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Muttreja Wins Swiss

The Missing Trophy

It was recently learned that one of the team Trophies is at large. The Class A trophy is in the possession of one of last year's members and that person is out of the country. So unfortunately it will not make an appearance at the Awards ceremony. Compounding that is the fact there wasn't enough time for the team trophies to be engraved. So the team trophies will be handed out in the usual ceremony albeit without the 2009-2010 winners engraved on the plates. Thus the trophies are scheduled to be engraved the week after our Awards Evening and distributed later.

Planning Dates for 2010-2011

The following six dates have been requested for next season. Until pronounced official, please treat them as such.

Round 1 - Sept. 24
 Round 2 - Oct. 15
 Round 3 - Oct. 29
 Round 4 - Nov. 05
 Round 5 - Nov. 19
 Round 6 - Dec. 10

Berg, Hom, Kubelle Co-MVPs

The Alan Benjamin MVP honors go to three members this season for garnering the most Regular Season points for their respective teams. George Berg and Dennis Hom of Chess Space Invaders and Matt Kubelle of Border's Barbarians all averaged 4.00 LIICL points per round.

This is the second time in LIICL history that a three-way tie has occurred. Can you name those players? Hint - all three participated in LIICL play this season. Furthermore two of those three tied again for MVP three years later, one of four times that there was a two-way tie. Your final hint - one of those players has won or shared MVP honors five times.

Election of Officers

Elections for 2010-2011 Officers will take place on Awards Night. A ballot will be handed out to each team captain who has 4 votes to allot to each office on the ballot. All incumbents are included as well as others who were nominated for the upcoming season.

Suresh Stuns Teammate

In one of the most exciting finishes in LIICL history, Suresh Muttreja fashioned an endgame combination with only seconds to spare, that seemed to come out of nowhere to capture sole possession of first place in the Individual Swiss tournament. His 4-0-0 record was unmatched. With only a Knight, Pawn and King for each player, Suresh was able to play a deflection check tactic that meant either Darius would give up his Knight or allow the lone black Pawn to queen. Hopefully we can have that ending reconstructed and published in a future issue.

Individual Results - Round 4

June 4, 2010

White		Black
Pour, D	0.0 1.0	Muttreja, S
Berg, G	0.5 0.5	Pattard, T
Viale, R	1.0 0.0	Panico, N III
Loczynski, J	0.5 0.5	Kubelle, M
Leone, D	1.0 0.0	Wexelbaum, D
Dickerson, T	0.0 1.0	Celauro, S
Rusch, E	1.0 0.0	Oliver, R
Mastandrea, R	0.0 1.0	Hartten, E
Loshin, A	0.0 1.0	Wilkie, C

Library Liaison

Dave Leone has agreed to become the LIICL Liaison to the Huntington Library. In this capacity, Dave will coordinate the playing dates for the league in the upcoming 2010-2011 season. Our appreciation goes to Dave for his volunteering for this critical function.

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2009-2010 LIICL Individual Ronnie Winners

High Performance	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>		
Tom Pattard	EDO	2249	7-0-2		
George Berg	CSI	2079	8-2-2		
Nick Panico III	BBs	2067	5-0-2		
Most Improved Player	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>PSRate</u>	<u>Improv</u>
George Alikakos	EDO	1899	6-1-2	1630	269
Tom Pattard	EDO	2249	7-0-2	2035	214
Frank Frohreich	ALD	1897	4-3-0	1691	206
Rookie of the Year	<u>Team</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Record</u>		
Brian Caulfield	EDO	1750	5-2-1		
None Eligible					
None Eligible					
Best Upset Win	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>OpRating</u>	<u>Delta</u>	<u>Round</u>
Ed Hartten	ALD	1361	1864	503	4
Ed Hartten	ALD	1398	1676	278	9
Ed Rusch	ALD	1592	1846	254	14
Best Upset Draw	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>OpRating</u>	<u>Delta</u>	<u>Round</u>
John Kingsley	ALC	1608	2150	542	9
Paul Montenero	CCC	1710	2125	415	13
Mel Goldman	ALC	1512	1899	387	10
Class A	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>		
George Berg	CSI	4.00	8-2-2		
Rich Viale	CCC	3.67	7-2-2		
Tom Pattard	EDO	3.67	7-0-2		
Class B	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>		
Dennis Hom	CSI	4.00	8-1-2		
Matt Kubelle	BBs	4.00	9-1-0		
Suresh Muttreja	BBs	3.33	7-3-0		
Class C	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>		
George Alikakos	EDO	3.33	6-1-2		
Bob Standing	LSF	2.83	5-5-1		
Frank Frohreich	ALD	2.33	4-3-0		
Class D	<u>Team</u>	<u>PPR</u>	<u>Record</u>		
Ed Hartten	ALD	2.83	5-6-1		
Al Loshin	ALC	2.17	3-7-1		
Bob Mastandrea	ALC	1.33	1-10-0		
Paul Proffman	CCC	1.33	1-1-0		

As the 2009-2010 Regular Season Points Leaders with an average of 4.00 points per round, **George Berg**, **Dennis Hom** and **Matt Kubelle** are declared as the co-MVPs of the LIICL.

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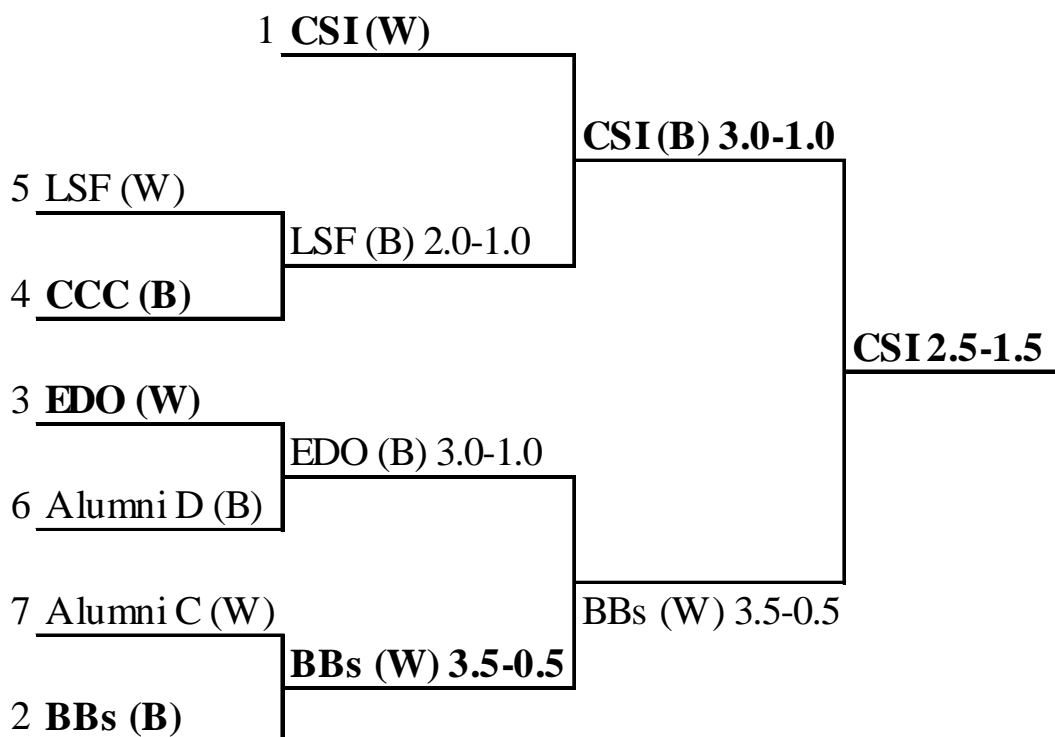
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LIICL 2009-2010 Playoff Brackets

Quarterfinal Semifinal Final
April 30 May 07 May 21



LIICL Speed Ratings

9/25/2009

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>
Alikakos, George	1717	Hurwitz, R	1533 /12	Proffman, Paul	1462
Anthony, Mike	1702	Insogna, Matthew	1724	Rabin, Evan	2117
Ben-Ami, Victor	1297	Jarosinski, Matt	1692	Ragonnet, Alan	1124
Berg, George	1906	Johnson, Willie	1858	Reyes, Christian	1835
Berrios, Gabriel	2250	Kaye, L	1824	Rizzo, Robert	1890
Billings, D	750 /11	Kingsley, John	1565	Romero, Steve	1834
Bonfante, Charles	1817	Kolczynski, Jim	1789	Rusch, Ed	1708
Caufield, Brian	UNR	Kubelle, Matt	1960 /12	Schilling, Pete	1524
Cecchini, Rich	1568	Lamb, Terry	1639	Shattuck, John	1582
Celaru, Adrian	1629	Lamour, Rodney	UNR	Solomon, Steve	1884
Celauro, Sal	1740	Leone, Dave	1911	Solomon, Zack	1514
Chipkin, Len	1936	Loshin, Al	1257	Sommese, Anthony	1658
Cohen, Neil	1867	Lustig, Darren	1781	Soto, Jorge	1753
Clay, Barry	1587 US	Maiglow, Amy	UNR	Spinnato, Charles	1686
Cranston, Tim	1752 /7	Mahoney, Kevin	1762	Spreckles, Charles	1495
Cretaro, Tony	1203	Manos, Bob	1797	Standing, Robert	1795
Dabo, Drageo	1854 /12	Marley, Ken	1805	Sussman, Dan	1587
Daciuk, John	1777	Mason, Mike	1570 /5	Tamarkin, Larry	2080
DePrisco, William	1739	Mastandrea, Bob	1490	Thomas, Walter	1403
Dickerson, Todd	1677	McBride, William	1600 Est.	Turiy, Kolman	1859
DiMaio, John	1679	McCormick, Paul	1537 /8	Ulfers, Ed	1655
Dorsky, Mike	1885	Miler, Joe	UNR	Union, R	1277
Dwulit, Jim	1771	Montenero, Paul	1538	Valys, Tony	1913
Finnegan, Mike	1390 /4	Montenero, Zack	947	Velazquez, Brian	UNR
Frohreich, Frank	1791	Muttreja, Mahesh	1604	Viale, Rich	1874
Giarrusso, Richard	1199	Muttreja, Suresh	1591	Vitelli, Rick	UNR
Giuliano, P	1325	Nahoczky, George	2144 /12	Warnock, Andy	1410
Goldfarb, Sam	1452	Ogen, Tom	1617	Watnick, Mel	1423
Goldman, Mel	1563	Panico, Dan	2036	Watnick, Steve	984 /12
Goldstein, Carrie	1515	Panico, Nick III	2082	Wilkie, Clayton	1741
Greenwald, Justin	1561	Pappaceno, Mike	2103	Willmott, Paul	1700 /14
Guevara, Robert	2038	Parenti, R	1631	Wisbauer, Robert	1636
Hartten, Ed	1526	Parrish, Alan	1764 /7	Wu, Danny	1544
Hodos, Julian	1897	Pattard, Tom	2049	Zilbermintz, Lev	2159
Hom, Dennis	1786	Petrulli, Frank	1811 /12	Zunino, H	1222

2010 Individual Swiss Final Standings

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rtng</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Rd 1</u>	<u>Rd 2</u>	<u>Rd 3</u>	<u>Rd 4</u>	<u>Tot</u>	<u>TB1</u>	<u>TB2</u>	<u>TB3</u>
1 Suresh Muttreja	1822	1865	BBS	W33	W30	W8	W9	4.0	6.0	10.0	16.0
2 Rich Viale	2008	2026	CCC	B---	D12	W10	W15	3.5	6.5	7.5	19.0
3 George Berg	2110	2111	CSI	W11	B---	D15	D4	3.0	7.0	7.5	19.0
4 Tom Pattard	2099	2104	EDO	B---	D15	W18	D3	3.0	6.5	7.0	19.5
5 Bob Rizzo	1901	1912	CSI	H---	W29	W7	H---	3.0	3.5	6.5	10.5
6 Dennis Hom	1864	1877	CSI	H---	W31	W24	H---	3.0	2.5	6.5	5.5
7 Matt Kubelle	1918	1913	BBS	W22	W19	L5	D8	2.5	9.5	7.5	24.5
8 Jim Kolczynski	1859	1877	LSF	W26	W23	L1	D7	2.5	9.5	7.5	23.5
9 Darius Pour	2124	2119	BBS	H---	W21	W23	L1	2.5	7.5	6.5	17.5
10 Sal Celauro	1809	1820	LSF	W27	H---	L2	W25	2.5	6.0	6.0	15.0
11 Danny Wu	1680	1686	CSI	L3	W33	W16	H---	2.5	4.5	5.0	12.5
12 HousePlayer1	2110	2108	IND	W11	D2	H---	H---	2.5	3.0	5.0	7.5
13 Dave Leone	1952	1954	LSF	H---	H---	H---	W20	2.5	2.0	4.0	5.5
14 Tony Sommese	1822	1822	EDO	B---	H---	H---	H---	2.5	0.0	4.5	0.0
15 Nick Panico	2133	2123	BBS	W31	D4	D3	L2	2.0	9.0	6.5	23.5
16 Ed Hartten	1386	1433	ALD	W30	L18	L11	W29	2.0	6.5	5.0	15.5
17 Ed Rusch	1617	1608	ALD	L19	W32	L20	W28	2.0	6.5	4.0	18.0
18 Jim Dwulit	1950	1946	CSI	H---	W16	L4	H---	2.0	4.5	4.5	12.0
19 George Alikakos	1707	1710	EDO	W17	L7	H---	H---	2.0	4.5	4.5	11.5
20 Dave Wexelbaum	1520	1537	IND	H---	H---	W17	L13	2.0	4.5	4.5	9.5
21 Steve Romero	1954	1953	EDO	H---	L9	W32	H---	2.0	3.5	3.5	9.5
22 Mel Goldman	1514	1518	ALC	L7	H---	W33	H---	2.0	2.5	3.0	7.5
23 Clayton Wilkie	1935	1920	CSI	H---	L8	L9	W33	1.5	5.0	2.5	14.5
24 Charles Spinnato	1828	1809	BBS	D29	H---	L6	H---	1.5	4.0	3.0	10.5
25 Todd Dickerson	1704	1695	IND	H---	H---	H---	L10	1.5	2.5	3.0	6.5
26 Terry Lamb	1999	1987	CCC	L8	H---	H---	H---	1.5	2.5	1.5	7.5
27 Paul Montenero	1735	1726	CCC	L10	H---	H---	H---	1.5	2.5	1.5	6.5
28 Robert Oliver	unr.	750	IND	H---	H---	H---	L17	1.5	2.0	3.0	4.0
29 Bob Mastandrea	1388	1386	ALC	D24	L5	H---	L16	1.0	6.5	2.5	16.5
30 Charles Spreckles	1648	1620	EDO	L16	L1	H---	H---	1.0	6.0	0.5	15.0
31 John Kingsley	1627	1620	ALC	L15	L6	H---	H---	1.0	5.0	0.5	14.0
32 John Daciuk	1745	1722	ALD	H---	L17	L21	H---	1.0	4.0	1.5	8.5
33 Al Loshin	1295	1280	ALC	L1	L11	L22	L23	0.0	10.0	0.0	22.5

1st - S. Muttreja, 2nd - R. Viale, 3rd - G. Berg, U/1800 - D. Wu, U/1600 - E. Hartten

Note: The appearance of House Players in the standings will occur whenever there is a match game forfeit and the player who had showed, choses to enter the Individual Swiss tournament and does not win that game. The forfeit win result counts as the Individual Swiss result for that player. The opponent in the Individual Swiss game will have the benefit of the tie-breaks earned against the forfeit winner who is shown duplicated as a House Player.

THE OMEGA 13 EFFECT

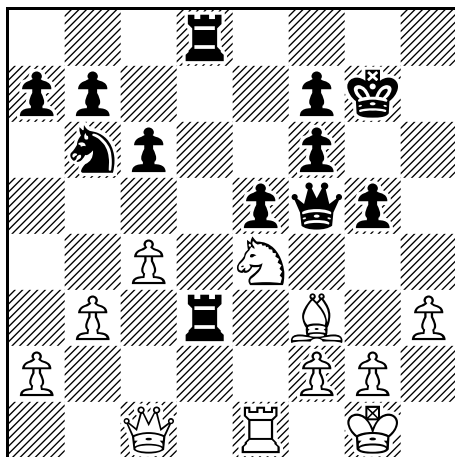
by Dennis Hom

Many, many moons ago, I was asked: "Having just finished playing chess for close to three hours, how we could still have the energy to talk about chess for hours afterward?" At the time, I shrugged my shoulders and made a goofy facial expression, after which they shook their heads and walked away. I couldn't fully explain it to them at the time.

In 1999, I saw a movie called "Galaxy Quest". Onboard a spaceship called NSEA Protector, the command chair, upon the captain's discretion, can activate a device called The OMEGA 13. The OMEGA 13 was a matter displacement device which would allow you to go back in time for 13 seconds. Why 13 seconds? It was explained that was the amount of time that allowed you to correct a single mistake. Wow...I could have used The OMEGA 13 for many of my chess games.

C. Goldstein - D. Hom

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White to play

After struggling for more than 2 hours, the diagrammed position was reached where I was up the exchange and one pawn. My rooks controlled the d-file. If White had moved 28.Rd1 then would follow 28...Rxd1 29.Bxd1 Qxe4; instead White attacked the Black Queen with **28.Ng3**.

With great confidence, I played **28...Qf4??** I had decided to play for the Queen exchange. If White avoids the exchange, I would push the f and g pawns. What a great plan...

29.Nh5+ 1-0

What...?! Check...! A fork...GOOD KNIGHT to the Black Queen...Nooooooo...!!! HULK smash...!!!

Many players have experienced this type of loss. (Right?!) Afterwards, I told my captain that I was going to enter the monastery - go into isolation - to purify myself of this horrendous loss by beating my head against the wall. Many players would come together and discuss how their game was won or lost wishing they could correct that one bad move which cost the game or replay that winning move, over and over again - the 13 seconds back in time. So now, when I am asked again about how we can still have the energy afterward to talk about chess, my response is, "The OMEGA 13 EFFECT."

LIICL E-Board Meeting – Friday, June 4th

A short meeting was held on June 4th to satisfy Constitutional mandate for such a meeting and to bring a few items to the fore as they relate to upcoming League business. A Budget Report was issued by Treasurer Bob Rizzo. There is enough in the funds for the Awards Dinner but an advanced of one 2010-2011 Dues will be needed to cover the deposit for extended Library hours this fall.

A possible Bob Standing Memorial was discussed and it was agreed that the Class B

Team Trophy would be named in his honor. He is the third so recognized as the Class A Team Trophy is known as the Schnittman Award and the MVP of the league is named after Alan Benjamin.

Library Dates for Next Season have been applied for as agreed. This was made possible by Dave Leone who stepped forward to become our newest Huntington Resident Liaison.

Nomination for Officers was also raised and all so named are on the ballot.

Awards Evening assignments were decided upon with Pizza being the food of choice.

The disposition of Bob's Bequeath to the LIICL was tabled to a future meeting. Bob left the league all of his chess related items including his library of books, chess sets and boards, a Chronos clock, some of his Individual trophies and other items. It was also decided to table any proposed Rules Changes. Bob Rizzo volunteered to arrange for Trophies. The meeting was adjourned at 6:45PM.

Best Game and Best Combination

There were very few entries this season yet we witnessed a number of brilliant games. That said, the following were awarded the final two individual Ronnies, almost by default. Perhaps the **Best Combination** was most merited. It goes to **Suresh Muttreja** for his unbelievable endgame combo in severe time trouble in the final round of the Individual Swiss vs. Darius Pour. What seemed like a certain draw turned into a fantastic finish and gained Suresh Swiss honors. As for **Best Game**, the following Round 11 contest authored by **Bob Rizzo** was chosen. The judge was quoted to say, "I thought I was watching Rybka!" Certainly hyperbole but then you can decide:

White: Dorsky, Michael (1864)

Black: Rizzo, Robert (1898)

ECO: B22

Match: CCC vs. CSI

Round: 11

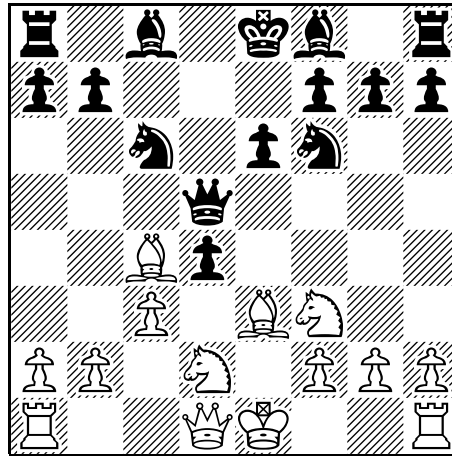
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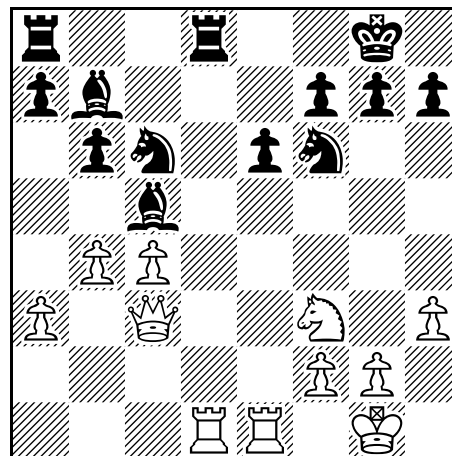
1.e4 c5 2.c3 the Closed Sicilian attempting to sidestep the tactics of the Najdorf
2...d5 3.exd5 Qxd5 4.d4 e6 5.Nf3 Nc6 6.Be3 Nf6 7.Nbd2 [7.Na3 cxd4 8.Nb5 Qd8 9.Nbxd4 Nxd4 (9...Nd5 10.Qa4 Nxe3 11.fxe3 Bd7 12.Bb5 Nxd4 13.exd4 Bd6 14.0-0 a6 15.Bxd7+ Qxd7 16.Qb3 Qb5±) 10.Bxd4 Be7 11.Bd3 Qc7 12.0-0 0-0 13.Re1 Bd7 14.Ng5 g6 15.Qf3 Qc6 16.Qe2 Rfd8 17.Qe5 Qd5 18.Qf4 h6 19.Nf3 Kg7 20.Be4 Qb5 21.a4 Qa6 22.b4 Bxa4 23.Be5 Rac8 24.h4 h5 25.g4 hxg4 26.Nh2 1-0 Almasi, Z (2663)–Ronchetti, N (2414)/ Reggio Emilia ITA 2008; 7.Bd3 cxd4 8.cxd4 Be7 9.Nc3 Qd8 10.a3 0-0 11.0-0 b6 12.Qe2 Bb7 13.Rad1 Qc7 14.Bb1 Rad8 15.Ba2 Rfe8 ½-½ Maksimenko, A (2499)–Moiseenko, A (2649)/Zlatibor SCG 2006/The Week in Chess 618; 7.a3 cxd4 8.cxd4 Be7 9.Nc3 Qd6 10.Qc2 0-0 11.Bd3 Bd7 12.0-0 Rac8 13.Rad1 a6 14.Rfe1 b5 15.Bg5 h6 16.Bxf6 Bxf6 17.Ne4 Qf4 18.Nxf6+ Qxf6 19.Qe2 Rfd8 20.Qe4 g6 21.Qe3 Be8 22.Rc1 Kg7 23.Ne5 Ne7 24.Be4 Nf5 25.Bxf5 exf5 26.Rxc8 Rxc8 27.d5 Qd6 28.Qd4 f6 29.Nd3 Bf7 30.h4 Rc4 31.Qa7 Qxd5 32.Re7 Rxh4 33.Rd7 Qe6 34.g3 Rc4 35.Nf4 Rxf4 36.gxf4 Qe1+ 37.Kg2 Qe4+ 38.Kg3 Qe6 39.Qc7 Qb3+ 40.f3 g5 41.fxg5 hxg5 42.Re7 Qd5 43.Qd7 Qb3 44.Qc7 Qd5 ½-½ Smagin, S (2605)–Schleifer, M (2364)/Montreal CAN 2000/The Week in Chess 301] Here I saw the chance to unbalance the position if White plays the tempting Bc4. I get 3 pieces for the Queen – oddly enough my teammate George Berg had the Queen vs. Darius Pour's 3 pieces in the previous round! In that contest the position was roughly equal but George was the fortunate recipient of an oversight by Darius which lost him a piece and subsequently the game. With unbalanced material generally the pieces need to be coordinated or else

the nimble Queen can strike quickly.

7...cxd4 8.Bc4

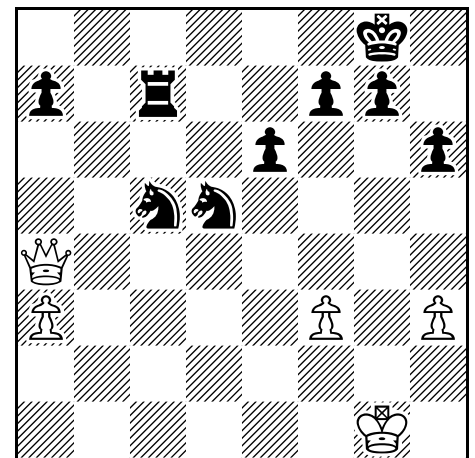


[White could have avoided the game continuation with 8.Nxd4 Nxd4 9.Bxd4 Be7 10.Nf3 0-0 11.Qc2 Rd8= but how often do you get to capture your opponent's Queen in the opening?] **8...dxe3 9.Bxd5 exd2+ 10.Qxd2 Nxd5** My position is perfectly sound here as I have no weaknesses and will be able to complete my development naturally. **11.0-0 Be7 12.c4 Nf6N** [12...Nb6 13.b3 0-0 14.a3 e5 15.Qc2 Bg4 16.c5 Nd7 17.b4 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Nf6 19.Kh1 Nd4-+ Stoumbou, E (1857)–Przedziecka, M (2304)/Ermioni GRE 2006/The Week in Chess 610 (55)] **13.a3 0-0 14.Rfe1 Rd8 15.Qc3 b6 16.Rad1 Bb7 17.h3 Bc5** [better was 17...Bd6 18.b4 Rac8 19.Qc2 h6 20.Rd2 Ne7±] **18.b4?!**



Intending to drive the Bishop back, White

overlooks the threat set up by the last move. It was necessary to trade rooks at this point to avoid the deflection tactic thus keeping an eye on e4 where my Knight is threatening a nasty fork. [18.Rxd8+ Rxd8 19.b4 Be7 20.Qb3 Bd6 21.c5 Bf8 22.Rd1 Nd5 23.Ng5 Be7 24.Ne4±] **18...Bxf2+** the Bishop is immune to capture **19.Kh2** [19.Kxf2?? Rxd1 20.Kg1 (20.Rxd1 Ne4+ loses the queen) 20...Rd7-+] **19...Bxe1 20.Rxe1 h6 21.Kg1 Rac8 22.Kf2 Ne7 23.Kg1 Bxf3 24.gxf3 Rd7 25.c5 Ned5 26.Qc4 Rdc7 27.Rc1 bxc5 28.bxc5 Nd7 29.Qb5** [29.c6 Ne5 30.Qe4 Rxc6 31.Rxc6 Nxc6] **29...Nxc5 30.Qa5 Nb3** other alternatives are equally as good [30...Nd3 31.Rxc7 Rxc7 32.Qa4 Ne3 33.Qb3 Rc1+ 34.Kh2 Rc2+ 35.Kh1 Nf2+ 36.Kg1 Nfd1 37.Qb8+ Kh7 38.Qg3-+; 30...Nf4 31.Kh2 Nfd3-+] **31.Rxc7 Rxc7 32.Qa4 Nc5**



everything is protected, the White Queen has no targets and there are too many black Pawns to ever hope for a perpetual check. **33.Qa5 Nd7 34.Qb5 Ne5 35.Kg2 Nc6 36.Kg3 Nde7** the Knights have set up a fortress freeing the Rook to penetrate the White territory **37.Qc5 a5 38.Qb5 Rc8 39.Qc5 g6** [stronger yet is 39...Nd4! as both en pris Knights are immune due poisoned forks 40.Qxa5 Nef5+ 41.Kg4 Rc4 42.Qa8+ Kh7 43.h4 Ne2+ 44.Qe4 Nc3 45.Qxc4 Ne3+ 46.Kg3 Nxc4] **40.Qb5 Rd8 41.Qc5 Kg7 42.Qc3+ e5 43.Qc5 Nf5+ 44.Kf2 Nfd4 45.Kg2 Rb8 46.Qc1 Rb3 0-1** (Rizzo)

LIICL Post-Season Ratings

Darius Pour has replaced Nick Panico III at the top of the LIICL Rating List. Nick wrested top honors last year from George Berg who held that distinction for as long as anyone can remember. In the closest finish ever Darius now leads Nick by 1 slim point, 2113 to 2112. Tom Pattard is a hard charging third at 2110 and George is only 5 points from the lead at 2108.

by Rating			by Name			by Team		
2113	Pour, Darius	BBs	1711	Alikakos, George	EDO	1620	Kingsley, John	ALC
2112	Panico, Nick III	BBs	2108	Berg, George	CSI	1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC
2110	Pattard, Tom	EDO	1641 USCF	Campisi, Pete	BBS	1389	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC
2108	Berg, George	CSI	1829 /11	Caulfield, Brian	EDO	1328	Watnick, Mel	ALC
2068	Pappaceno, Mike	LSF	1826	Celauro Sal	LSF	1286	Loshin, Al	ALC
2040	Viale, Rich	CCC	1113	Cretaro, Tony	CCC	1737	Frohreich, Frank	ALD
1977	Lamb, Terry	CCC	1716	Daciuk, John	ALD	1716	Daciuk, John	ALD
1971	Leone, Dave	LSF	1687 /14	Dickerson, Todd	IND	1618	Rusch, Ed	ALD
1952	Romero, Steve	EDO	1826	Dorsky, Mike	CCC	1515 USCF	Siudzinski, David	ALD
1941	Dwulit, Jim	CSI	1941	Dwulit, Jim	CSI	1422	Hartten, Ed	ALD
1928	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	1304 /5	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	2113	Pour, Darius	BBs
1919	Rizzo, Bob	CSI	1737	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	2112	Panico, Nick III	BBs
1894	Kubelle, Matt	BBs	1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC	1894	Kubelle, Matt	BBs
1884	Hom, Dennis	CSI	1422	Hartten, Ed	ALD	1877	Muttreja, Suresh	BBs
1877	Muttreja, Suresh	BBs	1884	Hom, Dennis	CSI	1830	Lustig, Darren	BBs
1863	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	1620	Kingsley, John	ALC	1796	Spinnato, Charles	BBs
1830	Lustig, Darren	BBs	1863	Kolczynski, Jim	LSF	1641 USCF	Campisi, Pete	BBS
1829 /11	Caulfield, Brian	EDO	1894	Kubelle, Matt	BBs	2040	Viale, Rich	CCC
1826	Celauro Sal	LSF	1977	Lamb, Terry	CCC	1977	Lamb, Terry	CCC
1826	Dorsky, Mike	CCC	1971	Leone, Dave	LSF	1826	Dorsky, Mike	CCC
1822	Sommese, Anthony	EDO	UNR /1	Loczynski, J	IND	1722	Montenero, Paul	CCC
1796	Spinnato, Charles	BBs	1286	Loshin, Al	ALC	1474	Proffman, Paul	CCC
1737	Frohreich, Frank	ALD	1830	Lustig, Darren	BBs	1113	Cretaro, Tony	CCC
1722	Montenero, Paul	CCC	1389	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	967	Montenero, Zack	CCC
1716	Daciuk, John	ALD	1722	Montenero, Paul	CCC	2108	Berg, George	CSI
1711	Alikakos, George	EDO	967	Montenero, Zack	CCC	1941	Dwulit, Jim	CSI
1687 /14	Dickerson, Todd	IND	1877	Muttreja, Suresh	BBs	1928	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI
1685	Wu, Danny	CSI	UNR /1	Oliver, Robert	IND	1919	Rizzo, Bob	CSI
1668	Standing, Robert	LSF	2112	Panico, Nick III	BBs	1884	Hom, Dennis	CSI
1641 USCF	Campisi, Pete	BBS	2068	Pappaceno, Mike	LSF	1685	Wu, Danny	CSI
1620	Kingsley, John	ALC	2110	Pattard, Tom	EDO	2110	Pattard, Tom	EDO
1620 USCF	Seider, Alex	IND	2113	Pour, Darius	BBs	1952	Romero, Steve	EDO
1618	Rusch, Ed	ALD	1474	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1829 /11	Caulfield, Brian	EDO
1614	Spreckles, Charles	EDO	1919	Rizzo, Bob	CSI	1822	Sommese, Anthony	EDO
1520	Goldman, Mel	ALC	1952	Romero, Steve	EDO	1711	Alikakos, George	EDO
1515 USCF	Siudzinski, David	ALD	1618	Rusch, Ed	ALD	1614	Spreckles, Charles	EDO
1474	Proffman, Paul	CCC	1620 USCF	Seider, Alex	IND	1687 /14	Dickerson, Todd	IND
1422	Hartten, Ed	ALD	1515 USCF	Siudzinski, David	ALD	1620 USCF	Seider, Alex	IND
1389	Mastandrea, Bob	ALC	1822	Sommese, Anthony	EDO	UNR /1	Loczynski, J	IND
1328	Watnick, Mel	ALC	1796	Spinnato, Charles	BBs	UNR /1	Oliver, Robert	IND
1304 /5	Finnegan, Mike	LSF	1614	Spreckles, Charles	EDO	UNR /2	Wexelbaum, Dave	IND
1286	Loshin, Al	ALC	1668	Standing, Robert	LSF	2068	Pappaceno, Mike	LSF
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UNR /1	Loczynski, J	IND	UNR /2	Wexelbaum, Dave	IND	1826	Celauro Sal	LSF
UNR /1	Oliver, Robert	IND	1928	Wilkie, Clayton	CSI	1668	Standing, Robert	LSF
UNR /2	Wexelbaum, Dave	IND	1685	Wu, Danny	CSI	1304 /5	Finnegan, Mike	LSF

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
09-10	MIKE PAPPACENO	ROBERT RIZZO	JOHN KINGSLEY

(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

HISTORY OF LIICL INDIVIDUAL CLASS WINNERS

<u>SEASON</u>	<u>CLASS A</u>	<u>CLASS B</u>	<u>CLASS C</u>	<u>CLASS D</u>
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

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<u>SEASON</u>	<u>CLASS A</u>	<u>CLASS B</u>	<u>CLASS C</u>	<u>CLASS D</u>
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 GREENWALD 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
09-10	GEORGE BERG CSI	DENNIS HOM CSI MATT KUBELLE BBs	GEORGE ALIKAKOS EDO	ED HARTTEN ALUMNI D

HISTORY OF LIICL SPEED CHAMPIONS

<u>SEASON</u>	<u>OPEN</u>	<u>UNDER 1800</u>	<u>UNDER 1600</u>
83-84	_____	_____	_____
84-85	ROBERTKENDER	_____	_____
85-86	SHAHENMINASSIAN	_____	_____
86-87	SAMNOVIK	ROBERTCAIRONE	WAYNESCHONROG
87-88	PRANABDAS	JOHNKINGSLEY	MARKYU
88-89	ALANKANTOR	DAVENEDJAD	WAYNESCHONROG
89-90	KENMARLEY	ROBERTSIMEONE	DENNISHOM
90-91	ROBERTSOSTACK	CHRISBORTZNER	MATTJAROSINSKI
91-92	ROGERLAFLAIR	SHAHENMINASSIAN	ROBERTHATCHER
92-93	JAVIERGARCIA	KENZABB	DANNYPANICO
93-94	MISSING	MISSING	MISSING
94-95	ROBERTRIZZO	ROBERTSTANDING	MICHAELANTHONY
95-96	ROBERTRIZZO	CARRIEGOLDSTEIN	PETEHOZLER
96-97	NICKPANICOIII	DANNYPANICO	ALANPARRISH
97-98	NICKPANICOIII	GEORGEBERG	KOLMANTURIY
98-99	DAVELEONE	CHARLESBONFANTE	JIMKOLCZYNSKI
99-00	BRIANKAREN	GEORGEBERG	ROBERTSTANDING
00-01	NEILCOHEN	STEVEROMERO	ROBERTSTANDING
01-02	ROBERTRIZZO	RICHVIALE	EDHARTTEN
02-03	STEVEROMERO	GEORGEALIKAKOS	MELGOLDMAN
03-04	DARIUSPOUR	WILLIEJOHNSON	EDRUSCH
04-05	GEORGENAHOZKY	DENNISHOM	TERRYLAMB
05-06	GEORGEBERG	EDRUSCH	JOHNSHATTUCK
06-07	NICKPANICOIII	EDRUSCH	JOHNDACIUK
07-08	EVANRABIN	FRANKFROHREICH	JUSTINGREENWALD
09-10	LARRYTAMARKIN	FRANKPETRULLI	MELGOLDMAN

HISTORY OF LIICL INDIVIDUAL SWISS CHAMPIONS

<u>SEASON</u>	<u>SEASON CHAMPION</u>	<u>UNDER 1800</u>	<u>UNDER 1600</u>
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	KOLMANTURIY
98-99	KEN MARLEY	ROBERT STANDING	WILLIAM BAKER
99-00(1)	STEVE ROMERO	ROBERT ROSE	CHARLES SPRECKLES
	& GEORGE BERG		
00-01	TIM CRANSTON	MATT INSOGNA	AL RAGONNET
01-02	GEORGE ALIKAKOS	DANNY WU	WILLIAM BAKER
02-03	GEORGE BERG	KOLMANTURIY	EDRUSCH
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	EDRUSCH
09-10	SURESH MUTTREJA	DANNY WU	ED HARTTEN

HISTORY OF LIICL CHAMPIONS

<u>SEASON</u>	<u>CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM</u>	<u>B DIVISION (1,3)</u>
83-84	HA ZELTINE	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	ALUMNIA	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	ALUMNID
08-09	EYE OF THE STORM	ALUMNIC
09-10	CHESS SPACE INVADERS	ALUMNID

(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 A awarded