

# BCCF E-MAIL BULLETIN #151

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Stephen Wright

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## HERE AND THERE

### World Championship (October 14 - November 2)

Champion Viswanathan Anand is defending his title against challenger Vladimir Kramnik in Bonn, Germany, and currently holds a 2.5-1.5 lead after winning game three with the black pieces.

### **Kramnik, Vladimir - Anand, Viswanathan [D49] WCh Bonn GER (3), 17.10.2008**

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Nc3 e6 5.e3 Nbd7 6.Bd3 dxc4 7.Bxc4 b5 8.Bd3 a6 9.e4 c5 10.e5 cxd4 11.Nxb5 axb5 12.exf6 gxf6 13.0-0 Qb6 14.Qe2 Bb7 15.Bxb5 Bd6 16.Rd1 Rg8 17.g3 Rg4 18.Bf4 Bxf4 19.Nxd4 h5 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Rxd7 Kf8 22.Qd3 Rg7 23.Rxg7 Kxg7 24.gxf4 Rd8 25.Qe2 Kh6 26.Kf1 Rg8 27.a4 Bg2+ 28.Ke1 Bh3 29.Ra3 Rg1+ 30.Kd2 Qd4+ 31.Kc2 Bg4 32.f3 Bf5+ 33.Bd3 Bh3 34.a5 Rg2 35.a6 Rxe2+ 36.Bxe2 Bf5+ 37.Kb3 Qe3+ 38.Ka2 Qxe2 39.a7 Qc4+ 40.Ka1 Qf1+ 41.Ka2 Bb1+ 0-1

Coverage can be found at many online locations, including:

Official site <http://www.foidoschess.tv/>

The Week In Chess <http://www.chesscenter.com/twic/twic.html>

Chessbase pictorial reports <http://www.chessbase.com/>

Live games via the CFC [http://www.chess.ca/index\\_e.html](http://www.chess.ca/index_e.html)

There are also some insider reports from Hal Bond, former CFC president and IA, who is working as an arbiter at the competition:

CFC forum <http://www.chesscanada.info/forum/forumdisplay.php?f=2>

Chesstalk <http://www.chesstalk.info/forum/forumdisplay.php?f=2>

### World Youth Chess Championship (October 19-30)

This year's WYCC takes place in Vung Tau, Vietnam starting tomorrow. Twenty-four Canadian players are participating, including three from B.C. - Jonah Lee (U8), Changhe Li and Tanraj Sohal (both U12).

Official website: <http://wycc2008.vietnamchess.com/index.php>  
Canadian blog: <http://wycc2008canada.blogspot.com/>  
Jonah's blog: <http://jonahitsyourmove.blogspot.com/>

### **Sprott Shaw October Junior and Open** (October 4-5)

Report at <http://www.bjdy.com/juniorchess/news.html>

### **CYCC Bid**

Victoria has again been awarded the National CYCC, to take place in July, 2009 (the previous occasion was in 2005). See <http://cycc2009.pbwiki.com/>

### **FIDE Results**

Leon Piasetski and Valerian Adam participated in events in Spain, Italy, and Croatia in the last few months. Details are hard to obtain, but the FIDE rating reports are available:

<http://ratings.fide.com/tourarc.phtml?codt=29&field1=2600072>

<http://ratings.fide.com/tourarc.phtml?codt=29&field1=2603896>

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## **B.C. CHAMPIONSHIP**



Jonathan Berry was recently presented with a plaque by Lynn Stringer, honouring his induction into the Canadian Chess Hall of Fame (in 2001!) - photo and art in background by Erika Danko.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8						
1 Berry, Jonathan					2279	*	1	½	½	1	½	1	1	5.5
2 Pechisker, Alfred					2255	0	*	½	1	1	1	1	½	5.0
3 Patterson, Roger					2243	½	½	*	1	0	½	½	½	3.5
4 Jiganchine, Roman					2231	½	0	0	*	1	1	0	1	3.5
5 MacKay, Ian					2410	0	0	1	0	*	1	½	1	3.5
6 Davies, Lucas					2239	½	0	½	0	0	*	1	1	3.0
7 Wu, Howard					2240	0	0	½	1	½	0	*	0	2.0
8 McLaren, Brian					2269	0	½	½	0	0	0	1	*	2.0

#### Cumulative scores

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
1 Berry, Jonathan								
2 Pechisker, Alfred								
3 Patterson, Roger								
4 Jiganchine, Roman								
5 MacKay, Ian								
6 Davies, Lucas								
7 Wu, Howard								
8 McLaren, Brian								

The ninety-third B.C. Championship was deservedly won by FM Jonathan Berry of Nanaimo with an undefeated 5.5/7 score. Jonathan quickly built up a commanding lead (one point after the first full day of play, a point and a half after the second), then drew his remaining two games to stay ahead of the surging Alfred Pechisker. Roger Patterson, Roman Jiganchine, and newcomer Ian MacKay (an FM from Chilliwack who was part of the Scottish team at the 1990 Olympiad) shared third place on 50%, a full two points behind the winner. The tournament had a rating spread of only fifty points (ignoring Ian MacKay's provisional rating, obtained by tying for third in the 2007 Keres), but despite this apparent closeness the draw quotient was low and decisive games the order of the day, a result of a number of the players being out-of-form or rusty.

CFC crosstable <http://www.chess.ca/xtable.asp?TNum=200810046>

All games <http://www3.telus.net/public/swright2/homepage.html>

Short comments by Roman Jiganchine to his games <http://roman-chess.blogspot.com/>

#### **Berry, Jonathan - McLaren, Brian [A10] BC ch Vancouver (1.1), 10.10.2008**

1.c4 f5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.g3 g6 4.Bg2 Bg7 5.Nh3 0-0 6.0-0 e5 7.d3 c6 8.f4 d6 9.Rb1 Na6 10.Nf2 Nc7 11.b4 a6 12.Qc2 Be6 13.a4 e4 14.dxe4 Bxc4 15.exf5 gxf5 16.Bh3 Be6 17.b5 axb5 18.axb5 Qd7 19.Bg2 Nxb5 20.Nxb5 cxb5 21.Rd1 Bc4 22.e4 Ra2 23.Bb2 fxe4 24.Nxe4 Nxe4 25.Bxe4 Bxb2 26.Rxb2 Rxb2 27.Qxb2 d5 28.Qe5 Rd8 29.Qg5+ Kf7 30.Bxh7 Qd6 31.Bg6+ Qxg6 32.Qxd8 Qe4 33.Qc7+ Kf6 34.Qd6+ Kf5 35.Qf8+ Kg4 36.Qg7+ Kf3 37.Qc3+ Qe3+ 38.Qxe3+ Kxe3 39.h4 d4 40.h5 d3 41.h6 Ke2 42.Rb1 d2 43.h7 Bd3 44.h8Q Bxb1



Exercise: calculate ahead to the winning Q versus P on the seventh ending.

45.Qe5+ Kd3 46.Qf5+ Ke2 47.Qxb1 d1Q+ 48.Qxd1+ Kxd1 49.f5 b4 50.f6 b3 51.f7 b2 52.f8Q b1Q  
 53.Qf1+ Kc2 54.Qxb1+ Kxb1 55.g4 b5 56.g5 b4 57.g6 b3 58.g7 b2 59.g8Q Kc2 60.Qc4+ Kd2  
 61.Qb3 Kc1 62.Qc3+ Kb1 63.Kf2 Ka2 64.Qc2 Ka1 65.Qa4+ Kb1 66.Ke2 Kc1 67.Qd1# 1-0

**Wu, Howard - McLaren, Brian [B02] BC ch Vancouver (3.1), 11.10.2008**

1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.c4 Nb6 4.c5 Nd5 5.Nc3 e6 6.d4 Nxc3 7.bxc3 b6 8.cxb6 axb6 9.Nf3 Be7  
 10.Bd3 Ba6 11.0-0 Nc6 12.Re1 Bxd3 13.Qxd3 h6 14.Nd2 Ra5 15.Qg3 g6 16.Nb3 Ra4 17.Qd3 Qa8  
 18.Qc2 Kf8 19.Re3 d6 20.Rf3 Kg7 21.exd6 Bxd6 22.Be3 Ne7 23.c4 Nf5 24.Rh3 Be7 25.Bf4 Qc6  
 26.Rc3 Rd8 27.Be5+ f6 28.d5 exd5 29.cxd5 Qxd5 30.Bxc7 Rxa2 31.Bxd8 Rxc2 32.Rxc2 Bxd8  
 33.Rd2 Qxb3 34.Rxd8 g5 35.h3 h5 36.g4 hxg4 37.hxg4 Nh6 38.Rd7+ Kg6 39.Rd4 Qh3 40.Raa4  
 Nf7 41.f4 Qxg4+ 42.Kf2 Qh4+ 43.Kg2 Qh5 44.fxg5 Nxg5 45.Rab4 Qe2+ 46.Kg3 Qf3+ 0-1

**Jiganchine, Roman - Patterson, Roger [C78] BC ch Vancouver (3.3), 11.10.2008**

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 b5 6.Bb3 Bc5 7.a4 Bb7 8.c3 d6 9.d4 Bb6 10.Re1 0-0  
 11.Bg5 h6 12.Bh4 g5 13.Bg3 Re8 14.d5 Ne7 15.Na3 c6 16.dxc6 Bxc6 17.Nd2 Ng6 18.Nc2 Qd7  
 19.Nb4 Bb7 20.Qf3 Kg7 21.Qd3 h5 22.h3 h4 23.Bh2 g4 24.hxg4 Nxg4 25.Rf1 Nxe2 26.Kxe2 Nf4  
 27.Qf3 Rg8 28.axb5 axb5 29.Rxa8 Bxa8 30.Bd5 Bxd5 31.Nxd5 Nxd5 32.exd5 f5 33.Qh5 Rh8  
 34.Qg5+ Kf7 35.Nb3 f4 36.f3 h3 37.g4 fxg3+ 38.Qxg3 Be3 39.Kh1 Rg8 40.Qh4 h2 41.Kxe2 Rg6  
 42.f4 Bxf4+ 43.Kh1 Qf5 44.Qh7+ Kf8 45.Nd2 Rg1+ 46.Kxg1 Qxe7 0-1

**Patterson, Roger - MacKay, Ian [B43] BC ch Vancouver (4.2), 12.10.2008**

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 a6 5.Nc3 Qc7 6.Bd3 Nf6 7.0-0 Nc6 8.Nb3 Be7 9.f4 d6 10.Qe2  
 Bd7 11.Bd2 h5 12.Rae1 Nb4 13.Kh1 Bc6 14.Nb5 axb5 15.Bxb4 Rxa2 16.e5 dxe5 17.Bxe7 Qxe7

18.fxe5 Ng4 19.Bxb5 0-0 20.Bxc6 bxc6 21.Rf4 Qg5 22.Rc4 Rxb2 23.h3 Nh6 24.Rxc6 Nf5 25.Qd2 Qxd2 26.Nxd2 Nd4 27.Rc4 Nxc2 28.Rb1 Rxb1+ 29.Nxb1 Ne3 30.Rc3 Nf5 31.Nd2 Rd8 32.Nf3 Kh7 33.h4 Nh6 34.Kh2 Kg6 35.Kg3 Ra8 36.Rc4 Ra2 37.Re4 Ng4 38.Ng5 Ra3+ 39.Nf3 Ne3 40.Ng5 Nf5+ 41.Kh2 Nxh4 42.Nxf7 Nxg2 43.Nd8 Kf5 44.Rb4 Nf4 45.Nc6 g5 0-1

**Wu, Howard - Pechisker, Alfred [A45] BC ch Vancouver (4.4), 12.10.2008**

1.d4 Nf6 2.Bg5 c5 3.Bxf6 gxf6 4.e3 Qb6 5.b3 e5 6.Bc4 cxd4 7.exd4 d5 8.Be2 exd4 9.Nf3 Bb4+ 10.Kf1 Nc6 11.a3 Bd6 12.Qd3 Be6 13.Nbd2 Be5 14.b4 a5 15.bxa5 Qxa5 16.Nb3 Qc3 17.Qb5 0-0 18.Bd3 Ra7 19.Ke2 Rfa8 20.Nfd2 Na5 21.Ra2 Nxb3 22.Nxb3 Qc7 23.g3 b6 24.Qb4 Re8 25.Kd2 Bf4+ 26.gxf4 Qxf4+ 27.Ke1 Bg4+ 0-1

**Jiganchine, Roman - Wu, Howard [B14] BC ch Vancouver (5.2), 12.10.2008**

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 cxd5 4.c4 Nf6 5.Nc3 g6 6.cxd5 Bg7 7.Qb3 0-0 8.Be2 Na6 9.Bf3 Qb6 10.Nge2 Qxb3 11.axb3 Nb4 12.0-0 a5 13.Bf4 Ra6 14.Bc7 Ne8 15.Bd8 Bf6 16.Ne4 Nxd5 17.Nxf6+ Nxf6 18.Bxa5 Be6 19.Bd2 Rb6 20.Ra3 Nb4 21.Nf4 Bf5 22.Bc3 g5 23.Ra5 e6 24.g4 gxf4 25.gxf5 Nbd5 26.fxe6 fxe6 27.Re1 Kf7 28.Rc5 Rxb3 29.Ra1 Ke7 30.Kf1 Kd6 31.Ke2 Nd7 32.Bxd5 exd5 33.Rca5 Nb6 34.R5a3 f3+ 35.Kd3 Rxa3 36.bxa3 Re8 37.Bb4+ Kc6 38.Rg1 Re2 39.Rg7 Rxf2 40.Rxh7 Nc4 41.h4 Re2 42.Rf7 Nb2+ 43.Kc3 f2 44.Kb3 Nd1 45.Rf6+ Kd7 46.Rf7+ Ke6 0-1

**MacKay, Ian - Berry, Jonathan [D02] BC ch Vancouver (5.3), 12.10.2008**

1.Nf3 d5 2.d4 c6 3.g3 Nf6 4.Bg2 Bg4 5.c4 e6 6.Ne5 Bh5 7.Nc3 Nbd7 8.f4 Nxe5 9.fxe5 Nd7 10.cxd5 exd5 11.0-0 Be7 12.Qe1 Qb6 13.e3 0-0 14.Bh3 Rad8 15.Bd2 Bg6 16.Ne2 Qxb2 17.Nf4 Nb6 18.Ba5 Qa3 19.e6 f5 20.Rb1 Rf6 21.Rf2 Re8 22.Rb3 Qa4 23.Bf1 Bd6 24.Bb4 Bxf4 25.Ra3 Qxa3 26.Bxa3 Bh6 27.e7 Re6 28.Rf3 Nc8 29.e4 Rxe4 30.Qa5 Be3+ 31.Kg2 Bxd4 32.Bd3 Re6 33.Qa4 Bb6 34.g4 Nxe7 35.gxf5 Nxf5 36.Bc1 Re4 37.Bxe4 Rxe4 38.Qd1 Bh5 39.Kf1 g6 40.Qb3 Nh4 41.Rf4 Be2+ 42.Ke1 Ng2+ 43.Kd2 Nxf4 44.Bb2 Bc4 45.Qc3 Bd4



Centralization!

46.Qxd4 Rxd4+ 47.Bxd4 b6 48.a3 c5 49.Be5 Ne6 0-1

**Jiganchine, Roman - McLaren, Brian [B03] BC ch Vancouver (7.1), 16.10.2008**

1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Nd5 3.d4 d6 4.c4 Nb6 5.exd6 cxd6 6.Nc3 g6 7.Be3 Bg7 8.Rc1 0-0 9.b3 f5 10.Nf3 f4 11.Bd2 e5 12.dxe5 dxe5 13.c5 N6d7 14.Ne4 Nc6 15.Bc4+ Kh8 16.0-0 Nf6 17.Nfg5 Nxe4 18.Nxe4 f3 19.Bg5 Qxd1 20.Rcxd1 h6 21.Be3 Bg4 22.g3 Nd4 23.Bxd4 exd4 24.Nd6 a5 25.Rfe1 Bf6 26.Nxb7 Rfc8 27.Nd6 Rxc5 28.Ne4 Be7 29.Nxc5 Bxc5 30.Re5 Rc8 31.Ba6 1-0

**Davies, Lucas - Wu, Howard [B12] BC ch Vancouver (7.3), 16.10.2008**

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 Bf5 4.Nc3 e6 5.g4 Bg6 6.Nge2 c5 7.h4 h5 8.Nf4 Bh7 9.Nxh5 Nc6 10.Bb5 cxd4 11.Qxd4 Bxc2 12.Bg5 Qa5 13.Rc1 Bg6 14.Nf4 Be4 15.0-0 Qxb5 16.Nxb5 Nxd4 17.Nxd4 b6 18.Nb5 Rb8 19.Rc7 f6 20.Nxe6 fxe5 21.Nd6+ Bxd6 22.exd6 Nf6 23.Re7# 1-0

**B.C. WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP** by Victoria Jung-Doknjas

Place: Vancouver Bridge Centre, 2776 East Broadway (at Kaslo), Vancouver.  
 TDs and Organizers: Lynn Stringer and Stephen Wright

Participants: WCM Alexandra Botez, Anca Datcu-Romano, Victoria Jung-Doknjas, Joanne Foote



1 2 3 4

1	Botez, Alexandra	1826	*	1	1	1	3.0
2	Datcu-Romana, Anca	1809	0	*	1	1	2.0
3	Jung-Doknjas, Victoria	1484	0	0	*	½	0.5
4	Foote, Joanne	1238	0	0	½	*	0.5

After several years of absence, Lynn Stringer and Stephen Wright revived the previously annual [see below] B.C. Women Championship over the Thanksgiving long weekend.

The tournament was a round robin and even though all the games were "hotly contested," there couldn't have been a better exhibition of great sportsmanship and goodwill among all the participants, especially from the two younger ones, Joanne and Alexandra. Appropriately, on the last day, the two highest rated players, Alexandra and Anca, both with two wins each at the time, played for the Championship title. [Anca obtained a winning position, but it slipped through her fingers (time trouble?)]

Congratulations to Alexandra Botez, the 2008 B.C. Women's Champion!

Congratulations also to Anca and Joanne, who were delightfully fierce competitors and who also had a fine tournament.

Thanks to Lynn and Stephen for organizing and TD-ing this event.

Also, to Andrei Botez for providing and presenting all the participants with a lovely, framed group photo keepsake.

Finally, thanks to all the participants and their parents. The young women who will carry forward women's chess, Alexandra and Joanne, are both champions at the board and off the board because of their great sportsmanship, great integrity, and great fighting spirit!

All games <http://www3.telus.net/public/swright2/homepage.html>

### **Datcu-Romano, Anca - Botez, Alexandra [C08] BC wom ch Vancouver (3.2), 13.10.2008**

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 c5 4.exd5 exd5 5.Ng3 Be6 6.Bb5+ Nd7 7.0-0 a6 8.Bd3 c4 9.Be2 b5 10.c3 Be7 11.Ne5 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Bc5 13.Nf3 Ne7 14.Bg5 0-0 15.Nd4 Bxd4 16.Qxd4 Nf5 17.Qd2 Qc7 18.Bf4 h6 19.h3 Qd7 20.Rad1 g5 21.Be3 Nh4 22.g3 Bxh3 23.gxh4 Bxf1 24.Rxf1 f6 25.exf6 Rxf6 26.Bd4 Rg6 27.Bh5 Rf8 28.Qe3 Re6 29.Qg3 Qe7 30.Bf3 Rf5 31.Bg4 Rf4 32.Bxe6+ Qxe6 33.f3 Rxh4 34.Re1 Qf7 35.Qb8+ Kh7 36.Qh8+ Kg6 37.Qe8 Qxe8 38.Rxe8 Rf4 39.Kg2 g4 40.Rg8+ Kh5 41.fxg4+ Rxg4+ 42.Rxg4 Kxg4 43.Be5 Kf5 44.Bc7 Ke4 45.Kf2 Kd3 46.Be5 Kc2 47.b4 cxb3 48.axb3 Kxb3 49.Ke3 a5 50.Kd4 a4 51.Kxd5 a3 52.Kc5 a2 53.c4 bxc4 54.Ba1 c3 0-1

[The women's championship has had an erratic history, periods of interest being interspersed with long periods of neglect. The following are our women's champions, based on my research - if anyone has additions or corrections, I will be very happy to hear from you. Stephen Wright]

1947 - Anna Sharpe  
1957 - Erika White  
1976 - Bea Sarac  
1977 - Bea Sarac  
1978 - Bea Sarac  
1992 - Lynn Stringer  
1993 - Jackie Brien  
1994 - Jackie Brien  
1995 - Anca Datcu  
1998 - Alice Eslava/Lynn Stringer/Yamei Wang  
2000 - Yamei Wang/Valentina Goutor  
2003 - Valentina Goutor  
2008 - Alexandra Botez



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## LOW-CARBON CHESS by Vas Sladek

The new ICCF webserver has revolutionized correspondence chess and I would invite all players to give it a try by joining the CCCA and entering webserver events. It's still possible to play some fun practice games in this age of Deep Rybka 3 and Fritz 11. I enjoyed playing the first three games; in the last game, the current Canadian Correspondence Chess Champion, Wayne Hynes, shows you how to play to win.

### Sladek, Vaclav - Sharpe, Sam [A45] Nationwide Open Championship 2008 OE-08 ICCF, 01.03.2008

[Sladek]

1.d4 Nf6 2.Bg5 Ne4 3.Bf4 c5 4.f3 Qa5+ 5.c3 Nf6 6.d5 Qb6 7.e4 Qxb2 8.Nd2 Qxc3 9.Bc7 d6 10.Rb1



[Here I lost badly against a German 2300 player after 10. Rc1; 10.Rb1 turned up in my ChessBase search]10...Qe3+ 11.Ne2 Na6 12.Nc4 Qh6 13.Ba5 g5 14.Ng3 g4 15.Rxb7! Bxb7 [the above-mentioned master game played somewhere in the former Yugoslavia ended after 16.Nf5 1-0] 16.Nxd6+ exd6 17.Bb5+ Nd7 18.Bxd7+ Kxd7 19.Qa4+ Ke7 20.Nf5+ Kf6 21.Bc3+ Kg6 22.Nxh6 Bxh6 23.Qd7 1-0

### Sladek, Vaclav - Dempster, Dave [D31] WS/H/106 ICCF, 25.11.2007

[Sladek]

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 c6 4.e4 dxe4 5.Nxe4 Bb4+ 6.Bd2 Qxd4 7.Bxb4 Qxe4+ 8.Be2 Na6 9.Bd6 Qxg2 10.Qd2 Nf6 11.Bf3 Qg6 12.Ne2 e5 13.Bxe5 0-0 14.Rg1 Ng4 15.Bc3 Nc5 16.0-0-0 Ne4 [Black is already lost here] 17.Bxe4 Qxe4 18.Nd4 Nf6 19.Rde1 Qh4 20.Rxg7+! Kh8 21.Nf3 Qxc4 22.Qh6 1-0

**Sladek, Vaclav - Cardoso Contreras, Santiago[D00] 9. Panamerican Team Championship  
ICCF, 15.04.2007**

[Sladek]

[My opponent was the weakest player in the field so it was important to force the issue.] 1.d4 Nf6 2.Bg5 e6 3.e3 Be7 4.Nd2 d5 5.Bd3 Nbd7 6.f4 c5 7.c3 h6 8.Bh4 Qb6 9.Rb1 Qd8 10.Ngf3 Ng4 11.Bxe7 Qxe7 12.Qe2 c4 13.Bc2 b5 14.0-0 Nb6 15.Ne5 Nf6 16.Rf3 0-0 17.Rg3 a5 18.Rh3 Bb7 19.g4 Ne4 20.Nxe4 dxe4 21.g5 Nd7 22.gxh6 Nxe5 23.hxg7 Kxg7 24.fxe5 Rg8 25.Rf1 Kf8+ 26.Kh1 Bd5 27.Rf6 Qe8 28.Rh7 Ke7 29.Qf2 Rf8 30.Qh4 Kd7 31.Bxe4 Bxe4+ 32.Qxe4 Ra7 33.d5 Qa8 34.Rxe6!+- Kc8 35.Qd4 Rc7 36.Rb6 Rd8 37.Rxb5 a4 38.Qg4+ Rcd7 39.Rxf7 Qa7 40.Qe6 Qa8 41.Rxd7 1-0

**Hynes, Wayne - Rotaru, Dan [B50] K64 Can ch 2008**

[Sladek]

[Let the current Canadian Correspondence Chess Champion show you how to play in this age of Deep Rybka 3 and Fritz 11.] 1.e4 c5 2.b4 [start with an off-beat variation and then sacrifice material...] 2...cxb4 3.Nf3 d6 4.d4 Nf6 5.Bd3 g6 6.a3 bxa3 7.Nxa3 Bg7 8.0-0 0-0 9.Bb2 Nc6 10.d5 Nb8 11.Re1 Nbd7 12.c4 Nc5 13.e5 Ng4 14.Bd4 Nxe5 15.Nxe5 Bxe5 16.Rxe5 Nxd3 17.Re3 Nc5 18.Qe1 Re8 19.f4 Bf5 20.h3 h5 21.g4 hxg4 22.hxg4 Bxg4 23.Ra2 Bh5 24.Rg2 e6 25.Rh3 exd5 26.Qd1 Kf8 27.Rxh5 gxh5 28.Qxh5 Ke7 29.Qf5 Ne4 30.Rg7 Rf8 31.cxd5 [threatening 32. Qe6#] 31...Ke8 32.Qxe4+ Qe7 33.Nb5 Qxe4 34.Nxd6+ Kd7 35.Nxe4 a5 36.Bc5 a4 37.Ba3 Kc7 38.Kf2 Rh8 39.Rxf7+ Kb6 40.Nd6 Ka6 41.Rxb7 Rh2+ 42.Kg3 1-0

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Junior events**

November 2 Junior Open, Vancouver  
November 7-9 BC Junior, New Westminster  
November 23 Island Junior Open #3, UVic

### **UBC Thursday Night Swiss**

6:30 pm, Thursdays, Irving K. Barber Learning Centre room 191, 1961 East Mall, University of British Columbia  
Contact Aaron Cosenza, [xramis1@yahoo.ca](mailto:xramis1@yahoo.ca)

### **Silver Star Classic**

November 8-10, Vernon  
Details: <http://chess.bc.ca/events.shtml#Silver>

### **Jack Taylor Memorial**

November 15-16, Victoria  
Details: <http://victoriachessclub.pbwiki.com/Jack+Taylor+2008>

## **Victoria Chess Festival**

April 10-13, 2009, Victoria

Details: <http://victoriachessclub.pbwiki.com/Victoria+Chess+Festival+2009>