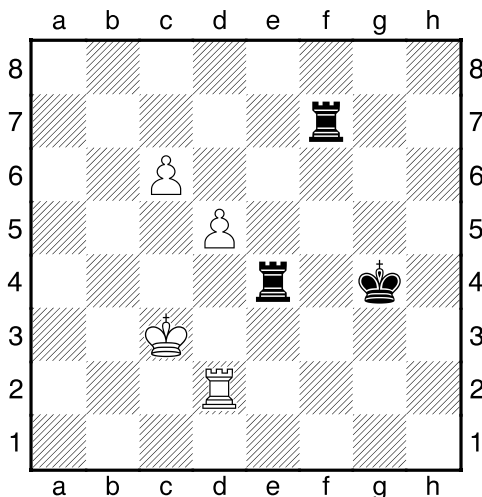
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WA (7), 10.08.2012

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0-0 10.Qd2 Re8 11.Bf3 Na5 12.b3 Qc7
13.Rac1 Bd7 14.Nb1 e5 15.Ne2 Bc6 16.Ng3
exf4 17.Bxf4 Bf8 18.Qd4 b5 19.Rfd1 Re6
20.c4 bxc4 21.b4 Ba4 22.bxa5 Bxd1
23.Rxd1 Rc8 24.Qc3 Qb8 25.Na3 Qa7+

26.Be3 Qe7 27.Nf5 Qe8 28.Bd4 Qa4 29.Rf1
Ne8 30.Bg4 Rc7 31.Bb6



Kg3 52.Rxh1 Rxh1 53.Rd2 Re1 54.c5 g4
55.fxg4 Rxe4 56.c6 Bxg4 57.Bxg4 Kxg4



31...Rc6?? 32.Bd1 1-0

Round 8

**Seirawan, Yasser (2674) –
Bercys, Salvijus (2479)**

US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012
1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.e4 d6 4.d4 Bg7 5.Bd3 0-0
6.Nge2 Nc6 7.0-0 e5 8.d5 Nd4 9.Bg5 h6
10.Bh4 c5 11.Rb1 g5 12.Bg3 h5 13.f3 h4
14.Be1 Nh5 15.b4 Nf4 16.bxc5 dxc5 17.Nxf4
exf4 18.Nb5 Be5 19.Nxd4 Bxd4+ 20.Bf2 Qf6
21.h3 Rd8 22.Bc2 Bxf2+ 23.Rxf2 Qe5
24.Qc1 Kg7 25.Qa3 b6 26.Ba4 Bb7 27.Qb2
Kf6 28.Kf1 Qxb2 29.Rfxb2 Ba6 30.Rc1 Ke5
31.Ke2 Rac8 32.Kd3 Rc7 33.Kc3 Bc8 34.Bc6
Kd6 35.a4 Re7 36.a5 f5 37.axb6 axb6
38.Rxb6 fxe4 39.Ba4+ Ke5 40.fxe4 f3
41.gxf3 Rf7 42.Bd1 Bxh3 43.Rc2 Kf4 44.Rd2
Rh8 45.Rc6 Bd7 46.Rxc5 h3 47.Rh2 Kg3
48.Rh1 Kg2 49.Re1 h2 50.Ra5 h1Q 51.Ra2+

58.d6 Rff4 59.d7 Rc4+ 60.Kb2 Rf8 61.Rg2+
Kh3 62.Rc2 Rd4 63.Kc3 Rd6 64.Kb4 Rd8
65.c7 R6xd7 66.cxd8Q Rxd8 ½-½

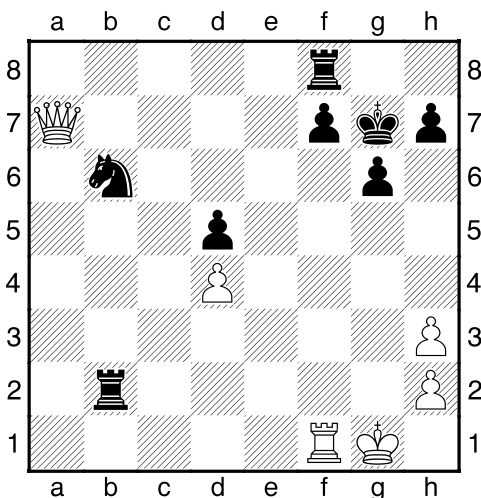
**Ulrich, Thomas (2279) –
Ramirez, Alejandro (2643)**

US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012
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Bxa6 6.Nc3 g6 7.g3 d6 8.Bg2 Bg7 9.Nf3
Nbd7 10.Rb1 0-0 11.0-0 Qa5 12.Bd2 Bb7
13.b3 Qa6 14.Bc1 e6 15.dxe6 fxe6 16.Bb2
d5 17.a4 Bc6 18.Ng5 Rfe8 19.Qd3 Qxd3
20.exd3 h6 21.Nf3 Rab8 22.Ba1 d4 23.Ne2
Bxf3 24.Bxf3 Ne5 25.Kg2 Nxd3 26.Bc6 Rec8
27.Bb5 Nb4 28.Nf4 Kf7 29.Rfe1 Nc2 30.Re2
Na3 31.Rc1 Nxb5 32.axb5 Nd5 33.Nd3 Rxb5
34.Ra2 Rc7 35.Rac2 Nc3 36.Bxc3 dxc3

Chirila, Ioan (2506) – Yotov, Valentin (2570)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (4),
18.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 d5 4.Nc3 Bb4 5.Bg5
Nbd7 6.e3 c5 7.cxd5 exd5 8.Bd3 Qa5 9.Qc2
c4 10.Bf5 0-0 11.0-0 Re8 12.Nd2 g6 13.Bh3
Kg7 14.Bh4 Nb6 15.Nb3 cxb3 16.axb3 Bxc3
17.Rxa5 Bxa5 18.Bxf6+ Kxf6 19.Qc5 Bxh3
20.gxh3 Bd2 21.Rd1 Bxe3 22.fxe3 Rxe3
23.Qc7 Kg7 24.Rf1 Rf8 25.Qxb7 Rxb3
26.Qxa7 Rxb2 27.Rf2 Rb1+ 28.Rf1 Rb2 ½-½



Sadorra, Julio (2546) – Hughes, Tyler (2289)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (4),
18.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 0-0 5.Nf3
d6 6.Be2 e5 7.d5 Na6 8.Nd2 h5 9.a3 c5
10.dxc6 bxc6 11.b4 Nc7 12.Nb3 Ne6 13.0-0
Nd4 14.Be3 Nxe2+ 15.Qxe2 Ng4 16.Rfd1
Nxe3 17.Qxe3 Be6 18.Na5 Qc7 19.Rac1
Rfc8 20.c5 dxc5 21.Qxc5 Bh6 22.Rc2 Bf8
23.Qe3 Qb8 24.Na4 Bxb4 25.axb4 Qxb4

26.Nc5 Rd8 27.Rdc1 Qxa5 28.Nxe6 fxe6
29.Qh6 Qc7 30.Qxg6+ Qg7 31.Qxe6+ Kh8
32.Rc3 h4 33.Rxc6 a5 34.Qf5 1-0

Yotov, Valentin (2570) – Onischuk, Alexander (2676)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (5),
18.11.2012

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.c4 e6 4.Nc3 Be7 5.Bf4 0-0
6.e3 Nbd7 7.c5 Nh5 8.Bd3 Nxf4 9.exf4 c6
10.Qc2 h6 11.0-0 b6 12.b4 a5 13.a3 Qc7
14.g3 Ba6 15.Bxa6 Rxa6 16.Qe2 Raa8
17.Rfc1 Rfb8 18.Qc2 Qb7 19.Nd1 axb4
20.axb4 Rxa1 21.Rxa1 Ra8 22.Rxa8+ Qxa8
23.Ne3 Qa1+ 24.Kg2 b5 25.h4 Bf6 26.Qd2
h5 27.Nc2 ½-½

Getz, Alec (2316) – Calugar, A (2312)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (5),
18.11.2012

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 exd5 4.Bd3 Nf6
5.Ne2 Bd6 6.Bf4 Bxf4 7.Nxf4 0-0 8.0-0 Nc6
9.c3 Qd6 10.Qf3 Bg4 11.Qg3 Rae8 12.h3
Bd7 13.Nd2 Ne7 14.Rfe1 Nf5 15.Qf3 Nh4
16.Qg3 Ng6 17.Nxg6 Qxg3 18.fxg3 fxg6
19.g4 b6 20.Nf3 Rxe1+ 21.Rxe1 Re8
22.Rxe8+ Bxe8 23.Kf2 Kf7 24.Ke3 Ke6 25.g5
Nd7 26.Bb5 Kd6 27.Bxd7 Bxd7 28.Kf4 Be8
29.Ne5 a6 30.a3 a5 ½-½

Sadorra, J (2546) – Chirila, I (2506)

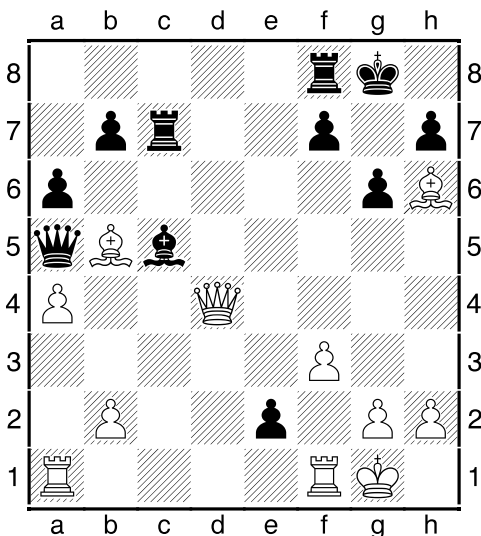
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10.Bxd6 Qb6 11.Be5 0-0 12.e3 c4 13.Qd1 b4
14.Nb1 Rc8 15.Nbd2 c3 16.bxc3 bxc3
17.Nc4 Qa6 18.Nd6 c2 19.Qd2 Qa3 20.Nxc8
Ne4 21.Qxc2 Bxe5 22.Nxe5 Qa5+ 23.Ke2
Nc3+ 24.Ke1 Ne4+ 25.Ke2 Nc3+ 26.Ke1
Ne4+ 27.Ke2 Nc3+ 28.Ke1 ½-½

**Sadorra,Julio (2546) –
Yotov,Valentin (2570)**

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (2),
17.11.2012

1.Nf3 d5 2.c4 c6 3.d4 Nf6 4.Nc3 dxc4 5.a4
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g6 14.Qb3 Rac8 15.Nd5 Nxd5 16.Qxd5 Rc7
17.e4 fxe4 18.Bb5 a6 19.Bxd7 cxd4 20.Bb5
e3 21.Qxd4 e2 22.Bh6 Bc5 0-1



**Onischuk,Alexander (2676) –
Bercys,Salvijus (2425)**

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (2),
17.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.Nf3 0-
0 6.Be2 e5 7.Be3 Ng4 8.Bg5 f6 9.Bh4 Nc6
10.d5 Ne7 11.Nd2 Nh6 12.f3 c5 13.dxc6
bxc6 14.b4 Kh8 15.Nb3 Be6 16.Bf2 f5 17.0-0
d5 18.Nc5 Bg8 19.cxd5 cxd5 20.exd5 Nxd5
21.Nxd5 Bxd5 22.Qd2 Bg8 23.Rfd1 Qe7
24.Qd6 Qxd6 25.Rxd6 e4 26.Bd4 Bxd4+
27.Rxd4 Rad8 28.Rxd8 Rxd8 29.fxe4 Rd2
30.Bf3 Bxa2 31.e5 Kg7 32.Na4 Bc4 33.Rc1
Rd4 34.Nc5 Nf7 35.e6 Ng5 36.Ra1 a6

37.Nxa6 Nxf3+ 38.gxf3 Bxa6 39.Rxa6 Rxb4
40.Ra7+ Kf6 41.Rxh7 1/2-1/2

**Getz,Alec (2316) – Chirila,loan
(2506)**

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (3),
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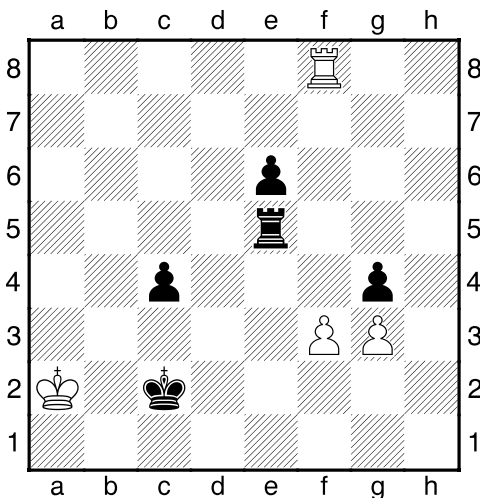
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g6 14.Bh6 Re8 15.Bg5 Nbd7 16.d4 Bf8
17.d5 c4 18.Bc2 Bg7 19.Qd2 Nc5 20.b4
cxb3 21.axb3 Bc8 22.Rec1 Nfd7 23.Be3 Nb6
24.Ne1 Bd7 25.f3 f5 26.Nf1 fxe4 27.fxe4 a5
28.Qf2 Rec8 29.Nd2 Be8 30.Nef3 h6 31.Rf1
Nbd7 32.Qh4 g5 33.Qf2 Nf6 34.b4 axb4
35.cxb4 Na6 36.Bb3 Qc3 37.Kh1 Nxb4
38.Rxa8 Rxa8 39.h4 Ng4 40.Qg3 Nxe3 0-1

**Bercys,Salvijus (2425) –
Calugar,Arthur (2312)**

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (3),
17.11.2012

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13.Bxa6 Rxa6 14.Be3 Be6 15.Qc2 Ng4
16.Nd5 Nxe3 17.fxe3 Qb8 18.Nxe7+ Kh8
19.Rad1 a4 20.Nd5 h6 21.Nd4 Bg4 22.Rd2
Qe5 23.Rdf2 f5 24.h3 Bh5 25.Nf4 fxe4
26.Nxg6+ Rxg6 27.Rxf8+ Bxf8 28.Rxf8+ Kg7
29.Qf2 Rf6 30.Rxf6 Qxf6 31.Qg3+ Bg6
32.Qc7+ Qf7 33.Qe5+ Qf6 34.Qc7+ Qf7
35.Qd6 h5 36.Ne6+ Kg8 37.Qd8+ Qe8
38.Qxe8+ Bxe8 39.Nd8 Kg7 40.Nxb7 Kf6
41.Nd6 Bc6 42.Kf2 Ke5 43.g4 hxg4 44.h4
Bd5 45.Kg3 Bg8 46.h5 Kd5 47.Kxg4 Kxc5
48.Nxe4+ Kc4 49.h6 Bh7 50.Nf6 Bg6 51.Kg5
Bd3 52.e4 1-0

37.Nf4 Rxb3 38.Ne2 Ke7 39.Nxc3 Bxc3
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 43.Ke2 Kc5 44.Re3 Rc6 45.Kd2 Ra6 46.Rf3
 Kb4 47.Kc2 Ra2+ 48.Kb1 Re2 49.h4 g5
 50.hxg5 hxg5 51.Kc1 g4 52.Rf4 Kc3 53.Kd1
 Rd2+ 54.Kc1 Ra2 55.Kb1 Re2 56.Rf8 Re1+
 57.Ka2 Kc2 58.f3 Re5 0-1

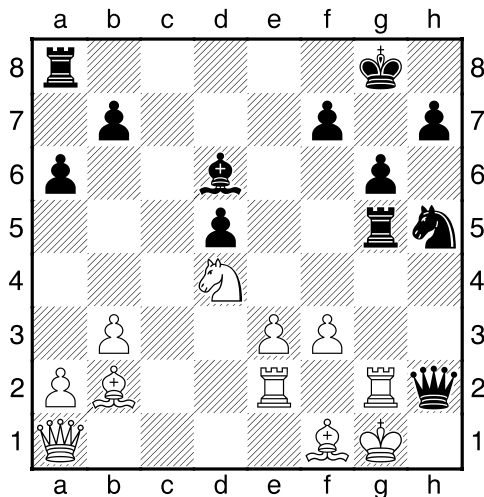


**Pamatmat, Jarod (2233) –
 Kaufman, Raymond (2420)**

US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 b6 4.g3 Bb7 5.Bg2
 Bb4+ 6.Bd2 c5 7.0-0 0-0 8.Bxb4 cxb4
 9.Nbd2 d6 10.a3 bxa3 11.Rxa3 a5 12.Qb1
 Na6 13.Rd1 Qe7 14.h3 Nb4 15.Rc3 h6 16.e4
 Rfd8 17.Nh4 g5 18.e5 dxe5 19.dxe5 Ne8
 20.Nhf3 Rd7 21.Re1 Rad8 22.Nf1 Qc5
 23.Ree3 Rd1 24.Rc1 Rxc1 25.Qxc1 Rd3
 26.Ne1 Rd7 27.Bxb7 Rxb7 28.Re4 Rd7
 29.h4 Qc6 30.Qe3 Ng7 31.hxg5 Nf5 32.Qe2
 Nd4 33.Qe3 Nf5 34.Qe2 Nd4 35.Qe3 1/2-1/2

**Gater, Daniel (2178) – Shetty, Atulya
 (2400)**

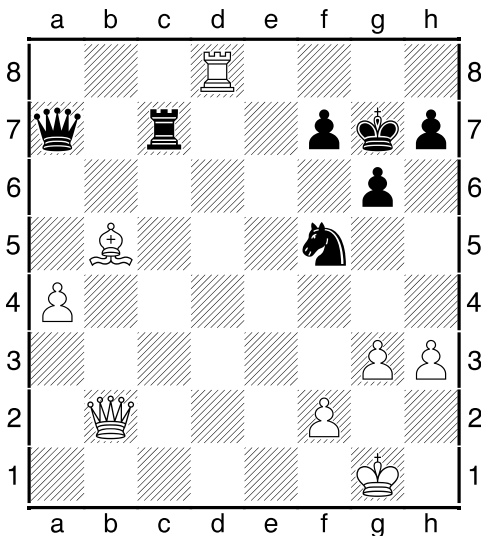
US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012
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 6.Bd3 Bg7 7.Nc3 0-0 8.h3 Re8 9.Bb2 Nbd7
 10.cxd5 cxd5 11.0-0 e5 12.dxe5 Nxe5
 13.Nxe5 Rxe5 14.Ne2 Re8 15.Rc1 Qd6
 16.Rc2 Bd7 17.Qa1 Nh5 18.Rd1 Qe7 19.Rc7
 Qd8 20.Rc5 Qg5 21.Kh1 Bf8 22.Rc2 Bd6
 23.Nd4 Bg4 24.Re1 Qh4 25.Kg1 Bxh3
 26.gxh3 Qxh3 27.f3 Re5 28.Rg2 Rg5 29.Bf1
 Bg3 30.Ree2 Bh2+ 31.Kh1 Bd6+ 32.Kg1
 Qh2+ 0-1



Labeledz,Patrycja (2329) – Cheng,Kun (1883)

US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 0-0 5.c4 d6 6.0-0 Nbd7 7.Nc3 e5 8.e4 a6 9.h3 b5 10.cxb5 axb5 11.Re1 b4 12.Nd5 Bb7 13.Nxb4 exd4 14.e5 dxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.Bxb7 Rb8 17.Bg2 Rxb4 18.Rxe5 Nd7 19.Re2 c5 20.Bf4 Qb6 21.Re7 Qd8 22.Re2 Qb6 23.Rb1 c4 24.a3 Rb3 25.Rc1 Rxb2 26.Rxc4 Rb1 27.Rc1 Rxc1 28.Qxc1 d3 29.Rd2 Nc5 30.Be3 Nb3 31.Qd1 Bd4 32.Bxd4 Nxd4 33.Rxd3 Nf5 34.a4 Re8 35.Bf1 Qa5 36.Rd5 Qa7 37.Bb5 Re7 38.Rd8+ Kg7 39.Qa1+ Kh6 40.Qc3 Rc7 41.Qd2+ Kg7 42.Qb2+

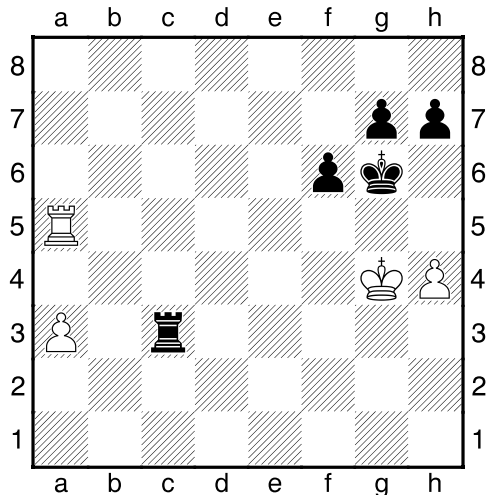


42...Kh6 43.g4 Nh4 44.Qf6 Rc1+ 45.Bf1 Nf5 46.gxf5 Qxa4 47.Rd4 Rxf1+ 48.Kxf1 Qa1+ 49.Kg2 Qa8+ 50.Kh2 Qb8+ 51.Qd6 1-0

Chow,Colin (2126) – Guadalupe,Francisco (2305)

US Open Vancouver, WA (8), 11.08.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 Nxe4 6.Re1 Nc5 7.Bxc6 dxc6 8.Nxe5 Be7 9.d4 Ne6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Nc3 f6 12.Nc4 Bb4 13.a3 Bxc3 14.bxc3 b6 15.Qd3 Bb7 16.Rad1 Qd7 17.f4 a5 18.Nd2 Rad8 19.Nf3 Qd6 20.f5 Nf4 21.Qd2 Nd5 22.c4 Nxe3 23.Rxe3 c5 24.Re6 Qd7 25.d5 Qa4 26.Qc3 Bc8 27.Re7 Bxf5 28.Rxc7 Qxc2 29.Qxc2 Bxc2 30.Rc1 Be4 31.Re1 Rfe8 32.Rb7 Bd3 33.Rxe8+ Rxe8 34.Rxb6 Bxc4 35.Rc6 Bxd5 36.Rxc5 Bxf3 37.gxf3 Re5 38.Rc3 Kf7 39.Kf2 Kg6 40.Rc4 Rb5 41.Rc3 Rb2+ 42.Kg3 Ra2 43.h4 a4 44.Kg4 Ra1 45.Rd3 Rg1+ 46.Kh3 Rb1 47.Rd4 Rb3 48.Rxa4 Rxf3+ 49.Kg4 Rc3 50.Ra5



50...h5+ 51.Kf4 Rh3 52.a4 Rxh4+ 53.Kf3 Rb4 54.Ra8 Kg5 55.a5 f5 56.a6 Rb3+ 57.Kf2 Ra3 58.a7 g6 59.Kg2 h4 60.Kh2 h3 61.Rh8 Rxa7 62.Rxh3 Ra2+ 63.Kg1 Kg4 64.Rb3 f4 65.Rc3 g5 66.Rb3 f3 67.Rb4+ Kg3 68.Rb1 Rg2+ 69.Kh1 Rh2+ 70.Kg1 f2+ 71.Kf1 Rh1+ 0-1

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational

Once again, UTD hosted a GM Invitational, 16-20 November. In the last couple of years, these events have given high caliber players the opportunity to achieve norms and International titles and, at the same time, provided welcome training for the PanAms and the Final Four. These events gave young talents like **Julio Sadorra** and **Conrad Holt** the opportunity to become Grandmasters!

The field for this year's fall event was truly exceptional, with five Grandmasters, three International Masters and two FIDE Masters in attendance. After nine grueling rounds, **GM Ioan Cristian Chirila** emerged victorious, with an outstanding record of five wins and four draws. The defending Champion, US #4 and Texas Tech Coach **GM Alexander Onischuk** started with five consecutive draws and was not in the "mix" this time.

GM Chirila, Ioan	ROU	2506	7.00
GM Sadorra, J	PHI	2546	6.50
GM Yotov, v	BUL	2570	6.00
GM Onischuk, A	USA	2676	5.50
IM Bercys, S	USA	2425	5.00
GM Holt, Conrad	USA	2496	4.50
IM Pavlovic, M	SRB	2477	4.50
FM Getz, Alec	USA	2316	3.50
IM Calugar, A	CAN	2312	1.50
FM Hughes, Tyler	USA	2289	1.00

Holt, Conrad (2496) – Onischuk, Alexander (2676)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (1),
16.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.Qc2 0-0 5.e4 d5 6.e5 Ne4 7.Bd3 c5 8.Nf3 cxd4 9.Nxd4 Nd7 10.Bf4 Ndc5 11.0-0 Nxd3 12.Qxd3 Bxc3 13.bxc3 b6 14.cxd5 Qxd5 15.Rfd1 Nc5 16.Qg3 Qe4 17.Nb5 Ba6 18.Nd6 Qg6 19.Bg5 f6 20.exf6 gxf6 21.Be3 Qxg3 22.hxg3 Nb7 23.Nxb7 Bxb7 24.a4 Rfd8 25.Rxd8+ Rxd8 26.a5 bxa5 27.Rxa5 a6 28.g4 Rd5 29.Ra4 Kf7 30.c4 Rd1+ 31.Kh2 e5 32.Rb4 ½-½

Bercys, Salvijus (2425) – Chirila, Ioan (2506)

2012 Fall UTD GM Invitational Dallas (1),
16.11.2012

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.g3 c5 4.Bg2 Nc6 5.0-0 d6 6.Nc3 Bg7 7.a3 0-0 8.Rb1 Be6 9.d3 Qc8 10.Ng5 Bd7 11.b4 h6 12.Nf3 Bh3 13.Nd5 Bxg2 14.Nxf6+ exf6 15.Kxg2 f5 16.bxc5 dxc5 17.Bb2 b6 18.Qd2 Qe6 19.Rfe1 Rad8 20.h4 Rfe8 21.Bxg7 Kxg7 22.Rb2 Re7 23.Kg1 Nd4 24.Nxd4 Rxd4 25.e3 f4 26.exd4 Qxe1+ 27.Qxe1 Rxe1+ 28.Kg2 cxd4 29.gxf4 f5 30.Kf3 Rh1 31.a4 Ra1 32.Rb5 Ra3 33.Ke2 Ra2+ 34.Ke1 Rxa4 35.Rd5 Kf7 36.Rxd4 b5 37.Kd2 a5 38.Rd7+ Ke6 39.Rg7 Kf6 40.Rc7 b4 41.Rc6+ Kf7 42.Rb6 Ra3 43.Ke3 b3 44.c5 a4 45.Kd4 Ra1 46.Kd5 Rc1 47.Rb7+ Kf6 48.Rb6+ Ke7 49.c6 a3 50.Rb7+ Kd8 51.c7+ Kd7 0-1

**Watters,Chase (2130) –
Hughes,Tyler (2378)**

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.c4 Bg7 4.Nc3 0-0 5.g3
d6 6.Bg2 Nbd7 7.0-0 e5 8.e4 a6 9.h3 b5
10.dxe5 dxe5 11.Be3 bxc4 12.Nd2 Nb6
13.Bxb6 cxb6 14.Nxc4 Nd7 15.Qd5 Ra7
16.Rfd1 Qe7 17.Qd6 Qxd6 18.Nxd6 Nf6
19.Nxc8 Rxc8 20.Rd6 b5 21.Rad1 Raa8
22.a3 Kf8 23.Rb6 Ne8 24.Rd7 Rc7 25.Rd2
Bh6 26.Rd1 Kg8 27.a4 bxa4 28.Ra1 Bd2
29.Nxa4 Ba5 30.Rb3 Rc6 31.Rd1 Rc4
32.Nb6 Bxb6 33.Rxb6 Nc7 34.Bf1 Rc2
35.Rd7 Ne6 36.b3 a5 37.Bc4 Ng5 38.h4
Nh3+ 39.Kg2 Nxf2 40.Bxf7+ Kh8 41.Bc4
Nxe4+ 42.Kg1 Rf8 43.Rf7 Rxf7 44.Bxf7
Nxc3 45.Rb5 Kg7 46.Bd5 Kf6 47.Rxa5 e4
48.Bc4 Nf5 49.Ra6+ Ke5 50.h5 gxh5
51.Re6+ Kf4 52.Rf6 Kg5 53.Rf8 Nd4 54.Re8
h4 55.Bd5 Ne2+ 56.Kh1 Ng3+ 57.Kg1 h3 0-1

**Bercys,Salvijus (2479) –
Bachmann,Axel (2620)**

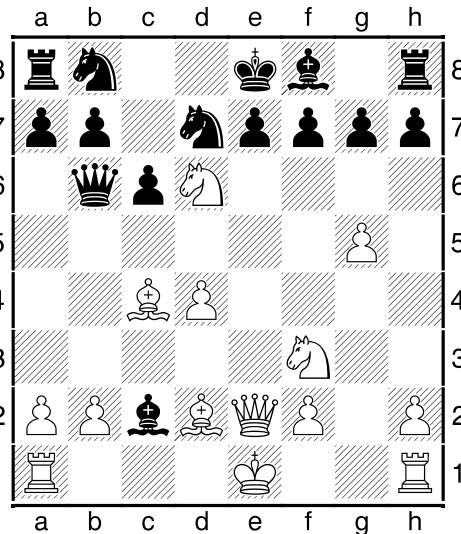
2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.f3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.Be3 0-0
6.Qd2 c5 7.d5 b5 8.cxb5 a6 9.Na3 e6
10.dxe6 Bxe6 11.Ne2 d5 12.Nf4 dxe4
13.Qxd8 Rxd8 14.Nxe6 fxe6 15.Rd1 Rxd1+
16.Kxd1 Nd5 17.Bxc5 exf3 18.gxf3 axb5
19.Kc2 Nd7 20.Bd6 b4 21.Nc4 Kf7 22.Kb3
Bd4 23.Bh3 Nc5+ 24.Bxc5 Bxc5 25.Re1 Nf4
26.Bf1 Rd8 27.Ka4 Kf6 28.Kb5 Bf8 29.a4
bxa3 30.bxa3 Nd5 31.Kc6 Rc8+ 32.Kb7
Rc7+ 33.Kb8 Bc5 34.Rb1 Ba7+ 35.Ka8 Bg1
36.h3 h5 37.Rb7 Rc6 38.Rb3 g5 39.Kb7
Rc7+ 40.Kb8 Ba7+ 41.Ka8 Bf2 42.Kb8 Bg3
43.Ka8 Ne7 44.Rb7 Rc8+ 45.Ka7 Nc6+
46.Ka6 Ra8+ 47.Kb6 Ne5 48.Nxe5 Bxe5
49.Ba6 Bd4+ 50.Kb5 Ke5 51.Rf7 Ra7 ½-½

**Nemcova,Katerina (2263) –
Alexandrov,Olzhas (2118)**

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qa5 4.d4 c6
5.Bc4 Nf6 6.Qe2 Bf5 7.Bd2 Bxc2 8.Nf3 Qh5
9.g4 Qa5 10.g5 Nfd7 11.Nb5 Qb6 12.Nd6+
1-0



**Rowghani,Kavian (1846) –
Morales,Luciana (2185)**

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

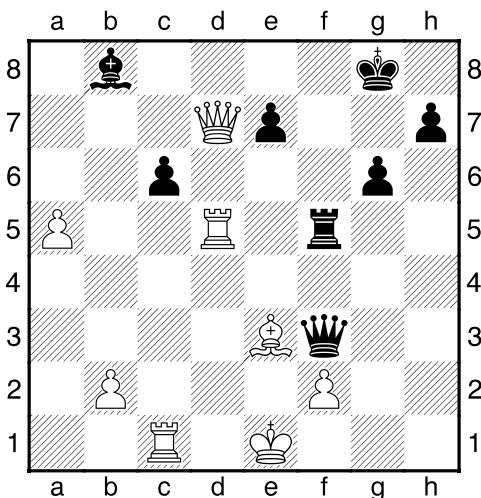
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5.Nf3 Ngf6 6.Nxf6+ Nxf6 7.Bd3 c5 8.dxc5
Bxc5 9.0-0 0-0 10.Ne5 Qc7 11.Qe2 h6
12.Ng4 Nxc3 13.Qxc3 f5 14.Qc4 Kh8 15.b3
b5 16.Qh4 Be7 17.Qh5 Bf6 18.Ba3 Bxa1
19.Bxf8 Bd4 20.Qe8 Qd7 21.Qxd7 Bxd7
22.Bd6 e5 23.c4 a6 24.c5 g6 25.Rd1 Rc8
26.Rc1 Kg7 27.Kf1 Kf6 28.f3 a5 29.Ke2 Bb2
30.Rc2 Ba3 31.Ke3 Ke6 32.Bf1 Bb4 33.Rc1
Ba3 34.Rc2 Bc6 35.Be2 Ra8 36.Rd2 Bc1 0-1

Round 9

Bercys,Salvijus (2479) – Sarkar,Justin (2483)

US Open Vancouver, WA (9), 12.08.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.Nf3 Bg7 5.Qb3
dxc4 6.Qxc4 0-0 7.e4 a6 8.e5 b5 9.Qb3 Nfd7
10.e6 fxe6 11.Be3 Nf6 12.a4 b4 13.Qxb4 Nc6
14.Qa3 Qd6 15.Bc4 Nb4 16.Rc1 Bb7 17.a5
Bxf3 18.gxf3 Rab8 19.0-0 Qc6 20.Be2 Qb7
21.Na4 Nfd5 22.Nc5 Qc8 23.Qa4 e5 24.dxe5
Qh3 25.Qd7 Rf5 26.Bc4 Qxf3 27.Rfd1 c6
28.Nxa6 Bxe5 29.Nxb8 Bxh2+ 30.Kf1 Bxb8
31.Bxd5+ Nxd5 32.Rxd5 Qh1+ 33.Ke2 Qf3+
34.Ke1 Qh1+ 35.Ke2 Qf3+ 36.Ke1 ½-½



Ramirez,Alejandro (2643) – Shetty,Atulya (2400)

US Open Vancouver, WA (9), 12.08.2012

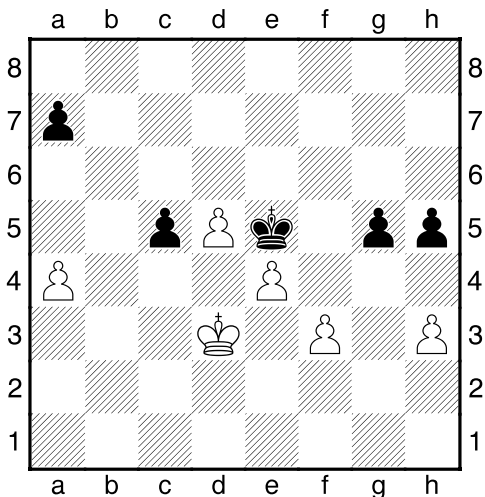
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10.Nxd7 Qxd7 11.d5 exd5 12.Nxd5 Nxd5
13.Qxd5 Qxd5 14.Bxd5 Rd8 15.Bxc6+ bxc6
16.Be3 Rb8 17.Ra2 Bd6 18.Rc1 Kd7
19.Rxc4 Rb4 20.Rc2 Rhb8 21.Bd2 Rb3
22.Bc3 f6 23.Ra1 Ke6 24.Rd1 R8b7 25.Kf1
h5 26.h4 c4 27.Rd4 c5 28.Re4+ Kd5 29.Re8
Kc6 30.Ra8 Be5 31.Bxe5 fxe5 32.Rxc4 Rxb2
33.Rc8+ Kd6 34.R8xc5 Ra2 35.Rc6+ Kd7
36.Rg6 Rb1+ 37.Kg2 Rxe2 38.Rxg7+ Kd6
39.Rg6+ Kd7 40.Kf3 Rbb2 41.Rxa6 Rxf2+
42.Ke4 Rb3 43.Kxe5 Re3+ 44.Re4 Rxg3
45.Ra7+ Kc6 46.Rh7 Ra3 47.Rxh5 Rfa2
48.Rh6+ Kc5 49.Ra6 Rf3 50.Rf6 Rfa3
51.Rff4 Rh3 52.Rc4+ Kb6 53.Kf5 Re2
54.Rce4 Rd2 55.Kg5 Rg2+ 56.Rg4 Rd2
57.Ref4 Rd8 58.Rf6+ Ka5 59.Rf5+ Ka6 60.h5
Rg8+ 61.Kf4 Rh8 62.Rg6+ Kb7 63.Kg4 Rh1
64.a5 Rg1+ 65.Kf4 Rf1+ ½-½

Bykhovsky,Anatoly (2653) – Pamatmat,Jarod (2233)

US Open Vancouver, WA (9), 12.08.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Nc3 dxc4 5.a4
Bf5 6.e3 e6 7.Bxc4 Bb4 8.0-0 0-0 9.Nh4
Nbd7 10.h3 Nb6 11.Bb3 Nbd5 12.Bd2 Qa5
13.Rc1 Ne4 14.Nxf5 exf5 15.Nxe4 fxe4
16.Bxd5 Bxd2 17.Rc5 Qd8 18.Bxf7+ Rxf7
19.Qxd2 Re7 20.b4 Qd6 21.b5 Rd8 22.Qa2+
Qe6 23.Qxe6+ Rxe6 24.bxc6 bxc6 25.Rfc1
Rdd6 26.Ra5 Re7 27.Rb1 Kf7 28.Rb8 Rc7
29.Re5 Re7 30.Rxe7+ Kxe7 31.Rb7+ Rd7

32.Rxd7+ Kxd7 33.f3 exf3 34.gxf3 c5 35.d5
Kd6 36.e4 g5 37.Kf2 h5 38.Ke3 Ke5 39.Kd3
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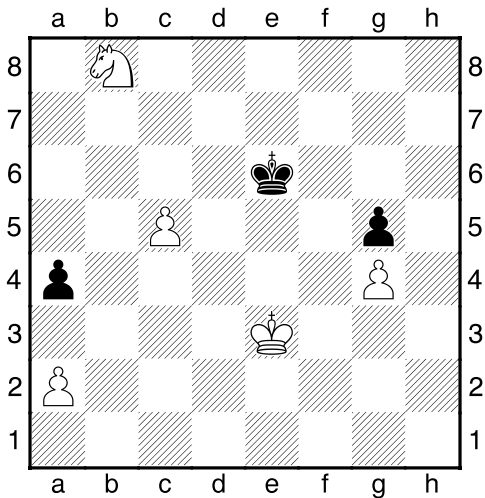


Sohal, T (2199) – Labeledz, P (2329)

US Open Vancouver, WA (9), 12.08.2012
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Nf6 6.g3 Nbd7 7.Bg2 Bd6 8.0-0 0-0 9.Nc3 h6
10.Rd1 Qe7 11.Nd2 e5 12.Nde4 Nxe4
13.Nxe4 Bc7 14.Be3 Bb6 15.Nc3 Re8 16.d5
Bxe3 17.fxe3 Nb6 18.Qb3 cxd5 19.Nxd5
Nxd5 20.Bxd5 Rb8 21.Rac1 Bh3 22.e4 Kh8
23.Rc3 Rf8 24.Qa3 Qg5 25.Qxa7 f5 26.Qe3
f4 27.Qf2 Rf6 28.Kh1 Qh5 29.Rg1 Bg4
30.gxf4 Rxf4 31.Qg3 g5 32.h3 Rbf8 33.e3
Bf3+? 34.Kh2 R4f6? 35.Qxe5 Qg6 36.Rgc1
g4 37.Rc8 Qg7 38.Rxf8+ Qxf8 39.Rc8 Qxc8
40.Qxf6+ Kh7 41.Qf7+ Kh8 42.Qf6+ Kh7
43.Qe7+ Kh8 44.Bb3 Qa8 45.Bf7 Qb8+ 46.e5
Be4 47.hxg4 1-0

**Guadalupe, Francisco (2305) –
Apte, Neel (2118)**

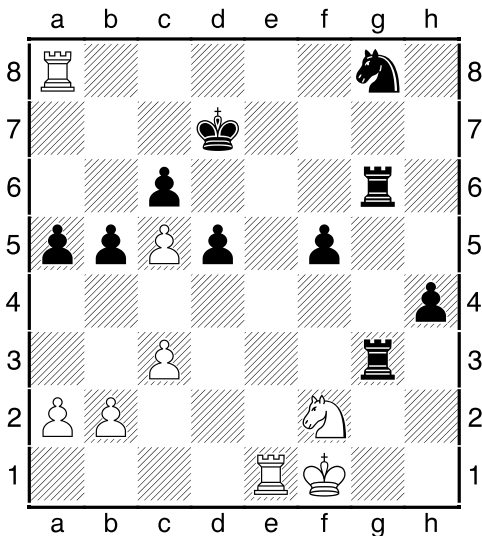
US Open Vancouver, WA (9), 12.08.2012
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Bg7 6.Be3 Nf6 7.Nc3 0-0 8.Be2 d6 9.0-0 Bd7
10.Nc2 a5 11.f3 Be6 12.Qd2 Nd7 13.Rab1
Nc5 14.b3 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Rbd1 Ne6
17.Bd3 Ned4 18.Nxd4 Nxd4 19.Bxf5 Nxf5
20.Bf2 Be5 21.Rfe1 Ng7 22.Nd5 e6 23.Nb6
Bf4 24.Qd4 Ra6 25.g3 Bg5 26.Qxd6 Qxd6
27.Rxd6 Rxf3 28.c5 Be7 29.Rd7 Rxf2
30.Rxe7 Rf7 31.Rxf7 Kxf7 32.Rd1 Ke8 33.g4
h5 34.h3 hxg4 35.hxg4 e5 36.Rd6 a4 37.b4
g5 38.Kf2 Kf7 39.Rd7+ Kg6 40.Rxb7 Ne6
41.b5 Ra5 42.Nc4 Ra8 43.Nxe5+ Kh6 44.Rb6
Re8 45.Nd7 Kg7 46.Rxe6 Rxe6 47.b6 Kf7
48.b7 Re8 49.b8Q Rxb8 50.Nxb8 Ke6
51.Ke3 1-0



Getz,Alec (2420) – Holt,Conrad (2567)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 exd5 4.Bd3 Nc6 5.c3 Bd6 6.h3 Qf6 7.Nf3 Bf5 8.0-0 Bxd3 9.Qxd3 Nge7 10.Bg5 Qg6 11.Qxg6 Nxg6 12.Re1+ Kd7 13.Nbd2 f6 14.Be3 Nce7 15.Nf1 c6 16.Bd2 Nf4 17.Bxf4 Bxf4 18.g3 Bd6 19.Re2 a5 20.Ne3 Rhe8 21.Rae1 Nc8 22.Nd2 b5 23.Nb3 Ne7 24.Nc2 h5 25.Kg2 h4 26.Nc1 Rh8 27.Ne3 hxg3 28.fxg3 Rh5 29.h4 g5 30.Ng4 Rf8 31.Re6 Ng8 32.Nd3 f5 33.Ngf2 gxh4 34.Nc5+ Bxc5 35.dxc5 Rf6 36.Re8 Rg5 37.Ra8 Rxc3+ 38.Kf1 Rfg6 39.Ra7+ Kd8 40.Ra8+ Kd7 41.Ra7+ Kd8 42.Ra8+ Kd7 1/2-1/2

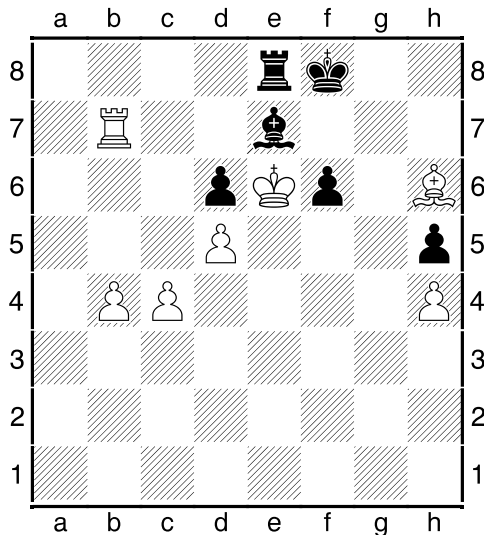


Pavlovic (2524) – Cornejo (2471)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 g6 5.c4 Nf6 6.Nc3 Nxd4 7.Qxd4 d6 8.Be3 Bg7 9.Be2 0-0 10.Qd2 Be6 11.Rc1 Qa5 12.b3 a6 13.f3 Rfc8 14.Na4 Qxd2+ 15.Kxd2 Rc7 16.Nb6 Re8 17.g4 Nd7 18.Nd5 Bxd5 19.exd5 a5

20.f4 Nc5 21.Bf3 Rec8 22.Rb1 a4 23.Rhc1 axb3 24.axb3 b6 25.g5 f5 26.gxf6 exf6 27.f5 gxf5 28.Bf4 Ra7 29.Rg1 Ra2+ 30.Kc3 Rd8 31.Rg2 Rxc2 32.Bxc2 Ne4+ 33.Kd4 Re8 34.Re1 Ra8 35.Bh3 Ng5 36.Bg2 Ne4 37.Rg1 Re8 38.h4 Kf7 39.Bf3 Re7 40.Bh5+ Kg8 41.Ra1 Bf8 42.Ra8 Kg7 43.Bf3 Rb7 44.Bxe4 fxe4 45.Kxe4 Be7 46.Kf5 Kf7 47.Rh8 Kg7 48.Rc8 Kf7 49.Rc6 Rd7 50.Rxb6 h5 51.b4 Rd8 52.Rb7 Kf8 53.Ke6 Re8 54.Bh6+ 1-0



Breckenridge,Steven (2390) – Sadorra,Julio (2624)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (5), 11.11.2012

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 Nc6 4.Ngf3 Nf6 5.e5 Nd7 6.Bb5 a6 7.Bxc6 bxc6 8.Nb3 a5 9.a4 c5 10.Bg5 Be7 11.h4 h6 12.Bd2 c6 13.Bc3 cxd4 14.Nbxd4 Qb6 15.Qd2 Nc5 16.0-0 Ne4 17.Qf4 g5 18.hxg5 hxg5 19.Qg4 Ba6 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Qxe6 Ng3 22.Nh2 Ne2+ 23.Kh1 Nf4 0-1

**Breckenridge,Steven (2390) –
Cortez,Armando (1999)**

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (4), 11.11.2012

1.e4 c5 2.c3 Nf6 3.e5 Nd5 4.d4 cxd4 5.Nf3
Nc6 6.Bc4 Nb6 7.Bb3 dxc3 8.Nxc3 e6 9.0-0
Be7 10.Qe2 0-0 11.Rd1 Na5 12.Bc2 f5
13.exf6 Bxf6 14.Ne4 Nd5 15.Nfg5 Bxg5
16.Nxg5 h6 17.Qd3 Rf5 18.Ne4 Nb4 19.Qg3
Nxc2 20.Bxh6 Qe7 21.Rac1 Nb4 22.Nd6 Rh5
23.Nxc8 Rxc8 24.Rxc8+ Kh7 25.Bxg7 Rg5
26.Qh4+ Kxg7 27.Rxd7 Qxd7 28.Qxg5+ Kh7
29.Qg8+ Kh6 30.Qh8+ 1-0

**Bachmann,Axel (2620) –
James,Brett (1793)**

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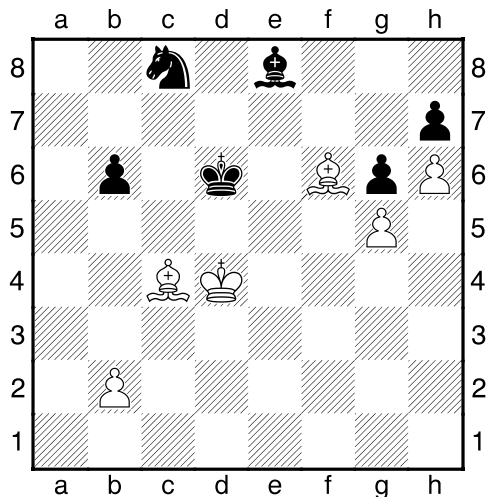
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10.Bb3 Re8 11.Re1 g5 12.Qd3 g4 13.e5 gxf3
14.Bxh6 Nxd4 15.Qg6+ 1-0

**Hughes,Tyler (2378) – Modlin,Trey
(2000)**

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1.d4 d5 2.c4 dxc4 3.e3 Nf6 4.Bxc4 e6 5.Nf3
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9.Nbd2 0-0 10.Nb3 Be7 11.a4 b6 12.Ne5 Bb7
13.f3 Nc6 14.Nxc6 Bxc6 15.e4 Bb7 16.Be3
Rab8 17.Be2 Rfc8 18.Rac1 Bd8 19.g4 Kf8
20.g5 Ng8 21.h4 Ke8 22.Kf2 Rxc1 23.Rxc1
Rc8 24.Rxc8 Bxc8 25.f4 Bd7 26.Bxa6 Bxa4
27.Nd4 Ne7 28.h5 Bc7 29.Nb5 Kd7 30.Nxc7
Kxc7 31.Bd3 Bd1 32.Bd4 g6 33.h6 Ba4

34.Ke3 Kc6 35.Bf6 Nc8 36.Kd4 Kd6 37.f5
exf5 38.exf5 Be8 39.fxg6 fxg6 40.Bc4 1-0



White is better, but Black is not totally lost.
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**Bercys,Salvijus (2479) –
Delaparra,Daniela (2056)**

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1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 Bb4+ 4.Bd2 Bxd2+
5.Qxd2 0-0 6.Nc3 d5 7.e3 Qe7 8.Rc1 Nbd7
9.Bd3 dxc4 10.Bxc4 e5 11.0-0 e4 12.Ne1 c5
13.Nc2 Nb6 14.Be2 Rd8 15.h3 Bf5 16.Rfd1
Rac8 17.Nb5 a6 18.Qa5 Nfd5 19.Nc3 Rc6
20.Bf1 c4 21.Qa3 Qg5 22.Nb4 Nxb4 23.Qxb4
Rh6 24.Qa5 Rxh3 25.Nxe4 Qh4 26.Ng3
Rxc3 27.fxg3 Qf6 28.Bxc4 Nxc4 29.Rxc4
Qg5 30.Qe5 f6 31.Qf4 Qh5 32.Rd2 Qg6
33.d5 Bd3 34.Rc3 Rxd5 35.Qb8+ Kf7
36.Qxb7+ Ke6 37.Rcxd3 Rxd3 38.Qxa6+ 1-0

2012 U.S. Class Championships

Once again, this National event took place in Houston, 21-23 September, and the attendance surpassed last year's. A total of 251 players participated in the main event and an additional 106 played in the Scholastic Championship. National Champions were determined in eight Classes. Since attendance exceeded the advertised "based-on," the organizers paid an additional \$1,000 over the advertised prize fund!

In the Masters Division, **GM Julio Sadorra, IM Justin Sarkar and IM Salvijus Bercys** tied as Co-Champions with 4.0 points in five rounds. None of these players had a perfect record after two rounds, so they did not end up playing each other!

In the Expert Division, we had a three-way tie as well between **Ernesto Malazarte, Akshay Malhotra and Odunayo Ajiboye**. In the Class A, **Ramy Farrag** was the clear winner, with 4.5 points and in the Class B **Khoa Minh Nguyen** was also the clear winner with the same score. The Class C was the only other division where the title was shared, this one between **Charles Ventimiglia and Dale Bird**, both with 4.5 points. The Champion in the Class D was **Sriharsha Rangaraj**, with a perfect 5-0! **Matthew Minear** won the Class E with 4.5 points while **Yezeng Cheng** won the Unrated Division with a perfect 5-0.

#	MASTERS	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	GM Julio Sadorra	2598	4.0	766.67
2	IM Justin Sarkar	2480	4.0	766.67
3	IM Salvijus Bercys	2470	4.0	766.67
4	Ruifeng Li	2194	3.5	400.00
5	FM Tyler B Hughes	2383	3.5	400.00
6	Christopher Toolin	2272	3.0	66.67
7	Jeffery Xiong	2416	3.0	
8	Sarah Chiang	2277	3.0	66.67
9	IM Arthur Calugar	2453	3.0	
10	FM Alec Getz	2445	3.0	
11	Tommy O He	2203	3.0	66.67
12	IM Daniel	2434	2.5	
13	Jonathan Chiang	2233	2.5	
14	Philipp Lamby	2208	2.5	
15	V. Panchanatham	2133	2.5	
16	Andy Shao	2139	2.5	
17	Curran Ray Han	2085	2.0	
18	Austin Z Jiang	2067	2.0	
19	F. Guadalupe II	2317	2.0	
20	Vincent Zhang	2156	2.0	
21	Bovey Liu	2078	2.0	
22	Olzhas Alexandrov	2102	2.0	
23	Jose Gonzalez	2083	1.5	
24	John Hendrick	2194	1.5	
25	Mark W Dejmek	2151	1.0	
26	Daniel B Gater	2163	1.0	
27	Jarod Pamatmat	2248	1.0	

#	EXPERT	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	E. Malazarte	2168	4.0	466.67
2	Akshay Malhotra	2046	4.0	466.67
3	O. Ajiboye	2052	4.0	466.67
4	Kevin Chandra	2063	3.5	50.00
5	Mbugua Githoro	2091	3.5	50.00
6	Christopher Chen	2001	3.0	
7	Chris K Land	2152	3.0	
8	Joshua Brannon	1838	3.0	
9	Alexander Steger	2042	3.0	
10	Alexander Jiang	2003	3.0	
11	Oswaldo L Olivo	1990	3.0	
12	Anthony Nguyen	1899	3.0	
13	Arthur D Mitchell	2097	3.0	
14	Andrew Jacob	1894	2.5	
15	Andrew H Lu	2006	2.5	
16	Abhishek Obili	1910	2.5	
17	Stephen O'Keefe	1975	2.5	
18	Sam Capocyan	1871	2.5	
19	James Hargrove	1966	2.0	
20	Daniel J Ng	2073	2.0	
21	Pavel Cabart	1857	2.0	
22	Nathan Fewel	1962	2.0	
23	Craig A La Salle	2097	2.0	
24	Duy Minh Nguyen	1924	1.5	
25	Mitesh Shridhar	2150	1.5	
26	Joe A Ford	1851	1.5	
27	William D Clayton	1901	1.0	
28	Joseph P Binder	1900	0.5	
29	Cliff Bunch	1974	0.0	
30	Frank Brack	1987	0.0	

#	CLASS A	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	Ramy Farrag	1955	4.5	800.00
2	Angelito Abella	1869	4.0	175.00
3	Dex Webster	1861	4.0	175.00
4	Venkat T Kotta	1815	4.0	175.00
5	Devan Shan	1660	4.0	175.00
6	Vlad B Ghita	1910	3.5	
7	Tianming Xie	1929	3.5	
8	P. Arunachalam	1793	3.5	
9	Gheorghe Socaciu	1892	3.0	
10	Jeffrey P [RE] Gelb	1982	3.0	
11	Brittany Nguyen	1835	3.0	
12	Clarissa L Abella	1735	3.0	
13	Mario Duarte	1824	3.0	
14	Luis P Gonzalez	1858	3.0	
15	Kevin Li	1624	3.0	
16	Don Asanti Burrus	1806	3.0	
17	Rahul Rajavel	1675	3.0	
18	Stephen M Wharry	1920	2.5	
19	Harold Eric May	1792	2.5	
20	Olufemi Oyekan	1803	2.5	
21	Alex Y Han	1811	2.5	
22	Rohith Kaliyur	1795	2.5	
23	Cornelius Jones III	1807	2.5	
24	David Hsieh	1849	2.0	
25	Emily Nguyen	1790	2.0	
26	Chase Frutos	1783	2.0	
27	B G Dennison Jr	1847	2.0	
28	Leo W Bonnell	1945	2.0	
29	Steven P Matthews	1900	2.0	
30	Johan Fjeld	1832	2.0	

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Holt, Conrad (2567) – Pavlovic, Milos (2524)

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1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.cxd5 Nxd5 5.e4 Nxc3 6.bxc3 Bg7 7.Bg5 c5 8.Rc1 0-0 9.Nf3 Bg4 10.d5 Qd6 11.Be2 Nd7 12.c4 e6 13.0-0 exd5 14.exd5 Rfe8 15.Qd2 Ne5 16.Bf4 Bxf3 17.Bxf3 Nxf3+ 18.gxf3 Be5 19.Bg3 Re7 ½-½

Sadorra, Julio (2624) – Haskin, Zachary (1936)

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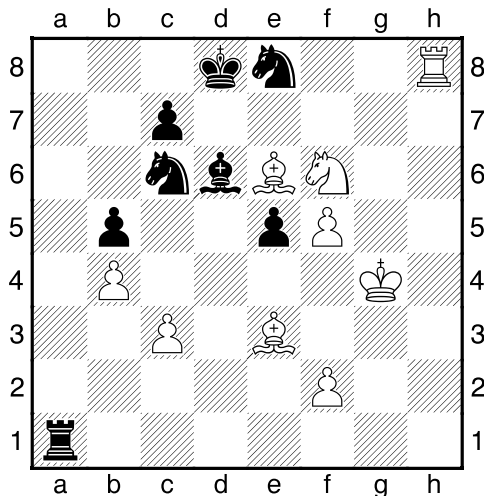
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Getz, Alec (2420) – Nemcova, Katerina (2263)

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1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 Be7 6.Re1 b5 7.Bb3 0-0 8.c3 d5 9.d3 dxe4 10.dxe4 Qxd1 11.Bxd1 Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.Nbd2 Rfd8 14.Bc2 Rd7 15.g4 Bg6 16.Nf1 Rad8 17.Ng3 Ne8 18.Bb3 Bd6 19.Nf5 Kf8 20.a4 f6 21.axb5 axb5 22.Be6 Bxf5 23.exf5 Re7 24.b4 Nb8 25.Be3 Nc6 26.Nd2 Rb8 27.Ne4 Nd8 28.Bb3 Nf7 29.Bc2 Rd7 30.Ra6 Be7 31.Rea1 Rdd8 32.Ra7 Rd5 33.Ra8 Rdd8 34.Rxb8 Rxb8 35.h4 Bd6 36.Kg2 Ke7 37.Ra6 h6 38.Bb3 Nd8 39.Bd5 Rc8 40.Ra7 Kd7 41.Bb3 Rb8 42.Ra1 Nc6 43.Kf3 Ke7

44.Rg1 Nd8 45.g5 hxg5 46.hxg5 Ra8 47.gxf6+ gxf6 48.Rh1 Kd7 49.Rh7+ Kc6 50.Rh8 Kd7 51.Rh7+ Kc6 52.Rh1 Ra3 53.Rb1 Kd7 54.Kg4 Nc6 55.Be6+ Ke7 56.Rh1 Kd8 57.Rh8 Ra1 58.Nxf6 1-0



Cornejo, Max (2471) – Rowghani, Kavian (1846)

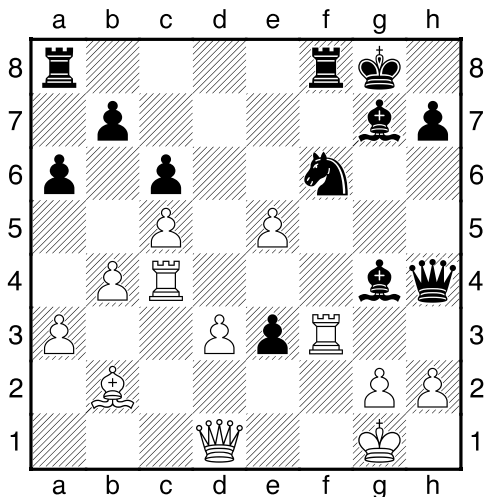
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Bachmann,Axel (2620) – Getz,Alec (2420)

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1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nc6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.e3 Bb4 5.Qc2 0-0 6.Nd5 Re8 7.a3 Bf8 8.Ng5 g6 9.Nxf6+ Qxf6 10.Ne4 Qe7 11.d3 Bg7 12.Be2 d6 13.0-0 Be6 14.b4 f5 15.Nc3 Qf7 16.Bb2 Ne7 17.Rac1 c6 18.Rfe1 a6 19.c5 d5 20.Nb1 g5 21.Nd2 g4 22.f4 d4 23.fxe5 dxe3 24.Nc4 f4 25.Rf1 Nd5 26.Nd6 Qh5 27.Qd1 Qh4 28.Rc4 Rf8 29.Ne4 f3 30.Bxf3 gxf3 31.Rxf3 Bg4 32.Nf6+ Nxf6 0-1

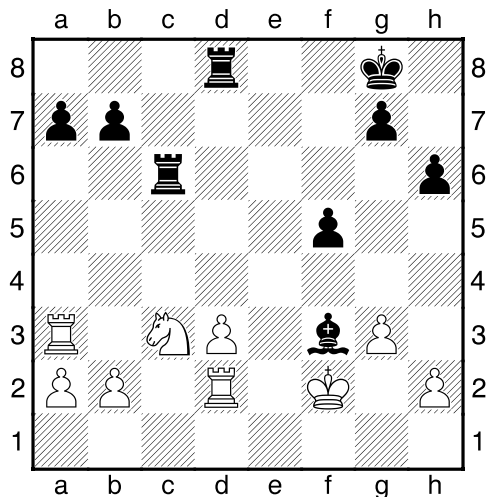


Watters,Chase (2130) – Sadorra,Julio (2624)

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Bd5 26.f3 f5 27.Nc3 Bxf3 28.Kf2 Bh1 29.Kg1 Bf3 30.Kf2



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Alexandrov,Olzhas (2118) – Rowghani,Kavian (1846)

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31	Jordan J Pamatmat	1825	2.0	
32	Priya Trakru	1750	2.0	
33	Clay Willis	1893	2.0	
34	Hiren Premkumar	1747	1.5	
35	Kevin Hu	1746	1.5	
36	Peter Dejean	1695	1.5	
37	Reynaldo Sanchez	1778	1.0	
38	Caissa Palang	1771	1.0	
39	Sanjay Annigeri	1772	1.0	
40	David E Mackey	1871	0.5	
41	Jeffrey P Gelb	1982	0.0	
42	Frank [RE] Brack	1987	0.0	
43	William G Fan	1600	0.0	

20	Sai R Nagireddy	1535	2.5	
21	Michael Tisserand	1604	2.5	
22	Alexander Y Yang	1738	2.5	
23	Eddy R Oquendo	1658	2.5	
24	Geoffrey Charles	1728	2.5	
25	H [RE] Velasquez Sr	1563	2.5	
26	John Jackson	1711	2.0	
27	David C Li	1675	2.0	
28	Eric Wang	1655	2.0	
29	Andrew Li	1578	1.5	
30	Usman Qureshi	1557	1.5	
31	Rishi R Wagle	1628	1.5	
32	Rohit Rao	1670	1.5	
33	Cole N Frutos	1613	1.5	
34	Camille Y Kao	1549	1.5	
35	Christian Muraira	1609	1.0	
36	William G Fan	1600	1.0	
37	Samuel W Tian	1605	1.0	
38	Henry Velasquez Sr	1563	0.0	

#	CLASS B	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	Khoa Minh Nguyen	1748	4.5	800.00
2	Mike Clark	1771	4.0	233.33
3	Francisco Hernaiz	1793	4.0	233.33
4	Joe Alexander Jr	1761	4.0	233.33
5	Alexander Wagner	1744	3.5	
6	Dylan Dong	1469	3.0	
7	Dang Minh Nguyen	1631	3.0	
8	Yiqun Xie	1713	3.0	
9	Javier Lopez	1652	3.0	
10	Jeff Carter	1610	3.0	
11	Sadia Qureshi	1691	3.0	
12	Abhimany Banerjee	1703	3.0	
13	Adrian Patterson	1661	3.0	
14	Ritik Verma	1640	3.0	
15	Charles Hawthorn	1717	3.0	
16	Charles R Davis	1671	3.0	
17	Bharana Fernando	1613	3.0	
18	Warren J Palang	1779	2.5	
19	Duane Earl Solley	1595	2.5	

#	CLASS C	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	Charles Ventimiglia	1575	4.5	600.00
2	Dale E Bird	1535	4.5	600.00
3	Heliodoro Rosas	1522	4.0	60.00
4	Tomisin Ogunfunmi	1589	4.0	60.00
5	Joseph P Binder	1441	4.0	60.00
6	Jonathan Wilson	1434	4.0	60.00
7	Fred A Boerman	1598	4.0	60.00
8	Alan Chipman	1421	3.5	
9	Miles Tisserand	1425	3.5	
10	Raymond Orriss	1471	3.0	
11	Milton S Lee	1556	3.0	

12	Don Webster	1539	3.0	
13	Rannon Huo	1528	3.0	
14	Jie Liu	1549	3.0	
15	Eli M Karp	1587	3.0	
16	Henry Hawthorn	1576	3.0	
17	Jackie Weimin Sun	1565	3.0	
18	Gary E Cobb	1521	3.0	
19	Collin K Le	1522	3.0	
20	Alexander Hemmat	1550	3.0	
21	Pedro Ragoytia	1581	3.0	
22	Kenneth Wang	1557	3.0	
23	Raymundo V Garza	1500	3.0	
24	Andrew L Schmitt	1540	2.5	
25	Ethan Zhao	1490	2.5	
26	Michael Labelle	1543	2.5	
27	Roy H Yue	1426	2.5	
28	Ted Ingram	1506	2.5	
29	Joe [RE] Cropper	1500	2.5	
30	Christopher Spinelli	1467	2.0	
31	Ijay [RE] Narang	1472	2.0	
32	Derek He	1415	2.0	
33	Mike Hamilton	1453	2.0	
34	William Hunter III	1505	2.0	
35	Ade Kujimiyo	1435	2.0	
36	Lakshmana Viswanath	1508	2.0	
37	Doyle W Lobaugh	1551	2.0	
38	Kevin B Liu	1424	2.0	
39	Akash Vijay	1435	2.0	
40	Maggie Ni	1590	1.5	
41	Freddy R Burklow	1547	1.5	
42	Peter Fuchs	1301	1.5	
43	Andrew Wang	1418	1.5	
44	Rohit Bandi	1457	1.5	

45	Harvey Zhu	1381	1.5	
46	Joseph H Boyle	1352	1.0	
47	Rohan Polavaram	1368	1.0	
48	Harry Wang	1542	1.0	
49	Shawn Hanrahan	1527	0.5	
50	Treg A. Brown	1560	0.5	
51	Joe Cropper	1500	0.0	
52	Ijay Narang	1472	0.0	

#	CLASS D	Rtng	Tot	Prize
1	Sriharsha Rangaraj	1258	5.0	800.00
2	Sara Venkataraman	1317	4.0	233.33
3	Joe D Riley	1337	4.0	233.33
4	Dmitriy Shteyman	946	4.0	233.33
5	Fred E Wietfeldt	1367	3.5	
6	William F Long	1340	3.5	
7	Steve Kuzma	1293	3.5	
8	Shreyes Kaliyur	1307	3.5	
9	Henry Wietfeldt	1284	3.5	
10	Zile Cao	1092	3.5	
11	Rithik Polavaram	1359	3.0	
12	Louis Fernandes	1364	3.0	
13	David Ryan Cohen	1260	3.0	
14	Daniel L Naranjo	1271	3.0	
15	Ethan Hall	1347	3.0	
16	Juan Quirino	1213	2.5	
17	Kevin L Lim	1184	2.5	
18	Christine B. Smith	1241	2.5	
19	William H Yue	1265	2.0	
20	Alexander Elliott	1276	2.0	

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Serna,Jeffrey (2037) – Breckenridge,Steven (2390)

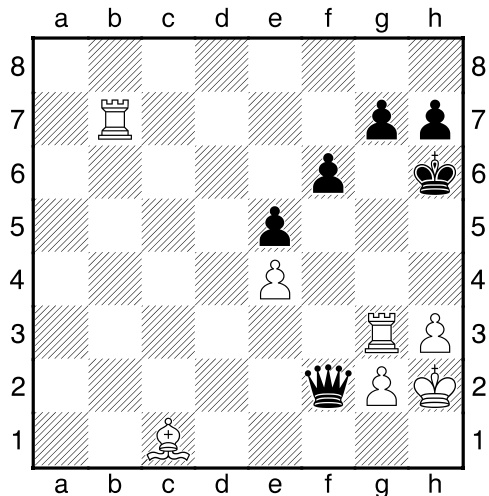
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1.e4 e5 2.f4 Nc6 3.Nf3 d6 4.Bc4 Nf6 5.Nc3 Bg4 6.0-0 Nd4 7.fxe5 Bxf3 8.Rxf3 Nxf3+ 9.Qxf3 dxe5 10.Nd5 c6 11.Nxf6+ Qxf6 12.Qxf6 gxf6 13.d3 Bc5+ 14.Kf1 Ke7 15.c3 Rhg8 16.b4 Bd6 17.Be3 b5 18.Bb3 a5 19.bxa5 Rxa5 20.Rc1 c5 21.c4 b4 22.Rc2 f5 23.exf5 Kf6 24.Rf2 e4 25.dxe4 Bxh2 26.Rd2 Rg4 27.Rd5 Rxe4 28.Bxc5 Ra8 29.Bxb4 Rf4+ 30.Ke2 Re8+ 31.Kd2 Rf2+ 32.Kd3 Rxc3 33.Rd7 Kxf5 34.Rxf7+ Kg6 35.Rd7 Rg3+ 36.Kd4 Bg1+ 37.Kd5 Rd3+ 38.Kc6 Rc8+ 39.Rc7 Rxc7+ 40.Kxc7 Bh2+ 41.Kc6 Rd8 42.Bc2+ Kg7 43.Bc3+ Kg8 44.c5 h5 45.Bg6 h4 46.Bf6 Ra8 47.Kb7 Rb8+ 48.Ka7 Rb4 49.a3 Rf4 50.Bd8 Bg1 51.Kb6 h3 52.Bc2 h2 53.Bb3+ Kf8 54.Bd5 Rf5 55.Be4 Rxc5 56.Kb7 Rb5+ 57.Kc6 Rh5 58.Bh1 Rc5+ 59.Kd7 Rc1 60.Be7+ Kf7 61.Bd5+ Kg7 62.Ba8 Bc5 63.Bxc5 Rxc5 64.Kd6 Ra5 65.Bb7 Rxa3 66.Ke5 Ra1 0-1

Holt,Conrad (2567) – Cornejo,Max (2471)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (3), 10.11.2012

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 c6 4.Nf3 dxc4 5.e3 b5 6.a4 Bb4 7.Bd2 Bb7 8.axb5 Bxc3 9.Bxc3 cxb5 10.b3 a5 11.bxc4 b4 12.Bb2 Nf6 13.c5 0-0 14.Bb5 Bc6 15.Ba4 Qc7 16.0-0 Qb7 17.Re1 Rd8 18.Ne5 Bxa4 19.Qxa4 Qc7 20.e4 Nfd7 21.Nd3 e5 22.Nxb4 axb4 23.Qxa8 Nc6 24.d5 Rxa8 25.Rxa8+ Nf8 26.dxc6 Qxc6 27.Rd8 f6 28.Rc1 Kf7 29.Rd6 Qc8 30.c6 Ne6 31.c7 Nxc7 32.Rdc6 Qa8 33.Rxc7+ Kg6 34.R7c4 b3 35.Ra1 Qd8 36.Rc3 Qb6 37.h3 Qb4 38.Re1 Qa4 39.Ree3 Qa2 40.Rxb3 Qb1+ 41.Kh2 Qf1 42.Rg3+ Kh6 43.Rb7 Qxf2 44.Bc1+ 1-0

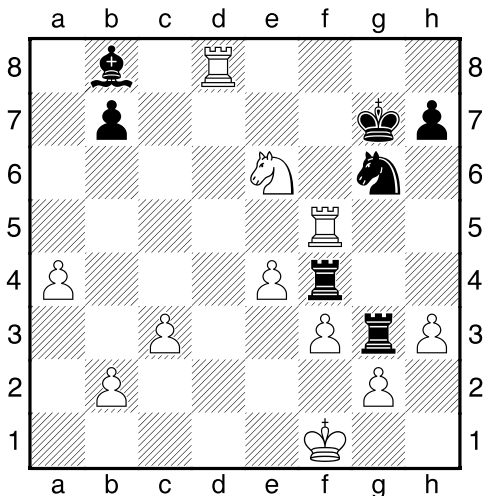


Pavlovic,Milos (2524) – Breckenridge,Steven (2390)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (3), 10.11.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nge7 5.Nc3 g6 6.d4 exd4 7.Nd5 Bg7 8.Bg5 h6 9.Bf6 Bxf6 10.Nxf6+ Kf8 11.Nd5 Kg7 12.Nxe7 Qxe7 13.Bxc6 Qb4+ 14.Ke2 bxc6 15.Qxd4+ Qxd4 16.Nxd4 c5 17.Nb3 Re8 18.Nxc5 d6 19.Nd3 Rxe4+ 20.Kd2 Bf5 21.Rhe1 Rb8 22.b3 Rbe8 23.Rxe4 Bxe4 24.Re1 Kf8 25.f3 Bxd3 26.Rxe8+ Kxe8 27.Kxd3 Kd7 28.Kc4 Kc6 29.a4 Kd7 30.Kb4 Kc6 31.Ka5 Kb7 32.b4 c6 33.c4 f5 34.g4 f4 35.h4 g5 36.h5 Ka7 37.b5 axb5 38.cxb5 Kb7 39.bxc6+ Kxc6 40.Kb4 Kb6 41.Kc4 Ka5 42.Kd5 Kxa4 43.Kxd6 Kb4 44.Ke6 Kc4 45.Kf6 Kd4 46.Kg6 Ke3 47.Kxh6 Kxf3 48.Kxg5 Ke4 49.h6 f3 50.h7 f2 51.h8Q f1Q 52.Qh7+ Kd4 53.Qd7+ Kc3 54.Qf5 Qh1 55.Kg6 Kc4 56.g5 Qh8 57.Kf7 Qh5+ 58.Kg7 Qh2 59.g6 Kd4 60.Kf6 Qh8+ 61.g7 Qd8+ 62.Kf7 Qc7+ 63.Kg6 Qg3+ 64.Qg5 Qd3+ 65.Kf6 Qa6+ 66.Kf7 Qc4+ 67.Kg6 Qd3+ 68.Qf5 Qg3+ 69.Kf6 Qb8 1-0

38.Ng5+ Kg8 39.Rd8+ Kg7 40.Ne6+ 1-0



Alexandrov,Olzhas (2118) – Pavlovic,Milos (2524)

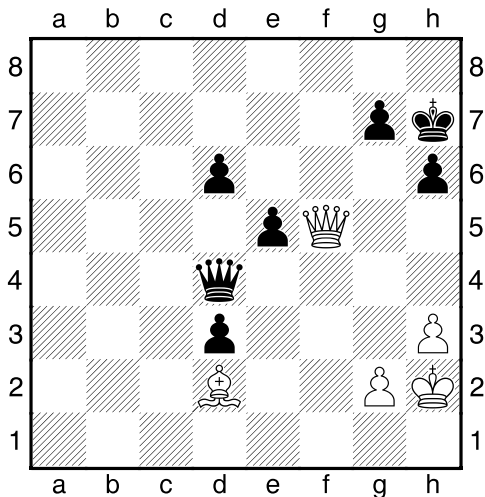
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1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.Bb5+ Nd7 4.d3 Ngf6 5.0-0 g6 6.e5 dxe5 7.Nxe5 Bg7 8.Re1 0-0 9.Nxd7 Bxd7 10.Bxd7 Qxd7 11.Nc3 Rac8 12.Bf4 Nh5 13.Be5 f6 14.Bg3 e5 15.Qf3 Rcd8 16.h3 Nxc3 17.Qxc3 f5 18.Re2 Qc6 19.Rae1 Rd4 20.b3 a6 21.Nd1 b5 22.Nb2 h5 23.c3 Rd7 24.Qe3 Bf6 25.a4 g5 26.axb5 axb5 27.Qf3 Qxf3 28.gxf3 Ra8 29.c4 b4 30.Na4 Rxd3 31.Nxc5 Rxf3 32.Nd7 Bg7 33.Nxe5 Rxb3 34.Nc6 Rxh3 35.Nxb4 Bc3 36.Re8+ Rxe8 37.Rxe8+ Kf7 38.Rb8 Bxb4 39.Rxb4 Rc3 40.Rb5 Kf6 41.Rc5 g4 42.Rc8 h4 43.c5 Kg5 44.c6 Kf4 45.c7 Kf3 46.Rf8 Rc1+ 47.Kh2 g3+ 0-1

Hughes,Tyler (2378) – Bachmann,Axel (2620)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (2), 10.11.2012

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.f3 Nh5 5.Nh3 f5 6.e4 0-0 7.Nf2 d6 8.Be2 fxe4 9.fxe4 Nf4 10.Bf3 c5 11.a3 Bxc3+ 12.bxc3 e5 13.d5 Qa5 14.Qb3 Nd7 15.0-0 Nb6 16.Nd1 Bd7 17.Ne3 Rf7 18.Bd2 Raf8 19.Kh1 Qa6 20.a4 Qa5 21.Qb1 a6 22.Ra2 Nxa4 23.Qa1 b5 24.cxb5 axb5 25.c4 Qa6 26.cxb5 Qxb5 27.Nf5 Rxf5 28.exf5 Nd3 29.Be2 c4 30.Bxd3 cxd3 31.Rb1 Qxd5 32.Rxa4 Bxa4 33.Qxa4 Rxf5 34.Rb8+ Rf8 35.Rxf8+ Kxf8 36.h3 h6 37.Qd7 Kg8 38.Kh2 Qd4 39.Qe6+ Kh7 40.Qf5+ Kg8 41.Qe6+ Kh7 42.Qf5+ Diagram



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21	Cecil R Robinson	1366	2.0	
22	Robert E Leone	1233	2.0	
23	Sai Chilukoori	1311	2.0	
24	Siddhant Patil	1270	2.0	
25	Mike Mosier	1276	2.0	
26	Hongbo Wang	1361	2.0	
27	Sergio A Cardenas	1331	1.5	
28	R. [RE] Gardner	1340	1.5	
29	Coby Portales	1210	1.0	
30	Aaron Dunavant	1365	1.0	
31	Evan M Wilson	1026	1.0	
32	Anh Nhu Nguyen	1200	1.0	
33	Ian C [RE] White	1144	0.0	
34	Russell Gardner	1340	0.0	
35	Ian C White	1144	0.0	

18	Ross L Leone Jr	981	2.0	
19	Curtis Cooper	642	2.0	
20	Vishal Rajkumar	680	2.0	
21	Helen Le	622	2.0	
22	Preston Hall	595	1.5	
23	Daniel T O'Neil	208	1.0	
24	Yatin Obili	668	1.0	
25	Simona Y Kao	912	1.0	

#	CLASS E	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	Matthew D Minear	1116	4.5	400.00
2	Julian Proleiko	1118	4.0	116.67
3	Benjamin P Coan	1048	4.0	116.67
4	David C Webster	1051	4.0	116.67
5	Kyle B Mohan	1092	3.5	
6	Gordon S Lee	1113	3.0	
7	Leila Ann D'Aquin	1155	3.0	
8	Anuja Uppuluri	823	3.0	
9	Sindhuja Uppuluri	840	3.0	
10	Shiva R Nagireddy	1058	3.0	
11	Selwin Vaquerano	1094	3.0	
12	August Wietfeldt	1056	3.0	
13	Richard P Fray	917	2.5	
14	Jared Ingram	1101	2.5	
15	Craig Inderwiesen	869	2.0	
16	Terilyn H Leone	1018	2.0	
17	Vedant Patil	1196	2.0	

#	UNRATED	Rtng	Pts	Prize
1	Yezeng Cheng	unr.	5.0	300.00
2	John Hearne	unr.	4.0	50.00
3	Venkata Tadepalli	unr.	4.0	50.00
4	Eduardo Santos	unr.	4.0	50.00
5	Alexandre Blangy	unr.	2.0	
6	Jordan Santos	unr.	2.0	
7	Olga A Lamont	unr.	2.0	
8	David Davila	unr.	2.0	
9	Vaidya Parthasarathy	unr.	1.0	
10	Kanako Kumagai	unr.	0.0	

Only the top player on tie-breaks received the Champion's Plaque; however, all players tied for first place are considered National Co-Champions and are listed as such in the USCF Yearbook.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONS!

The Scholastic Champions were **Eric Brenner, Brian Chau and Zoheb Hirani** in the K-12, **Oliver Wang** in the K-9, **Alex Cheng** in the K-6 and **Anish Vivekananthan** in the K-3.

78th Annual Southwest Open

The 2013 edition of the Southwest Open was held in Dallas and was organized by the Dallas Chess Club. In the Open Division, **GM Ioan Chirilla** was almost perfect while finishing with 6.5 points in seven rounds! His only blemish was a 4th Round draw with second place finisher **GM Julio Sadorra** who finished half-a-point behind. Tied for third place were **GM Valentin Yotov** and **IM Milos Pavlovic**. Tied for fifth place were then-**IM Conrad Holt**, **FM Jeffery Xiong**, **IM Salvijus Bercys** and **WFM Sarah Chiang**. Seventy-two players entered the Open Division.

The Reserve was won by **Dion Su** who finished with 6.5, a full point ahead of a group of six players: **Fred Pennington**, **Duy Minh Nguyen**, **Abhishek Obili**, **Ivan Wijetunge**, **Emily Nguyen** and **Faisal Kaleem**. This division had 101 players.

Thirty-six players entered the Novice Division and **Adam C. Wheatley** dominated the field with a perfect 7-0! All alone in second place was **Anoop Choudary Bandi** with 5.5 points. Six players tied for third place with 5.0 points: **Amelia Wzywany**, **Ethan Hall**, **Nikita Breslav**, **Shreyes Kaliyur**, **Mukundan Gurumurthy** and **Tharun Natarayan**.

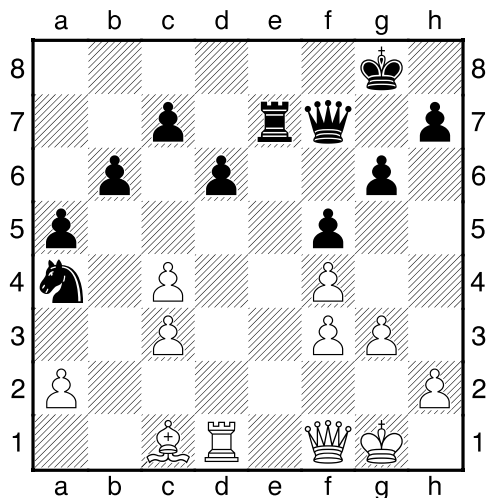
The event also had two scholastic divisions. Two players tied for first among 40 players in the K-12 Championship: **Tomisin Ogunfunmi** and **Siddhant Patil**. Thirty-one players competed in the K-12 Under 800 and the winner with a perfect 5-0 was **Rishabh Shah**.

The event was organized by the Dallas Chess Club. The Chief TD was **NTD/IA Bill Snead**. He was assisted by **ANTD Susan Breeding** while **Luis Salinas** and **Lori Riley** took care of the pairings.

Here are some of the games from the SWO:

Molina, William (2034) – Xiong, Jeffery (2412) [E43]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.1), 31.08.2012
1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e3 b6 5.Bd3 Bb7 6.Nf3 Ne4 7.0-0 Bxc3 8.bxc3 f5 9.Ba3 d6 10.Qc2 Nd7 11.Ne1 0-0 12.f3 Nef6 13.Rd1 Qe8 14.Bc1 Qh5 15.d5 Nc5 16.dxe6 g6 17.Be2 Nxe6 18.Nd3 Rae8 19.Nb4 Rf7 20.Nd5 Bc6 21.Nb4 Bd7 22.Nd5 Nc5 23.Rde1 Ba4 24.Qd2 Qh6 25.Qd4 Qg7 26.Bd1 Bxd1 27.Rxd1 Ne6 28.Qd2 Nd7 29.Rfe1 a5 30.Nf4 Nxf4 31.exf4 Rfe7 32.g3 Qf7 33.Rxe7 Rxe7 34.Qd3 Nc5 35.Qf1 Na4



36.Rd3 Qxc4 37.Rd1 Qf7 38.Qd3 Qf6?
[38...Qxa2-+] 39.Qc2?? [39.Qc4+ Kf8
40.Qxa4±] 0-1

Here are the complete standings of the Texas Collegiate Championships:

#	Name	Rtng	Pts
1	FM Alec Getz	2420	4.5
2	IM Milos Pavlovic	2524	4.5
3	GM Conrad Holt	2567	4.0
4	GM Julio Sadorra	2624	4.0
5	FM Tyler Hughes	2378	4.0
6	WGM Katerina Nemcova	2263	3.5
7	WIM Luciana Morales	2185	3.5
8	GM Axel Bachmann	2620	3.0
9	NM Steven Breckenridge	2390	3.0
10	Chase Watters	2130	3.0
11	IM Max Cornejo	2471	3.0
12	IM Salvijus Bercys	2479	3.0
13	Trey Modlin	2000	3.0
14	Armando Cortez	1999	3.0
15	Zachary Haskin	1936	3.0
16	Jeffrey Serna	2037	3.0
17	WIM Daniela De La Parra	2056	2.5
18	Olzhas Alexandrov	2118	2.0
19	Brett James	1793	2.0
20	Joshua Harvel	1554	2.0
21	Ananya Roy	1801	2.0
22	Avi Schneider	1080	2.0
23	Griffith Hibbard-Curto	1384	2.0
24	Kavian Rowghani	1846	2.0
25	Leon Bankston	unr.	2.0
26	Yuvraj Dhungana	unr.	2.0
27	Micah Silver	unr.	2.0
28	Daniel Carpeny	819	2.0
29	Jordan Santos	1355	1.5
30	Kevin Lim	1189	1.5

31	Ethan Seale	unr.	1.0
32	Joe Covarrubias	unr.	1.0
33	Franklin Williams	unr.	0.0

...And here are some of the games:

Sadorra,Julio (2624) – Nemcova,Katerina (2263)

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1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 d5 4.d4 dxc4 5.e4 Bb4 6.Bxc4 Nxe4 7.0-0 Bxc3 8.bxc3 0-0 9.Qd3 Nf6 10.Bg5 c5 11.Ne5 Nbd7 12.Rae1 cxd4 13.cxd4 Nxe5 14.Rxe5 Bd7 15.d5 Rc8 16.Bb3 Rc5 17.Rd1 b6 18.Qg3 exd5 19.Bh6 Ng4 20.Bxg7 Kxg7 21.h3 Re8 22.Rxe8 Qxe8 23.hxg4 Qe4 24.g5 Be6 25.Qb8 Ra5 26.Qd6 Qf5 27.Rc1 Rc5 28.Rxc5 bxc5 29.Qxc5 Qxg5 ½-½

Getz,Alec (2420) – Delaparra,Daniela (2056)

2012 Texas Collegiate Chess Championship
Houston (2), 10.11.2012

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 f5 4.d3 fxe4 5.dxe4 Nf6 6.Bg5 Bc5 7.Qe2 d6 8.Nbd2 Be6 9.Bc4 Qe7 10.c3 a5 11.a4 Qf7 12.Bxf6 Qxf6 13.Bxe6 Qxe6 14.Qc4 Qxc4 15.Nxc4 0-0 16.Rf1 Rad8 17.Ke2 Rf4 18.Nfd2 Rdf8 19.f3 Rh4 20.h3 Rf6 21.Rfd1 Rg6 22.Kf1 Rg3 23.Nb3 Ba7 24.Nbxa5 Ne7 25.Nxd6 cxd6 26.Rxd6 Ng6 27.Rd8+ Kf7 28.Rd7+ Kf6?? 29.Rad1 Nf4 30.R1d6+ Kg5 31.Rxg7+ Ng6 32.Nc4 Kf4 33.Rf7+ Kg5 34.Rf5+ Kh6 35.Nxe5 Bb8 36.Nf7+ Kg7 37.Rd7 Rf4

16th Annual Texas K-12 and Collegiate Championships

The 2012 Texas Grades and Collegiate Championships were held at the Marriott Houston South, which was also the site for the U.S. Junior Open, U.S. Senior Open, and the U.S. Class Championships. A total of 291 students participated in the 12 sections of the K-12 Championships.

In the combined 11th-12th Grades Division, **Expert Vincent Zhang** won with a perfect 6-0 record. **Tommy Lu and Wesley Riddell** tied for first in the 10th Grade Division with 5.0 points. There was also a two-way tie in the 9th Grade Division, between **Experts Akshay Malhotra and Austin Jiang**. In the 8th Grade Division, **Duy Minh Nguyen** was the clear winner with 5.5 points while **Sam Capocyan** won in the 7th Grade Division with a perfect 6-0. **Christopher Chen** was also perfect score in the 6th Grade Division. Two fifth-graders tied for first in their division with 5.0 points: **Maxwell Jiang and David Li**.

In the 4th Grade Division three players tied for first with 5.0 points: **Dang Minh Nguyen, Rohit Bandi and Kai Tsuei**. **Diego Costa** was the clear winner, with 5.5 points, in the 3rd Grade Division while 2nd grader **Maggie Ni** did the same in her division. First grader **Rithik Polavaram** was a perfect 6-0 in his division as was **Vedant Patil** among Kindergarten students!

Congratulations to all the winners of the Texas Grades divisions!

Thirty-three students participated in the Collegiate Championships. When the last King was tipped, the event had two surprising winners – **FM Alec Getz and IM Milos Pavlovic**, both with 4.5 points in five rounds, finished ahead of **GMs Julio Sadorra, Conrad Holt and Axel Bachmann**.



Milos Pavlovic and Alec Getz (1st on Tie-breaks)



The winning team – UT Dallas!

**Sawyer,Bradley (2293) –
Vaidya,Atulya (2029) [A15]**

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.2), 31.08.2012
 1.c4 Nf6 2.g3 g6 3.Bg2 Bg7 4.Nc3 d6 5.e4
 e5 6.Nge2 0-0 7.d3 Nc6 8.0-0 Ne8 9.Be3 f5
 10.f4 Nf6 11.h3 Ne7 12.Kh2 Kh8 13.Qd2 c6
 14.Rad1 Be6 15.b3 c5? 16.fxe5 dxe5
 17.Bxc5 Qc7 18.Be3 a6 19.Nd5 Bxd5
 20.cxd5 Nc8 21.exf5 gxf5 22.d4 e4 23.Nf4
 Qd7 24.Ne6 Rg8 25.Rxf5 Ne7 26.Rg5 Nexd5
 27.Nxg7 Rxg7 28.Rxg7 Qxg7 29.Bf4 Re8
 30.Be5 Qg6 31.Rf1 Kg8 32.g4 Nd7 33.Rf5
 Nxe5 34.dxe5 Qe6 35.Bxe4 Ne7 36.Rg5+
 Ng6 37.Bd5 1-0

**Shao,Andy (2146) – Yotov,Valentin
(2619) [B47]**

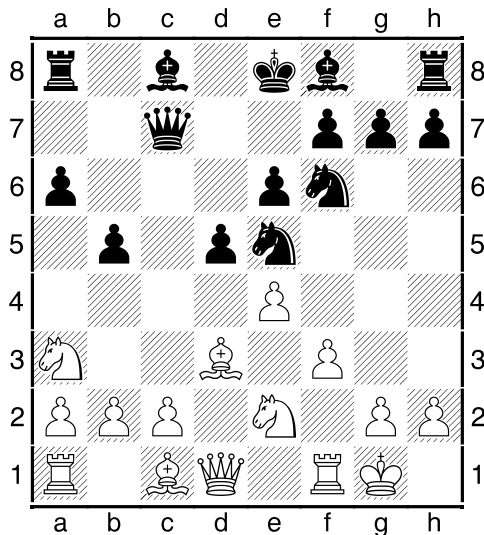
7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.9), 31.08.2012
 1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nc6
 5.Nc3 Qc7 6.g3 a6 7.Bg2 Nf6 8.0-0 d6 9.a4
 Be7 10.Be3 0-0 11.Nxc6 bxc6 12.a5 Bb7
 13.Bb6 Qc8 14.b4 c5 15.b5 Nd7 16.Rb1
 Nxb6 17.axb6 Rd8 18.bxa6 Rxa6 19.Qe2
 Qc6 20.Qb5 Rb8 21.Rfd1 Qxb5 22.Nxb5
 Rxb6 23.Nc7 Bc6 24.Rxb6 Rxb6 25.Ra1 Bf6
 26.Rd1 Kf8 27.Rxd6 Rb1+ 28.Bf1 Bxe4
 29.c4 Ke7 30.Rd2 Bc3 31.Re2 f5 32.f3 Bd4+
 33.Kg2 Bxf3+ 34.Kxf3 Rxf1+ 35.Kg2 Rg1+
 36.Kh3 e5 37.Nd5+ Kf7 38.Ra2 Ra1 39.Rc2
 g5 0-1

**Sadorra,Julio (2598) – Carr,John
(2117) [E77]**

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.10), 31.08.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.f4 0-0
 6.Nf3 c5 7.d5 e6 8.Be2 exd5 9.cxd5 b5 10.e5
 dxe5 11.fxe5 Ng4 12.Bf4 Nd7 13.Bxb5
 Ngxe5 14.0-0 Bb7 15.Kh1 Rc8 16.Nxe5 Nxe5
 17.Qe2 f6 18.Bxe5 fxe5 19.Rxf8+ Qxf8
 20.Bd7 Rd8 21.Rf1 Qxf1+??+- [21...Qd6±]
 22.Qxf1 Rxd7 23.Qb5 Rf7 24.h4 Bh6 25.d6
 Bc8 26.Qe8+ Bf8 27.Qxc8 1-0

**Kappler,Peter (2095) – Chirila,loan
(2575) [B32]**

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.11), 31.08.2012
 1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Qb6
 5.Nb5 Nf6 6.N1c3 a6 7.Na3 e6 8.Bd3 Qc7
 9.0-0 b5 10.Ne2 Ne5 11.f3 d5



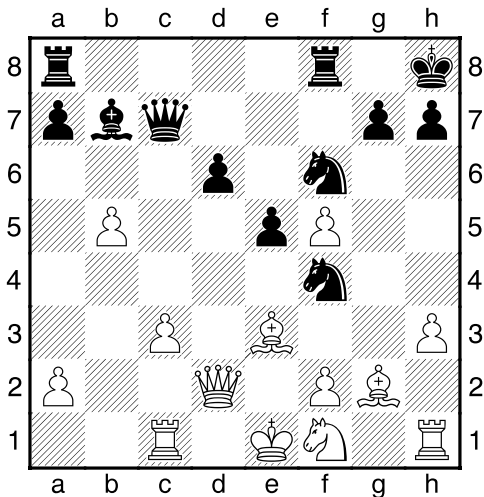
12.Be3? dxe4 13.Bxe4 Nxe4 14.fxe4 Ng4
 15.Bf4 e5 16.Bg3 Ne3 17.Qd3 Nxf1 18.Rxf1
 Be6 19.Nb1 Rd8 20.Qc3 Qc4 21.Re1 Bb4
 22.Qxc4 Bxc4 23.c3 Bc5+ 24.Bf2 Bxf2+
 25.Kxf2 Bxa2 26.Ke3 Ke7 27.Nd2 Be6 0-1

**Bercys,Salvijus (2479) –
Jiang,Austin (2054) [D34]**

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (1.14), 31.08.2012
 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 c5 4.cxd5 exd5 5.Nf3
 Nc6 6.g3 Nf6 7.Bg2 Be7 8.0-0 0-0 9.Bg5 cxd4
 10.Nxd4 h6 11.Be3 Bg4 12.h3 Be6 13.Qa4
 Qd7 14.Nxe6 Qxe6 15.Rfd1 Rfd8 16.Nb5 Bd6
 17.Rd2 Bxg3 18.Qb3 Be5 19.f4 Bb8 20.Rd3
 Qf5 21.Rf1 Ne4 22.Nd4 Nxd4 23.Rxd4 Bc7
 24.Qxb7 Bb6 25.Bxe4 Qxh3 26.Bf3 Qg3+ ½-½

Lin,Dachey (2168) – Sadorra,Julio (2598) [E33]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (2.2), 01.09.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.Qc2 Nc6 5.Nf3
 d6 6.e4 e5 7.d5 Bxc3+ 8.bxc3 Ne7 9.Bd3 b6
 10.h3 0-0 11.Be3 Nd7 12.g4 c6 13.Nd2 cxd5
 14.exd5 f5 15.gxf5 Kh8 16.Nf1 b5 17.cxb5
 Nxd5 18.Be4 Bb7 19.Qd2 N7f6 20.Bg2 Qc7
 21.Rc1 Nf4



22.Bxb7 Qxb7 23.Rg1 Nxh3 24.Rg3 Ne4
 25.Qe2 Nxc3 26.Nxc3 Nf4 27.Qf1 Qf3 28.c4
 Ng2+ 29.Kd2 Nxe3 30.Ke1 0-1

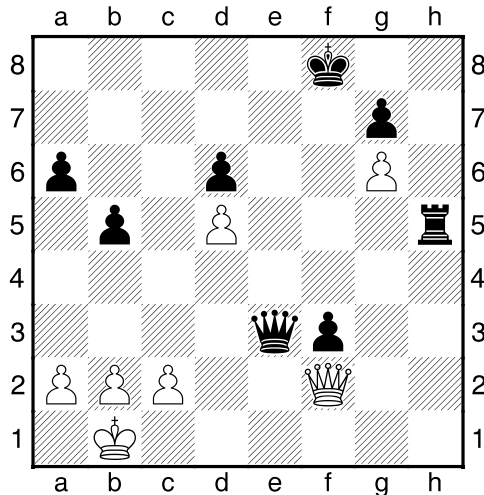
La Salle,Craig (2086) – Getz,Alec (2407) [A45]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (2.8), 01.09.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.Bg5 Ne4 3.Bf4 d5 4.f3 Nd6 5.Nc3
 e6 6.e4 c6 7.Bd3 Be7 8.Nge2 Nd7 9.0-0 0-0
 10.Bxd6 Bxd6 11.e5 Be7 12.f4 f5 13.g4 b5
 14.Ng3 Nb6 15.h3 g6 16.Kh2 a5 17.Rg1 Kh8
 18.Qf3 b4 19.Nce2 Ba6 20.gxf5 exf5 21.Qe3
 Ra7 22.Rg2 Na8 23.c3 Bxd3 24.Qxd3 Nc7
 25.Rc1 Qd7 26.c4 Ne6 27.c5 Rf7 28.Rcg1
 Qd8 29.Rf1 Bf8 30.Nh1 Qh4 31.Qg3 Qd8

32.Nf2 Bh6 33.h4 Bf8 34.Nh3 Be7 35.Ng5
 Bxg5 36.hxg5 Qc8 37.Qd3 Qa6 38.Qxa6
 Rxa6 39.Kg3 Kg8 40.Kf3 Raa7 41.Ke3 Kf8
 42.Rh2 Ke8 43.Kd3 Kd8 44.Rfh1 Kc8 45.Ke3
 Rae7 46.Rb1 Kb7 47.Kd3 Ka6 48.Rf1 Kb5
 49.Rc1 Ka6 50.Rf1 Kb5 51.Rc1 ½-½

Calugar,Arthur (2453) – Yotov,Valentin (2619) [B48]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (3.1), 01.09.2012
 1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nc6
 5.Nc3 Qc7 6.Be3 a6 7.Qd2 Nf6 8.0-0-0 Be7
 9.f3 h5 10.Qf2 d6 11.Rg1 b5 12.Nxc6 Qxc6
 13.Ne2 e5 14.Nc3 Be6 15.Qd2 Rc8 16.Kb1
 Qb7 17.g3 0-0 18.g4 hxg4 19.Nd5 Nxd5
 20.exd5 Bf5 21.Bd3 Bxd3 22.Qxd3 f5
 23.fxg4 f4 24.Bf2 Bd8 25.h4 Bb6 26.Bxb6
 Qxb6 27.g5 Qc7 28.h5 Qd7 29.Qg6 Rce8
 30.Rge1 f3 31.Qe4 Qf5 32.Qe3 Qf4 33.Qf2
 e4 34.Re3 Rf5 35.g6 Rxh5 36.Rde1 Kf8
 37.Rc3 e3 38.Rcxe3 Rxe3 39.Rxe3 Qxe3 0-1



U.S. Junior Open Champion draws World Champion!



Ankit Gupta wrote an article that appeared on Chess Life Online on September 5th. According to Gupta, they wanted to do something “outside the box” for their chess camp, so they invited World Champion Viswanathan Anand!

Anand, with his family, arrived in Los Angeles in early August prior to the camp for the purpose of vacation. A week later he began his camp commitments, from August 9th to 13th, along with another 8 instructors, to the over 100 youth participants that had flocked to Los Angeles, some from afar, to meet the World Champion at the 2012 Metropolitan Chess Camp. The rating group of players ranged from as young as 5 years old and UNR to as high rated as 2400.

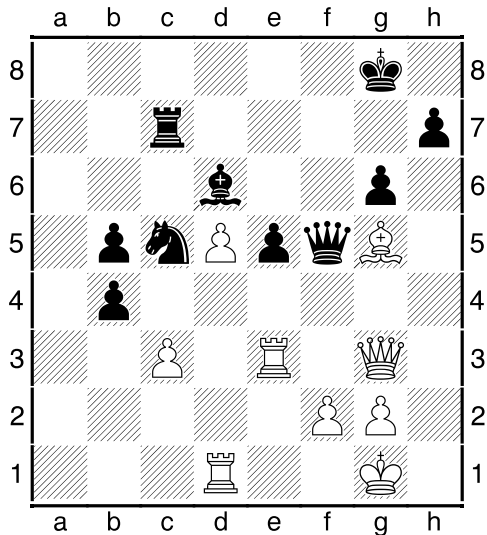
On the last day of the camp, Anand played some of the top performing participants at the camp in a 20-board simultaneous exhibition. The simul was somewhat unusual in that it had several 2300 FIDE rated players partaking, and an additional 'vote chess' board which allowed the online audience to

participate. The end result was 15 wins and 5 draws for the Indian Grandmaster. USCF Expert Nicky Korba, **USCF Expert Karthik Ramachandran**, USCF Master Elliott Neff, USCF Master Michael Brown, and the "Vote Chess" board held Anand to a draw.

Anand, Viswanathan – Ramachandran, Karthik [A00]

Anand Simul, 08.2012

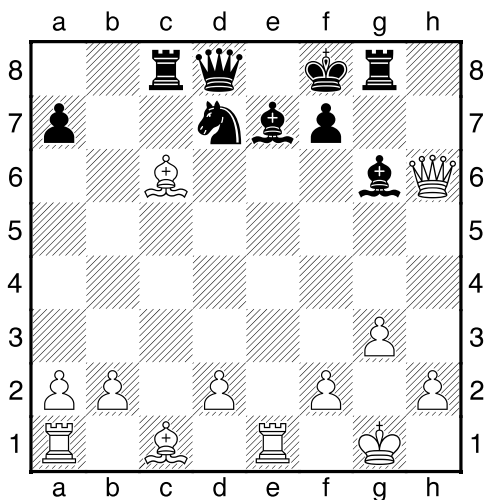
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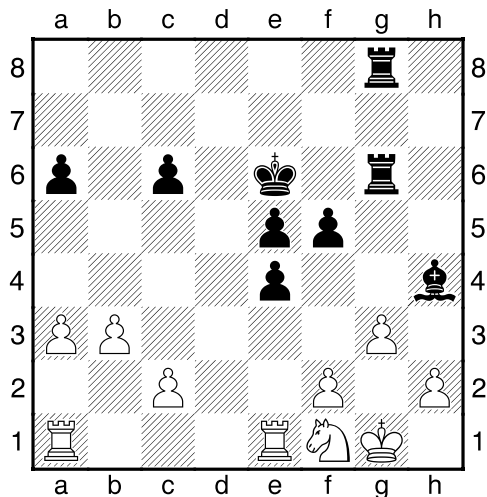
“I offered the draw, and the World Champion accepted! I got pretty lucky, but I will take what I can get!” ½–½

Sadorra,Julio (2598) – Holt,Conrad (2569) [A11]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (7.2), 03.09.2012
 1.c4 c6 2.Nf3 d5 3.g3 Nf6 4.Bg2 dxc4 5.0-0 Nbd7 6.Qc2 Nb6 7.Na3 Be6 8.Ng5 Bg4 9.Nxc4 Bxe2 10.Ne5 Bh5 11.Re1 h6 12.Ne4 e6 13.Nxf6+ gxf6 14.Nxc6 bxc6 15.Bxc6+ Nd7 16.Qf5 Bg6 17.Rxe6+ Be7 18.Qxf6 Rg8 19.Re1 Kf8 20.Qf4 Rc8 21.Qxh6+ Rg7 22.Qh8+ Rg8 23.Qh6+ Rg7 24.Qh8+ Rg8 25.Qh6+ ½-½



Ke7 26.Ng3 Be6 27.Bxe6 Kxe6 28.Nf1 Rag8 29.g3 ½-½



Li,Ruifeng (2168) – Calugar,Arthur (2453) [B47]

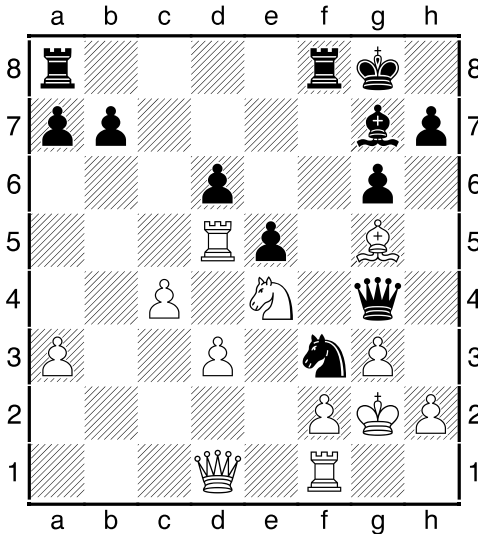
7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (7.6), 03.09.2012
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Lamby,Phillipp (2208) – Hughes,Tyler (2396) [E76]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (7.7), 03.09.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.f4 0-0 6.Nf3 Na6 7.Bd3 e5 8.fxe5 dxe5 9.d5 c6 10.0-0 Qd6 11.Kh1 h6 12.Be3 Ng4 13.Bg1 Bd7 14.a3 cxd5 15.Nxd5 Nc5 16.h3 Nf6 17.Nxf6+ Bxf6 18.Bc2 Qxd1 19.Raxd1 Ba4 20.Bxc5 Bxc2 21.Bxf8 Bxd1 22.Rxd1 Kxf8 23.Rd5 Re8 24.a4 Re6 25.Rb5 b6 26.Kg1 Bg7 27.g4 Ke7 28.Kf2 Kf6 29.Rd5 Bf8 30.Kg3 Bc5 31.Ne1 Bd4 32.b3 h5 33.Rd7 hgx4 34.hgx4 a5 35.Nf3 Be3 36.g5+ Bxg5 37.Rxf7+ Kxf7 38.Nxg5+ Ke7 39.Nxe6 Kxe6 40.Kh4 Kf7 41.Kg4 Kf6 42.Kh4 Kg7 43.Kg5 Kf7 44.Kg4 Kg8 45.b4 axb4 46.c5 bxc5 47.a5 b3 48.a6 b2 49.a7 b1Q 50.a8Q+ Kh7 51.Qa7+ Kh6 52.Qa8 Kg7 53.Qd5 ½-½

Sadorra,Julio (2598) – Xiong,Jeffery (2412) [A30]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (3.2), 01.09.2012
 1.c4 c5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Nc3 e5 4.g3 g6 5.Bg2
 Bg7 6.0-0 Nge7 7.Ne1 0-0 8.a3 d6 9.Nc2 Be6
 10.Ne3 Qd7 11.Rb1 f5 12.Ned5 f4 13.d3 Bh3
 14.b4 cxb4 15.Nxe7+ Nxe7 16.Rxb4 Bxg2
 17.Kxg2 Nc6 18.Rb5 Nd4 19.Rd5 f3+ 20.exf3
 Nxf3 21.Ne4 Qg4 22.Bg5



22...Rf7? 23.Nxd6 Rc7 24.Qxf3 Qxg5 25.Rb5
 Qe7 26.Qd5+ Kh8 27.Rxb7 Rxb7 28.Qxb7
 Qxb7+ 29.Nxb7 Bf8 30.a4 Bb4 31.a5 a6
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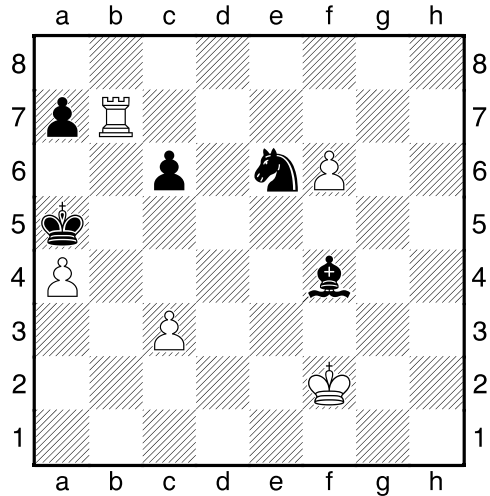
Holt,Conrad (2569) – Schoonmaker,Nicholas (2207) [E90]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (3.4), 01.09.2012
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 0 6.h3 e5 7.d5 Na6 8.Bg5 h6 9.Be3 Nh5
 10.Nh2 Nf4 11.h4 Qe8 12.g3 Nh5 13.Be2 Nf6
 14.g4 Nc5 15.f3 Bd7 16.Nf1 h5 17.Ng3 hxg4
 18.fxg4 Qc8 19.g5 Ng4 20.Qd2 Nxe3
 21.Qxe3 f5 22.gxf6 Rxf6 23.h5 Bg4 24.hxg6

Rxg6 25.0-0-0 Bh3 26.Rdg1 Kf8 27.Nf5 Bxf5
 28.exf5 Rxg1+ 29.Rxg1 Qd8 30.f6 Bxf6
 31.Qh6+ Ke8 1-0

Yotov,Valentin (2619) – Holt,Conrad (2569) [D17]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (4.1), 02.09.2012
 1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.c4 c6 4.Nc3 dxc4 5.a4
 Bf5 6.Nh4 Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.g4 Bg6 9.Nxg6
 hxg6 10.e4 e5 11.Bxc4 exd4 12.e5 Bb4
 13.exf6 dxc3 14.Qxd8+ Kxd8 15.0-0 gxf6
 16.bxc3 Bc5 17.Bxf7 Rxh3 18.Kg2 Rh8
 19.Bxg6 Nd7 20.Bf4 Ne5 21.Rad1+ Kc7
 22.Bf5 Bd6 23.Bg3 Rae8 24.Rfe1 Nc4
 25.Re6 Rxe6 26.Bxe6 Ne5 27.f4 Ng6 28.g5
 Bxf4 29.Rd7+ Kb6 30.Bf2+ Ka5 31.gxf6 Nf8
 32.Rxb7 Rh2+ 33.Kf3 Rxf2+ 34.Kxf2 Nxe6+-



35.Rxa7+ [35.Re7] 35...Kb6 36.Re7 Nc5
 37.f7 Bh6 38.Ke2 Nxa4 39.Re6 Bf8 40.Re8
 Bh6 41.Rh8 Bg7 42.Rg8 Bh6 43.f8Q 1/2-1/2

Chirila, Ioan (2575) – Sadorra, Julio (2598) [E76]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (4.2), 02.09.2012
1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.f4 0-0 6.Nf3 e5 7.dxe5 dxe5 8.Nxe5 Qxd1+ 9.Kxd1 Na6 10.Be2 Rd8+ 11.Kc2 Nxe4 12.Nxe4 Bf5 13.Bf3 Nc5 14.Re1 Bxe5 15.fxe5 Rd4 16.Kc3 Rd3+ 17.Kc2 Rd4 18.Kc3 Rd3+ 19.Kb4 Na6+ 20.Ka5 b6+ 21.Kxa6 Bc8+ 22.Kb5 Bd7+ 23.Ka6 Bc8+ 24.Kb5 Bd7+ ½-½

Pavlovic, Milos (2518) – Bercys, Salvijus (2479) [C84]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (4.3), 02.09.2012
1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 Be7 6.d3 b5 7.Bb3 d6 8.a4 b4 9.a5 0-0 10.Nbd2 Be6 11.Nc4 h6 ½-½

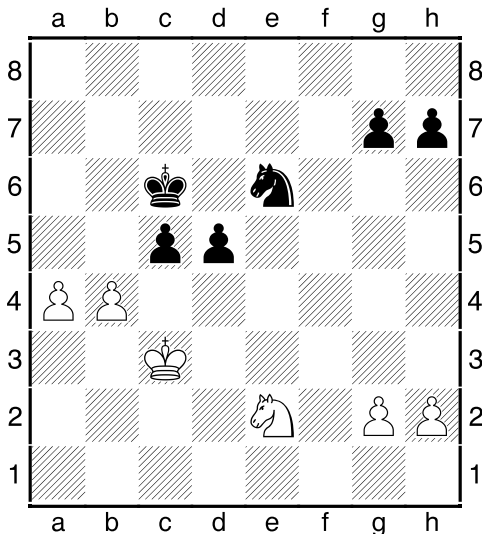
Pamatmat, Jarod (2233) – Calugar, Arthur (2453) [D11]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (4.6), 02.09.2012
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Camacho, Chardine (2251) – Lamby, Phillip (2208) [C55]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (4.4), 02.09.2012
1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 exd4 4.Bc4 Nf6 5.e5 Ne4 6.0-0 d5 7.Bb5 Bg4 8.Qxd4 Bc5 9.Qa4 0-0 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.Nbd2 Bxf3 12.Nxf3 f6 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.fxe3 Qe8 15.Qd4 Qe6 16.c4 fxe5 17.Qxe5 Rae8 18.Qxe6+ Rxe6 19.Nd4 Ref6 20.Rxf6 Rxf6 21.Rf1 Rxf1+ 22.Kxf1 c5 23.Nb5 Nd2+ 24.Ke2 Nxc4 25.b3 Nb6 26.Nxa7 Kf7 27.Nb5 Na8 28.Kd3 Ke6 29.e4

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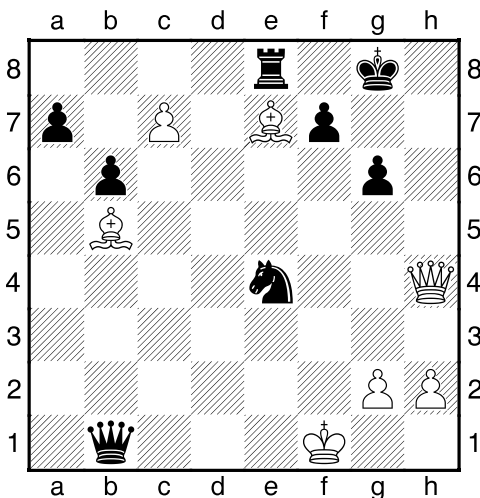


35...d4+ [35...cxb4+ 36.Kxb4 d4=] 36.Kc4 cxb4? 37.Nxd4+ Nxd4 38.Kxd4 1-0

Pavlovic, Milos (2518) – Yotov, Valentin (2619) [B48]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (5.1), 03.09.2012
1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nc6 5.Nc3 Qc7 6.Be3 a6 7.Qd2 Nf6 8.0-0-0 Bb4 9.f3 Ne5 10.Nb3 b5 11.Qe1 Be7 12.f4 Ng6 13.e5 Ng4 14.Ne4 Nxe3 15.Qxe3 0-0 16.h4 Bb7 17.Nd6 f6 18.Nxb7 fxe5 19.f5 exf5 20.N3c5 d6 21.Ne6 Qxb7 22.Nxf8 Rxf8 23.h5 Nf4 24.h6 g6 25.Rg1 Bg5 26.Kb1 Rd8 27.g3 Ne6 28.Qb3 Qf7 29.a4 Nd4 30.Qxf7+ Kxf7 31.axb5 axb5 32.c3 Nf3 33.Rh1 b4 34.Bg2 Nd2+ 35.Kc2 b3+ 36.Kd3 e4+ 37.Ke2 Nc4 38.Rd4 Nxb2 39.Rb1 Nd3 40.Rxd3 exd3+ 41.Kxd3 Re8 42.Kd4 Diagram

26.Ba6 Rf8 27.Be7 Re8 28.d5 Bc3 29.Qe2 Qd7 30.dxc6 Qc7 31.Bc4 Bxe1 32.Qe4 Qd6 33.c7 Nc5 34.Qh4 Bxf2+ 35.Kxf2 Qd2+ 36.Kf1 Qc1+ 37.Kf2 Qd2+ 38.Kf1 Qc1+ 39.Kf2 Qc2+ 40.Kf1 Ne4 41.Bb5 Qb1+ 0-1



Chirila, Ioan (2575) – Bercys, Salvijus (2479) [D37]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (6.2), 03.09.2012
 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Be7 4.Nf3 Nf6 5.Bf4 0-0 6.e3 Nbd7 7.c5 Nh5 8.Bd3 Nxf4 9.exf4 c6 10.0-0 b6 11.b4 a5 12.a3 Qc7 13.g3 Ba6 14.Bxa6 Rxa6 15.Qe2 Raa8 16.Rab1 g6 17.h4 axb4 18.axb4 Ra3 19.Rfc1 bxc5 20.bxc5 Rb8 21.h5 Rxb1 22.Nxb1 Ra1 23.hxg6 hxg6 24.Qb2 Qa7 25.Nc3 Rxc1+ 26.Qxc1 Qa6 27.Kg2 f6 28.Qe3 Kf7 29.Ne2 Qc4 30.g4 Qc2 31.Ng3 Qb1 32.f5 Nf8 33.Qf4 exf5 34.gxf5 g5 35.Qc7 Qb5 36.Nh2 Qa4 37.Ng4 Ke8 38.Qc8+ Bd8 39.Nxf6+ 1-0

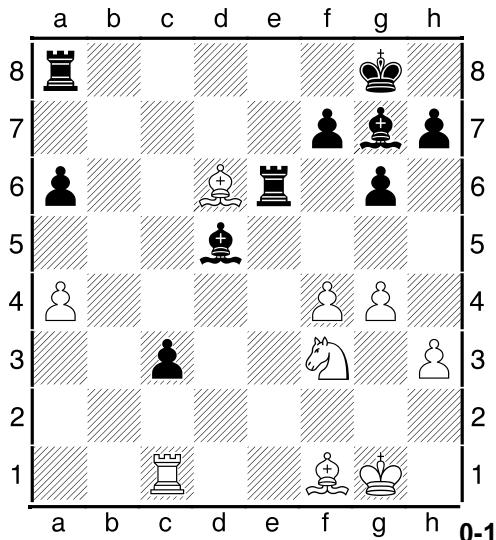
Lin, Dachey (2168) – Xiong, Jeffery (2412) [E38]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (6.3), 03.09.2012

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Xiang, E (1977) – Getz, A (2407) [A40]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (6.7), 03.09.2012
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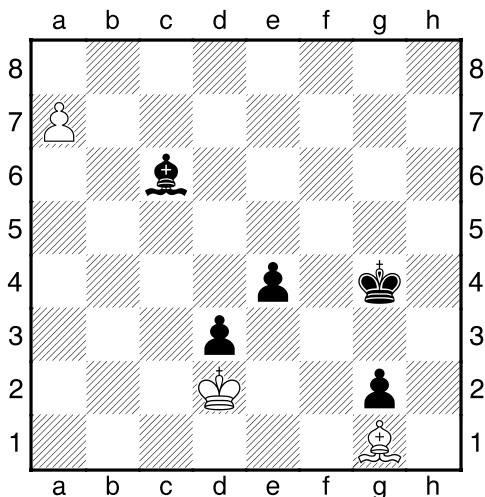
**Toolin, Christopher (2272) –
Lin, Dachey (2168) [C50]**

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 6.c3 Nf6 7.0-0 0-0 8.Re1 Nh7 9.d4 Bb6
 10.Na3 Qf6 11.Nc2 Ne7 12.a4 a6 13.a5 Ba7
 14.Ne3 Be6 15.dxe5 dxe5 16.Nd5 Bxd5
 17.exd5 Ng6 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Ng5
 20.Nxg5 Qxg5 21.Rg3 Qf6 22.Qb3 Rab8
 23.Ra4 b5 24.axb6 Rxb6 25.Qa2 Nf4 26.b4
 Rd8 27.Ra5 Rdd6 28.Re3 Qg6 29.Bf1 Qh5
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 36.Rad2 Ne7 37.Qe8 e4 38.Rd1 Qa2
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 52.Qe5+ Rxe5 53.Bxc6 Nxc6 54.Rxa6 Re6
 55.b5 Ne5 56.Ra4 Rb6 57.c4 Nxc4 58.Rxc4
 Rxb5 59.Rc7 Kg6 60.Kh3 f5 61.Rc4 Kh5
 62.Rh4+ Kg5 63.Rc4 g6 64.Ra4 Rb6 65.Rc4
 Re6 66.Rc5 Re4 67.Ra5 h5 68.Ra6 h4
 69.gxh4+ Rxh4+ 70.Kg3 Rd4 71.Ra3 Rg4+
 72.Kh3 Rh4+ 73.Kg3 f4+ 74.Kg2 Kg4 75.Rc3
 g5 76.Rb3 f3+ 77.Rxf3 Rh2+ 78.Kxh2 Kxf3
 79.Kg1 Kg3 80.Kh1 Kh3 81.Kg1 g4 82.Kh1
 g3 83.Kg1 g2 0-1

**Li, Ruifeng (2168) – Hughes, Tyler
(2396) [B46]**

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (5.7), 03.09.2012
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 5.Nc3 a6 6.Bf4 d6 7.Nxc6 bxc6 8.Be2 e5
 9.Bg3 Be7 10.0-0 Nf6 11.Qd2 0-0 12.f4 Qc7
 13.Kh1 Rb8 14.b3 Ng4 15.Bxg4 Bxg4 16.f5
 f6 17.Na4 Rfd8 18.c4 Qb7 19.Nc3 Rd7
 20.Qe3 Qb6 21.Qxb6 Rxb6 22.Bf2 Rb8 23.h3
 Bh5 24.g4 Bf7 25.Rad1 Bd8 26.Rd3 Ba5
 27.Rfd1 Rbd8 28.Na4 d5 29.Nc5 Re7
 30.cxd5 cxd5 31.Nxa6 d4 32.Rc1 Ra8
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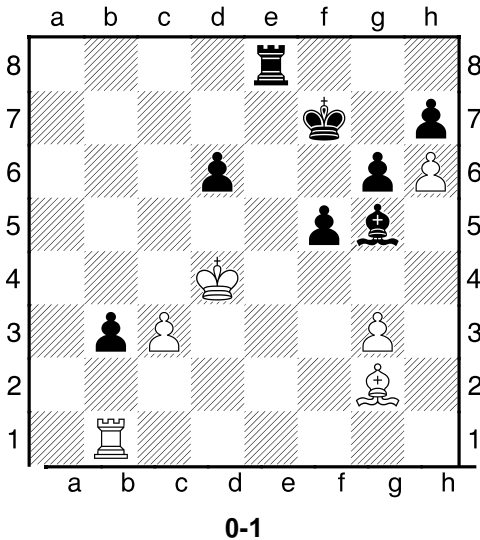
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 43.Kg2 Rf4 44.Rb2 Bxe4+ 45.Kh2 h5 46.a4
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 50.Kg3 h2 51.Bd2 Rf1 52.Kxh2 Rxf5 53.Bb4
 Kf7 54.a7 Ba8 55.Bc5 d3 56.Rb2 e4 57.Bd4
 Rd5 58.Be3 g5 59.Kg3 Rd8 60.Rb8 Re8
 61.Kg4 Bd5 62.Kf5 Re5+ 63.Kg4 Re8 64.Kf5
 Bc6 65.Rxe8 Kxe8 66.Kxf6 g4 67.Ke5 g3
 68.Kd4 Kf7 69.Kc3 Kg6 70.Bf4 g2 71.Bh2
 Kf5 72.Kd2 Kg4 73.Ke3 Kh3 74.Bg1 Kg3
 75.Kd2 Kf3 76.Be3 Kg3 77.Bg1 Kh3 78.Ke3
 Kh4 79.Kd2 Kg4 ½-½



**Yotov, Valentin (2619) –
Sadorra, Julio (2598) [D80]**

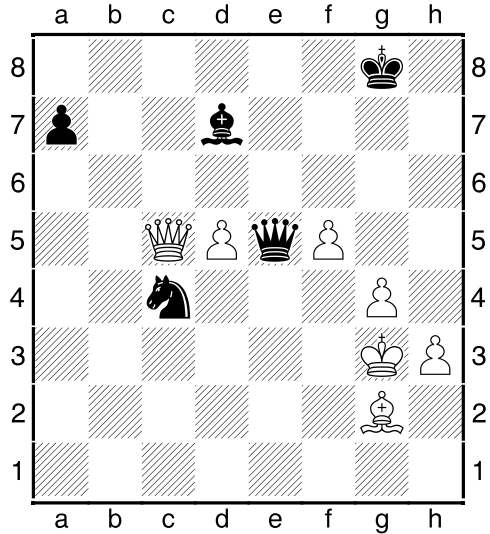
7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (6.1), 03.09.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.Bg5 Ne4 5.Bh4
 Nxc3 6.bxc3 dxc4 7.e3 Be6 8.Nf3 Nd7 9.Be2
 Bg7 10.0-0 0-0 11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 13.exd5
 hxg5 14.Bxg5 Nb6 15.Qd2 Re8 16.a4 Nxd5
 17.Bxc4 c6 18.Rfe1 Qd7 19.Rab1 Rac8
 20.Bf1 b6 21.Re4 Qf5 22.Rbe1 Nxc3
 23.Rxe7 Rxe7 24.Bxe7 Nxa4 25.Bh4 Qg4

Pavlovic – Yotov
(Final Position)



Holt, Conrad (2569) – Chirila, Ioan (2575) [E90]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (5.3), 03.09.2012
 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.Nf3 0-0 6.h3 e5 7.d5 Nh5 8.g3 f5 9.exf5 gxf5 10.Ng5 Nf6 11.Bg2 Na6 12.0-0 e4 13.f3 Nc5 14.fxe4 h6 15.exf5 hxg5 16.Bxg5 Qd7 17.g4 Re8 18.Qd2 Qf7 19.Rae1 Rxe1 20.Rxe1 Bd7 21.b4 Na6 22.Ne2 Re8 23.Nf4 Rxe1+ 24.Qxe1 Nh7 25.Bh4 c5 26.b5 Nc7 27.Ne6 Ne8 28.Nd8 Bd4+ 29.Kh1 Qg7 30.Nxb7 Bc3 31.Qe2 Qh6 32.Bg3 Ng5 33.Kh2 Qf6± 34.a4 Nf7 35.a5 Be5 36.Bxe5 Nxe5 37.a6 Qh6 38.Kg3 Qc1 39.b6 Qa3+ 40.Kh4 Qxa6 41.Nxd6 Qxb6 42.Nxe8 Qd8+ 43.Kg3 Qxe8 44.Qe3 Nxc4 45.Qxc5 Qe5+= Diagram



46.Kh4?? Ne3 47.Bh1 Nxf5+ 48.Kg5 Ne7+ 49.Kh4 Ng6# 0-1

Getz, Alec (2407) – Schoonmaker, Nicholas (2207) [B06]

7th Annual SWO Dallas TX (5.6), 03.09.2012
 1.e4 g6 2.d4 Bg7 3.c4 d6 4.Be3 c5 5.Ne2 Nc6 6.Nbc3 cxd4 7.Nxd4 Nf6 8.Be2 0-0 9.Qd2 Nxd4 10.Bxd4 Be6 11.Rc1 Qa5 12.f3 Rfc8 13.b3 a6 14.Be3 b5 15.Nd5 Qxd2+ 16.Kxd2 Nxd5 17.cxd5 Bd7 18.g4 Bb2 19.Rc2 Rxc2+ 20.Kxc2 Ba3 21.Bd4 Rc8+ 22.Kb1 Bc5 23.Bxc5 Rxc5 24.Kb2 g5 25.h4 h6 26.hxg5 hxg5 27.Rh5 f6 28.b4 Rc7 29.Rh1 Kg7 30.Rd1 Kf8 31.Rd3 Rb7 32.Ra3 Rb6 33.Kc3 Kg7 34.Kd4 Kf7 35.Ke3 Kg7 36.f4 Kh6 37.Rc3 Rb7 38.Ra3 Rb6 39.Kf3 gxf4 40.Kxf4 Kg6 41.Rc3 Rb7 42.Bd3 Kg7 43.Bc2 Kf7 44.Bd3 a5 45.bxa5 Ra7 46.a6 Rxa6 47.Rc7 Be8 48.Rb7 Rxa2 ½-½

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