



The League Leader

The Official Newsletter of the Long Island Industrial Chess League

Volume XIX, Number 19

www.liicl.com

May 29, 2009

And the Winners Are:

Individual Results - Round I4 May 15, 2009

White		Black
Kolczynski J	0	1 Panico N
Zilbermintz L	0	1 Viale R
Pappaceno M	½ ½	Celauro S
Berg G	1	0 Standing R
Muttreja S	1	0 Rizzo R
Hom D	1	0 Hartten E
Soto J	½ ½	Leone D
Lamb T	1	0 Mastandrea R
Montenero P	0	1 Dwulit J
Rusch E	1	0 Kingsley J
Wilkie C	1	0 Loshin A
Dickerson T	0	1 Daciuk J

Nick Panico Takes Individual

Nick Panico was a perfect 4 for 4 in the Playoffs and Final Round of the Swiss to win the 2008-2009 Individual Title. Rich Viale beat out Tom Pattard on tie-breaks for second as they were the only two with 3-1/2. Sal Celauro was the only Under 1800 player in the group with 3 points so he captured that honor without having to resort to tie-breaks. Ed Rusch however needed them to edge out teammate Ed Hartten for the Under 1600 class. Both finished in the group with 2 points. The complete crosstable appears on page 14.

Viale, Hartten Double Winners

Rich Viale and Ed Hartten were the biggest winners of Ronnie Performance awards each garnering two pieces of hardware. Rich captured both the Class B Individual and the Best Game prizes. Ed took home the Class D title as well as the Most Improved Player hardware. The other winners included Terry Lamb for Highest Performance Rating over the course of the Regular Season, Matt Kubelle was Rookie of the Year, and Lev Zilbermintz who authored the Best Combination. The Best Upset Win and Best Upset Draw prizes were captured by Alumni C teammates Al Loshin and Mel Goldman respectively. Ed Rusch was the Class C winner while the Class A winner and league MVP title went to Tom Pattard. See page 4 for all the winners.

E-Board Meeting Recap

Per LIICL by-laws a meeting was held on May 15th of the LIICL E-Board. At the meeting it was decided to table the issue of changing the team rating cut-off for the B Division as only Alumni C qualified this past season as an Under 1800 squad. No rules changes were made. It was decided that Bob Rizzo would handle the Blitz and Elections, Bob Standing would get the food and refreshments and that John Kingsley would pick up the Trophies for Awards Evening.

It's Election Night

Ballots for 2009-2010 Officers will be distributed to team captains on Awards Evening. Ballots are due back to Bob Rizzo for compilation of results by 9:00 PM. Each team has 4 votes for each of the three LIICL officers. See page 9 for more election info.

In This Issue

Individual Results - Round I4	1
Nick Panico Takes Individual	1
Viale, Hartten Double Winners	1
E-Board Meeting Recap	1
It's Election Night	1
2008-09 LIICL Final Team Standings	1
2008-09 Final Class Standings	2
LIICL Directory	3
Viale Wins Best Game	3
2008-09 Individual Ronnie Winners	4
History of Performance Winners	5
History of LIICL Class Winners	6-7
History of Individual Swiss Champs	8
Zilbermintz Wins Best Combo	8
History of LIICL Officers	9
Several Declare for Office	9
History of LIICL Speed Champions	10
Winners of the Benjamin Award	10
LIICL Speed Ratings	11
LIICL Post-Season Ratings	12
History of LIICL Champion Teams	13
2009 Individual Swiss Standings	14
2008-2009 Playoff Brackets	15
King Action at the Semi-Final	16-19
2008-09 LIICL Schedule, Rev. B	20

2008-2009 Final LIICL Regular Season Team Standings

Team	Team LIICL		TB's	----Games----				----Match----			
	Rating	Points		W	L	D	Pts	W	L	D	Pts
EOTS	2116	231	265.50	41	8	7	44.5	13	1	0	13.0
CSI	1926	197	199.75	30	15	11	35.5	9	3	2	10.0
CCC	1834	176	184.50	26	22	8	30.0	6	7	1	6.5
KSF	1852	172	171.00	25	20	11	30.5	8	5	1	8.5
LSF	1890	163	151.50	22	24	10	27.0	4	6	4	6.0
Alumni D	1815	157	151.00	23	25	8	27.0	6	5	3	7.5
EDO	1801	112	100.25	13	37	6	16.0	1	11	2	2.0
Alumni C	1535	106	83.00	10	41	5	12.5	2	11	1	2.5

Final Individual Class Standings

Rating	Rating	Name	Team	PPR	G	W	L	D
Class A								
2022	2021	Pattard, Tom	EOTS	4.29	13	11	1	1
2115	2122	Berg, George	CSI	4.14	14	9	1	4
2215	2114	Panico, Nick III	EOTS	4.14	12	11	1	0
2096	2095	Pappaceno, Mike	EOTS	3.71	12	8	1	3
1957	1950	Romero, Steve	EDO	2.86	14	5	6	3
1911	1922	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	2.71	9	5	2	2
1971	1972	Lamb, Terry	CCC	2.57	7	5	1	1
1902	1902	Bonfante, Charles	LSF	2.43	12	3	5	4
2161	/6 2156 /5	Zilbermintz, Lev	EOTS	2.29	5	4	0	1
2067	2067	Chipkin, Len	EOTS	2.29	5	4	0	1
1959	1946	Dwulit, Jim	CSI	2.29	9	4	4	1
1940	1939	Hodos, Julian	ALD	2.00	6	2	1	3
1976	1976	Leone, Dave	LSF	1.86	7	2	3	2
1891	1890	Rizzo, Robert	CSI	1.86	6	2	2	2
2071	/2 2057 USCF	Tamarkin, Larry	EOTS	1.29	1	1	0	0
1926	1926	Panico, Dan	EOTS	1.29	1	1	0	0
2160	/2 2250 FIDE	Berrios, Gabriel	EOTS	1.29	2	1	1	0
1866	1866	Muttreja, Mahesh	KSF	1.14	6	0	5	1
Class B								
1911	1911	Viale, Rich	CCC	4.14	14	9	1	4
1846	1839	Hom, Dennis	CSI	3.57	13	8	3	2
1894	1886	Spinnato, Charles	KSF	3.14	10	6	1	3
1683	1691	Standing, Robert	LSF	3.00	10	7	3	0
1916	/13 1960 /12	Kubelle, Matt	KSF	3.00	12	7	5	0
1889	1885	Dorsky, Mike	CCC	3.00	12	6	4	2
1815	1792	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	2.86	13	6	6	1
1920	1920	Soto, Jorge	ALD	2.71	7	6	1	0
1848	1848	Muttreja, Suresh	KSF	2.57	8	5	2	1
1849	1862	Sommese, Anthony	EDO	2.57	9	5	3	1
1784	1762	Celauro Sal	LSF	2.43	11	4	5	2
1782	/10 1785 /9	Dickerson, Todd	ALC	2.29	11	4	6	1
1719	1713	Montenero, Paul	CCC	2.29	10	4	5	1
1900	1922	Lustig, Darren	KSF	2.14	6	2	0	4
1745	1745	Daciuk, John	ALD	1.86	6	2	2	2
1615	1622	Alikakos, George	EDO	1.57	13	1	10	2
1694	/7 1694 /7	Manos, Bob	CSI	1.29	3	1	2	0
1691	1691	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	1.29	3	1	2	0
Class C								
1591	1595	Rusch, Ed	ALD	2.57	13	4	6	3
1764	/7 1764 /7	Parrish, Alan	KSF	1.86	3	3	0	0
1570	/5 1570 /5	Mason, Mike	KSF	1.86	5	2	1	2
1544	1545	Goldman, Mel	ALC	1.57	11	1	8	2
1667	1656	Spreckles, Charles	EDO	1.29	7	1	6	0
1757	/2 1600 Est.	McBride, William	CSI	1.29	1	1	0	0
1537	/8 1537 /8	McCormick, Paul	EDO	1.29	5	1	4	0
1628	1628	Kingsley, John	ALC	1.29	12	1	11	0
1454	/2 1587 USCF	Clay, Barry	EOTS	1.14	2	0	1	1
1509	1509	Celaru, Adrian	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0
Class D								
1450	1456	Hartten, Ed	ALD	2.71	7	6	1	0
1347	1347	Watnick, Mel	ALC	1.71	7	2	4	1
1296	1297	Loshin, Al	ALC	1.57	7	2	5	0
1424	1425	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	1.43	9	1	7	1
1743	/3 UNR /3	Miler, Joe	ALD	1.29	2	1	1	0
1975	/2 UNR /2	Caufield, Brian	ALD	1.29	3	1	2	0
1116	1116	Cretaro, A	CCC	1.29	5	1	4	0
1461	1462	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1.29	4	1	3	0
1390	/4 1390 /4	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1.14	2	0	1	1
1037	/1 UNR /1	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1.00	1	0	1	0
1441	/2 UNR /1	Velazquez, B	CCC	1.00	1	0	1	0
1326	/1 UNR /1	Maiglow, Amy	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0
963	/2 UNR /2	Watnick, Steve	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0
1439	1439	Warnock, Andy	IND	1.00	0	0	0	0
947	947	Montenero, Zack	CCC	1.00	2	0	2	0

The League Leader

www.liicl.com

Editor-in-Chief
Robert Rizzo

Copy Editor
Clayton Wilkie

Photography
Kathy Dwulit
Tony Cretaro

Board of Directors

President
Steve Romero

Treasurer
Paul Montenero

Rules Director
Mike Pappaceno

Executive Board

KSF
Suresh Muttreja

EDO
George Alikakos

Alumni C
John Kinglsey

Clear-Cut Computing
Paul Montenero

Alumni D
Ed Rusch

Life Service Foundation
Robert Standing

CSI
Jim Dwulit

Eye of the Storm
Mike Pappaceno

The League Leader, © 2009, Long Island Industrial Chess League, is published approximately biweekly during the Long Island Industrial Chess League season from October to May each year. The Long Island Industrial Chess League is a non-profit organization founded for the purpose of promoting goodwill and friendship through the game of chess and to conduct tournaments, matches and other forms of chess competition. Neither the LIICL nor its members assume any responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained herein. No reproduction in part nor in full may be made without the expressed written consent of the Board of Directors of the Long Island Industrial Chess League. Requests and inquiries may be made in writing to:

Board of Directors
LIICL
102 Rosebud Ave.
Merrick, NY 11566

LIICL Directory

September 18, 2008

<u>Name</u>	<u>Function</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>E-mail</u>
Alikakos, George	EDO, Captain	718-836-1250 (H) 631-630-5343 (W)	george.alikakos@edocorp.com
Dwulit, Jim	Chess Space Invaders, Captain	631-467-7565 (H) 631-331-6482 (W)	dwulit@photon.com
Kingsley, John	Alumni C, Captain	631-591-2660 (H)	JKingsley@msn.com
Montenero, Paul	Clear-Cut Computing, Captain Treasurer, LIICL	516-845-4081 (W)	clearcut@mindspring.com
Muttreja, Suresh	King Solomon's Foods, Captain	631-512-9277 (C)	aaagirl@netzero.net
Pappaceno, Mike	Rules Director, LIICL Eye of the Storm, Captain	631-940-0886 (H) 631-682-2281 (C)	MPappaceno@aol.com
Rizzo, Robert	Editor, League Leader	516-575-2306 (W) 516-378-1342 (H) 516-984-7438 (C)	robert.rizzo@ngc.com rrizknight1@optonline.net
Romero, Steve	President, LIICL	(631) 421-1468 (H) (631) 897-4161 (C)	
Rusch, Ed	Alumni D, Captain	516-735-0417 (H)	
Standing, Robert	LSF, Captain	631-271-6120 (H) 631-697-9846 (C)	
Huntington Library	Playing Site	631-427-5165	
LIICL	Board of Directors		www.liicl.com

Viale Wins Best Game

CCC's Rich Viale has capped off a spectacular breakout season with a win in the final round of the Individual Swiss over EOTS Expert Lev Zilbermintz. The game featured a known gambit that Rich took bravely. He weathered the storm and after the attack was over Rich simply and accurately ground down the higher rated player without allowing for any counterplay. While short on fireworks, this Petrosian-like victory was a joy to watch. Of course plaudits must go all to Lev as it takes two to make a thing of beauty. Lev got his though as he authored the Best Combination so what goes around comes around, apparently in Chess too! Here is this year's winning entry:

[Event "LIICL Individual Championship"]

[Site "Huntington, NY"]

[Round "4"]

[White "Zilbermintz, Lev"]

[WhiteELO "2156"]

[Black "Viale, Rich"]

[BlackELO "1911"]

[Result "0-1"]

[ECO "A80"]

[PlyCount "158"]

[EventDate "2009.05.15"]

1. d4 f5 2. g4 fxc4 3. h3 d5 4. Qd3 Nf6 5. hxc4 Bxc4 6. Bh3 Bxh3 7. Nxh3 Nc6 8. Ng5 Qd6 9. Na3 a6 10. c3 e5 11. dxe5 Nxe5 12. Qh3 Qd7 13. Nc2 Qxh3 14. Rxh3 Bd6 15. Nd4 Nf7 16. Nge6 g6 17. b4 Kd7 18. Bf4 Rae8 19. Bxd6 Nxd6 20. Nf4 Nde4 21. Rc1 g5 22. Nh5 Nxh5 23. Rxh5 Reg8 24. f3 Nf6 25. Rh6 Ke7 26. Kd2 Kf7 27. Rf1 Rg6 28. Nf5 Rxh6 29. Nxh6+ Kg6 30. Rh1 Ng8 31. Ng4 h5 32. Ne5+ Kf5 33. Ng4 c6 34. Ne3+ Kf4 35. Rh3 Nf6 36. Ng2+ Ke5 37. e3 Kf5 38. Kd3 g4 39. fxc4+ Kxc4 40. Nf4 Ne4 41. Kd4 h4 42. Rh1 h3 43. Rg1+ Kf3 44. Rf1+ Nf2 45. Nd3 h2 46. Rxf2+ Kg3 47. Rf1 h1=Q 48. Rxh1 Rxh1 49. Nc5 Rh7 50. e4 dxe4 51. Kxe4 Kf2 52. a4 Ke2 53. Kd4 Kd2 54. Kc4 Kc2 55. Ne6 b5+ 56. axb5 cxb5+ 57. Kc5 Kxc3 58. Nd8 Rh5+ 59. Kb6 Kxb4 60. Kxa6 Rh6+ 61. Kb7 Kc3 62. Kc7 b4 63. Nb7 Rh7+ 64. Kc6 Rxb7 65. Kxb7 b3 66. Kc6 b2 67. Kc5 b1=Q 68. Kd5 Qb4 69. Ke5 Qd4+ 70. Ke6 Qc5 71. Kf6 Kd4 72. Ke6 Qd5+ 73. Kf6 Qe5+ 74. Kf7 Qd6 75. Kg7 Ke5 76. Kf7 Qe6+ 77. Kg7 Qf6+ 78. Kg8 Qe7 79. Kh8 Kf6 0-1

2008-2009 LIICL Individual Ronnie Winners

High Performance

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>
Terry Lamb	CCC	2210	5-1-1
Jorge Soto	ALD	2188	6-1-0
George Berg	CSI	2159	9-1-4

Most Improved Player

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>PSRate</u>	<u>Improv</u>
Ed Hartten	ALD	1827	6-1-0	1348	479
Jorge Soto	ALD	2188	6-1-0	1818	370
Terry Lamb	CCC	2210	5-1-1	1919	291

Rookie of the Year

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>
Matt Kubelle	KSF	1913	7-5-1
Todd Dickerson	ALC	1777	4-6-1

Best Upset Win

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>OpRating</u>	<u>Delta</u>	<u>Round</u>
Al Loshin	ALC	1267	1761	494	12
Terry Lamb	CCC	1901	2117	216	10
Paul McCormick	EDO	1548	1761	213	9

Best Upset Draw

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>OpRating</u>	<u>Delta</u>	<u>Round</u>
Mel Goldman	ALC	1515	1893	378	11
Mel Watnick	ALC	1624	1969	345	8
Bob Mastandrea	ALC	1398	1739	341	7

Best Game

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Round</u>
Rich Viale	CCC	Individual Round 4

Best Combination

	<u>Team</u>	<u>Round</u>
Lev Zilbermintz	EOTS	Playoff Quarterfinal

Class A

	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>
Tom Pattard	EOTS	4.29	11-1-1
George Berg	CSI	4.14	9-1-4
Nick Panico III	EOTS	4.14	11-1-0

Class B

	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>
Rich Viale	CCC	4.14	9-1-4
Dennis Hom	CSI	3.57	8-3-2
Charles Spinnato	KSF	3.14	6-1-3

Class C

	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>
Ed Rusch	ALD	2.57	4-6-3
Alan Parish	KSF	1.86	3-0-0
Mike Mason	KSF	1.86	2-1-2

Class D

	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>
Ed Hartten	ALD	2.71	6-1-0
Mel Watnick	ALC	1.71	2-4-1
Bob Mastandrea	ALC	1.43	1-7-1

HISTORY OF LIJCL INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE WINNERS

SEASON	HIGHEST PERFORMANCE	BEST UPSET WIN	BEST UPSET DRAW	ROOKIE OF THE YEAR	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER	BEST GAME	BEST COMBINATION
89-90	-----	PHIL BURNS AIL B	PHIL BURNS AIL B	JOHN DEMARCO AIL A	ROBERT SIMEONE GULL	-----	-----
90-91	ALAN KANTOR ALUMNI C	SAM GOLDFARB ALUMNI C	ROBERT SIMEONE GULL	JOE TIMMINS UNISYS	JOE BARILLA UNISYS	ROBERT CAIRONE GRUMMAN B	-----
91-92	ROGER LAFLAIR ALUMNI B	WAYNE SCHONROG ALUMNI A	DANNY PANICO LIRR	CHARLES SPINNATO UNISYS II	ROBERT SIMEONE GULL	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	-----
92-93	ROGER LAFLAIR ALUMNI A	JOHN KINGSLEY ALUMNI C	ED ULFERS PARAMAX WHITE	PAUL ASCOLESE SR. USP	ED ULFERS PARAMAX WHITE	PETE CULLEN GRUMMAN B	DAVE LEONE LSF
93-94	GEORGE BERG GRUMMAN B	ROBERT HATCHER UNISYS RED	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C	OSCAR SHOENFIELD IBA	BRIAN SULZBACH USP	MISSING	MISSING
94-95	CHARLES BONFANTE LSF	SURESH MUTTREJA ADEMCO	ROBERT MASTANDREA ALUMNI C	ALEX ANDJEVSKY UNISYS RED	CARL AMLING AIL	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	JOE TIMMINS UNISYS RED
95-96	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	LARRY CHIAPPONE CITIBANK/CME	ED RUSCH VEECO	TONY VALYS NORTHROP GRUMMAN 1	KEVIN MAHONEY NORTHROP GRUMMAN 2	JERRY DECARLO NORTHROP GRUMMA	PAUL RAGONNET CITIBANK
96-97	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	JOHN KINGSLEY ALUMNI C	SAM GOLDFARB ALUMNI C	JERRY KENNEDY NORTHROP GRUMMAN 1	NICK PANICO III PACER	KEVIN MAHONEY NORTHROP GRUMMA	KEVIN MAHONEY NORTHROP GRUMMAN 2
97-98	MATT JAROSINSKI ALUMNI C	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C	SAM GOLDFARB ALUMNI C	ALEX IKONNIKOW NORTHROP GRUMMAN 1	MATT JAROSINSKI ALUMNI C	KEVIN MAHONEY NORTHROP GRUMMA	ROBERT HATCHER LOCKHEED MARTIN
98-99	ROBERT SOSTACK PACER	RICH CLOUSE AIL	ROBERT MASTANDREA ALUMNI C	JACK LANDAU CITIBANK	ROBERT MASTANDREA ALUMNI C	DAVE LEONE LSF	DENNIS HOM PRA
99-00	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	MATT INSOGNA ADEMCO	MATT JAROSINSKI ALUMNI C	RICK VITELLI NORTHROP GRUMMAN	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C	DAVE LEONE LSF	ROBERT STANDING LSF
00-01	DAVE LEONE LSF	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D	SAM GOLDFARB ALUMNI C	JULIAN HODOS VEECO	TONY SOMMESE PRA	JIM DWULIT PRA	DENNIS HOM PRA
01-02	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN	ANDY WARNOCK	STEVE SOLOMON ADEMCO	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D	JULIAN HODOS VEECO	DAVE LEONE LSF
02-03	DAVE LEONE LSF	ROBERT MASTANDREA ALUMNI C	JOHN KINGSLEY ALUMNI C	JOHN SHATTUCK ALUMNI D	STEVE SOLOMON ADEMCO/KSF	MISSING	MISSING
03-04	GEORGE BERG NGC	TONY SOMMESE PHOTON	RICH VIALE CCC	MIKE PAPPACENO LIRR	CHARLES SPRECKLES EDO	MISSING	MISSING
04-05	GEORGE BERG NGC	RICH VIALE CCC	MEL GOLDMAN ALUMNI C	FRANK FROHREICH ALUMNI D	RICH VIALE CCC	NICK PANICO III PRA	JIM DWULIT PRA
05-06	GEORGE BERG NGC	ADRAIN CELARU ALUMNI E	JOHN SHATTUCK ALUMNI D	SAL CELAURO LSF	HUGO ZUNINO ALUMNI D	JIM DWULIT PRA	ROBERT STANDING LSF
06-07	DARIUS POUR	JOHN SHATTUCK	MEL GOLDMAN ALUMNI C	DARIUS POUR	ROBERT STANDING LSF	NICK PANICO III PRA	DENNIS HOM PRA
07-08	GEORGE BERG CSI	WALTER THOMAS	PAUL MONTENERO CCC	TOM PATTARD TKP	JORGE SOTO	DAVE LEONE LSF	NICK PANICO III TKP
08-09	TERRY LAMB CCC	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C	MEL GOLDMAN ALUMNI C	MATT KUBELLE KSF	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D	RICH VIALE CCC	LEV ZILBERMINTZ EOTS

HISTORY OF LIICL INDIVIDUAL CLASS WINNERS

SEASON	CLASS A	CLASS B	CLASS C	CLASS D
83-84	KEN MARLEY GRUMMAN	JERRY DECARLO GRUMMAN	-----	-----
84-85	ROBERT RIZZO FAIRCHILD	ROBERT HATCHER SPERRY	-----	-----
85-86	KEITH RODRIGUEZ GRUMMAN	RONALD LANNING GRUMMAN	-----	-----
86-87	AL SEROPIAN GRUMMAN	KENNETH FORD GRUMMAN	-----	-----
87-88	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER	LOUIS RICHARDS EATON	-----	-----
88-89	GEORGE BERG GRUMMAN	ROBERT ROSE GRUMMAN	-----	-----
89-90	ROBERT RIZZO GRUMMAN	THOMAS VICTORY GRUMMAN	ROBERT SIMEONE GULL	DAVID NEDJAD GULL
90-91	JOE TIMMINS UNISYS PETER CULLEN GRUMMAN	ROBERT SOSTACK PACER	DENNIS HOM UNISYS WAYNE SCHONROG ALUMNI A	JOE BARILLA UNISYS
91-92	SAMUEL NOVIK GRUMMAN	CHRISTIAN BORTZNER ALUMNI B ROBERT SIMEONE ALUMNI B	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER	ROBERT STANDING LSF
92-93	ROBERT SOSTACK PACER	WILLIE JOHNSON PACER	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER ROBERT STANDING LSF	ED ULFERS PARAMAX WHITE
93-94	GEORGE BERG GRUMMAN	KEVIN MAHONEY GRUMMAN	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER	ED RUSCH UNISYS WHITE
94-95	ROBERT WISBAUER PACER	KEVIN MAHONEY GRUMMAN	ED RUSCH UNISYS WHITE	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C
95-96	TONY VALYS NGC	ROBERT RIZZO NGC	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER	ROBERT HART ADEMCO
96-97	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	DAVE LEONE LSF NICK PANICO III PACER	DENNIS HOM XMEN	ROBERT HART ADEMCO JERRY KENNEDY NGC

HISTORY OF LIICL INDIVIDUAL CLASS WINNERS

SEASON	CLASS A	CLASS B	CLASS C	CLASS D
97-98	NICK PANICO III PACER	KEVIN MAHONEY NGC	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER ALEX IKONNIKOW NGC	ROBERT HART ADEMCO
98-99	ROBERT SOSTACK PACER	DAVE LEONE LSF STEVE ROMERO AIL	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN PACER	ED HARTTEN LOCKHEED MARTIN
99-00	LEN CHIPKIN PACER	KEN MARLEY NGC	SURESH MUTTREJA ADEMCO	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C
00-01	GEORGE BERG NGC	DENNIS HOM PRA	TONY SOMMESE PRA	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D
01-02	LEN CHIPKIN EDO	KEN MARLEY NGC	JIM KOLCZYNSKI LSF	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D
02-03	DAVE LEONE LSF ROBERT RIZZO NGC	STEVE ROMERO EDO	ADRIAN CELARU VEECO	AL LOSHIN ALUMNI C
03-04	NICK PANICO III LIRR MIKE PAPPACENO LIRR	DANNY PANICO LIRR	MATT INSOGNA ADEMCO	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D
04-05	GEORGE BERG NGC	KEN MARLEY NGC	RICH VIALE CCC JIM KOLCZYNSKI LSF	ANDY WARNOCK CCC JUSTIN GREENWALD LSF
05-06	WILLIE JOHNSON LIRR	JIM DWULIT PHOTON	SURRESH MUTTREJA HONEYWELL MATT INSOGNA HONEYWELL	JUSTIN GREEN WALD LSF
06-07	STEVE ROMERO EDO ROBERT RIZZO NGC	ROBERT STANDING LSF	MATT INSOGNA HON	WALTER THOMAS ALUMNI E
07-08	NICK PANICO III TKP	DENNIS HOM CSI	JORGE SOTO ALE CHARLES SPRECKLES EDO	MAHESH MUTTREJA KSF
08-09	TOM PATTARD EOTS	RICH VIALE CCC	ED RUSCH ALUMNI D	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D

HISTORY OF LIICL INDIVIDUAL SWISS CHAMPIONS

SEASON	SEASON CHAMPION	UNDER 1800	UNDER 1600
83-84	-----	-----	-----
84-85	TIM CRANSTON	KURT SINGER	-----
85-86	WILLIAM CHAMPLIN	-----	-----
86-87	-----	-----	-----
87-88	-----	-----	-----
88-89	-----	-----	-----
89-90	-----	-----	-----
90-91	ALAN KANTOR	KENNETH MARLEY	-----
91-92	ROBERT SIMEONE	JAVIER GARCIA	JIM KOLCZYNSKI
92-93	CHARLES BONFANTE	-----	-----
93-94	GEORGE BERG	MATT JAROSINSKI	ROBERT MASTANDREA
94-95	CHARLES BONFANTE	DAVE LEONE	SURESH MUTTREJA
95-96	TONY VALYS	ROBERT STANDING	PAUL RAGONNET
96-97	ROBERT SOSTACK	SURESH MUTTREJA	ROBERT MASTANDREA
97-98	LEN CHIPKIN	MATT INSOGNA	KOLMAN TURIY
98-99	KEN MARLEY	ROBERT STANDING	WILLIAM BAKER
99-00 (1)	STEVE ROMERO & GEORGE BERG	ROBERT ROSE	CHARLES SPRECKLES
00-01	TIM CRANSTON	MATT INSOGNA	AL RAGONNET
01-02	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	DANNY WU	WILLIAM BAKER
02-03	GEORGE BERG	KOLMAN TURIY	ED RUSCH
03-04	ROBERT RIZZO	RICH VIALE	FRANK FROHREICH
04-05	GEORGE BERG	KEN MARLEY	JOHN KINGSLEY
05-06	GEORGE BERG	SURESH MUTTREJA	ED HARTTEN
06-07	DAVE LEONE	MATT INSOGNA	MEL GOLDMAN
07-08	NICK PANICO	ROBERT MANOS	ROBERT MASTANDREA
08-09	NICK PANICO	SAL CELAURO	ED RUSCH

(1) Romero and Berg tied on all three tie-breakers thus declared co-champions

Zilbermintz Wins Best Combo

EOTS Expert Lev Zilbermintz authored this season's winning combination in the first round of the playoffs. Alumni C's Todd Dickerson made a miscalculation on move 11 which weakened his Kingside. The combination is deep and really starts with the continuation after that leading to a queen sacrifice on move 20 which can't be taken because it is a forced mate, but so was the alternative chosen.

[Event "LIICL Playoff"]

[Site "Huntington, NY"]

[Round "QF"]

[White "Zilbermintz, Lev"]

[WhiteELO "2156"]

[Black "Dickerson, Todd"]

[BlackELO "1785"]

[Result "0-1"]

[ECO "C41"]

[PlyCount "46"]

[EventDate "2009.04.03"]

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 f5 4. Nc3 fxe4 5. Nxe4 d5 6. Nc3 e4 7. Ne5 Nf6 8. Bg5 Be7 9. Be2 O-O 10. h4 Nc6 11. g4 ?! (better is 11. Qd2) 11... Be6 12. Nxc6 bxc6 13. Bxf6 Rxf6 14. g5 Rf8 15. Bg4 Qd7 16. Rg1 Rf4 17. Bxe6+ Qxe6 18. Rh1 e3 19. fxe3 Qxe3+ 20. Qe2 Qg3+ 21. Kd1 Rxd4+ 22. Kc1 Qxc3 23. Qxe7 Qd2+ 0-1

HISTORY OF LIICL OFFICERS

<u>SEASON</u>	<u>PRESIDENT</u>	<u>TREASURER (1)</u>	<u>TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR/ RULES DIRECTOR (2)</u>
83-84	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	JOSEPH FELBER
84-85	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	STEVEN MYERS
85-86	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN
86-87	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN
87-88	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN
88-89 (3)	JOHN KINGSLEY	JIM DWULIT	VERONICA SCHNITTMAN
89-90	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	WAYNE SCHONROG	ROBERT RIZZO
90-91	CHRIS BORTZNER	WAYNE SCHONROG	ROBERT RIZZO
91-92	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN	WAYNE SCHONROG	ROBERT RIZZO
		JIM DWULIT (4)	
92-93	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN	JIM DWULIT	ALAN KANTOR
93-94	LEN CHIPKIN	JOHN KINGSLEY	ROBERT RIZZO
94-95	MIKE ANTHONY	JOHN KINGSLEY	ALAN KANTOR
95-96	MIKE ANTHONY	JOHN KINGSLEY	ROBERT RIZZO
96-97	JOHN KINGSLEY	JERRY DECARLO	DENNIS HOM
97-98	JOHN KINGSLEY	JIM DWULIT	ROBERT RIZZO
98-99	JOHN KINGSLEY	JIM DWULIT	ROBERT RIZZO
99-00	MIKE ANTHONY	JIM DWULIT	ROBERT RIZZO
			ALAN BENJAMIN (5)
00-01	MIKE ANTHONY	ROBERT RIZZO	ALAN BENJAMIN
			JIM DWULIT (6)
01-02	MIKE ANTHONY	ROBERT RIZZO	JIM DWULIT
02-03	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	ROBERT RIZZO	JIM DWULIT
03-04	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	JOHN KINGSLEY	PAUL RAGONNET (7)
04-05	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	JOHN KINGSLEY	TONY SOMMESE
05-06	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	JOHN KINGSLEY	TONY SOMMESE
06-07	STEVE ROMERO	PAUL MONTENERO	MIKE PAPPACENO
07-08	STEVE ROMERO	PAUL MONTENERO	MIKE PAPPACENO
08-09	STEVE ROMERO	PAUL MONTENERO	MIKE PAPPACENO

- (1) The duties of the Treasurer fell under the aegis of the President from 1983-1988
- (2) The office of Rules Director was established in 1988 with greater scope of responsibility than the Tournament Director whose duties were performed by rotating team captains
- (3) Commencing with the 1988-1989 season, the three officers made up the Board of Directors
- (4) Jim Dwulit elected after the resignation of Wayne Schonrog
- (5) Alan Benjamin elected after the resignation of Robert Rizzo
- (6) Jim Dwulit elected to fill the term after the passing of Alan Benjamin
- (7) Paul Ragonnet passed away near the end of his term; the office was vacant until the next election

Several Declare for LIICL Office

All three LIICL Officers have reached their term limits and must step down from their current positions. 2008-09 Rules Director, Mike Pappaceno, has expressed his wish to run for the office of LIICL President. Likewise his EOTS Teammate has declared his intention to run for Rules Director. As the by-laws of the LIICL prohibit teammates from holding office at the same time, either one would need to step down if both are elected or one would need to play for another team next season. This could prove interesting! John Kingsley has also thrown his hat in the ring for the Rules Director position. LIICL Editor Bob Rizzo has entered the race for Treasurer. As other nominees are known they will be added to the Election night Ballot.

HISTORY OF LIICL SPEED CHAMPIONS

SEASON	OPEN	UNDER 1800	UNDER 1600
83-84	-----	-----	-----
84-85	ROBERT KENDER	-----	-----
85-86	SHAHEN MINASSIAN	-----	-----
86-87	SAM NOVIK	ROBERT CAIRONE	WAYNE SCHONROG
87-88	PRANAB DAS	JOHN KINGSLEY	MARK YU
88-89	ALAN KANTOR	DAVE NEDJAD	WAYNE SCHONROG
89-90	KEN MARLEY	ROBERT SIMEONE	DENNIS HOM
90-91	ROBERT SOSTACK	CHRIS BORTZNER	MATT JAROSINSKI
91-92	ROGER LAFLAIR	SHAHEN MINASSIAN	ROBERT HATCHER
92-93	JAVIER GARCIA	KEN ZABB	DANNY PANICO
93-94	MISSING	MISSING	MISSING
94-95	ROBERT RIZZO	ROBERT STANDING	MICHAEL ANTHONY
95-96	ROBERT RIZZO	CARRIE GOLDSTEIN	PETE HOLZER
96-97	NICK PANICO III	DANNY PANICO	ALAN PARRISH
97-98	NICK PANICO III	GEORGE BERG	KOLMAN TURIY
98-99	DAVE LEONE	CHARLES BONFANTE	JIM KOLCZYNSKI
99-00	BRIAN KAREN	GEORGE BERG	ROBERT STANDING
00-01	NEIL COHEN	STEVE ROMERO	ROBERT STANDING
01-02	ROBERT RIZZO	RICH VIALE	ED HARTTEN
02-03	STEVE ROMERO	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	MEL GOLDMAN
03-04	DARIUS POUR	WILLIE JOHNSON	ED RUSCH
04-05	GEORGE NAHOCZKY	DENNIS HOM	TERRY LAMB
05-06	GEORGE BERG	ED RUSCH	JOHN SHATTUCK
06-07	NICK PANICO III	ED RUSCH	JOHN DACIUK
07-08	EVAN RABIN	FRANK FROHREICH	JUSTIN GREENWALD

WINNERS OF THE ALAN BENJAMIN AWARD

LIICL MVPs

83-84	Ken Marley	96-97	Len Chipkin
84-85	Bob Hatcher, Bob Rizzo	97-98	Nick Panico III
85-86	Ron Lanning & Keith Rodriguez	98-99	Bob Sostack
86-87	Al Seropian	99-00	Len Chipkin
87-88	Carrie Goldstein	00-01	George Berg
88-89	Bob Rose, George Berg	01-02	Len Chipkin
89-90	Bob Rizzo	02-03	Dave Leone, Steve Romero & Bob Rizzo
90-91	Joe Timmins & Pete Cullen	03-04	Danny Panico
91-92	Sam Novik	04-05	George Berg
92-93	Bob Sostack	05-06	Willie Johnson
93-94	Kevin Mahoney	06-07	Steve Romero & Bob Rizzo
94-95	Bob Wisbauer	07-08	Nick Panico III
95-96	Bob Rizzo	08-09	Tom Pattard

LIICL Speed Ratings

5/26/2009

<u>Name</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>		<u>Name</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>	
Alikakos, George	EDO	1717		Marley, Ken	IND	1805	
Anthony, Mike	IND	1702		Mason, Mike	KSF	1570 /5	LIICL
Ben-Ami, Victor	IND	1297		Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	1490	
Berg, George	CSI	1877		McBride, William	CSI	1600 Est.	LIICL
Berrios, Gabriel	EOTS	2250		McCormick, Paul	EDO	1537 /8	LIICL
Billings, D	IND	750 /11	FIDE	Miler, Joe	ALD	UNR	LIICL
Bonfante, Charles	LSF	1825		Montenero, Paul	CCC	1548	
Caufield, Brian	ALD	UNR		Montenero, Zack	CCC	947	LIICL
Cecchini, Rich	IND	1568		Muttreja, Mahesh	KSF	1604	
Celaru, Adrian	IND	1629		Muttreja, Suresh	KSF	1605	
Celauro, Sal	LSF	1750		Nahoczky, George	IND	2144 /12	
Chipkin, Len	EOTS	1936		Ogen, Tom	IND	1617	
Cohen, Neil	IND	1867		Panico, Dan	EOTS	2036	
Clay, Barry	EOTS	1587	USCF	Panico, Nick III	EOTS	2082	
Cranston, Tim	IND	1752 /7		Pappaceno, Mike	EOTS	2103	
Cretaro, Tony	CCC	1203		Parenti, R	IND	1631	
Daciuk, John	ALD	1730		Parrish, Alan	KSF	1764 /7	LIICL
DePrisco, William	IND	1739		Pattard, Tom	EOTS	2037	
Dickerson, Todd	ALC	1617 /11		Proffiman, Paul	CCC	1462	LIICL
DiMaio, John	LSF	1679		Rabin, Evan	IND	2117	
Dorsky, Mike	CCC	1885	LIICL	Ragonnet, Alan	IND	1124	
Dwulit, Jim	CSI	1700		Reyes, Christian	IND	1835	
Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1390 /4	LIICL	Rizzo, Robert	CSI	1895	
Frohreich, Frank	ALD	1778		Romero, Steve	EDO	1836	
Giarrusso, Richard	IND	1199		Rusch, Ed	ALD	1667	
Giuliano, P	IND	1325		Schilling, Pete	IND	1524	
Goldfarb, Sam	IND	1452		Shattuck, John	IND	1582	
Goldman, Mel	ALC	1512		Solomon, Steve	KSF	1884	
Goldstein, Carrie	ALE	1515		Solomon, Zack	KSF	1514	
Greenwald, Justin	IND	1561		Sommese, Anthony	EDO	1658	
Guevara, Robert	IND	2038		Soto, Jorge	ALE	1753	
Hartten, Ed	ALD	1614		Spinnato, Charles	KSF	1686	
Hodos, Julian	ALE	1897		Spreckles, Charles	EDO	1495	
Hom, Dennis	CSI	1817		Standing, Robert	LSF	1795	
Hurwitz, R	IND	1533 /12		Sussman, Dan	IND	1569	
Insogna, Matthew	IND	1724		Tamarkin, Larry	EOTS	2045	
Jarosinski, Matt	IND	1692		Thomas, Walter	IND	1403	
Johnson, Willie	IND	1858		Turiy, Kolman	IND	1859	
Kaye, L	IND	1824		Ulfers, Ed	IND	1655	
Kingsley, John	ALC	1564		Union, R	IND	1277	
Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	1791		Valys, Tony	IND	1913	
Kubelle, Matt	KSF	1960 /12	LIICL	Velazquez, Brian	CCC	UNR	LIICL
Lamb, Terry	CCC	1648		Viale, Rich	CCC	1885	
Lamour, Rodney	LSF	UNR		Vitelli, Rick	IND	UNR	LIICL
Leone, Dave	LSF	1904		Warnock, Andy	IND	1410	
Loshin, Al	ALC	1259		Watnick, Mel	ALC	1463 /12	
Lustig, Darren	KSF	1838		Watnick, Steve	IND	UNR	LIICL
Maiglow, Amy	IND	UNR	LIICL	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	1795	
Mahoney, Kevin	IND	1762		Willmott, Paul	IND	1700 /14	
Manos, Bob	CSI	1797		Wisbauer, Robert	IND	1636	
				Wu, Danny	IND	1544	
				Zilbermintz, Lev	EOTS	2156 /5	LIICL
				Zunino, H	IND	1222	

LIICL Post-Season Ratings

Nick Panico has replaced George Berg at the top of the LIICL Rating List. George had held this position for almost as long as Kasparov headed the FIDE listing. Nick leads George now by 7 points, 2132 to 2127. Berrios appears with his FIDE rating but has not established nor provisional LIICL rating so he does not qualify as 'LIICL top-rated'.

LIICL 2008-2009 Post-Season Ratings by Name			LIICL 2008-2009 Post-Season Ratings by Rating			LIICL 2008-2009 Post-Season Ratings By Team		
Rating	Name	Team	Rating	Name	Team	Rating	Name	Team
1630	Alikakos, George	EDO	2250	Berrios, Gabriel	EOTS	1708	Dickerson, Todd	ALC
2128	Berg, George	CSI	2135	Panico, Nick III	EOTS	1621	Kingsley, John	ALC
2250	Berrios, Gabriel	EOTS	2128	Berg, George	CSI	1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC
1913	Bonfante, Charles	LSF	2102	Zilbermintz, Lev	EOTS	1423	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC
UNR	Cauffield, Brian	ALD	2081	Pappaceno, Mike	EOTS	1347	Watnick, Mel	ALC
1509	Celaru, Adrian	IND	2067	Chipkin, Len	EOTS	1285	Loshin, Al	ALC
1801	Celauro Sal	LSF	2057	Tamarkin, Larry	EOTS	1949	Hodos, Julian	ALD
2067	Chipkin, Len	EOTS	2035	Pattard, Tom	EOTS	1922	Soto, Jorge	ALD
1587	Clay, Barry	EOTS	1976	Lamb, Terry	CCC	1748	Daciuk, John	ALD
1116	Cretaro, A	CCC	1974	Leone, Dave	LSF	1691	Frohreich, Frank	ALD
1748	Daciuk, John	ALD	1957	Dwulit, Jim	CSI	1608	Rusch, Ed	ALD
1708	Dickerson, Todd	ALC	1952	Viale, Rich	CCC	1459	Hartten, Ed	ALD
1876	Dorsky, Mike	CCC	1949	Hodos, Julian	ALD	UNR	Cauffield, Brian	ALD
1957	Dwulit, Jim	CSI	1949	Romero, Steve	EDO	UNR	Miler, Joe	ALD
1390	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1926	Panico, Dan	EOTS	1976	Lamb, Terry	CCC
1691	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	1922	Soto, Jorge	ALD	1952	Viale, Rich	CCC
1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC	1913	Bonfante, Charles	LSF	1876	Dorsky, Mike	CCC
1459	Hartten, Ed	ALD	1904	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	1708	Montenero, Paul	CCC
1949	Hodos, Julian	ALD	1896	Spinnato, Charles	KSF	1528	Velazquez, B	CCC
1842	Hom, Dennis	CSI	1891	Kubelle, Matt	KSF	1461	Proffman, Paul	CCC
1621	Kingsley, John	ALC	1891	Lustig, Darren	KSF	1116	Cretaro, A	CCC
1821	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	1878	Rizzo, Robert	CSI	947	Montenero, Zack	CCC
1891	Kubelle, Matt	KSF	1876	Dorsky, Mike	CCC	2128	Berg, George	CSI
1976	Lamb, Terry	CCC	1866	Muttreja, Mahesh	KSF	1957	Dwulit, Jim	CSI
1974	Leone, Dave	LSF	1864	Muttreja, Suresh	KSF	1904	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI
1285	Loshin, Al	ALC	1849	Sommese, Anthony	EDO	1878	Rizzo, Robert	CSI
1891	Lustig, Darren	KSF	1842	Hom, Dennis	CSI	1842	Hom, Dennis	CSI
UNR	Maiglow, Amy	IND	1821	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	1694	Manos, Bob	CSI
1694	Manos, Bob	CSI	1801	Celauro Sal	LSF	1600	McBride, William	CSI
1579	Mason, Mike	KSF	1764	Parrish, Alan	KSF	1949	Romero, Steve	EDO
1423	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	1748	Daciuk, John	ALD	1849	Sommese, Anthony	EDO
1600	McBride, William	CSI	1708	Dickerson, Todd	ALC	1672	Spreckles, Charles	EDO
1537	McCormick, Paul	EDO	1708	Montenero, Paul	CCC	1630	Alikakos, George	EDO
UNR	Miler, Joe	ALD	1694	Manos, Bob	CSI	1537	McCormick, Paul	EDO
1708	Montenero, Paul	CCC	1692	Standing, Robert	LSF	2250	Berrios, Gabriel	EOTS
947	Montenero, Zack	CCC	1691	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	2135	Panico, Nick III	EOTS
1866	Muttreja, Mahesh	KSF	1672	Spreckles, Charles	EDO	2102	Zilbermintz, Lev	EOTS
1864	Muttreja, Suresh	KSF	1654	Wu, Danny	IND	2081	Pappaceno, Mike	EOTS
1926	Panico, Dan	EOTS	1630	Alikakos, George	EDO	2067	Chipkin, Len	EOTS
2135	Panico, Nick III	EOTS	1621	Kingsley, John	ALC	2057	Tamarkin, Larry	EOTS
2081	Pappaceno, Mike	EOTS	1608	Rusch, Ed	ALD	2035	Pattard, Tom	EOTS
1764	Parrish, Alan	KSF	1600	McBride, William	CSI	1926	Panico, Dan	EOTS
2035	Pattard, Tom	EOTS	1587	Clay, Barry	EOTS	1587	Clay, Barry	EOTS
1461	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1579	Mason, Mike	KSF	1654	Wu, Danny	IND
1878	Rizzo, Robert	CSI	1537	McCormick, Paul	EDO	1509	Celaru, Adrian	IND
1949	Romero, Steve	EDO	1528	Velazquez, B	CCC	1439	Warnock, Andy	IND
1608	Rusch, Ed	ALD	1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC	UNR	Maiglow, Amy	IND
1849	Sommese, Anthony	EDO	1509	Celaru, Adrian	IND	UNR	Watnick, Steve	IND
1922	Soto, Jorge	ALD	1461	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1896	Spinnato, Charles	KSF
1896	Spinnato, Charles	KSF	1459	Hartten, Ed	ALD	1891	Kubelle, Matt	KSF
1672	Spreckles, Charles	EDO	1439	Warnock, Andy	IND	1891	Lustig, Darren	KSF
1692	Standing, Robert	LSF	1423	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	1866	Muttreja, Mahesh	KSF
2057	Tamarkin, Larry	EOTS	1390	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1864	Muttreja, Suresh	KSF
1528	Velazquez, B	CCC	1347	Watnick, Mel	ALC	1764	Parrish, Alan	KSF
1952	Viale, Rich	CCC	1285	Loshin, Al	ALC	1579	Mason, Mike	KSF
1439	Warnock, Andy	IND	1116	Cretaro, A	CCC	1974	Leone, Dave	LSF
1347	Watnick, Mel	ALC	947	Montenero, Zack	CCC	1913	Bonfante, Charles	LSF
UNR	Watnick, Steve	IND	UNR	Cauffield, Brian	ALD	1821	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF
1904	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	UNR	Maiglow, Amy	IND	1801	Celauro Sal	LSF
1654	Wu, Danny	IND	UNR	Miler, Joe	ALD	1692	Standing, Robert	LSF
2102	Zilbermintz, Lev	EOTS	UNR	Watnick, Steve	IND	1390	Finnegan, Mike	LSF

HISTORY OF LIICL CHAMPIONS

SEASON	CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM	B DIVISION (1,3)
83-84	HAZELTINE	SPERRY
84-85	SPERRY	SPERRY
85-86	GRUMMAN	GRUMMAN
86-87	GRUMMAN	GRUMMAN
87-88	GRUMMAN	GRUMMAN
88-89	GRUMMAN	-----
89-90	GRUMMAN	-----
90-91	GRUMMAN	-----
91-92 (2)	GRUMMAN	ADEMCO
92-93	ALUMNI A	LIFE SERVICE FOUNDATION
93-94	PACER	UNISYS WHITE
94-95	PACER	UNISYS WHITE
95-96	NORTHROP GRUMMAN 1	NORTHROP GRUMMAN 2
96-97	PACER	NORTHROP GRUMMAN 2
97-98	PACER	NORTHROP GRUMMAN 2
98-99	NORTHROP GRUMMAN 1	LOCKHEED MARTIN
99-00	PACER	PHOTON RESEARCH ASSOCIATES
00-01 (4)	LIFE SERVICE FOUNDATION & PHOTON RESEARCH ASSOCIATES	
01-02	NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP.	LIFE SERVICE FOUNDATION
02-03	NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP.	VEECO
03-04	LONG ISLAND RAILROAD	ADEMCO/KSF
04-05	NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP.	CLEAR-CUT COMPUTING
05-06	LONG ISLAND RAILROAD	CLEAR-CUT COMPUTING
06-07	PHOTON RESEARCH ASSOCIATES	HONEYWELL/KSF
07-08	THE KILLER P's	ALUMNI D
08-09	EYE OF THE STORM	ALUMNI C

(1) No B DIVISION Contested from 88-89 through 90-91 Seasons

(2) Winners determined by Playoffs starting with 89-90 Season

(3) B DIVISION contested as UNDER 1800 DIVISION starting with 91-92 Season

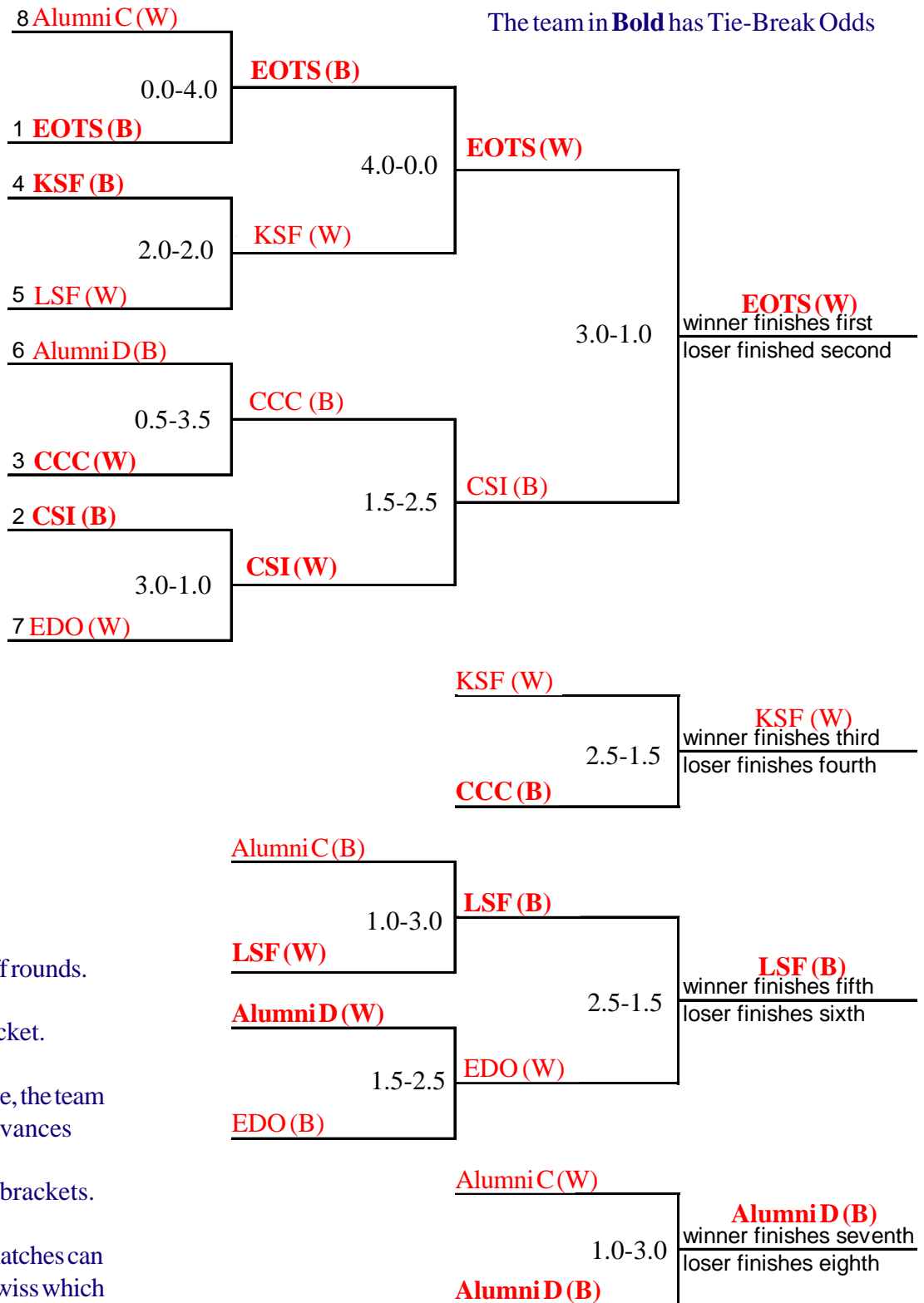
(4) No tie-breakers used; Finals finished 2-2 thus co-champions declared;
No B DIVISION trophy Awarded

2009 Individual Swiss Final Standings

#	Name	Rtng	Post	Team	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Tot	TB1	TB2	TB3
1	Nick Panico	2114	2135	EOTS	W41	W12	W13	W11	4.0	8.0	10.0	21.0
2	Rich Viale	1911	1952	CCC	F---	W20	D35	W10	3.5	5.5	8.0	13.5
3	Tom Pattard	2021	2035	EOTS	W42	W38	W19	H---	3.5	4.0	9.0	10.0
4	Mike Pappaceno	2095	2081	EOTS	W31	W7	D20	D6	3.0	8.5	8.5	21.5
5	George Berg	2122	2128	CSI	D15	W9	D10	W21	3.0	8.5	7.0	22.0
6	Sal Celauro	1762	1801	LSF	W35	W36	D14	D4	3.0	7.5	8.5	17.5
7	Suresh Muttreja	1848	1864	KSF	F---	L4	W30	W19	3.0	6.5	6.0	19.0
8	Dennis Hom	1839	1842	CSI	W24	D29	H---	W23	3.0	5.0	7.0	14.0
9	Terry Lamb	1972	1976	CCC	D16	L5	W37	W31	2.5	7.5	5.0	18.0
10	Lev Zilbermintz	2156	2102	EOTS	W43	W35	D5	L2	2.5	7.0	8.0	16.5
11	Jim Kolczynski	1792	1821	LSF	W37	H---	W26	L1	2.5	7.0	7.0	17.5
12	Charles Spinnato	1886	1896	KSF	W21	L1	W29	H---	2.5	7.0	6.0	19.5
13	Jim Dwulit	1946	1957	CSI	W34	H---	L1	W29	2.5	7.0	6.0	18.5
14	Charles Spreckles	1656	1672	EDO	D20	F---	D6	H---	2.5	5.0	5.0	12.5
15	Steve Romero	1950	1949	EDO	D5	D32	F---	H---	2.5	5.0	4.5	9.5
16	Julian Hodos	1939	1949	ALD	D9	H---	W43	H---	2.5	2.5	5.0	5.0
17	Larry Tamarkin	2057	2057	EOTS	W33	H---	H---	H---	2.5	1.5	5.5	3.0
18	Charlie Bonfante	1902	1913	LSF	U---	W43	F---	H---	2.5	0.0	4.0	0.0
19	Robert Rizzo	1890	1878	CSI	W30	W25	L3	L7	2.0	9.5	7.0	24.5
20	Clay Wilkie	1922	1904	CSI	D14	L2	D4	W42	2.0	8.5	4.0	23.5
21	Bob Standing	1691	1692	LSF	L12	W41	F---	L5	2.0	6.0	4.0	14.0
22	Ed Rusch	1595	1608	ALD	L25	L24	W41	W36	2.0	6.0	3.0	12.5
23	Ed Hartten	1465	1459	ALD	L29	F---	W42	L8	2.0	5.0	4.0	14.5
24	George Alikakos	1622	1630	EDO	L8	W22	H---	H---	2.0	5.0	3.5	10.5
25	Mike Dorsky	1885	1876	CCC	W22	L19	H---	H---	2.0	4.0	4.5	10.0
26	Danny Wu	1663	1654	IND	H---	W39	L11	H---	2.0	4.0	4.5	9.0
27	Dave Leone	1976	1974	LSF	H---	H---	H---	D28	2.0	2.0	3.5	5.0
28	Jorge Soto	1920	1922	ALD	H---	H---	H---	D27	2.0	2.0	3.5	5.0
29	Paul Montenero	1713	1708	CCC	W23	D8	L12	L13	1.5	9.5	5.5	24.5
30	Bruce Velazquez	unr.	1528	CCC	L19	W40	L7	H---	1.5	6.0	3.0	14.5
31	Bob Mastandrea	1425	1423	ALC	L4	F---	H---	L9	1.5	5.5	2.5	13.5
32	John Daciuk	1745	1748	ALD	U---	D15	L36	W43	1.5	3.5	2.5	7.0
33	Paul Proffman	1462	1461	CCC	L17	H---	H---	H---	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.0
34	Tony Sommese	1862	1849	EDO	L13	H---	H---	H---	1.5	2.5	1.5	6.5
35	Darren Lusting	1922	1891	KSF	L6	L10	D2	H---	1.0	8.5	1.0	24.5
36	John Kingsley	1628	1621	ALC	U---	L6	W32	L22	1.0	7.0	2.0	14.0
37	Matt Kubelle	1960	1891	KSF	L11	H---	L9	H---	1.0	5.0	1.0	12.5
38	Mike Mason	1570	1579	KSF	U---	L3	H---	H---	1.0	3.5	0.5	9.5
39	Zack Montenero	947	946	CCC	U---	L26	H---	H---	1.0	2.0	0.5	5.5
40	HousePlayer1	1425	1424		U---	L30	H---	H---	1.0	1.5	0.5	3.5
41	Mel Goldman	1545	1520	ALC	L1	L21	L22	H---	0.5	7.5	0.0	17.0
42	Al Loshin	1297	1285	ALC	L3	H---	L23	L20	0.5	7.0	1.0	17.5
43	Todd Dickerson	1785	1708	ALC	L10	L18	L16	L32	0.0	9.5	0.0	21.0

2008-2009 LIICL Playoff Brackets

Rd. 1 (QF's) Apr. 03, Rd. 2 (SF's) Apr. 24, Rd. 3 (Finals) May 01



Notes:

All teams play in all 3 playoff rounds.

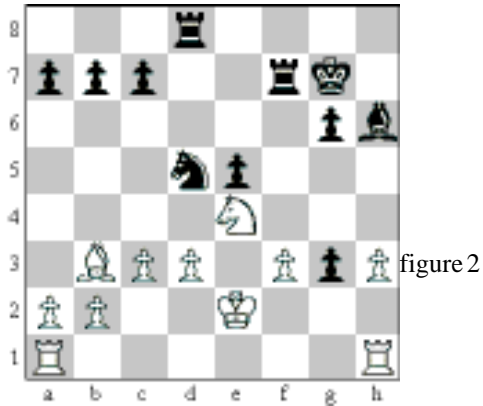
Winners advance in top bracket.

If a round ends with a tie score, the team with the tie-break odds advances

Losers drop down to lower brackets.

All not participating in the matches can sign up for the Individual Swiss which runs concurrently with the playoffs

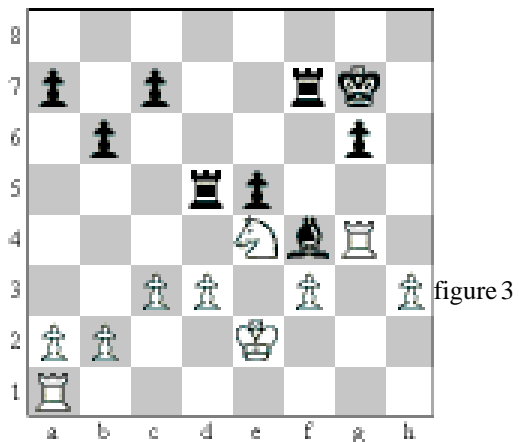
The final round of the Individual Swiss is May 15th



26...c6 is better. If 27.Bxd5 then 27...cxd5 28.Nc5 Rc8 29.Nb3 hxg3 30.Rxg3 Bf4

Lesson #3 – Too much steroid thinking - using muscle power instead of brain power will always lead to needless suffering.

27.Bxd5 Rxd5 28.Rxg3 Bf4 29.Rg4 b6??
(see figure 3)



29...Rb5, 29...Re7, or 29...Ra5 are better than 29...b6.

Definitely going through Paul Montenero's mind was, "at last, I gonna give that Hom such a beating that he will forget all those times that I lost to him...!"

Lesson #4 – If you are going to be making, constantly, a lot of bad moves...SMILE because your King is going to do a lot running and suffering (gulp...!).

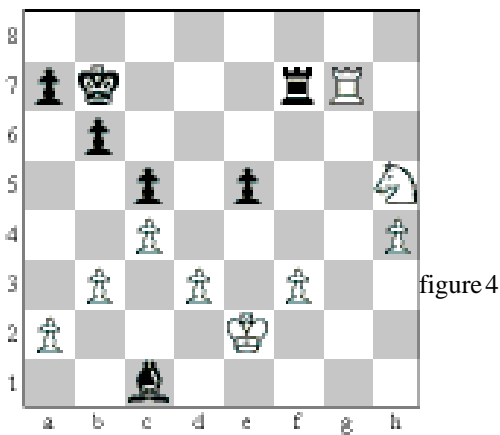
30.Rag1 c5

Yep...here he comes...!

31.Rxg6+ Kf8 32.Nf6 Rd8 33.Rg8+ Ke7 34.Rxd8 Kxd8 35.Nd5 Bh6 36.h4 Kc8 37.Rg6 Bc1 38.b3 Rh7 39.Rg4 Kb7 40.Nf6 Rf7 41.Nh5 Bb2 42.c4 Bc1 43.Rg7
(see figure 4)

(continued on page 18)

38.b3 Rh7 39.Rg4 Kb7 40.Nf6 Rf7 41.Nh5 Bb2 42.c4 Bc1 43.Rg7
(see figure 4)



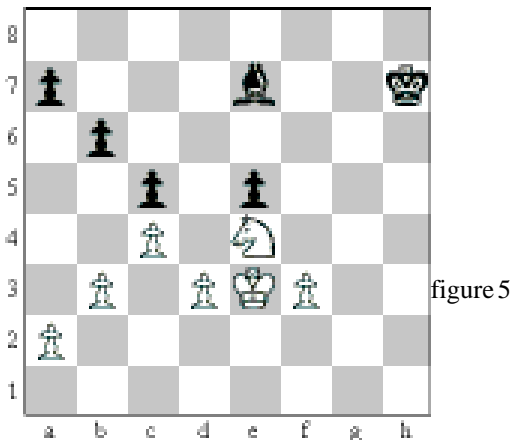
43...Rc7!

Lesson #5 – This move I learned from reading “C. J. S. Purdy, His Life, His Games and His Writing” by J. Hammond, R. Jamieson. This book was recommending to me by James Dwulit. I agreed this is a great book to add to your chess book collection. Mr. Purdy wrote an article on Exchanging which stated, “**An exchange loses time for the player exchanging first if the opponent can retake with developing move.**”

44.Rxc7+ Kxc7

My plan was to march the king over anyway and this move saved a tempo.

45.Nf6 Kd6 46.h5 Ke6 47.Ng4 Bf4 48.h6 Kf7 49.h7 Kg7 50.Nf6 Bg5 51.Ne4 Be7 52.Ke3 Kxh7
(see figure 5)



Capturing the passed pawn. Now to get the king to the other side. Oh, great...now I'm in time trouble!

53.f4! exf4+ 54.Kxf4 Kg6 55.Ke5 Kf7 56.Nd6+ Kf8 57.Nc8?
(see figure 6)

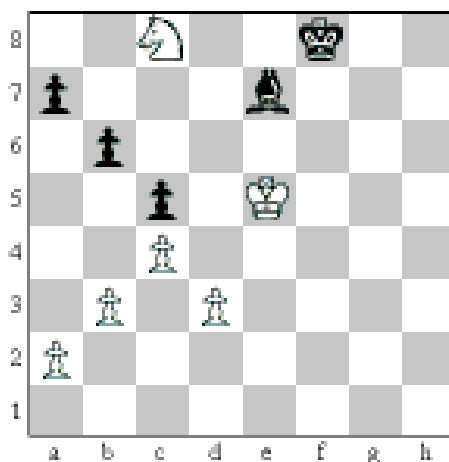


figure 6

57.Kd5 is winning!

Lesson #6 – In a long time control, errors can sometime occur due to fatigue, so hang in there.

57...Bd8 58.Nxa7 Ke8 59.Ke6

59.Kd6 is winning.

59...Bc7 60.Nb5

60.Nc8 Kd8 61..Ne7 is winning.

60...Bb8 61.d4 cxd4 62.Nxd4 Bh2 63.a4 Kd8 64.Nc6+ Kc7

The Black King has successfully completed his journey.

65.Kd5 Bg1 66.a5 Bf2 67.a6 Be3 68.b4 Bd2 69.c5 Be3 70.a7 Kb7 71.cxb6 Bxb6 72.b5 Bf2 73.Kc4 Bb6 74.Kb4 Bf2 1/2-1/2

In summary: with Mr. Montenero’s great performance and aggressive play to my poor playing and getting a draw...Priceless.



Class A and B Champions Tom Pattard and Rich Viale Compare Notes on a Variation

