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LIICL Beats the Clock

Team Results - Round 8

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Alumni C -----	Honeywell/KSF -----	NGC -----	LSF -----
Kingsley J 0.0 1.0	Solomon S	Berg G 0.5 0.5	Bonfante C
GoldmanM 0.0 1.0	Muttreja S	Rizzo R 1.0 0.0	Standing R
Watnick M 0.0 1.0	Ogen T	Wilkie C 1.0 0.0	Kolczynski J
Mastandrea R 0.0 1.0	Insogna M	Marley K 0.5 0.5	Greenwald J
		3.0 1.0	
CCC -----	Alumni E -----	EDO -----	LIRR -----
Lamb T 1.0 0.0	Hodos J	Chipkin L 0.5 0.5	Hellenschmidt A
Viale R 1.0 0.0	Celaru A	Romero S 0.5 0.5	Guevara R
Dorsky M 1.0 0.0	Goldstein C	Alikakos G 1.0 0.0	Panico N III
Montenero P 1.0 0.0	Forfeit	Spreckles C 0.0 1.0	Johnson W
	4.0 0.0	2.0 2.0	
PRA -----	Alumni D -----		
Dwulit J 1.0 0.0	Forfeit		
Wisbauer R 1.0 0.0	Shattuck J		
Hom D 1.0 0.0	Rusch E		
Sommese A 1.0 0.0	Forfeit		
	4.0 0.0		

Library Dates Approved

With the LIICL at risk, the Executive Board acted swiftly to procure liability insurance thus allowing our presence to continue at the Huntington Library. Without this coverage the Library informed us that they would no longer accept any application for playing dates. On Wednesday we were informed that our 2006 season was approved by the Library management (see Schedule Rev. E, page 6).

The fall-out will come later as the LIICL Executive Board must figure out how to pay for this new expense which amounts to more than 40% of the current budget. This will undoubtedly involve some combination of cutting other expenses and/or increasing the annual dues. Treasurer John Kingsley is expected to issue a recommendation in the next few weeks.

GM Max Dlugy Freed

Former USCF President Max Dlugy was released on December 20th from a Russian prison where he has been held on imbezzlement charges since early in 2005. A court in Solikamsk found him innocent of all charges. Many of the LIICL veterans may remember Max as he once held a simul for LIICL members at the old Grumman playing site in Bethpage.

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2005-2006 LIICL Regular Season Team Standings

Team	Team LIICL			—Games—				—Match—				F
	Rating	Pts	TB's	W	L	D	Pts	W	L	D	Pts	
LIRR	2084	146	92.50	26	1	5	28.5	7	0	1	7.5	0
NGC	2015	118	71.75	18	7	7	21.5	5	2	1	5.5	0
EDO	1848	109	85.50	16	9	7	19.5	4	1	3	5.5	1
CCC	1715	107	53.00	19	13	0	19.0	4	2	2	5.0	1
PRA	1925	102	73.50	17	12	3	18.5	5	2	1	5.5	4
LSF	1861	98	49.75	14	13	5	16.5	4	4	0	4.0	0
Honeywell/KS	1692	80	28.00	11	18	3	12.5	2	5	1	2.5	2
Alumni E	1601	68	17.75	9	21	2	10.0	2	5	1	2.5	4
Alumni D	1601	65	16.25	8	22	2	9.0	1	5	2	2.0	3
Alumni C	1517	52	16.25	4	26	2	5.0	0	8	0	0.0	0

Individual Class Standings After Round 8

Rating	Name	Team	PPR	G	W	L	D
Class A							
1933	Johnson, Willie	LIR	5.00	8	8	0	0
2111	Pappaceno, Mike	LIR	4.25	7	6	0	1
2150	Berg, George	NGC	4.00	8	4	0	4
2087	Chipkin, Len	EDO	4.00	8	4	0	4
1924	Romero, Steve	EDO	3.50	7	4	1	2
1902	Hom, Dennis	PRA	3.50	8	5	3	0
1986	Panico, Nick III	LIR	3.25	6	4	1	1
1967	Rizzo, Robert	NGC	3.25	7	4	2	1
2021	USCF Guevara, Robert	LIR	3.00	5	3	0	2
2046	USCF Hellenschmidt A	LIR	2.75	4	3	0	1
1912	Bonfante, Charles	LSF	2.75	6	3	2	1
1998	Leone, Dave	LSF	2.50	4	2	0	2
1959	Wilkie, Clayton	NGC	2.50	6	3	3	0
1948	Hodos, Julian	ALE	2.50	7	3	4	0
1927	Wisbauer, Robert	PRA	2.50	5	2	1	2
2165	USCF Critelli, James	LIR	1.50	1	1	0	0
1925	Panico, Danny	LIR	1.50	1	1	0	0
1922	Rodriguez, Keith	NGC	1.25	1	0	0	1
1968	Cranston, Tim	PRA	1.00	1	0	1	0
Class B							
1835	Marley, Ken T	NGC	4.25	8	6	1	1
1945	Dwulit, James	PRA	4.00	7	6	1	0
1862	/11 Lamb, Terry	CCC	3.50	7	5	2	0
1779	Viale, Richard	CCC	3.50	8	5	3	0
1813	Alikakos, George	EDO	3.25	7	4	2	1
1769	Sommese, Anthon	PRA	3.25	7	4	2	1
1700	EST Dorsky Michael	CCC	3.00	5	4	1	0
1822	Solomon, Steve	HON	2.75	7	3	3	1
1800	EST Celauro Sal	LSF	2.50	3	3	0	0
1744	Standing, Robert	LSF	2.25	6	2	3	1
1742	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	2.00	6	2	4	0
1724	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	1.50	7	1	6	0
1881	Mahoney, Kevin	NGC	1.00	1	0	1	0
Class C							
1698	Montenero, Paul	CCC	3.00	6	4	2	0
1616	Spreckles, Charle	EDO	3.00	8	4	4	0
1586	Celaru, Adrian	ALE	3.00	8	3	3	2
1569	Rusch, Ed	ALD	3.00	8	4	4	0
1720	Muttreja, Suresh	HON	2.75	8	3	4	1
1593	Insogna, Matt	HON	2.50	8	3	5	0
1645	Ogen, Tom	HON	2.25	7	2	4	1
1576	Shattuck, John	ALD	1.75	6	1	4	1
1628	Kingsley, John	ALC	1.50	7	1	6	0
1466	Watnick, Mel	ALC	1.50	8	1	7	0
1398	/6 Egert, George	NGC	1.50	1	1	0	0
1522	Goldman, Mel	ALC	1.25	8	0	7	1
1664	Wu, Danny	NGC	1.00	0	0	0	0
1612	Cecchini, Richard	EDO	1.00	1	0	1	0
Class D							
1429	Greenwald, Justin	LSF	2.25	7	2	4	1
1387	Thomas, Walter	ALE	2.00	7	2	5	0
1376	Mastandrea, Robe	ALC	2.00	5	2	3	0
1149	Zunino, Hugo	ALD	1.75	4	1	2	1
1485	Goldstein, Carrie	ALE	1.50	7	1	6	0
1467	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1.50	3	1	2	0
1434	Hartten, Ed	ALD	1.50	2	1	1	0
1315	Loshin, Al	ALC	1.25	4	0	3	1
1542	/5 DePrisco, William	ALD	1.00	1	0	1	0
1420	EST Caracciolo, J	LSF	1.00	1	0	1	0
1403	USCF Schilling, Pete	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0
1142	Cretaro, Tony	CCC	1.00	2	0	2	0

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Announcing LIICL Quiz 2006!

Starting with the Vol. XVI, No.6 edition of the League Leader, a new LIICL chess contest is being launched. It will consist in total of 12 chess related questions, one in each newsletter up until the LIICL Finals. The points will vary depending upon the level of difficulty. There will be prizes for the 5 contestants who compile the most total points. The prizes will be announced soon. Answers to each question can be submitted either via email to liicl@yahoo.com or in person to Bob Rizzo using one of the entry sheets provided during each round. Time is of the essence. To earn full points, your answer must be received no later than midnight of the following round of play. Due to the fact that the time between rounds is not always the same, this will mean that you will have more time to answer some questions than others. For each round that an answer is late, one point will be deducted from your score (assuming your answer is correct). Your answer must contain your name, the quiz problem number and your answer. If submitting by email, please put "LIICL Quiz 2006" in the title. All decisions of the judges are final. The fourth question appears on the following page. Good Luck.

FIDE Top 25

FIDE has released its new rating list and the retired Garry Kasparov remains at the top. He is now closely followed by Veselin Topalov who is the current recognized FIDE champion. Anand is third. 23-year old Levon Aronian who won the FIDE World Cup last month is a fast improving 5th. American Gata Kamsky, who has qualified for the next candidate's cycle is in 25th place. The top 25 are:

<u>Place</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Birth Year</u>
1	Kasparov, Garry	RUS	2812	0	1963
2	Topalov, Veselin	BUL	2801	14	1975
3	Anand, Viswanathan	IND	2792	14	1969
4	Svidler, Peter	RUS	2765	21	1976
5	Aronian, Levon	ARM	2752	33	1982
6	Kramnik, Vladimir	RUS	2741	4	1975
7	Leko, Peter	HUN	2740	14	1979
8	Ivanchuk, Vassily	UKR	2729	34	1969
9	Gelfand, Boris	ISR	2723	33	1968
9	Ponomarev, Ruslan	UKR	2723	19	1983
11	Morozevich, Alexander	RUS	2721	21	1977
12	Grischuk, Alexander	RUS	2717	28	1983
12	Bacrot, Etienne	FRA	2717	20	1983
14	Polgar, Judit	HUN	2711	14	1976
15	Mamedyarov, Shakhriyar	AZE	2709	34	1985
15	Shirov, Alexei	ESP	2709	6	1972
17	Adams, Michael	ENG	2707	14	1971
18	Akopian, Vladimir	ARM	2704	13	1971
19	Radjabov, Teimour	AZE	2700	17	1987
20	Bareev, Evgeny	RUS	2698	29	1966
21	Dreev, Alexey	RUS	2697	30	1969
22	Malakhov, Vladimir	RUS	2694	20	1980
23	Nisipeanu, Liviu-Dieter	ROM	2693	27	1976
24	Sokolov, Ivan	NED	2689	18	1968
25	Kamsky, Gata	USA	2686	20	1974

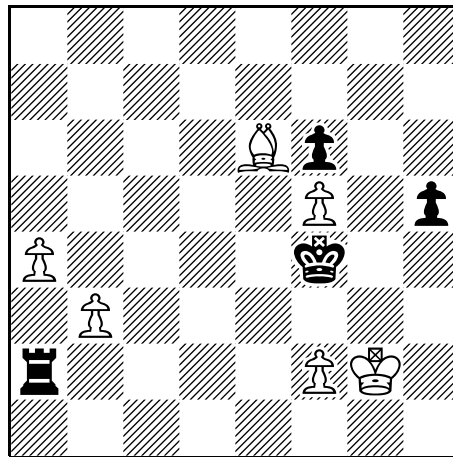
LIICL QUIZ 2006 Answer Form

LIICL Quiz 2006 Question #4:

What is the significance of the following position?

Due Date: Jan. 20, 2006

Value: 4 Points



Your Name: _____

Your Answer: _____

(Please submit to Bob Rizzo or email to: liicl@yahoo.com)

