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## Berg Draws GM Kudrin!

### Team Results - Round 10

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<b>Ademco/KSF</b> -----		<b>Alumni C</b> -----		<b>EDO</b> -----		<b>PRA</b> -----
Solomon S	1.0 0.0	Watnick M	1.0 0.0	Chipkin L	1.0 0.0	Panico N III
Muttreja S	1.0 0.0	Kingsley J	0.5 0.5	Romero S	0.5 0.5	Cranston T
Insogna M	0.0 1.0	Goldman M	0.0 1.0	Alikakos G	0.0 1.0	Wisbauer R
Ogen T	1.0 0.0	Mastandrea R	0.0 1.0	Spreckles C	0.0 1.0	Hom D
	3.0 1.0				1.5 2.5	
<b>Alumni E</b> -----		<b>NGC</b> -----		<b>LSF</b> -----		<b>Alumni D</b> -----
Hodos J	0.5 0.5	Berg G	1.0 0.0	Leone D	1.0 0.0	Frohreich F
Goldstein C	0.0 1.0	Rizzo R	1.0 0.0	Standing R	1.0 0.0	Ulfers E
Thonas W	0.0 1.0	Wilkie C	1.0 0.0	Kolczynski J	1.0 0.0	Forfeit
Bilkis S	0.0 1.0	Marley K	0.0 1.0	Greenwald J	0.0 1.0	DePrisco W
	0.5 3.5				3.0 1.0	

### USATS Alumni Win Again

The Amateur Team Championships broke all records this year. Per the USCF website there were 416 teams at the 4 sites. The East had a record 286 teams. 1,210 players participated! The Midwest had 50 teams, the West had 47 and the South added another 33 to that total.

Helping to make that possible was significant LIICL representation this past weekend. Seventeen active members were seen at the USATE while there were 3 alumni of past campaigns.

In the USATS, three others, Keith Rodriguez, Ken Ford and Peter Cullen, made up 3/4s of "Meet the Forkers" which won the Best Team Name. In fact this is the third year in a row that this team has captured that honor! One of the LIICL teams in the USATE also had the same name and didn't even get into the final voting for Best Team Name!

But one of those members did set a standard for our league. George Berg drew with GM Sergei Kudrin in round 4. Kudos to George. His game will appear in a future issue. Some pictures of the USATE appear in this issue. There will be a more comprehensive coverage in our next newsletter.

### Call For Best Games & Combos

With only 2 regular season rounds remaining, many of the races for the Ronnies (LIICL Performance Awards) have been reduced to a few players. However, anyone can win the Best Game or Best Combo. But in order to do so, you must submit that game. Unlike the other Ronnies, these two awards may

come from Individual play or Playoff games as well as regular season matches.

Submit or email your entries to Bob Rizzo. An analysis of the game would help your case. The best games and combos submitted will be sent to a titled player to select the eventual winners. So send them in!

### 2004-2005 LIICL Regular Season Team Standings

Team	Team LIICL		Games				Match				
	Rating	Pts/Rd	W	L	D	Pts	W	L	D	Pts	F
NGC	1952	17.25	23	2	7	26.5	8	0	0	8.0	0
PRA	1961	15.38	22	8	2	23.0	7	1	0	7.0	1
LSF	1819	14.00	20	11	5	22.5	5	3	1	5.5	0
EDO	1866	13.44	17	10	9	21.5	6	3	0	6.0	1
CCC	1574	10.75	13	17	2	14.0	2	4	2	3.0	2
Ademco/KSF	1698	10.50	12	17	3	13.5	4	4	0	4.0	2
Alumni E	1569	10.00	11	20	5	13.5	2	5	2	3.0	0
Alumni D	1659	8.22	9	25	2	10.0	1	7	1	1.5	2
Alumni C	1448	7.25	5	24	3	6.5	0	8	0	0.0	0

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## Individual Class Standings After Round 10

Rating	Name	Team	PPR	G	W	L	D	Bye
<b>Class A</b>								
2104	Berg, George	NGC	4.25	8	5	0	3	2
1955	Rizzo, Robert	NGC	4.25	8	5	0	3	2
2064	Chipkin, Len	EDO	4.11	9	5	0	4	1
1950	Wilkie, Clayton	NGC	3.75	7	5	1	1	2
1940	Romero, Steve	EDO	3.67	9	4	1	4	1
2068	Panico, Nick III	PRA	3.50	8	5	3	0	2
1982	Hodos, Julian	ALE	3.44	9	4	2	3	1
1960	Leone, Dave	LSF	3.44	8	5	2	1	1
2001	Cranston, Tim	PRA	3.00	6	3	1	2	2
1916	Bonfante, Charles	LSF	2.78	6	2	0	4	1
1929	Wisbauer, Robert	PRA	2.00	3	2	1	0	2
<b>Class B</b>								
1779	Marley, Ken T	NGC	4.00	7	6	1	0	2
1883	Hom, Dennis	PRA	3.50	6	5	1	0	2
1817	Alikakos, George	EDO	3.22	9	5	4	0	1
1868	Dwulit, James	PRA	3.00	4	4	0	0	2
1717	Muttreja, Suresh	ADE	2.75	8	3	4	1	2
1807 /5	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	2.56	9	3	5	1	1
1681	Montenero, Paul	CCC	2.50	8	3	5	0	2
1749	Sommese, Anthon	PRA	2.50	4	3	1	0	2
1799	Solomon, Steve	ADE	2.00	5	1	2	2	2
1711	Standing, Robert	LSF	1.89	4	2	2	0	1
<b>Class C</b>								
1704	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	4.11	9	7	2	0	1
1748	Viale, Richard	CCC	4.00	8	5	1	2	2
1616	Ogen, Tom	ADE	3.50	7	5	2	0	2
1632	Spreckles, Charle	EDO	2.11	7	2	4	1	1
1628	Insogna, Matt	ADE	2.00	8	2	6	0	2
1519	Goldman, Mel	ALC	2.00	8	1	5	2	2
1598	Shattuck, John	ALD	1.89	4	2	2	0	1
1609	Rusch, Ed	ALD	1.67	8	1	6	1	1
1564	Celaru, Adrian	ALE	1.67	6	1	4	1	1
1638 /6	Watnick, Mel	ALC	1.50	8	1	7	0	2
1555	Kingsley, John	ALC	1.50	5	1	4	0	2
1595	Lichioveri, Domini	EDO	1.44	1	1	0	0	1
1690	Ulfers, Ed	ALD	1.00	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Class D</b>								
1446	Warnock, Andy	CCC	3.00	7	4	3	0	2
1433	Greenwald, Justin	LSF	2.78	9	4	5	0	1
1534 /5	Egert, George	NGC	2.00	2	2	0	0	2
1418 /4	Thomas, Walter	ALE	1.89	6	2	4	0	1
1260	Bilkis, Sy	ALE	1.89	7	2	5	0	1
1507	Goldstein, Carrie	ALE	1.89	7	2	5	0	1
UNR /1	DePrisco, William	IND	1.80	3	2	1	0	0
1410	Mastandrea, Robe	ALC	1.75	7	1	5	1	2
1487	Solomon, Zack	ADE	1.50	2	1	1	0	2
1303	Loshin, Al	ALC	1.50	4	1	3	0	2
1487	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1.50	4	1	3	0	2
1086 /6	Zunino, Hugo	ALD	1.44	8	1	7	0	1
UNR /1	Hodos, Remir	ALE	1.22	1	0	0	1	1
1090 /5	Montenero, Paul R	CCC	1.00	3	0	3	0	2
UNR /1	Hoteplopez, Angel	ALD	1.00	0	0	0	0	1
UNR /1	Gray, Glenn	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0	0

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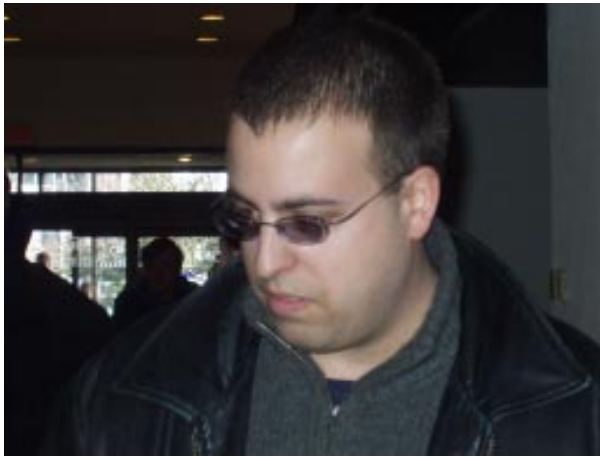
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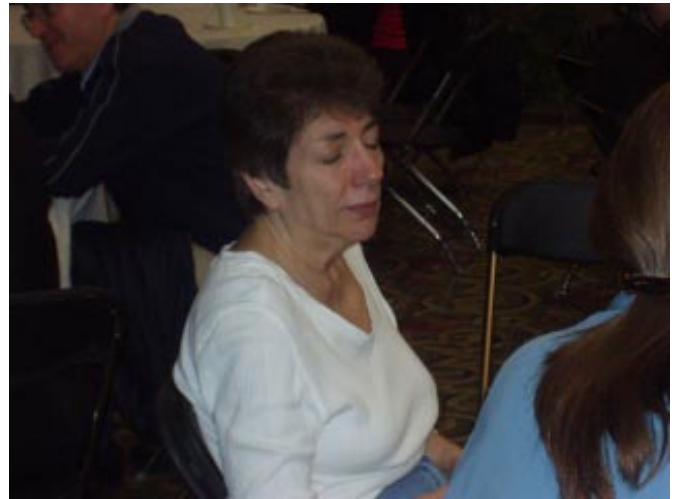
**Pictures from the USATE**



**No it is NOT the "Blues Brothers". Nick Panico III and Andy Warnock are trying to avoid the paparazzi.  
(They were not successful)**



**Paul (Monty) Montenero**



**Carrie Goldstein looking on at a teammate's position**



**Why it's Joe Felber! Joe was the LIICL's first Rules  
(Tournament) Director**



**Once a key member of the Grumman teams, Alan Kantor led a team of his students to the USATE**

## Pictures from the USATE



**Steve Romero and Bob Standing relaxing between rounds**

Long Island was well represented at the 2005 Amateur Team Championships. These are just some of the many league members who participated. In our next issue we will have more photos as well as games and amusing anecdotes from the "Woodstock of Chess"



**Clay Wilkie (left) and Ken Marley (right) get ready to rumble**



**Surresh Muttreja seems thrilled to be back in Parsippany**



**Paul Proffman apparently has a low opinion of the food court menu prices**



**Conspiracy theorist Oliver Stone claims that there is an uncanny resemblance between Jim Dwulit and LIICL columnist "Jimocz" who has gone missing since last season**

