

# BCCF E-MAIL BULLETIN #271

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Stephen Wright

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## HERE AND THERE

### Unive Open (October 18-26)

Leon Piasetski is currently playing in the 17<sup>th</sup> Unive Open, taking place at Hoogeveen in the Netherlands. Seventy-seven players have entered the nine-round Swiss, where the top seeds are GMs Rodshtein, L'Ami, Krasenkow, Ernst, Haslinger, and Moskalenko. Leon won his first round game and faces Sipke Ernst in round two. [Tournament website](#)

### **Piasetski, Leon - Van der Veen, Jan [E90] Unive op 17th Hoogeveen (1), 18.10.2013**

1.Nf3 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.e4 d6 5.d4 0-0 6.h3 c6 7.Be3 e5 8.d5 cxd5 9.cxd5 Na6 10.Nd2 Bd7 11.Be2 Qb8 12.a4 Rc8 13.0-0 Be8 14.a5 Nd7 15.Qb3 Bf8 16.Qa3 Nc7 17.b4 b5 18.a6 Nb6 19.Rfc1 Na4 20.Ndb1 Nxc3 21.Nxc3 Bd7 22.Ra2 Be7 23.Rac2 Ne8 24.Nb1 Rxc2 25.Rxc2 Bd8 26.Nd2 Bb6 27.Bg4 f5 28.exf5 gxf5 29.Be2 Nf6 30.Nf3 Kh8 31.Ng5 Bxe3 32.Qxe3 Nxd5 33.Qd2 Qg8 34.Bf3 e4 35.Qd4+ 1-0

### Vancouver Open (October 12-14)

Organized and directed by Eugenio Alonso Campos, this year's Vancouver Open took place at the Guru Angad Dev Elementary School in Surrey and attracted forty-two players. Despite the presence of three players rated over 2000 it was the number five and eight seeds, Joshua Doknjas and Primero Landingin, who came out on top with identical 5.0/6 scores. Close behind were the winners of the U2000 prizes, Paul Leblanc, Robin Yu, and Karl Cui, while the other class prizes went to Rinna Yu, Brian Sullivan, and Ethan Low (U1700), Paula Brewster and Neil Doknjas (U1400), and Daniel Du, Victor Zheng, and Jefferson Lee (U1200). Also notable were the number of players (nearly all underrated juniors) gaining more than 50 rating points, a consequence of the CFC's new bonus point system: Robin Yu (91), Karl Cui (87), Jofrel Landingin (109), Paula Brewster (151), Neil Doknjas (137), Victor Zheng (212), Leo Qu (154), Tony Xun (107), and Daniel Du (74). [CFC crosstable](#)

### Continental Class (October 9-14)

Several Canadians made the trip to Arlington, Virginia to play in the Master Section of the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Continental Class Championships, including James Chan and Max Gedajlovic from this province. They scored 3.5 and 3.0 points respectively in the nine-round Swiss event. The overall winner was Alexander Shabalov with 7.0 points, while a mere half point behind were Aleksander Rakhmanov and Canadian Leonid Gerzhoy, the latter achieving a GM norm in the process. Other Canadians in the field were Bindi Cheng (6.0) and Raja Panjwani (4.5). [Tournament website](#)

## **Gedajlovic, Max - Strenzwilk, Denis [D35] Continental Class ch Arlington (5.15), 12.10.2013**

1.d4 d5 2.c4 Bf5 3.Nc3 e6 4.Nf3 c6 5.cxd5 exd5 6.Bf4 Nf6 7.e3 Nbd7 8.Bd3 Bg6 9.0-0 Be7 10.Rb1 a5 11.Ne5 0-0 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.Bg5 Re8 14.f3 Nf8 15.Qc2 Ne6 16.Bh4 Nh5 17.Bxe7 Qxe7 18.Qf2 g5 19.g3 g6 20.Rbd1 Qf6 21.Bb1 Qg7 22.e4 Nf6 23.e5 Nh5 24.f4 g4 25.f5 Ng5 26.Qc2 Nf3+ 27.Rxf3 gxf3 28.Rf1 gxf5 29.Rxf3 Qg6 30.Qf2 Ng7 31.Nd1 Qg4 32.h3 Qxh3 33.Ne3 Re6 34.g4 Qh6 35.gxf5 Nxf5 36.Bxf5 Kf8 37.Bxe6 Qxe6 38.Rf6 Qh3 39.Rxf7+ Kg8 40.Rf3 Qd7 41.Rg3+ 1-0

## **Chan, James - Katz, Benjamin [C02] Continental Class ch Arlington (6.12), 12.10.2013**

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 Qb6 5.Nf3 Nc6 6.a3 Bd7 7.b4 cxb4 8.cxb4 Rc8 9.Bb2 Na5 10.Nbd2 Nc4 11.Nxc4 dxc4 12.Rc1 a5 13.Nd2 axb4 14.Nxc4 Rxc4 15.Bxc4 bxa3 16.Ba1 Ne7 17.0-0 Bc6 18.Rb1 Qd8 19.Bb5 Qd7 20.Qa4 f6 21.Rfc1 Kf7 22.Rb3 h5 23.Rcb1 Kg6 24.Qxa3 Nf5 25.Bxc6 bxc6 26.Qa8 h4 27.h3 fxe5 28.Rb7 Qd5 29.Qe8+ Kh7 30.dxe5 Bc5 31.Qh5+ Nh6 32.Rxg7+ Kxg7 33.Qg5+ Kf7 34.Qf6+ 1-0

## **Knighmare Quads #2 (October 6)**

Sixteen kids from grades 2 to 7 gathered at the Tommy Douglas Library in Burnaby on a beautiful Sunday afternoon on October 6 for the Knightmare Quads #2 Junior Chess Tournament. Children were divided into four sections based on their current ratings with four children per section. Under the careful coordination tournament director, Henry Chiu, the tournament started on time at 2:15 pm and concluded at 4:15pm. Every child received a commemorative certificate at the end of the tournament. Congratulations to the 1<sup>st</sup> Place winners of each section: Ivan Feng (Section A), Brandon Chan (Section B), Boya Yang (Section C), and Aaron Chiu (Section D). New ratings of all participants and crosstables are posted at [Northwest Scholastic Rating](#) within two weeks of the tournament. For those who want to participate in the next rated tournament, [Knighmare Quads #3](#) will take place on November 3 at the same library.



TD and organizer: Henry Chiu; photo and report: Connie Yeung

## **October Active/Blitz** (October 6)

For the first time in many a moon, chess returned to the Vancouver Bridge Centre on October 6. Organized by Luc Poitras, the originator of the monthly active tournaments now held at the Vancouver Chess School, this event featured the novel format of alternating four active games with three blitz games. A small but strong field took up the challenge – of the sixteen entrants, over half were rated over 1800. With seven rounds and sixteen players ties were the order of the day: Mayo Fuentebella, Butch Villavieja, and James Chan (the only players over 2000) shared the first prize, Jofrel Landingin, Don Monteith, and Andrew Lee shared the U2000, and Ngai To To and Curtis Catt split the U1600. Leo Qu won the upset prize by defeating Landingin. And if you missed your chance this time, watch for a second event with the same format early in January 2014. [Results](#)

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## **98<sup>th</sup> B.C. CHAMPIONSHIP**



The ninety-eighth edition of the B.C. Championship was held on the Thanksgiving long weekend at the Vancouver Chess School (Arbutus Shopping Centre) – many thanks to Maxim Doroshenko for providing the site. As in the last two years, there were three new faces in this year's Closed, all juniors: Jason Cao (12), Jack Cheng (18), and Ryan Lo (16), coincidentally the three winners of last year's Vancouver Open held alongside the 2012 Championship. With the addition of Tanraj Sohal this meant that half the field were juniors, setting up a potential battle between youth and experience.

Six of the eight spots in the Closed are filled from qualifying events, and this year only one of those qualifiers declined their invitation (Leon Piasetski from the Langley Open, who chose to play in Holland instead). Those who accepted were Butch Villavieja (defending champion), Jack Cheng (junior champion), Tanraj Sohal (BC Open), Jack Yoos (Grand Pacific Open), and Ryan Lo (Keres Memorial). The remaining spots were filled from the ratings list; as we didn't have to go far down the list the ratings were correspondingly high, resulting in the highest average rating (2272.5) for the championship since the year 2000. Five-time champion Jack Yoos was top-ranked and remained the favourite but his last two Closed appearances had been subpar – would he put it all together and win the title for the sixth time?



		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
1	Sohal, Tanraj	2260	*	½	1	1	½	1	1	1	6.0
2	Yoos, Jack	2381	½	*	½	1	1	½	1	1	5.5
3	Lo, Ryan	2198	0	½	*	1	½	½	0	½	3.0
4	Villavieja, Butch	2229	0	0	0	*	1	1	1	0	3.0
5	Cheng, Jack	2266	½	0	½	0	*	0	1	1	3.0
6	Cao, Jason	2309	0	½	½	0	1	*	0	1	3.0
7	Pechisker, Alfred	2285	0	0	1	0	0	1	*	1	3.0
8	Wu, Howard	2252	0	0	½	1	0	0	0	*	1.5

Vancouver Chess School  
Average rating 2272.5

Cumulative scores:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Sohal, Tanraj	1.0	2.0	2.5	3.5	4.0	5.0	6.0
2 Yoos, Jack	1.0	1.5	2.5	3.5	4.0	5.0	5.5
3 Lo, Ryan	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0
4 Villavieja, Butch	0.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
5 Cheng, Jack	0.0	0.0	0.5	1.5	2.0	3.0	3.0
6 Cao, Jason	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.5	2.0	3.0
7 Pechisker, Alfred	1.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
8 Wu, Howard	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.5

Jack Yoos won all his games with white and drew with black to amass 5.5 points, which normally would be sufficient to win the championship (the last time it wasn't was back in 2004). Unfortunately for him, Tanraj Sohal kept pace throughout and won his last-round game to secure the title by a half point. After three rounds Yoos and Sohal were tied with 2.5 points, closely followed by Villavieja and Pechisker. On the Sunday Yoos beat Villavieja and Villavieja beat Pechisker; Yoos and Sohal agreed to a short draw which left them tied for first after five rounds, now a full point ahead of the field. On the last day Sohal had to face the trailing players, Villavieja and Pechisker, whereas Yoos had already beaten both. Villavieja obtained a promising position on the white side of an Advanced French but Sohal turned it around, leaving Sohal and Yoos tied with 5.0 points going into the last round. Sohal ground down Pechisker's Benko Gambit (a slightly strange choice, given that Pechisker had done the same thing to Howard Wu on the white side of a Benko in a previous round) while Yoos was unable to generate enough winning chances on the black side of a Nimzo-Indian against Ryan Lo.

Thus at age sixteen Tanraj Sohal becomes, by this writer's reckoning, the youngest B.C. champion in the ninety-eight year history of the competition. Using today's definition of a junior as being under twenty, other junior winners would include Maurice Pratt (1951), Duncan Suttles (1963), Peter Biyiasas (1968), Bruce Harper (1973), and Loren Laceste (2011). Jack Yoos placed second by the smallest of margins, while everyone else (with the exception of Howard Wu who had a rough event) tied for third place on minus one. This time round experience largely came out ahead of youth. Despite being a junior Sohal was in sense on the side of experience; this was his fourth Closed and he has gradually improved his final standing in each of them, while this year's debutantes (Cao, Cheng, and Lo) took some time to adjust to the competition. Villavieja and

Pechisker lost both their games on the last day and neither had any draws – fatigue at the end of a long event? They also played more moves than anyone else.



Tanraj at work

Below are four games from the event; all the games can be found at the [B.C. Chess History](#) website in a PGN file.

**Villavieja, Butch - Cao, Jason [A47] BC ch 98th Vancouver (3.2), 12.10.2013**

1.d4 Nf6 2.Bg5 e6 3.e4 h6 4.Bxf6 Qxf6 5.Nf3 b6 6.Bd3 Bb7 7.Nbd2 d6 8.Qe2 Nd7 9.0–0–0 0–0–0  
10.Kb1 g5 11.e5 dxe5 12.dxe5 Qe7 13.Ba6 Bg7 14.Bxb7+ Kxb7 15.Qe4+ Kb8 16.Nb3 Nc5  
17.Nxc5 Qxc5 18.h3 Rd5 19.c4 Rxd1+ 20.Rxd1 Qxf2 21.Nd4 Qf4 22.Nc6+ Ka8 23.Qxf4 gxf4 24.b4  
Rg8 25.b5 f6 26.Rd7 Kb7 27.Kc2 fxe5 28.Kd3 Bf6 29.Rf7 Bh8 30.Ke4 Rg3 31.Nd8+ Kc8 32.Nxe6  
Rxc2 33.Rxc7+ Kb8 34.Rf7 Rg8 35.Nc7 Rd8 36.Na6+ Ka8 37.Nb4 Rd4+ 38.Kf3 Rxc4 39.Nc6  
Rc3+ 40.Ke4 Rc4+ 41.Kd5 1–0

**Yoos, Jack - Villavieja, Butch [C30] BC ch 98th Vancouver (4.4), 13.10.2013**

1.e4 e5 2.f4 Bc5 3.Nf3 d6 4.Nc3 Nf6 5.Bc4 Nc6 6.d3 a6 7.f5 h6 8.a3 Bd7 9.Qe2 b5 10.Ba2 Qb8  
11.Nd5 Nxd5 12.Bxd5 Qa7 13.c3 Rb8 14.Rf1 Ne7 15.Bb3 c6 16.Nh4 Ng8 17.Bxf7+ Kxf7 18.Qh5+  
Ke7 19.Ng6+ Kd8 20.Nxh8 Be8 21.Qh4+ Nf6 22.Bxh6 Be3 23.Bg5 Kc8 24.Ng6 Bxg5 25.Qxg5 Kb7  
26.Qg3 Ka8 27.Qf2 Qf7 28.Qe2 c5 29.g4 Bc6 30.g5 Nd7 31.Rd1 Re8 32.Rf3 Kb7 33.Rh3 Kc7  
34.Rh8 Rxh8 35.Nxh8 Qg8 36.Ng6 Qe8 37.Qh5 Qf7 38.Nf4 Qb3 39.Ne6+ Kb6 40.Qe2 g6 41.Rd2  
gxf5 42.exf5 Qa2 43.c4 e4 44.dxe4 Ne5 45.g6 bxc4 46.g7 c3 47.bxc3 Qa1+ 48.Kf2 Bb5 49.Qd1  
Qxc3 50.g8Q Bd3 51.Qb8+ Ka5 52.Qc7+ Kb5 53.a4+ Kc4 54.Qxd6 Ng4+ 55.Kg1 1–0

**Villavieja, Butch - Sohal, Tanraj [C02] BC ch 98th Vancouver (6.4), 14.10.2013**

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 Qb6 5.a3 Nc6 6.Nf3 Nh6 7.b4 cxd4 8.cxd4 Nf5 9.Bb2 Bd7 10.g4 Nfe7  
11.Nc3 h5 12.Na4 Qd8 13.Nc5 Rb8 14.g5 g6 15.Rc1 Nf5 16.Bd3 Nce7 17.b5 Bg7 18.a4 0–0  
19.Bc3 Bc8 20.Bb4 Re8 21.0–0 Bf8 22.Nb3 b6 23.Qd2 Ng7 24.Bd6 Rb7 25.Qc3 Nef5 26.Bc7 Qd7

27.a5 Bb4 28.Qc2 Bxa5 29.Nxa5 bxa5 30.Bxa5 Qe7 31.Qd2 Bd7 32.Bb4 Qd8 33.Rc5 Qb8 34.Ra1 Bxb5 35.Bxb5 Rxb5 36.Rxb5 Qxb5 37.Rxa7 Rb8 38.Bd6 Qb1+ 39.Kg2 Rb3 40.Qf4 Qd1 41.Ra8+ Kh7 42.Nd2 Rd3 43.Nf1 Rxd4 44.Ne3 Nxe3+ 0–1

### **Cheng, Jack - Cao, Jason [B92] BC ch 98th Vancouver (7.4), 14.10.2013**

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.Be2 e5 7.Nb3 Be7 8.0–0 0–0 9.Kh1 b6 10.Be3 Bb7 11.f3 b5 12.a3 Nbd7 13.Qe1 Rc8 14.Rd1 Qc7 15.Qf2 Rfe8 16.Rd2 Ba8 17.Rfd1 Rb8 18.Qg3 Kh8 19.Bg5 h6 20.Qh3 Kg8 21.Bh4 Red8 22.Nc1 Nb6 23.N1a2 Nc4 24.Bxc4 Qxc4 25.Nb4 a5 26.Nd3 b4 27.axb4 axb4 28.Ne2 Qc7 29.Nf2 Qc8 30.Qxc8 Rdxc8 31.Nd3 g5 32.Bf2 Rc4 33.Ra1 Bxe4 34.fxe4 Nxe4 35.Rdd1 Nxf2+ 36.Nxf2 Rxc2 37.Re1 Rxb2 38.Rab1 Rxb1 39.Rxb1 d5 40.Kg1 f5 41.Kf1 Kf7 42.Nc1 e4 43.Nb3 Bf6 44.Rd1 Ke6 45.g4 Rd8 46.Nc5+ Ke5 47.Rb1 Be7 48.Na6 f4 49.Nxb4 Bxb4 50.Rxb4 Ra8 51.Rb1 f3 52.h3 Ra2 53.Re1 Kf4 54.Nd1 d4 55.Nf2 e3 56.Nd3+ Kg3 57.Rc1 Rh2 58.Kg1 f2+ 59.Kf1 Rh1+ 60.Ke2 Rxc1 61.Nxc1 Kg2 0–1

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### **EACH PIECE TELLS A STORY** by Nathan Divinsky

#### **The White Queen Rook Pawn**

The white queen rook pawn was the smallest of the white pawns. He seemed very young and I had a desire to embrace him, to give him a big fatherly hug. He was slightly plump but it looked more like baby fat than anything else. His costume was very Spanish, full of banners and insignia that gave an impression of latticework. There was a picture of Ruy Lopez dangling from his scabbard and I noticed a small Cuban flag next to a small but exquisite cameo of Capablanca.

He stood as erect as possible, gave me an exaggerated sweeping bow and asked me if I understood Spanish. I regretfully shook my head and he smiled at me. I was relieved when I heard English come out of his mouth.

“Dr. D.,” he said in a voice that broke between soprano and bass, “you have often defended the black side of the Ruy Lopez against grandmaster Yanofsky and you know the impact and force of a well-timed a2-a4 by White. But you may not be aware that the same motif can occur in a queen pawn opening. I would like to tell you of a game where this took place. It was in the 13<sup>th</sup> round of the famous tournament at New York, March 1927:

#### **Capablanca, José Raúl - Spielmann, Rudolf [D38]** Queen’s Gambit Declined

José Raúl Capablanca was at the height of his power. He won this great tournament two and a half points ahead of Alekhine, and he won the first brilliancy prize with this very game.

**1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 e6 3.c4 Nd7 4.Nc3 Ngf6 5.Bg5 Bb4** This is too ambitious. However, in round one of this same tournament, Spielmann obtained a very good game with this line, against Capablanca.  
**6.cxd5 exd5 7.Qa4!** In the first round game Capablanca played 7.Qb3 but after 7...c5! Black stood very well. **7...Bxc3+ 8.bxc3 0–0 9.e3 c5 10.Bd3 c4**



White must now make a fundamental decision. He can try to gain something on the king side with 11.Bb1, 12.Qc2, 13.Ne5, or he can try to obtain pressure on the queen side. Capablanca, with his almost magical insight and feeling for position, decides to seek queen side pressure, and to rely on my sharp sword. **11.Bc2! Qe7 12.0-0 a6 13.Rfe1 Qe6** If 13...b5 14.Qa5 Bb7 15.Qc7 Rab8 16.Bxf6 gxf6 17.Qg3+. **14.Nd2 b5 15.Qa5** White now has two major threats. The first one, e3-e4, is standard and not quite as strong as it looks. The second, the subtle one, is a2-a4! Black's natural move is 15...Bb7 but this does not prevent e3-e4 for ever. Instead, Black attempts to stop e3-e4 permanently, thinking that he can parry a2-a4 on the fly. **15...Ne4 16.Nxe4 dxe4**



**17.a4 Qd5** Black expected that by attacking the queen bishop he would gain time to consolidate his queen side. Thus if 18.Bf4 Bb7 19.axb5 axb5 and everything is protected. But my threat is more serious than a mere bishop, and the great Capablanca appreciated me. **18.axb5! Qxg5 19.Bxe4 Rb8** If 19...Ra7 20.b6! Qxa5 21.bxa7! Qxa1 22.Rxa1 Nb6 23.Rb1 wins. **20.bxa6 Rb5 21.Qc7 Nb6 22.a7 Bh3 23.Reb1 Rxb1+ 24.Rxb1 f5** Hoping for 25.Qxb6 fxe4 26.g3 Qf5 27.f4 exf3 en passant; or 25.Rxb6 fxe4 26.Qg3 Qa5 27.Rb1 Be6 when Black wins – this was pointed out by Yates. **25.Bf3 f4 26.exf4 1-0**



After 26...Rxf4 27.Rxb6 Rxf3 28.Rb8+ Rf8 29.Rxf8+ Kxf8 30.a8Q+ and mates.”

This was a real gem and I applauded vigorously. The queen rook pawn was very pleased. He became so enthusiastic that he gave me a big hug before he ran back to the ranks.



## BI-WEEKLY BAFFLER by Valer Eugen Demian



Baffler #18:

White to play and draw. Another very interesting king and pawn endgame with a little twist. Once you figure out which rule governs it, the solution is not hard to put together. Have fun!

#17 Answer:



Were you able to put together a complete response? If not, here it is; if yes, just verify your lines:

**1.g3+ fxg3+ 2.Kg2** Zugzwang. Black has to retreat. **2...Kh5 3.Kxg3 Kg5** Opposition. **4.f4+ exf4+ 5.Kf3** Again zugzwang. Black has to retreat. **5...Kg6 6.Kxf4 Kf6** Opposition. **7.e5+ dxe5+ 8.Ke4** Again zugzwang. Black has to retreat. **8...Kf7 9.Kxe5 Ke7** Opposition. **10.d6+ Kd8** Black cannot allow the c6-pawn to become a passer. **11.d7 Ke7** White has to be careful not to stalemate Black. **12.Kf5 Kd8 13.Kg6 Ke7** The last detail needed is to sacrifice the pawn and push the Black King irreversibly in the corner for a clear win. **14.d8=Q+ Kxd8 15.Kf7 Kc8 16.Ke7 Kb8 17.Kd7 Ka8 18.Kxc7 Ka7 19.Kd7 1-0**



## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **UBC Thursday Night Blitz** (note the change of format)

Thursdays, 6:30 pm, Henry Angus Building, University of British Columbia  
Entry fee \$10+, depending on number of players and whether rated or not  
Contact Aaron Cosenza, [xramis1@yahoo.ca](mailto:xramis1@yahoo.ca), or see <https://www.facebook.com/UBCChess>

### **October Active**

October 20, Vancouver Chess School  
[Details](#)

### **Vancouver Rapid Team Ch. 2013-14**

September 2013 - April 2014  
Details on web-site  
[www.VancouverRapid.ca](http://www.VancouverRapid.ca)

### **October VCS Open**

October 25-27, Vancouver Chess School  
[Details](#)

### **UBC Fall Round Robin Chess Championship**

November 30 - December 1, 2013  
Henry Angus Building, Room 254, University of British Columbia  
Format: a hodgepodge of 4, 5, and 6 player round robins based on class ratings  
Prizes: Cash prize to winner of each section. Draw prizes to non-contenders  
Registration: 9-9:45 a.m., Saturday, November 30  
Round Times: Saturday, November 30: 10 a.m./2 p.m./6p.m.  
Sunday, December 1: 10 a.m., ASAP  
Time Control: 60 minutes/game with 30 second increments  
CFC and, if possible, FIDE rated

Advance Entry Fees: \$35/Adults (by November 15) \$25/Juniors  
Entry Fees at Site: \$40/Adults \$30/Juniors

Mail Advance Entries to: BCCF, 1012 Spiritwood Place, Victoria B.C., V8Y 1C6  
Make cheques payable to the BC Chess Federation

Prepaid Tournament Memberships available in lieu of CFC dues.  
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604-874-1374

### **Knightmare Quads**

November 3, December 8, Burnaby  
[Details](#)

### **Jack Taylor Memorial**

November 16-17, Victoria  
[Details](#)