

BCCF E-MAIL BULLETIN #17

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Stephen Wright

ENGLISH BAY FIDE TOURNAMENT

This FIDE-rated round robin took place on the April 25-27 weekend. We hope to present a full report in a future Bulletin, but in the meantime here are the results:

1. Yoos - 4
- 2-3. Meng, Moura - 3
4. Milicevic - 2
- 5-6. Fullbrook, Sladek - 1.5

We have the following comments from the winner, Jack Yoos:

"I just wanted to mention, to any experts/masters out west, that last weekend, here in Vancouver, I played in a FIDE rated RR tournament organized by Vas Sladek. Vas has been holding a series of tournaments for experts and masters recently. Well, Vas did a great job! It was a first-rate tournament with excellent playing conditions and very good prizes in relation to entry fee. I highly recommend his tournaments to anybody interested."

Yoos was also kind enough to forward his games from the event, along with brief notes. Thanks again, Jack! [N.B. in the following -/+ means distinctly better for Black, rather than winning for Black which is -+]

Yoos,J - Milicevic,D [B01] English Bay FIDE Vancouver (1), 25.04.2003

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Nf6 3.d4 Nxd5 4.c4 Nb6 5.Nf3 g6 6.Nc3 Bg7 7.Be2 0-0 8.0-0 Nc6
9.d5 Ne5 10.c5 Nbd7 11.Be3 Nxf3+ 12.Bxf3 Ne5 13.Be2 f5?! [13...c6; 13...b6]
14.f4 Nf7 15.Bc4 [15.Qb3 e5 (15...e6) 16.dxe6 Bxe6] 15...a6 [15...b6 16.Bb3
bxc5 17.Bxc5 Nd6 18.Re1±] 16.Qb3 b6 [16...Rb8? 17.Bxa6] 17.cxb6 Nd6 18.Be2
Rb8 19.bxc7 Qxc7 20.Qa3 Nc4 21.Bxc4 Qxc4 22.Rfd1 Re8 23.Rac1 Qb4 24.Qxb4 Rxb4
25.b3 Bd7 26.g3 Rc8 27.Ne2 Kf7 28.Rxc8 Bxc8 29.Bd4 Bxd4+ 30.Nxd4 Bd7 31.Kf2
Rb7 32.Rc1 Ke8 33.Rc5 Kd8 34.Ke3 Rb6 35.Nf3 Rb4 36.Nd4 Rb6 37.Kd3 e6 38.dxe6
Bxe6 39.Rc6 Rxc6 40.Nxc6+ Kc7 41.Ne5 Kb6 42.Kd4 a5 43.Nd3 Bd7 44.b4 a4 45.a3
Kb5 46.Nc1! h6 47.Ne2 g5 48.Nc3+ Kb6 49.Ke5 Kc7 50.Kf6 Kd6 51.h4! gxh4
52.gxh4 h5 53.Kg6 Ke7 54.Kxh5 Kf6 55.Kh6 Be8 56.h5 Bc6 57.b5 Be8 58.b6 Bc6

59.Nxa4 1-0

Yoos,J - Meng,F [C37] English Bay FIDE Vancouver (2), 26.04.2003

1.e4 e5 2.f4 exf4 3.Nf3 g5 4.Bc4 Nc6 5.d4 Bg7 6.h4 h6 7.c3 d6 8.0-0 Bg4 9.Qd3!? [9.a4; 9.Qa4!? idea of Ba6; 9.Qb3 Na5 10.Bxf7+ Kf8 11.Qa3 Kxf7 12.Qxa5 c5 unclear] 9...Bf6!? 10.Nbd2 Nge7 11.b4 Ng6 12.Bb3 Kf8 13.b5 Nce7 14.Nh2! xNg6 14...Qd7 15.Nxg4 Qxg4 16.Qc4 [with an attack] d5 [16...Rh7 17.Bd1 Qxh4 18.Qxc7] 17.exd5 Nxh4 18.Rf2 Nef5 19.d6 [19.Ba3+!?!; 19.Qxc7!?!] 19...Nxd6 20.Ba3 [20.Qxc7!?!] 20...Qd7 21.Bxd6+ cxd6 22.Ne4 Kg7 23.Nxd6 Rhf8 [=+ xc3,d4] 24.Ne4 Nf5 25.Qd3 [25.Nc5!?!] 25...b6 26.Bc2 Rfe8 27.Qh3 Qxb5 28.Rb1 ½-½

Sladek,V - Yoos,J [E90] English Bay FIDE Vancouver (3), 26.04.2003

1.d4 g6 I did not feel like a Trompowsky. 2.c4 Bg7 3.Nc3 d6 4.e4 Nf6 5.Nf3 0-0 6.h3 Qe8!? 7.Be2 e5 8.d5 a5 9.Be3 Na6 10.g4 Nd7 11.Rg1 Ndc5 12.Nd2 Kh8 13.h4 f5 14.h5? fxg4 15.h6 Bf6 16.Nb3 Qe7 17.Nxc5 Nxc5 18.Bxg4 Bg5 19.Qd2 Bxe3 20.Qxe3 Qh4 21.Be2 Rf4 [21...Bd7!-+] 22.0-0-0 Qxh6?!-/+ [22...Nxe4 23.Nxe4 Rxe4-+] 23.f3 Bd7 [23...Rh4 24.Qxh6 Rxh6 25.Nb5 Bd7 (25...Na6 26.c5!?)] 24.Rh1 Qg7 and Black won a long game in 71 moves. 0-1

Yoos,J - Fullbrook,N [C30] English Bay FIDE Vancouver (4), 27.04.2003

1.e4 e5 2.f4 Bc5 3.Nf3 d6 4.c3 Nf6 5.d4 exd4 6.cxd4 Bb4+ 7.Bd2 Bxd2+ 8.Nbxd2 0-0 9.Bd3 Nc6 10.0-0 Bg4 11.Qb1 h6 12.a3 d5 13.e5 Ne4!? 14.Bxe4 dxe4 15.Qxe4 Ne7?! [15...Qd7! with counterplay] 16.Qxb7 Rb8 17.Qxa7 Rxb2 18.Rfb1 Rxb1+ 19.Rxb1 Nd5 20.h3 [20.g3!?!] 20...Bxf3 21.Nxf3 Nxf4 22.Kh2! f6 23.exf6!?! Qxf6 24.Rb8 Nd5 25.Rxf8+ Qxf8 26.Qa5 [26.Kh1] 26...Qf4+ 27.Kh1 Qc1+ 28.Qe1 Qxe1+ 29.Nxe1 Nc3! 30.Nc2 Kf7 31.Kh2 Ke6 32.Kg3 Kd5 33.Kf4 Nb5 34.Ne3+ Kxd4 35.Nf5+ Kd3 36.a4 Nd4 37.a5 Nc6 38.a6 Na7 39.Nxg7 1-0

Moura,E - Yoos,J [B76] English Bay FIDE Vancouver (5), 27.04.2003

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 Nf6 5.Nc3 g6 6.Be3 Bg7 7.f3 0-0 8.Qd2 Nc6 9.0-0-0 Nxd4 10.Bxd4 Be6 11.Kb1 Qc7 12.g4 Rfc8 13.Rc1?! [13.h4 Qa5 14.Qg5 (14.a3 Rab8 15.h5); 13.g5 Nh5=] 13...Qa5 14.Rd1 [intending Nd5; 14.a3 b5 with the initiative] 14...Rxc3! 15.Qxc3 Qxa2+ 16.Kc1 Bxg4 [16...Bh6+ 17.Be3 Rc8 (17...Bxe3+ 18.Qxe3 Qa1+ 19.Kd2 Qxb2 20.Bd3-/+)] 18.Qd3 (18.Bxh6 Rxc3 19.bxc3 Bxg4 20.Bg2 Be6-+) 18...Bxe3+ 19.Qxe3 Bb3 20.Bd3 Qa1+ 21.Kd2 Qxb2 22.Rc1-+] 17.Bg2 Be6-/+ [17...Bh6+ 18.Be3 Rc8 (18...Nxe4 19.fxe4 Bxe3+ 20.Qxe3 Bxd1 21.Rxd1 Qa1+ 22.Kd2 Qxb2-/+)] 19.Bxh6 Rxc3 20.bxc3 Be6-+] 18.Kd2!? [18.f4 Bh6 19.Rhf1 Rc8 20.Qa3 (20.Qd3 Nh5 21.Be3 Qa1+ 22.Kd2 Qa5+ 23.Kc1 Bc4-+) 20...Qxa3 21.bxa3 Bc4 22.Rf2 Ng4-+; 18.Qe3 Rc8-+] 18...Rc8 [18...Qa4!?!] 19.Qe3 Qc4 [19...Qa4!?!] 20.Bc3 [20.c3 Qb5-/+] 20...d5 [20...Nh5; 20...Nd7] 21.e5 Qh4 [21...Nh5] 22.Ke2 Bh6 [22...Nd7] 23.Qf2 [23.Qxa7 d4 24.Rxd4

(24.Qxd4 Bc4+) 24...Qg5 with an attack] 23...Qc4+ [23...Qxf2+ 24.Kxf2 Nh5-/+] 24.Ke1 Nh5 25.Qxa7 Bg5 [25...Qh4+ 26.Qf2 Nf4! 27.Bf1 Qh5 28.Ra1 Bf5-/++; 25...Bf5-/+] 26.Qd4 [26.Rd4 Qc7 27.Ra4 Nf4 28.Bf1 Bh4+ 29.Kd2 d4!] 26...Bh4+ 27.Kd2 Bg5+ [27...Qxd4+ 28.Bxd4 Bg5+ 29.Be3 Bxe3+ 30.Kxe3 Rxc2 31.Rhg1=+] 28.Ke1 Bh4+ 29.Kd2 Bg5+ 30.Ke1 Bh4+ ½-½

BC PROVINCIAL CHESS CHALLENGE

This year's Provincial Chess Challenge, held on April 19 at BCIT, attracted some 216 participants from as far afield as Courtenay, 100 Mile House, Nelson, and Kimberley. Players were paired only against others in the same grade; at the end of the day the trophy winners for each grade were as follows:

- 1 Tanraj Sohal, Alex Sabaratnam, Christopher Li
- 2 Jack Cheng, Farley Cannon, Alexandra Botez
- 3 Connor LaCouvee, Joshua Wild, Parsa Mackie
- 4 Thomas Chow, Louie Jiang, Elliot Raymer
- 5 Bryan Young, Brianna Reid, Kristijan Gorgevik
- 6 Noam Davies, Danny Yu, Evan Raymer
- 7 Lo-Ching Chow, Brad Wong, Lindi Vission
- 8 Malcolm Bowles, Lara Heppenstall, Alexander Reid
- 9 Lucas Davies, Fanhao Meng, Andrew Henrey
- 10 Ben Daswani, Jason Lee, Ilan Keshet
- 11 Alexey Lushchenko, Yamei Wang, Lawrence Bau
- 12 Gavin Atkinson, Kyle Sakai, Colin Combes

We wish the BC Chess Challenge team the best of luck as it travels to Montreal on the Victoria Day weekend to do battle with the championship teams from other provinces - play well!

BCCF AGM NEWS

As many of you are aware, the annual Keres Memorial Tournament is just a few weeks away (still plenty of time to get your entry in!). On the Sunday of that weekend the BCCF Annual General Meeting will be held at the site, between rounds. As preparation for the meeting we present below the platform of Robert North, who is a candidate for the position of BCCF president. We will also be happy to publish any other comments potential candidates might wish to have made known. And for everyone else, we encourage you to get involved and attend the AGM - it is your federation, after all!

Fellow members of the British Columbia Chess Federation executive and chess enthusiasts in British Columbia:

The purpose of this e-mail is to tell you that I am a candidate for President of the BCCF. I am writing to you now so that you have some information about my election platform in advance of the election of BCCF executive members during the Keres tournament in May. The platform will be outlined in the broadest of brushstrokes since it is meant to ignite a debate within the BCCF. I intend to use that debate to achieve a consensus amongst the executive and other chess players about this organisation's strengths and weaknesses, and where the BCCF should go in the future.

Who I am:

Chess has been woven into the fabric of my life for 36 years. I have been playing tournament chess since 1968 in Saskatchewan and then from 1971 on in British Columbia (I played in over 60 tournaments during the 70s and 80s). I have twice co-directed the Keres Memorial in the early 80s and directed other smaller tournaments during that era. I helped in a small way to write for and edit the B.C. Chess Report magazine in the mid-80s. Then I married, got busy with a career in the Federal Civil Service, and had children; chess for me then became something I only read about in 'En Passant' and on the Internet.

Now my children are teenagers, I don't work evenings and weekends anymore, and chess is a passion for me again. I am a member of the very successful Port Coquitlam Chess Club Team (Lower Mainland Team Champions five out of the last seven years), I play tournaments regularly, and my rating is edging closer to 2200. I teach chess every Friday night to children of all ages at my local elementary school in Port Moody and I coach Youth soccer in the same city.

The Platform:

I want the BCCF to become a 'big tent', where players of all ages can find opportunities to play serious chess against good opposition more than once or twice a year. I propose that this 'big tent' be supported by major tournaments held every year in Vancouver and Victoria. I would define a 'major' tournament as an event that would attract 50 to 100+ players. The plan would be that, over time, these 'major' tournaments and their calendar dates would become synonymous for chess players in B.C., Alberta, and Washington State. The tournaments would be:

- * In Vancouver; the Keres in May, tournaments on long weekends in August and October, with another tournament sometime in the winter;
- * In Victoria; the Labour Day Open in September, the MacAdam Memorial in January, and the B.C. Closed (date to be decided);
- * The Interior of B.C.; a tournament on the November holiday weekend and, possibly, the Easter weekend.

(Please understand this rough scheduling is intended only to generate debate and is not/not intended to be final.)

Not only would this sort of yearly schedule - dates determined and planned well in advance - give adult players in the Pacific Northwest something to mark on their calendars but young people in the elementary and high school chess clubs would see a place for them to play competitive chess when they graduate. Please note I said the Pacific Northwest; I think that tournaments in B.C. can and should do a much better job of luring American players (and American dollars) north of the border.

For those players unable to attend or who don't like big tournaments, the BCCF would encourage and support those tournament directors of smaller weekend tournaments, FIDE-rated round-robins, and the Lower Mainland Team Championship. The support would take the form of supplying tournament directors with lists of potential players in the tournament area and media relation kits. The BCCF would also fund-raise in order to make prize funds less dependant on entry fees.

The Challenge Ahead:

This is just a dream you say? Who would do all the work necessary to bring these events to fruition? Well, I would - in part. I have been a tournament director so I know what support TDs need. I am a member of the BCCF executive and a Governor of the Canadian Chess Federation so I know that politics and economics play a large role in organizing chess events. I have watched my wife work the media and fund-raise for school organisations so I know it can be done when approached calmly and with persistence over a period of years (yes, years, this is not a one or two year project I am proposing). I would also expect other executive members to do what they can to fulfil the goals agreed upon by the executive.

I cannot promise you the proposals in this election platform will occur as I have outlined them; not everything in life goes our way. However, I will make two promises: if you send an e-mail about chess in B.C. to robertnorth10@hotmail.com, I will reply within 48 hours; and I will listen to and work with anyone who wants to bring more and better chess opportunities to British Columbia. We deserve the best.

Thank you for your attention.

Robert North

30 YEARS AGO . . . by Bruce Harper

Today's game is from the finals of the 1973 B.C. Championship, which were held in Nanaimo. Brian McLaren, Stan Pakosta, John Lee and I played a double round robin. John Lee lost his first two games and dropped out. I don't have any record of playing him, so I think the other two beat him. Lucky me!

But I'm sure my view of his withdrawal was the same then as it is now. In any case, the rest of us carried on without him.

In the end, I actually managed to win the Championship by beating Brian and drawing my other three games, while the others traded wins. Here is the key game - it's not pretty:

McLaren-Harper, B.C. Championship, 1973

1.e4 e5 (!?) 2.Nf3 d6 3.Bc4 Nf6?

Presumably my idea was to achieve surprise in the opening. This is fine, but had White now played 4.Ng5!, I would have been the one who was surprised, and I'd probably be writing an article on how Brian McLaren won the 1973 B.C. Championship. Maybe he just trusted me.

4.Nc3 Be7 5.d4 Nbd7 6.h3 h6 7.Be3 c6 8.a4 Qc7

According to me, we were both waiting for the other to castle kingside, so we could attack with g4 (or g5). Brian will have to tell us whether that was really true - but I know I was! I even did it, with colours reversed, as recently as last year's Keres! (I won beautifully - in a long endgame...)

9.Qd2 Nf8 10.Bb3 Bd7 11.g3?! Ng6 12.Ng1?!

11.g3 looked like it was just meant to take f4 away from Black's Ng6, but actually White optimistically planned to redeploy his Nf3 to e2, then play f2-f4. The problem is that the centre is unresolved, and the time lost in undeveloping can be important if the position opens up.

12...exd4! 13.Bxd4 Be6 14.Bxe6 fxe6 15.f4 e5!

This move is better the second time around.

16.fxe5 dxe5 17.Be3 Rd8 18.Qg2 0-0 19.Nge2 Qa5

19...Nh7 was also possible.

20.0-0 Bc5

Black gets rid of his only potentially bad piece and weakens the dark squares in White's position.

21.Bxc5 Qxc5+ 22.Kh1 Rd2

The poor position of White's queen is proving costly.

23.Rac1 Rfd8 24.Qf2 Qxf2!

After 24...Qb4 25.Qf5!, White gets counterplay.

25.Rxf2 a5 26.Kg2 b5! 27.Kf3?! b4 28.Nb1 R2d7 29.Ke3 c5

29...b3 is cute, but doesn't seem to lead anywhere.

30.Rg1 c5 31.Nc1 Rd1 32.Rgf1?

Better was 32.Rff1! I then gave a long variation starting with 32...R1d4 33.c3, which supposedly leads to a roughly equal ending.

32...R8d4 33.Nd2? Rxf1?

Both players missed 33...R4xd2, winning a piece. Time trouble? Or maybe nerves.

34.Rxf1 c3 35.bxc3 bxc3 36.Nb1 Rxe4+ 37.Kd3 Rd4+ 38.Kxc3 Ne4+ 39.Kb2

If 39.Kb3 Rb4+.

39...Rxa4 40.Rf3 Rb4+ 41.Nb3?

I think I was very happy to see this move!

41...a4 42.Nc3

If 42.Ka3 axb3 43.Kxb4 bxc2 and Black wins the Nb1.

42...axb3 43.cxb3 Rxb3+ 0:1

Black actually sees a tactic!

I always had great trouble with McLaren. I think he played well, which is often a problem.

YANOFSKY MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

"Vas Sladek is looking for a chess player to share travel and/or hotel room costs in Winnipeg for the August 29-Sept.1, 2003 FIDE-rated Abe Yanofsky Memorial tournament. Please call 604-787-4553 or e-mail Vas at chessfm@shaw.ca."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Please note the following CHANGE OF VENUE for the weekly Sunday chess tournament in Vancouver. The Tournament is moving from Esquires Coffee House to the Croatian Cultural Centre, 3250 Commercial Drive, Vancouver, B.C. Start time Sundays @1:00 PM. 5 rounds, 30 min. time control. Contact Robert Topic, tel: (604)298-0543, e-mail: bernardtopic@shaw.ca

Individual Chess Matches

Players interested in participating in rated individual chess matches with other players of comparable or dissimilar ratings can contact Luis E. Azmitia at: azmitia@interchange.ubc.ca

Please make sure to include in the e-mail: your name, your rating, type of game preferred (i.e. active), and the rating range of possible opponents. Note that the games will be held in the Vancouver area.

Upcoming junior events:

May 3-4 National CYCC Qualifier

For details visit British Columbia Chess Federation or Greater Victoria Junior Chess

UBC Tuesday Night Swiss - April - May 2003

Dates: April 29th, May 6th, May 13th, May 20th May 27th
Place: UBC Henry Angus Building, Room 421 (from round 2 onwards)
Rounds: 5 round Swiss System (one round per week)
Time: Round 1; a.s.a.p. after 7pm, Rounds 2-5 6:30pm
Time Control: 40 moves / 90 minutes, game / 60 minutes
Entry Fee: \$15, \$12 UBC CC members (available at site), \$8 juniors, \$Free to masters and those joining CFC/BCCF for the first time
Registration: 6:30 - 7 pm before round 1
Prizes: Based on entries (\$\$BEN)
Org & TD: Lyle Craver (604) 980-2040
Misc: half point byes available for rounds 1-4 when requested at least 24 hours before game time (in person or by phone only please - no e-mail bye requests!) Please bring sets, clocks, etc.

Aim Higher Active

Date: Saturday May 3.2003
Location: Parkgate Library, 3675 Banff Court, North Van
Rds: 5

Type: Regular 6-player Round Robin, CFC-rated
Time: 10 am start
Time control: G 30
Entry Fee: \$15
Prizes: 1st ChessBase CD
TD/Reg: Vas Sladek, 604-787-4553, chessfm@shaw.ca
Notes: interested players must pre-register by phone or e-mail, no onsite registration; digital chess clocks and chess sets provided, CFC membership required; 'chess shuttle' from Lonsdale Quay is available
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Turn off the TV Active

Date: Saturday May 10.2003
Location: Parkgate Library, 3675 Banff Court, North Van
Rds: 5
Type: Regular 6-player Round Robin, CFC-rated
Time: 10 am start
Time control: G 30
Entry Fee: \$15
Prizes: 1st ChessBase CD
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2003 Keres Memorial Tournament

Dates: Friday May, 16th to Monday, May 19th 2003
Location: Plaza 500 Hotel, 500 West 12th Avenue, Vancouver
Sections: Open, Under 2000, Under 1600
Time Control: 40/120, SD/60
Rated: Open: FIDE + CFC, Others: CFC
Rounds: Open: 7 Rounds, Others: 6 Rounds
Round Times: 5:30PM (Open only), 10,4/10,4/9,3 or ASAP
Prizes: 1st Open \$1.200 Guaranteed
1st Under 2000, \$1.100 Guaranteed
1st Under 1600, \$1.000 Guaranteed
Top Unrated \$ 200 Guaranteed
Additional Prizes dependant on Entries
Entry Fees: Prior to March 31st, 2003 \$ 99
Prior to April 30th, 2003 \$125
Prior to May 15th, 2003 \$135
At Site \$150
Note: \$15 surcharge for players below 2000 CFC wanting to play in

The Open Section.

US\$1=CAN\$1.40

Discounts:

Born after June 1st 1983: 50%

Fide rated players w/o Titles 25%

Fide Titled Players FREE Entry

Registration: Mail cheques made payable to the BCCF, to: Lyle Craver,
Treasurer BCCF,

PO Box 15548, Vancouver, BC V6B 5B3

At Site: Friday Noon to 6PM, Saturday 8:00AM to 9:30 AM

No cheques are accepted at site, cash only.

TDs: Ms. Lynn Stringer, Mr. Mark Barnes, Mr. Lyle Craver

Organizer: Peter Stockhausen for the BCCF

Misc: The BCCF Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon, May
18, between rounds.

For further Information: Peter Stockhausen (604 276 1111)

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Lynn Stringer (250 658 5207) lynnstringer@shaw.ca

Solstice Saturday Chess Fever

Date: May 24, June 07, 14, 21 and 28 (No games on May 31)

Location: Vancouver Bridge Centre, 2776 East Broadway

Rds: 5

Type: Regular Swiss

Time: Games start at 5:00 p.m.

Time Control: 30/90 G/60

Entry Fee: \$25, \$20 for Juniors and Masters

Prizes: \$\$ Ben CFC Rated

Org: James Kerry 778 773 2761 and Luc Poitras (604) 438-0496

UBC Tuesday Night Swiss - June - July 2003

Dates: June 3rd, June 10th, June 17th, June 24th, July 8th (N.B. no chess

July 1st)

Place: UBC Henry Angus Building, Room 421

Rounds: 5 round Swiss System (one round per week)

Time: Round 1; a.s.a.p. after 7pm, Rounds 2-5 6:30pm

Time Control: 40 moves / 90 minutes, game / 60 minutes

Entry Fee: \$15, \$12 UBC CC members (available at site), \$8 juniors, \$Free to
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Registration: 6:30 - 7 pm before round 1

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hours before game time (in person or by phone only please - no e-mail bye

requests!) Please bring sets, clocks, etc.

Kelowna Summer Fest

Dates: July 5 & 6, 2003

Type: 5 Round Swiss

Times: 9/2/7; 9/asap

Place: Sandman Inn Kelowna B.C. 2130 Harvey Ave across from Orchard Park Mall
(250) 860-6409

Entry: \$25, \$20 Seniors, \$15 Juniors Non CFC pay entry + \$12

Prizes: BEN

TD & Org Lynn Stringer Wally Steinke & Ian Higgs wsteinke@sd22.bc.ca ph (250)
545-6677 ianofski@cablelan.net

UBC Tuesday Night Swiss - July - August 2003

Dates: July 15th, July 22nd, July 29th, August 5th, August 12th

Place: UBC Henry Angus Building, Room 421

Rounds: 5 round Swiss System (one round per week)

Time: Round 1; a.s.a.p. after 7pm, Rounds 2-5 6:30pm

Time Control: 40 moves / 90 minutes, game / 60 minutes

Entry Fee: \$15, \$12 UBC CC members (available at site), \$8 juniors, \$Free to
masters and those joining CFC/BCCF for the first time

Registration: 6:30 - 7 pm before round 1

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Org & TD: Lyle Craver (604) 980-2040

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hours before game time (in person or by phone only please - no e-mail bye
requests!) Please bring sets, clocks, etc.

BC Open

Date: August 2-4, 2003

Location: Vancouver Bridge Centre, 2776 East Broadway

Rds: 6

Type: Regular Swiss

TD: Stephen Wright

More details to follow