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VANCOUVER SEASONAL GRAND PRIX: SUMMER OPEN

The last event of the Seasonal Grand Prix took place at the Vancouver Bridge Centre (we think) on the weekend of June 25-26. No other information is available other than the crosstable, so here it is:

#	Name	Rtng	1	2	3	4	Tot
1	Andrey Kostin	1919	W11	W 8	W 2	D 5	3.5
2	Richard Ingram	2061	W 5	W 4	L 1	W 7	3.0
3	Ben Daswani	1947	W 7	D 0	L 4	W10	2.5
4	Louie Jiang	1879	M O	L 2	W 3	D 6	2.5
5	Robert Hamm	1683	L 2	W 9	W12	D 1	2.5
6	Michael Yip	1999	D 0	D 0	D 0	D 4	2.0
7	Sterling Dietz	unr.	L 3	W12	W 8	L 2	2.0
8	Manuel Escandor	1815	W10	L 1	L 7	D 9	1.5
9	Vlad Gaciu	1784	D12	L 5	D10	D 8	1.5
10	Michael Wee	1321	L 8	W11	D 9	L 3	1.5
11	Thomas Witecki	1140	L 1	L10	W 0	D12	1.5
12	Alexandra Botez	1329	D 9	L 7	L 5	D11	1.0

More general information can be found at http://www.geocities.com/vanseasonal/, including the Grand Prix standings after the first three events.

CANADIAN OPEN PREVIEW

The Canadian Open starts this Saturday in Edmonton. Pregistration is now approaching the two hundred mark, and with the participation of world and Canadian stars such as Vassily Ivanchuk, Alexei Shirov, Viktor Bologan, Alexander Moiseenko, Alexander Shabalov, Igor-Alexandre Nataf, Mark Bluvshtein, Dmitri Tyomkin, Pascal Charbonneau, Irina Krush, Thomas Roussel-Roozmon, and Eric Lawson, it should be an exceptional tournament. Recently, the entire Indian national team, both men's and women's, have also joined the event!

B.C. players who are preregistered include: Jack Yoos, Alfred Pechisker, Lucas and Noam Davies, Laszlo Tegzes, Vaclav Sladek, Edward Tang, Gavin Steininger, Slaven Mandic, Benjamin Kruger, Louie Jiang, Manual Escandor, Hugh Long, Brian Davidson, Stefan Trandafir, Jim Marshall, Evan and Elliot Raymer, Brian Sullivan, Louis McCusky, Kevin Breel, Farley Cannon, Edward Enns, and Marvin, Kenneth, Caleb and Jeremy Meller. Good luck to all!

At this point it is not clear what sort of web coverage there will be of the tournament, but the webpage may be found at http://www.edmontonchess.org/CdnOpen2005/.

2005 MACSKASY MEMORIAL

This event is being held to honour the late Dr. Elod Macskasy, a UBC mathematics professor who was for many years B.C.'s premier player and a role model, friend and mentor of many of B.C.'s top players. The event will be held in the building in which he worked. Elod left us in 1990.

Dates: July 30-August 1, 2005 (Saturday, Sunday, Monday)

Location: Mathematics Building,1984 Mathematics Road, V6T 1Z2, University of British Columbia.

Format: A series of 6-player round robins, CFC and FIDE rated, depending on registrants. Groupings will be determined by the higher of a player's FIDE or CFC rating at the date of that player's entry. For players who have neither FIDE nor CFC ratings, the tournament organizers will assign a notional rating based on the best information available as to that player's strength.

The top six rated players will play in the first group, the next six in the second group, and so on, subject to the qualification that the tournament organizers reserve the right to adjust the ranking of the players for the second and lower groups in order to ensure, if possible, that each group contains four FIDE-rated players so that the remaining two players in those groups will be able to obtain FIDE ratings. However, no player's ranking shall be adjusted by more than 50 rating points to achieve this goal.

Time Controls: 40/120, SD/60

Rounds: 5 (10 / 4 ; 10 / 4 ; 10)

Prizes: Group 1: \$200 (first); \$100 (second); Group 2: \$150 (first); \$75 (second). Remaining groups: \$100 (first); free entry to the 2006 Macskasy Memorial (second).

Entry Fee: \$35, \$25 for junior, seniors, and FIDE-rated players without titles, free for FIDE-titled players and 2005 WYCC competitors.

Registration: Mail cheques (payable to BCCF) to: British Columbia Chess Federation, PO Box 15548, Vancouver, BC V6B 5B3

Deadline: All entries must be *received* by Monday, July 25, 2005, 12:00 midnight. Because the round robin groupings must be made prior to the event, *registrations* received after this deadline will not be accepted.

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Miscellaneous: CFC rated, top groups also FIDE rated, depending on registrants.

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ELOD MACSKASY (April 17, 1919 - January 21, 1990)

In light of the upcoming Macskasy Memorial, for the next few issue we will run some features about the life and games of Dr. Macskasy. Below we reprint an interview, first published in *Counterplay*, June 1990.



The 1961 BC - WA match: Dr. Macskasy on board 1, 15 year old Duncan Suttles on board 2

An Interview with Duncan and Dobrilla Suttles by Robert North

This interview was conducted with Duncan and Dobrilla Suttles in their comfortable penthouse suite located in the University Endowment lands. The interview lasted approximately one and a half hours.

Counterplay: When did you first meet Dr. Macskasy?

Duncan: Oh, it must have been over 30 years ago. I think I was 13 years old. I met him shortly after I learned to play. I started playing at the Vancouver City Chess Club and that's where I met him.

Counterplay: What was your first impression of him?

Duncan: Well, he was one of the leading players at that time. I think the Canadian Championship was the first time that we traveled together across the country by train ... I was 15 years old. I saw a lot of Doctor Macskasy from that time on. I can't remember exactly when I met him. It was probably at the chess club.

Dobrilla: Duncan's mother said about Dr. Macskasy that he was a second father to Duncan.

Counterplay: Both in chess and mathematics?

Duncan: Chess, mathematics, stock markets, bridge, a few different areas. You know besides chess, one of his main interests was speculating in the stock market and he got me involved in that and eventually I became a stock broker. Also, I played bridge, but not very much.

Dobrilla: The news of his death was a tragedy. He would help people out, people like myself, he liked everyone.

Counterplay: Surely he must have had some bitter memories of Hungary.

Duncan: He had some. He would have had some bad things to say about certain political systems, but he was friends with almost everybody.

Counterplay: I gather from not only what you said, but also your tone, you felt quite close to him. Was he very supportive, kind and considerate not only to yourself and your wife but to others as well?

Duncan: I think he was, yes. He was very much involved in the chess arena, especially with the younger players. He would look after them and they would visit his house.

Dobrilla: You know Bruce Harper, when Bruce Harper was growing and learning to play chess he would visit the Doctor's house and play till late at night. He would drive Bruce home rather than let him walk home in the dark.

Duncan: He was the kind of person who had time for everybody but was never on time.

Dobrilla: That was a general joke. A lot of chess players grew up under his wing, Duncan, Peter Biyiasas, Bruce Harper, all those chess players grew up under his shadow and more or less he influenced every single one of them. I know he influenced Duncan.

Counterplay: In what sort of direction?

Dobrilla: A very positive direction. In chess, he would guide them. Duncan was left here (at the university) when his parents moved back to the United States. Macskasy would look after him like his own child. You know, he would try to look after him, make sure that he had at least one good meal a day, that he had clothes. He would buy Duncan clothes, just like his own child. In the first two years of our marriage, his wife would go to the Safeway to buy food for her family of five and would have another bag for a family of two, the two of us. Whatever she cooked for herself, she cooked for us. I mean you can't find that anywhere in the world. When he died, I lost a father for a second time, that's what I felt about it. And Duncan felt like he was his father too.

Counterplay: Was Dr. Macskasy involved in organizational efforts on a larger scale, was he involved in the CFC or the BCCF to any extent?

Duncan: I guess he was off and on, I don't know.

Counterplay: Were his efforts directed more towards individuals than, say, organizations?

Duncan: I would think so.

Dobrilla: Definitely.

Counterplay: Is there anything more you would like to say?

Duncan: I should say it was a pretty special relationship for me. He never would say no. He had a very wide circle of friends with different interests and he always seemed to manage to visit them and do things with different people. He was very active.

Dobrilla: To the last day. He never sat down, not for a minute. He still did, in the last day of his life, like he did years ago when I arrived. He was playing chess, he was still teaching at the university, he was collecting stamps, he was trading on the stock market, he lived everything to the fullest, he did not slow down, he lived his life full. He was happy. He was a very happy person.

Counterplay: That's a pretty full life.

Dobrilla: That's right. He met lots of American chess players. He played lots of them and entertained them at his house. Bobby Fischer visited him and Mark Taimanov.

Counterplay: Was that in 1971 during the Candidate's match?

Duncan: Yes, he was pretty well known around the world and respected.

Counterplay: As a player or as a host?

Dobrilla: Both, as a host and as a player. As a person generally.

Duncan: It will take a long time for us to get over it. It is not something your forget about in a day, in a year.

Dobrilla: When I met Duncan first and Duncan kept talking about Macskasy it took me about six months to realize that that wasn't his real father. And my family thought for a few years that was his real father.

Counterplay: How old was Dr. Macskasy?

Dobrilla: He was born in 1919. That makes him 71. He was a stamp collector and had one of the best stamp collections in the world. He had stamps from around the

world. I remember at one Olympiad in Europe he showed up at Customs with suitcases full of stamps. That caused some problems.

Duncan: We traveled to several Olympiads together. At one time I used to see him almost every day at the stock market. He used to come down there everyday and talk about stocks and how they broke. I guess that was the only place where I sort of went into something that he didn't have much interest in - computers.

Counterplay: What was his professional field?

Duncan: He taught various types of mathematics. Some of it had to do with calculus, some of it with geometry. I know he never did get involved with computers or anything like that. I guess it was too impersonal to attract him.

Dobrilla: He tried, he came around to talk with Duncan about it to get a computer, but he never did. He believed in the human touch.

Duncan: It was the intuitive element, rather than the calculation that he liked. You know, play by feel.

Counterplay: So he was a player in the Emanuel Lasker mold?

Duncan: Yes. He was a player that would feel a good move and make it without too much thought to calculating all variations.

Counterplay: Your lives were really intertwined with Dr. Macskasy.

Dobrilla: I've never known Duncan to have a greater respect for anyone alive or greater feelings. Whenever Duncan needed something, he was there.

Duncan: Well, I guess the one thing that he taught me is to not take things too seriously. In other words, he was a person that was able to step back and see things without getting involved, you know, caught up. Playing the stock market... it had its ups and downs but it wouldn't bother him. And the same with chess ... I think that was a very valuable thing, and some players have never learned that.

Ban, J - Macskasy, E [C10] HUN ch Budapest, 1947

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nd2 dxe4 4.Nxe4 Nd7 5.Bd3 Ngf6 6.Nf3 Nxe4 7.Bxe4 Nf6 8.Bd3 b6 9.Qe2 Bb7 10.Bg5 Be7 11.0-0 0-0 12.Rad1 Nd7 13.Bxe7 Qxe7 14.c4 Rad8 15.Rfe1 Qf6 16.Be4 Bxe4 17.Qxe4 c5 18.Qc2 cxd4 19.Nxd4 Nc5 20.Nb5 a5 21.b3 g6 22.f3 Rxd1 23.Rxd1 Rd8 24.Rxd8+ Qxd8 25.g3 h5 26.Kf2 h4 27.Ke2 hxg3 28.hxg3 Qg5 29.Kf2 Qh6 30.Kg2 Qe3 31.Qf2 Qd3 32.Qd4 Qe2+ 33.Qf2 Qd1 34.Nc3 Qd3 35.Ne2 e5 36.Ng1 Qc3 37.f4 e4 38.Ne2 Qd2 39.Ng1 e3 40.Qe2 Ne6 41.Kh3 Nd4 42.Qg2 e2 43.Qa8+ Kg7 44.Nxe2 Qxe2 45.Qb7 Qf1+ 46.Kg4 Qe1 0-1

Macskasy, E - Gereben, E [D13] HUN ch Budapest, 1947

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 d5 4.cxd5 cxd5 5.Nc3 Nc6 6.Bf4 e6 7.e3 Bd6 8.Bxd6 Qxd6 9.Bd3 0-0 10.0-0 b6 11.a3 Bb7 12.Rc1 Rfc8 13.Qe2 a6 14.Na4 Nd7 15.Bb1 g6 16.Ng5 Na5 17.f4 f5 18.Ba2 Nc4 19.Nc3 b5 20.Nb1 Nf6 21.Rc3 h6 22.Nf3 Ne4

23.Rc2 a5 24.Rfc1 a4 25.Ne5 Kh7 26.Nd3 Bc6 27.Nc3 Rg8 28.Nxe4 fxe4 29.Ne5 Raf8 30.Rf1 Be8 31.Bxc4 bxc4 32.Qe1 Qe7 33.Kh1 Bf7 34.g4 Be8 35.Rg2 Bd7 36.Qg3 Rb8 37.Qh3 Rb3 38.f5 exf5 39.Nxd7 Qxd7 40.gxf5 g5 41.Qg3 Qf7 42.f6 Rg6 43.Rgf2 h5 44.Rf5 Kh6 45.h4 gxh4 46.Rxh5+ 1-0

McCormick, J - Macskasy, E [E78] BC - WA m Washington, 17.07.1960

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 0-0 5.Be2 d6 6.f4 c5 7.Nf3 cxd4 8.Nxd4 Nbd7 9.Be3 Nc5 10.Bf3 Qb6 11.Nb3 Qb4 12.Nxc5 dxc5 13.e5 Qxb2 14.Na4 Qb4+ 15.Bd2 Qxc4 16.Be2 Qd5 17.exf6 Bxf6 18.Rc1 Qxg2 0-1

Pupols, V - Macskasy, E [E70] BC - WA m Washington, 16.07.1961

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 c5 3.d5 g6 4.Nc3 d6 5.Bg5 Bg7 6.e4 a6 7.Bd3 Nbd7 8.f4 h6 9.Bh4 Nh5 10.Nge2 g5 11.fxg5 hxg5 12.Bxg5 Ne5 13.Kd2 Rg8 14.Be3 b5 15.Nc1 Bg4 16.Qf1 b4 17.N3e2 Qa5 18.Kc2 Qa4+ 19.b3 Qa3 20.Rb1 0-0-0 21.Qf2 f5 22.Ng3 Nxd3 23.Kxd3 Nxg3 24.Qxg3 fxe4+ 25.Kc2 Bd4 26.Qe1 Rdf8 27.Bxd4 cxd4 28.Rb2 e3 29.Kb1 Bf5+ 30.Ka1 Be4 31.Rg1 Rf4 32.Rf1 Rgf8 33.Rxf4 Rxf4 34.g3 Rf2 35.Re2 d3 0-1

Macskasy, E - Fuster, G [D45] CAN ch Brockville (10), 05.09.1961

1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.c4 c6 4.e3 e6 5.Nc3 Nbd7 6.Qc2 Bb4 7.a3 Ba5 8.Bd3 Qe7 9.Ne5 Nxe5 10.dxe5 dxc4 11.Bxc4 Nd7 12.f4 Nxe5 13.Be2 Nd7 14.0–0 Nf6 15.e4 e5 16.f5 h6 17.Na4 Bd8 18.Be3 Qc7 19.Rf3 b6 20.Rg3 Kf8 21.b4 Bb7 22.Nc3 Be7 23.Bf3 Qd7 24.Rd1 Bd6 25.Na4 Qe7 26.Nc5 Rd8 27.Nxb7 Qxb7 28.Rc1 Rc8 29.Be2 c5 30.Qd3 Be7 31.bxc5 bxc5 32.Rc4 Nd7 33.Rc1 Kg8 34.Qc4 Nb6 35.Qc2 c4 36.a4 c3 37.a5 Nc4 38.Qxc3 Nd6 39.Qxe5 Rxc1+ 40.Bxc1 Ne8 41.a6 Qb4 42.Qc3 Bc5+ 43.Kf1 Qb6 44.Bb2 f6 45.Bh5 1–0

Macskasy, E - Yanofsky, D [E97] Training Match Vancouver (5), 27.12.1961

1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.Nf3 0-0 6.Be2 e5 7.0-0 Nc6 8.d5 Ne7 9.b4 Nh5 10.g3 f5 11.Ng5 Nf6 12.f3 a5 13.bxa5 Rxa5 14.Bd2 Ra7 15.c5 h6 16.cxd6 cxd6 17.Ne6 Bxe6 18.dxe6 d5 19.Qb3 d4 20.Nb5 Ra6 21.Bd3 Kh8 22.Bb4 Re8 23.Rac1 Rc6 24.Rxc6 Nxc6 25.Nd6 Qb6 26.Nxe8 Nxe8 27.Bd2 Qc7 28.exf5 gxf5 29.Bxf5 Nd6 30.Bb1 Bf8 31.Qd3 Qg7 32.a3 Nd8 33.Re1 Nc6 34.Bb4 Be7 35.Bxd6 Bxd6 36.Re4 h5 37.Kg2 Ne7 38.Rh4 Nd5 39.Rxh5+ Kg8 40.Rg5 Ne3+ 41.Kh1 1-0

Macskasy, E - Suttles, D [B06] CAN ch Winnipeg (11), 30.08.1963

1.d4 g6 2.e4 Bg7 3.Nf3 d6 4.Be2 e5 5.h3 Nc6 6.Be3 exd4 7.Nxd4 Nxd4 8.Bxd4 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 Qf6 10.Qb4 Ne7 11.Qc3 Qxc3+ 12.Nxc3 a6 13.0-0-0 Be6 14.f4 f5 15.Rhe1 Kf7 16.exf5 gxf5 17.Bf3 Rab8 18.Re3 Rhe8 19.Rde1 Ng6 20.g3 c6 21.Rd1 Rbd8 22.Red3 Ke7 23.b3 Rf8 24.Ne2 Rf6 25.Nd4 Rd7 26.Re3 Kf7 27.Rde1 Re7 28.Bh5 1-0

Vaitonis, P - Macskasy, E [D48] CAN ch Winnipeg (12), 31.08.1963

1.c4 Nf6 2.Nf3 c6 3.Nc3 d5 4.e3 e6 5.d4 Nbd7 6.Bd3 dxc4 7.Bxc4 b5 8.Bd3 a6 9.e4 c5 10.d5 e5 11.0-0 c4 12.Be2 Bd6 13.Nd2 0-0 14.a4 Rb8 15.axb5 axb5 16.b3 b4

17.Nxc4 Bc5 18.Na4 Bd4 19.Bb2 Bxb2 20.Ncxb2 Nxe4 21.Rc1 Ndf6 22.Re1 Nxd5 23.Bf3 Nec3 24.Nxc3 Nxc3 25.Qxd8 Rxd8 26.Rxe5 Be6 27.Nc4 Bxc4 28.bxc4 b3 0-1

Macskasy, E - Biyiasas, P [D44] CAN ch Pointe-Claire, 08.1969

1.d4 e6 2.c4 d5 3.Nc3 c6 4.Nf3 Nf6 5.Bg5 dxc4 6.e4 b5 7.e5 h6 8.Bh4 g5 9.exf6 gxh4 10.Ne5 h5 11.Be2 Nd7 12.Nxf7 Kxf7 13.Bxh5+ Kxf6 14.0-0 Ke7 15.Bf3 Qb6 16.d5 Ne5 17.dxc6 Nd3 18.Qe2 Kd6 19.a4 Ba6 20.Rad1 Bg7 21.Rfe1 Rh6 22.Rxd3+ cxd3 23.Qxd3+ Bd4 24.axb5 Kc7 25.Nd5+ exd5 26.Re7+ Kd8 27.Rd7+ Ke8 28.Qf5 1-0

McCormick, J - Macskasy, E [A16] Vancouver 1975 (6), 21.05.1975

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.g3 Bg7 4.Bg2 0-0 5.Nc3 d5 6.cxd5 Nxd5 7.0-0 Nc6 8.Ng5 e6 9.Nge4 h6 10.d3 Nce7 11.Bd2 c6 12.Rb1 b6 13.Nxd5 exd5 14.Nc3 d4 15.Na4 Be6 16.b3 Bd5 17.Nb2 Bxg2 18.Kxg2 Re8 19.Qc2 Qd5+ 20.Kg1 Nf5 21.Rfe1 h5 22.Qc4 Qd7 23.e4 dxe3 24.Bxe3 Bd4 25.Nd1 b5 26.Qc2 Qd5 27.Nc3 Bxc3 28.Qxc3 h4 29.Qc5 Nxe3 0-1

THE SCHWENGERS FAMILY

As a relatively young province, British Columbia has always relied heavily on immigration in its development. This is also true of B.C.'s chess community - many of our players began their lives elsewhere in the world (e.g., John Ewing, Jack Taylor, Miervaldis Jursevskis, Elod Macskasy, Duncan Suttles, Peter Biyiasas, Jack Yoos). One of the earliest chess immigrants to this province was Peter (Joseph Antoine) Schwengers (1844-1898), who came to Victoria in 1887. Born into one of the most influential families in Rhenish Prussia, Peter was the third son of a sugar refiner from Urdingen, Germany. A graduate of Bonn University, Peter Schwengers lived for a time in England, were he was associated with the London banking firm of Buninger, Schroder & Co. After emigrating to Canada he worked as an accountant, and was just fifty-four when he died suddenly of an aneurysm in 1898. Schwengers was a strong amateur player whose historical rating has been put at 2280-2300 (see http://members.shaw.ca/edo2/players/p246.html). He played in two knockout events in Düsseldorf in 1863 and 1864, in both cases reaching the second round before being eliminated. He was also proficient enough to conduct eight blindfold games simultaneously, and at least one (mediocre) chess problem by Schwengers has come down to us (see

http://www.bstephen.freeuk.com/recons/recon0001.html).

Schwengers had five children, at least two of whom were also chessplayers, Conrad (Peter William) (1874-1954) and Bernhard (Peter) (1880-1946). Peter and his two sons did much toward building up the Victoria Chess Club in the 1890s. In the international cable match between Victoria and San Francisco in 1895, Conrad and Bernhard were part of Thomas Piper's consultation team on board one, while Peter helped James Hunnex on board two

(http://www3.telus.net/public/swright2/cablematches.html). There is also record of a tournament at the Victoria Club in 1896 which Conrad won with a 19-0 score, ahead of Bernhard who tied for third.

Conrad and Bernhard were both prominent members of the hardware business. In 1888 Conrad "ran home two miles to tell of his good fortune" in joining the E.G. Prior hardware company, starting as an office boy at \$20 a month. By 1908 he was a junior partner, in 1921 he was appointed managing director, and in 1924, along with Bernhard, he bought out the company. After an amalgamation to form Mclennan, McFeeley & Prior Ltd. in 1928, Conrad became managing director, and in 1944 he was elected president of the company. He retired in 1951, having spent sixty-three years with one firm.

In later years Bernhard was the Island branch manager and director of McLennan, McFeely & Prior and was also much involved in community work and publicizing Victoria, but as a young man he was known mainly as a sportsman. An outstanding tennis player, Bernhard was on Canada's Davis Cup teams in 1913 and 1914 and won the Rogers Cup in 1911 and 1912, an title which in recent years has been held by Lendl, Becker, Agassi, Rafter, and Federer. He was an inaugural inductee to the Tennis Canada Hall of Fame in 1991.



Bernhard was also Northwest seniors' golf champion, a noted ball player, and a huntsman. Of his chessplaying skill there is only one unfortunate example: he was the victim of the so-called Blackburne Shilling Gambit (1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Nd4 4.Nxe5 Qg5 5.Nxf7 Qxg2 6.Rf1 Qxe4+ 7.Be2 Nf3#) at the hands of the visiting Joseph Babson at Victoria in 1896.

Schwengers,P - Ash,D [C37] Blindfold simul, Crefeld, 08.03.1863

1.e4 e5 2.f4 exf4 3.Nf3 g5 4.Bc4 g4 5.0-0 gxf3 6.Qxf3 Qf6 7.d3 Bh6 8.Nc3 c6 9.e5 Qxe5 10.Bxf4 Qxf4 11.Rae1+ Kf8 12.Qh5 Qd4+ 13.Kh1 1-0

Knorre, V - Schwengers, P [C44] Düsseldorf (1.1), 30.08.1863

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 exd4 4.Bc4 Bc5 5.c3 dxc3 6.Bxf7+ Kxf7 7.Qd5+ Ke8 8.Qh5+ Kf8 9.Qxc5+ d6 10.Qxc3 Qe7 11.Qe3 Nf6 12.Nc3 Be6 13.0-0 Ng4 14.Qf4+ Qf6 15.Ng5 Ke7 16.Nd5+ Bxd5 17.exd5 Qxf4 18.Bxf4 Nce5 19.Ne6 Nf6 20.Bg5 Kd7 21.Bxf6 gxf6 22.Rac1 Rac8 23.Nd4 Nd3 24.Rc3 Nf4 25.Rb3 Rhg8 26.Rf3 Nxd5 27.Rf5 Rg5 28.Re1 Rxf5 29.Nxf5 Re8 30.Rxe8 Kxe8 31.g3 Kd7 32.Kg2 c5 33.Kf3 Nb4 34.a3 Nd3 35.Ke4 c4 36.Kd4 Nxb2 37.Kc3 Nd1+ 38.Kxc4 Nxf2 39.Kd5 Nd1 40.Nxd6 Nc3+ 41.Kc4 Kxd6 42.Kxc3 Kc5 43.a4 a5 44.g4 b6 45.h3 h6 46.Kb3 Kd4 0-1

Paulsen,W - Schwengers,P [C51] Düsseldorf (2.1), 30.08.1863

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.b4 Bxb4 5.c3 Bc5 6.d4 exd4 7.0-0 d6 8.cxd4 Bb6 9.d5 Na5 10.Bb2 Nf6 11.Bd3 Bg4 12.Nc3 0-0 13.Na4 Qe7 14.Re1 Rfe8 15.Qd2 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Nh5 17.Kh1 Qh4 18.Nxb6 axb6 19.Rg1 Qe7 20.Qh6 g6 21.Qxh5 f6 22.e5 dxe5 23.Bxq6 1-0

Schwengers, P - Hoeing, K [C00] Düsseldorf, 1864

1.e4 e6 2.d4 c6 3.Nf3 f6 4.Bd3 Bd6 5.e5 fxe5 6.Nxe5 Nf6 7.Nc3 Bb4 8.Bg5 0-0 9.Qf3 d5 10.Qh3 g6 11.0-0 Be7 12.Bh6 Re8 13.Nxg6 e5 14.Qg3 Ng4 15.Nxe5 Bh4 16.Qf4 Qf6 17.Nxg4 Qxf4 18.Bxf4 Bxg4 19.Rae1 Nd7 20.h3 Bh5 21.Bf5 Nf8 22.Rxe8 Rxe8 23.g3 Bf6 24.Be3 Bf3 25.Nb1 Bh5 26.c3 Kg7 27.Nd2 b6 28.g4 Bg6 29.Bxg6 hxg6 30.Nf3 Nh7 31.Re1 g5 32.h4 Kg6 33.h5+ Kg7 34.Kg2 Re4 35.Kg3 Be7 36.Ne5 Bd6 37.f3 Bxe5+ 38.dxe5 Rc4 39.Bd4 Ra4 40.a3 c5 41.e6+ Kf8 42.Be5 Ke8 43.Rd1 Ke7 44.Re1 Kxe6 45.f4 gxf4+ 46.Bxf4+ Kf6 47.Kf3 d4 48.Re4 Ng5+ 49.Bxg5+ Kxg5 50.cxd4 cxd4 51.Ke2 Rc4 52.Kd3 Rc1 53.Rxd4 Rd1+ 54.Kc4 Rc1+ 55.Kb5 Rc2 56.b4 1-0

Vitzthum von Eckstaedt, C - Schwengers, P [C54] Düsseldorf, 1864

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.c3 d6 5.0-0 Nf6 6.d3 Be6 7.Bxe6 fxe6 8.b4 Bb6 9.a4 a5 10.b5 Nb8 11.Qb3 Qe7 12.Ba3 Nbd7 13.Ng5 Nf8 14.Nd2 h6 15.Ngf3 Ng6 16.Nc4 Nd7 17.Nxb6 cxb6 18.d4 0-0 19.dxe5 Rxf3 20.Bxd6 Qf7 21.gxf3 Nh4 22.Rfd1 Qg6+ 23.Kf1 Qg2+ 24.Ke2 Qxf3+ 25.Kd2 Qf4+ 26.Kc2 Qxe4+ 27.Kb2 Kf7 28.Rd4 Qf3 29.Rxh4 Qxf2+ 30.Ka3 Qxh4 31.Rf1+ Nf6 32.exf6 gxf6 33.Be5 Qh3 34.Rxf6+ Ke7 35.Qc2 1-0

UPCOMING EVENTS

Little Mountain Saturday Morning Swiss

Dates: Five Saturdays (Starting on June 25)

Place: Little Mountain Neighbourhood House, 3981 Main Street, Vancouver, BC

(near 25th Ave.)

Rounds: 5

Type: Swiss or Accelerated Swiss if needed

Round Times: 10:15 AM

Rating Details: CFC regular rated but CFC membership not required Time Controls: 90 minutes + 30 seconds increment per move (FIDE)

Entry Fee: 15.00 dollars with CFC membership & 20.00 without CFC membership Prizes: Based on Entries + Special Prizes courtesy of Chess First Enterprises. Participation Prize: 10% of total entries per tournament will be given in a random

draw to a player that attends all the rounds.

Registration: 10:00 AM or in advance by email: lazmitia@sfu.ca or

xramis1@yahoo.ca If you register early by e-mail you will be not receive a BYE in the first round.

Byes: (1/2) point bye when requested in advance. (1) point bye if player attends another tournament that is announced in the BCCF website (counts toward the participation prize).

Organizers:

Eduardo Azmitia: e-mail: lazmitia@sfu.ca Aaron Cosenza

<u>xramis1@yahoo.caMiscellaneous</u>: If possible bring your own equipment. Please support our sponsors: Chess First! Enterprises http://www.northshorechess.com/

Little Mountain Neighbourhood House http://www.lmnhs.bc.ca/

Please visit the following site for updates and more details

http://www3.telus.net/chessvancouver/

Rethink the Cool flex event

Date: July 1/05-Sept.30/05

Place: flexible, players make their own arrangements

Rounds: 10

Type: Regular CFC-rated double round robin (6-players)

Times: flexible

TC: SD 90 club control

EF: \$30 (includes \$10 deposit returned to all players without forfeits)
Prizes: 1st \$100 plus ChessBase playing engine for clear first; all players

finishing the event without forfeits will receive plastic tournament chess pieces;

all players are entitled to a 10% discount on all in-stock items at

www.northshorechess.com for the duration of the event

Reg/TD/Org: interested players please e-mail or call CTD Vas Sladek, 604-562-3736, chessfm@telus.net

Misc:

- 1) all prizes donated by **Chess First! Enterprises**, please visit www.northshorechess.com
- 2) available venues: Royal City Chess Club, New Westminster (Tuesdays) and Little Mountain Chess Club, Vancouver (Sat. mornings).
- 3) the TD must be informed of all results promptly and receive all game scores (score sheets or electronic format); all results will be available in weekly reports
- 4) CFC membership required; \$48/year or \$10/event
- 5) score sheets provided
- 6) chess clocks may be rented for the duration of the event

Full details for all the events listed here may be found on the BCCF site, www.chess.bc.ca.

Canadian Open

Date: July 9-17 Place: Edmonton Type: 10-round Swiss

Macskasy Memorial

Dates: July 30 - August 1

Place: UBC

Type: round robins

Labour Day Open

Dates: September 3-5 Place: University of Victoria

Type: 6-round Swiss