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Message from the President of the Ohio Chess Association

If you have met me at one of the tournaments around Ohio I have been trying to attend, you might have gotten the impression that I am excited about chess in Ohio. Perhaps it was me yelling into the microphone at the Cardinal. Or you heard me using my “teacher” voice at the Cleveland Classic. Maybe you heard my introduction of the new Trustees and Officers at the Congress. A few of you were even lucky enough to hear me make some announcements and help with door prizes at the Holiday Open. What I REALLY hope you heard was that I am extremely excited about chess in Ohio. And it really frustrates me when our members aren’t. Why am I so excited? Glad you asked...

In March we will have the opportunity to bring chess to a new audience by helping with the Arnold Classic “Kid Zone”. Kelly Bloomfield of the Buckeye Chess Club is leading this effort and I know he could use your help on March 7 and 8 at the Ohio Expo Center. If you are available to help represent chess, the OCA and the USCF, please contact him via his website: <http://www.buckeyechess.com/index.html>. You may also contact me via ohiochessassociation@gmail.com, and I will forward your information to Kelly.

Another great opportunity is to help support a norm event and chess festival at the Dayton Chess Club. This will be an opportunity for players in and around Ohio to achieve FIDE norms, and will also include simulns, and other side events, along with a culminating open tournament on the last weekend. This event will be held July 26 (opening ceremony) through 31, with the open tournament being held July 31-August 2 (Aug. 1 and 2 for 2-day schedule). The Ohio Chess Association is financially supporting this event through a \$1000 donation, and we are asking any members who wish to support this effort to please do so. Also, be sure to participate in any of the events you can. Contact Riley Driver for information:rileyddriver@sbcglobal.net.

These are just two of the exciting chess events coming up. We also have: MOTCF, the Cincinnati Open, the Gem City Open, the Columbus Open, the Cleveland Open, and the Ohio Chess Congress. That doesn’t include all of the great one-day events around the state. We sure can’t complain that there isn’t enough chess in Ohio anymore! But if we want it to continue, it will require a lot of support. We need to get out and play in all of these events. We need to help our organizers set some attendance records!

I have asked the Trustees and Officers to be ambassadors for the OCA. You should be seeing them at local events, even if they aren’t playing. I am also trying to get out and meet as many of you as possible. What I need each OCA member to do is the following: support events in your area and recruit ONE new OCA member (or expired member). If we can support our organizers AND bring our membership numbers up, we can start to do even more to promote chess in Ohio.

Get out and play some chess!

Evan Shelton, OCA President

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2014–2015 Ohio Grand Prix

The Ohio Grand Prix (OGP) competition is based on players' participation in qualifying tournaments over a one-year period, starting with the 2014 Ohio Chess Congress and ending with the last qualifying tournament prior to the 2015 Congress. To encourage participation in Ohio tournaments, anyone playing in qualifying events is automatically enrolled in the program, regardless of OCA membership or state of residence. Although OCA membership is not required to participate, only members get discounts on OGP event entry fees which could more than pay for the cost of membership!

Grand Prize: \$800 Cash (or more), awarded to the player scoring the most cumulative points in open sections of OGP events during the year. OCA is accepting donations to increase the prize further.

Class Prizes: \$25 and Trophy, awarded to the player in each rating class under 2200 who plays in the most OGP tournaments (1 point per event). (Masters are not included in this category since they are competing for the grand prize above, although it isn't limited to Masters.) Tiebreak, if needed, will be the highest cumulative score from all OGP events. Classes will be determined by players' ratings as of the September 2015 USCF rating supplement, as follows:

- Expert 2000-2199
- A 1800-1999
- B 1600-1799
- C 1400-1599
- D 1200-1399
- E Under 1200

Upcoming Events

Watch for details on these events on the OCA web site and in the OCB!

March 14	Worthington Chess Challenge
	Ohio High School/ Middle School Championships
March 14-15	37 th Marchand Open
	MOTCF
March 20	DCC Friday Nite Quick #11
March 21	Queen City Classic
	CWRU MArch Magnus
March 27	DCC Friday Nite Quick #12
March 28	Ohio All Girls Championship
April 3	DCC Friday Nite Quick #13
April 10	National High School Championship
	DCC Friday Nite Quick #14
April 11	Parma Open
	Toledo April Swiss
April 17	DCC Friday Nite Quick #15
April 17-19	51 st Cincinnati Open and Scholastic
April 24-25	Dayton Chess Club Championship weekend 1
May 1-2	Dayton Chess Club Championship weekend 2
May 2	Spring Clover Chess Challenge
May 8	DCC Friday Nite Quick #16
May 9	Toledo May Swiss
May 16	Ohio Elementary Championship
May 29-31	Gem City Open (Ohio Grand Prix Event)
July 17-18-19	Columbus Open
August 7	Cleveland Open

Qualifying tournaments are those which meet these conditions

- Take place in Ohio.
- Open to all OCA members with current USCF membership, with no restrictions based on age, rating or state of residence. For example, Scholastic, Senior, or masters-only tournaments do not qualify. Sections within an event may be restricted, but there must be sections such that everyone may compete.
- Team tournaments do not qualify.
- Offer a minimum \$3 discount off the normal entry fee to OCA members (except at Ohio Chess Congress and Cardinal Open where OCA membership is required to play)
- Advertise in Chess Life and identify itself as an OGP tournament.

Tournaments are encouraged to sell OCA memberships with registration, but are not required to do so (except at the Cardinal and Congress).

Point standings by class will be updated periodically and posted at www.ohchess.org, where you may also check the status of your OCA membership, join or renew. You may also join or renew by contacting the OCA Treasurer/Membership Chair Cheryl Stagg at cstagg@columbus.rr.com.

Please direct questions about the OGP or OCA to President Evan Shelton at ohiochessassociation@gmail.com.

Tournament Count by City, October–December 2014

This tabulation shows city, rated event count, and player count. It includes Open, Scholastic, and Invitational tournaments that were submitted to and rated by USCF for the quarter indicated.

City	Events	Players
Akron	3	85
Beachwood	2	69
Blue Ash	2	352
Cincinnati	13	529
Cleveland	3	161
Columbus	21	391
Cuyahoga Falls	1	92
Dayton	14	305
Gates Mills	1	146
Parma	9	318
Randolph	1	89
Reynoldsburg	18	168
Solon	4	292
Toledo	3	115
Total Events	95	3,112

The OCB editor welcomes brief reports on these events for the next issue. Games and photos are especially appreciated.

OCA Officers Meeting, November 15, 2014

President Evan Shelton called a meeting of the OCA officers to be held during the Kings Island Open to develop ideas to help move OCA forward. The meeting was not intended to make any official decisions or take any votes, but to discuss ideas to take to the trustees and/or membership.

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. with officers Evan Shelton, Cheryl Stagg, Grant Neilley, Duane Larkin and Riley Driver in attendance. Also present for portions of the meeting were Patrick Miller, Chris Bechtold, and Hans Multhopp. The meeting focused on three major areas, as follows.

Bylaws

The current bylaws are not well written, and in many cases are not being followed in practice. Evan would like to establish a committee to rewrite and clean up the existing provisions, and potentially suggest changes to either reflect current practice or make improvements. One potential perspective in the process might be to consider how we would structure OCA if we were starting from scratch as a new organization.

We set a goal of having a new set of bylaws ready to present for membership consideration at the 2015 Congress. In order to keep the process open and transparent, as progress is made we will post drafts on the website and discuss the status or proposed changes at larger tournaments, such as Cincinnati Open, MOTCF, etc.

Steve Charles, Grant Neilley and Cheryl Stagg expressed interest in serving on the committee. We would like to invite non-trustee members to participate as well, but would like to keep the number of members in the 3-5 range, having more may be counter-productive. A few other possible names were suggested, and Evan will poll the other trustees for possible candidates as well. He will also solicit input on whether the committee should limit itself to updating the existing bylaws, or also propose substantive changes, and if the latter, trustees' suggestions for changes to be considered.

OCB/Website

The OCB editor and webmaster have not been receiving many submissions for content. We have repeatedly made calls for material, including from trustees in particular, with little response.

We propose forming a committee of volunteers, one from each general area of the state, who will be willing to canvas their area's activities and submit articles, game scores, photos, etc. Even if they don't attend

a particular event in person, they would still be responsible for coordinating someone to cover it for them.

We will also ask for 1-3 volunteers to be a central collection point for game scores (preferably with annotation), who would then convert the scores into pgn (or other) format for ease of publication. As our new state champion, Hans agreed to submit all his games with annotation from the 2014 Ohio Chess Congress.

The discussion focused mainly on developing more content, but also touched briefly on continuing OCB as a print publication, especially if we can make substantial improvements to the website. If we can begin to use OCB effectively as a marketing tool to non-members, and to provide more value to members (both in content discussed above, and in additional features discussed below), it will make sense to continue the print version to push information out to members. It is probably not cost-effective to offer different membership rates, with and without receiving the print version as USCF does with Chess Life; the fewer issues we print, the more expensive per issue it becomes.

Membership, Promotion and Publicity

Evan has set a goal of 300 OCA members by the 2015 Congress. Our current count is up by about 10 from the 2014 Congress. Membership will be driven by several inter-related things... providing more value for membership, promoting the value we already provide, and making OCA in general more visible to non-members.

We may form a committee to provide leadership in this area, but success will require local effort by trustees and other supporters. Many ideas were suggested for consideration:

- Require Grand Prix events to sell OCA memberships
- Every club with a website, create a link to OCA's online membership purchase/renewal
- Trustees take initiative to do a 30-second announcement at every tournament in their area (especially larger ones) to promote OCA membership, talk about member benefits such as Grand Prix EF discounts, solicit game scores/content for OCB, etc.
- Advertise the Ohio Grand Prix in surrounding state chess magazines promoting the discounts available with OCA membership (targeting those who may frequent Ohio tournaments).
- Reciprocity with surrounding state magazines to advertise our Congress and

Cardinal in exchange for advertising their major state event(s) in OCB

- Print coupons in the OCB that would incentivize members to read and hang onto it... providing yet another monetary member benefit, and potentially could charge advertisers to place the coupons. Potential advertisers might include restaurants near upcoming tournaments, coaches, Wholesale chess, House of Staunton, etc.
- OCA members get free or half off classified ads in OCB for anything chess related... books, surplus equipment, lessons/coaching, whatever. (Is there any prohibition on ad content in our bylaws?)
- Initiate annual awards, e.g., tournament of the year, organizer of the year, etc., possibly nominated/voted on by members
- Annual banquet, picnic or potluck to announce awards, have a keynote speaker, conduct additional membership meeting (not to replace the one at the Congress), general social time, etc. Too many time restrictions to do anything meaningful at a tournament. May not draw many unless we also organize a tournament to be held at the same time... maybe just a 1-day, not necessarily another major event
- Develop a written, specific mission statement and vision statement.
- Host an OCA meet & greet at Congress and Cardinal at a minimum; other major tournaments as well; possibly spend a little money to provide refreshments
- Buy a professional banner and get a table to promote OCA at multiple tournaments
- Someone do a write up on the new chess tournament being held at the Arnold Classic in Columbus next March, to submit to USCF or use in other press releases
- Custom-printed T-shirts, vinyl boards or other OCA promotional item give-aways.
- Create a trophy with the names of all Ohio champions, past and present, possibly display at major state tournaments.

Whatever committees form, it would be ideal to have OCA members involved who are not necessarily trustees, and to have a cross section of the state represented. Evan will email trustees asking for suggestions of specific members who might have a special interest or skill set to contribute to any of the areas discussed.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Grant Neilley, OCA Secretary

2015 Cardinal Open

Grant Neilley Reports

We registered 183 players from 10 states to play in the 38th annual Cardinal Open held January 23–25. It was the sixth consecutive year for the event to be held in Columbus, and the third at the beautiful Embassy Suites hotel, which continued to garner rave reviews from players. This year's roster included GMs Erenburg, Georgiev and Mitkov, IM Ashwin Jayaram (coming off his perfect 6-point performance at the 2014 Collegiate Pan Am), and IM-elect Safal Bora. Awonder Liang also participated; he played in the 36th Cardinal two years ago, just before becoming the youngest player ever to achieve the National Master title at the MOTCF in Dayton.

The field of 47 players in the Open section was topped by GM Georgiev (IL) and IM (GM-elect) Ashwin Jayaram (MO) with 4 points each. They shared the combined first and second place prizes winning \$1,000 each, with Georgiev taking the \$100 bonus on tiebreaks. There was a 6-way tie for 3rd and 4th place at 3.5 points among GM Erenburg(VA), FM Bora (MI), FM Edward Song (MI) FM Carl Boor (OH), FM Liang (WI) and NM Walker Griggs (OH).

Also tied at 3.5 points and sharing the U2300 1st and 2nd place prizes were NMs Scott Ramer (OH), David Peng (IL) and John Bidwell (IN). John Miller of Cincinnati took home the upset prize for a 216-point spread in his win over Peng.

Rahul Ramaswamy (OH) won the U2100 section of 41 players, with 4.5 points. DeShawn Kelly (OH), Michael Perkins (KY) and Om Borker (OH) shared 2nd-4th prizes with 4 points, with Perkins taking the upset prize as the 356 point underdog in his victory.



OCA officers line up for announcements at the 2015 Cardinal Open.

Prizes in the U1800 section were swept by Ohioans, led by David Guehl with the only perfect score of the tournament. Matthew Yuan took second with 4.5, and 2nd/3rd was shared by Patrick Miller, Shourjya Ghosh, Xavier Paganini and Yutong Cao, who also won the upset prize. Buckeyes also swept the U1500, Udbhav Raghukanth taking first with 4.5. Following only a half-point behind were Fred Schwan, John Ragner and Sanjay Medicherla. Dinesh Borija won the upset prize with a whopping 505 point differential.

James Johnston (IN) won the U1200 with 4.5, a full point ahead of Paul Kelle (OH) in second, and a 5-way tie for third among Chris Codogni (OH), Anthony Francis (PA), Emil Adams (OH), Sneha Prabu (OH) and new player Aaron Brown (IN). Although technically not eligible due to his provisional rating, Johnston was awarded the upset prize as he accomplished all three of the only upsets in the section.

Along with the main event, the Jr. Cardinal was held for K-12 students rated under 1400. It was offered, as an introduction to longer time controls, but run at G/75 rather than the six-hour format of the regular Cardinal. Brandon Alamo took first with 4.5 points followed by Vishal Senthilkumar at 4, then Soham Joshi, Uku Hughes and Victoria Baker at 3 points.

This side year's blitz had 20 entries, and run as a 5 round swiss with two games per round. Carl Boor took first with 9.5, nixed only by Greg Stark who took third with 7.5. Kyle Jones won second with 8. Casey O'Melia won the U1800 prize with 6, while Keith Murray and Kenjiro Nangin shared the U1600 prize with 5 each.

The full list of prizes appears at www.neilley.com/chess.

Kelly Bloomfield Reports

On March 7 and 8, the **2015 Kids Expo** at the Bricker Building, Ohio Expo Center will have its own area for chess. Saturday: (9 a.m. Doors Open) > 10 a.m. – noon Blitz Tournament \$\$\$ Prizes > Noon – 3 p.m. Grand Master Lecture and Simul (Adults) > 3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Emma vs. Arnold Match (Main Stage). Sunday: (10 a.m. Doors Open) > 10:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. Grand Master Lecture and Simul (Kids) > 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Bughouse Tournament \$\$\$ Prizes

On March 7, 2015 at Nationwide Arena, Buckeye Chess will host the first annual **Arnold Schwarzenegger Scholastic Chess Classic** starting with check in at 7:30 a.m. followed by 5 rounds of play. Awards, door prizes and closing ceremonies take place from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. Preregistration is required. All registered players will receive a ticket to that night's NHL hockey game between the Columbus Blue Jackets and the Colorado Avalanche. Door prizes includes: Zamboni rides, Bench Warmers, and signed hockey memorabilia. This scholastic event is part of the 2015 Arnold Sports Festival, which is in its 27th year.

Cheryl Stagg Reports

The 38th Annual Cardinal Open garnered 34 new OCA memberships in addition to 26 membership renewals.

The Cardinal has traditionally been run with a time control of 40/120, SD/60 d5, making it one of the few tournaments still offering 6-hour rounds. There has been a growing number of requests to shorten the time, which would allow for a longer break between rounds and an earlier finish on Sunday. But there have been no shortage of those who appreciate the traditional long time control, most of whom are passionate on that count. A survey of players at this year's Cardinal had about a third of players responding, many of whom seemed to favor shortening it to a 30/90 SD/60, providing for the same rate of play but chopping an hour off of each round. The OCA trustees will likely be discussing whether to make a change at next year's event. If you have an opinion on the matter, please get in touch with any of them to give your input.

March 14-15, 2015

Ohio GPX Event

March 14-15, 2015



MOTCF



~ Midwest Open Team Chess Festival ~

Format: 5-SS, Round 1 G/90, d/5. Rounds 2-5 40/90, SD/60, d/5 with no time deducted from delay clocks, no time added to non-delay clocks. Four players/team plus one alternate permitted.

EF: \$180/team prior to March 7, then \$200, and \$220 Fri/Sat at site. Cash, V/MC ok. No cks at site. Mail to Dayton Chess Club-18 West 5th St- Dayton, OH 45402. **Ohio Grand Prix Event -** OCA mbrs \$3 discount – limit \$12 per team. Or go to www.DaytonChessClub.com to register online.

Prizes: \$1050-\$750, U2000-\$700, U1800-\$600, U1600-\$500. (Based on 24 teams). Top boards (1-4) regardless of rating - \$50 each.

NOTE: House team available so no 1 pt byes.

Schedule: **Registration:** Fri Mar 13 8-11pm & Sat Mar 14, 9-10am **Rounds.** Sat 10:30-2-7:30 Sun 10-3:30. **Site:** Dayton Chess Club – 18 West 5th Street – Dayton, OH 45402

Team Ratings: pairings determined by average rating of four highest with imputed ratings for those more 400 points or more below the team average. USCF March ratings will be used.

Please Register as a Team (not individually) when registering online.

Hotel: Crown Plaza (888-233-9527) Ask for MOTCF-Midwest Open Team Chess Festival rate. Cutoff is 20 February **so reserve early.** \$94/night (1-4), (½ block from playing site) FREE parking.

ENTRY FORM - MOTCF - ENTRY FORM

2015 - Midwest Open Team Chess Festival - March 14-15

PAYEE

First Name/Last Name: _____

City / State / Zip Code: _____

Telephone / email: _____

TEAM ENTRY FEE: \$180 before Mar 7 then \$200, & \$220 Fri Mar 13/Sat Mar 14 at site

TEAM NAME: _____

PLAYER #1/USCF ID: _____

PLAYER #2/USCF ID: _____

PLAYER #3/USCF ID: _____

PLAYER #4/USCF ID: _____

PLAYER #5/USCF ID: _____

If applicable

Make checks out to Dayton Chess Club and mail in time to be received **NLT 12 March 2014.** Mail to Dayton Chess Club – 18 West 5th Street – Dayton, OH 45402. Questions/Need Info: email DCC.18W5@sbcglobal.net or call 937.461.6283. **Copy – fill out – mail with check.**

2015 Cardinal Open Cross Tables

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Section OPEN

1	GEORGIEV, VLADIMI	IL	2593	2598	W20	W24	D6	W11	W5	4.5
2	JAYARAM, ASHWIN	MO	2546	2561	W40	W39	W7	D3	W6	4.5
3	ERENBURG, SERGEY	VA	2677	2667	W--31	W---9	D---5	D---2	D---8	3.5
4	BORA, SAFAL	MI	2455	2457	H---0	W---30	D---8	W---12	D---9	3.5
5	SONG, EDWARD	MI	2395	2408	W---32	W---12	D---3	W---13	L---1	3.5
6	BOOR, CARL BRANDO	OH	2388	2405	W---33	W---27	D---1	W---17	L---2	3.5
7	LIANG, AWONDER	WI	2401	2404	W---14	W---18	L---2	W---15	D---10	3.5
8	GRIGGS, WALKER KY	OH	2346	2357	W---35	D---23	D---4	W---27	D---3	3.5
9	RAMER, SCOTT	OH	2283	2302	W---36	L---3	W---31	W---23	D---4	3.5
10	PENG, DAVID TIANJ	IL	2270	2275	L---15	W---42	W---34	W---24	D---7	3.5
11	BIDWELL, JOHN C	IN	2271	2289	W---26	D---17	W---22	L---1	W---20	3.5
12	BOWERSOCK, MICHAEL	MI	2259	2264	W---41	L---5	W---35	L---4	W---22	3.0
13	XIE, LUKE BOHUA	OH	2169	2182	H---0	W---37	W---28	L---5	D---14	3.0
14	SHEN, CHRISTOPHER	OH	2133	2162	L---7	D---40	W---46	W---29	D---13	3.0
15	MILLER, JOHN M	OH	2068	2132	W---10	W---45	L---17	L---7	W---23	3.0
16	SANDERS, LEWIS FR	WV	1932	1950	L---24	L---44	W---47	W---37	W---31	3.0
17	MITKOV, NIKOLA	IL	2580	2566	W---25	D---11	W---15	L---6	U---0	2.5
18	FENG, MAGGIE	OH	2241	2231	W---49	L---7	L---27	D---33	W---36	2.5
19	WYGLE, STEPHEN L	OH	2221	2223	H---0	D---34	D---20	W---21	U---0	2.5
20	OFEK, ARIEL	IN	2157	2168	L---1	W---47	D---19	W---28	L---11	2.5
21	BAUMGARTNER, BLAK	OH	2096	2107	L---28	D---46	W---45	L---19	W---34	2.5
22	SRIVASTAVA, VIKRA	OH	2043	2080	W---46	D---28	L---11	W---32	L---12	2.5
23	STOPA, JOHN RUSSE	OH	2215	2204	W---38	D---8	H---0	L---9	L---15	2.0
24	PAPPU, ANANTH	OH	2212	2217	W---16	L---1	W---39	L---10	U---0	2.0
25	OPASKA, MICHAEL	PA	2112	2105	L---17	L---26	W---42	X---0	U---0	2.0
26	MASSICK, SAM	OH	2089	2102	L---11	W---25	L---29	W---40	U---0	2.0
27	DOWLING, JOHN	OH	2072	2103	W---29	L---6	W---18	L---8	U---0	2.0
28	WRIGHT, WILLIAM B	OH	2286	2265	W---21	D---22	L---13	L---20	U---0	1.5
29	LI, BEN	MI	2256	2237	L---27	D---33	W---26	L---14	U---0	1.5
30	MURTHY, PAPPY	OH	2254	2238	D---37	L---4	D---33	D---36	U---0	1.5
31	MULTHOPP, HANS	OH	2235	2215	L---3	W---36	L---9	D---34	L---16	1.5
32	MILLS, JAMES A	IN	2202	2200	L---5	D---41	W---37	L---22	U---0	1.5
33	GORTI, AKSHITA	VA	2194	2193	L---6	D---29	D---30	D---18	U---0	1.5
34	DEATRICK, ALEXAND	MI	2133	2121	H---0	D---19	L---10	D---31	L---21	1.5
35	KULKARNI, ANAGH	OH	2122	2116	L---8	W---38	L---12	H---0	U---0	1.5
36	BAGLEY, TAYLOR MI	KY	2096	2087	L---9	L---31	W---38	D---30	L---18	1.5
37	BAKER, VINCENT JI	OH	1976	1959	D---30	L---13	L---32	L---16	B---0	1.5
38	FU, REID	OH	1936	1923	L---23	L---35	L---36	D---47	W---50	1.5
39	KASIURAK, ZACH	OH	2284	2275	W---48	L---2	L---24	F---0	U---0	1.0
40	BRITT, THOMAS J	OH	2206	2200	L---2	D---14	H---0	L---26	U---0	1.0
41	BATH, JOHN	OH	2063	2061	L---12	D---32	H---0	U---0	U---0	1.0
42	CHARLES, STEVE E	OH	1935	1933	D---45	L---10	L---25	U---0	H---0	1.0
43	LIU, ALAN	OH	1947	1961	W---47	U---0	U---0	U---0	U---0	1.0
44	BORKAR, OM	OH	1617	1653	U---0	W---16	U---0	U---0	U---0	1.0
45	MARCSIK, JOHN MIC	KY	2247	2217	D---42	L---15	L---21	U---0	U---0	0.5
46	DIEBERT, CHARLES	OH	2269	2241	L---22	D---21	L---14	U---0	U---0	0.5
47	PARASURAMAN, SURY	MI	1984	1949	L---43	L---20	L---16	D---38	U---0	0.5
48	BAUMGARTNER, BLAK	OH	2096	2107	L---39	U---0	U---0	U---0	U---0	0.0
49	SANDERS, LEWIS FR	WV	1932	1950	L---18	U---0	U---0	U---0	U---0	0.0
50	LEE, KEEVIN	OH	1745	1736	U---0	U---0	U---0	U---0	L---38	0.0

Section U2100

1	RAMASWAMY, ABHINA	OH	1971	2029	W---34	W---36	D---7	W---21	W---5	4.5
2	KELLEY, DESHAWN	OH	2068	2078	W---37	D---18	W---11	D---12	W---10	4.0
3	PERKINS, MICHAEL	KY	1679	1861	D---17	W---15	D---30	W---16	W---13	4.0
4	BORKAR, OM	OH	1653	1734	L---11	B---0	X---0	W---26	W---12	4.0
5	STERN, BENJAMIN P	OH	2005	2012	D---33	W---22	W---18	W---13	L---1	3.5
6	MACKOWIAK, ANDREW	OH	2002	2010	W---32	W---8	L---13	W---17	D---11	3.5
7	POUNRAJ, KARTHIKE	OH	1979	1992	W---27	W---9	D---1	L---10	W---22	3.5
8	HAWVER, EVAN W	MI	1934	1948	W---20	L---6	D---22	W---23	W---18	3.5
9	STARK, GREGG	OH	1928	1931	X---0	L---7	D---23	W---32	W---21	3.5
10	LIU, ALAN	OH	1961	1968	B---0	D---34	W---27	W---7	L---2	3.5
11	STEWART, TYRAN	OH	1844	1918	W---4	W---24	L---2	W---25	D---6	3.5
12	GONG, BOYI	OH	1927	1926	D---21	W---29	W---33	D---2	L---4	3.0

13	WYCOFF, JASON L	IN	1959	1966	W--23	W--30	W--6	L--5	L---3	3.0
14	WILHELM, MARK	OH	1899	1908	D--40	L--31	D--28	W--34	W--26	3.0
15	PAPENHAUSEN, MARK	OH	2035	2004	L--26	L--3	W--39	W--38	D--19	2.5
16	SCHREMSEER, ANDREW	MI	1967	1942	L--22	D--28	W--20	L--3	W--33	2.5
17	WANG, RICKY	IL	1904	1907	D--3	W--26	D--25	L--6	H--0	2.5
18	GITTRICH, DENNIS	OH	1881	1883	W--39	D--2	L--5	W--33	L--8	2.5
19	WANG, JASON YUYAN	OH	1938	1927	L--25	D--39	D--29	W--24	D--15	2.5
20	SOBH, HASSAN M	MI	1804	1812	L--8	D--32	L--16	W--39	W--30	2.5
21	PATUWO, DAVID	OH	1833	1863	D--12	W--40	W--31	L--1	L--9	2.5
22	PRASAD, ARVIND SA	OH	1778	1831	W--16	L--5	D--8	W--30	L--7	2.5
23	SUGANRAJ, BRIAN E	OH	1759	1786	L--13	W--38	D--9	L--8	W--32	2.5
24	LARKIN, DUANE E	OH	2004	2000	W--28	L--11	L--26	L--19	W--38	2.0
25	ZHOU TAI, TAILONG	OH	1992/19	1980/22	W--19	H--0	D--17	L--11	U--0	2.0
26	O'NEIL, BRANDON	MI	1848	1844	W--15	L--17	W--24	L--4	L--14	2.0
27	GOLDENBERG, TIM	OH	1822	1813	L--7	D--37	L--10	W--35	D--29	2.0
28	NARAYANAN, AKASH	MI	1770	1774	L--24	D--16	D--14	D--29	H--0	2.0
29	YELUGURI, MONISH	OH	1737	1749	D--31	L--12	D--19	D--28	D--27	2.0
30	CHENAULT, ROBERT	OH	2028	1979	W--38	L--13	D--3	L--22	L--20	1.5
31	DONZE, JONAH	KY	1929	1919	D--29	W--14	L--21	U--0	U--0	1.5
32	TANCINCO, BENJAMI	OH	1807	1786	L--6	D--20	W--35	L--9	L--23	1.5
33	OLIVO, ERNESTO	IN	1817	1802	D--5	W--35	L--12	L--18	L--16	1.5
34	KONOVALENKO, SASH	MI	1798	1790	L--1	D--10	D--37	L--14	H--0	1.5
35	LEE, KEEVIN	OH	1736	1700	H--0	L--33	L--32	L--27	B--0	1.5
36	BENSON, BRIAN D	IN	1939	1928	B--0	L--1	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
37	BELLO, JOSEPH E,	PA	1857	1845	L--2	D--27	D--34	U--0	U--0	1.0
38	GURLEY, MATTHEW	KY	1823	1786	L--30	L--23	W--41	L--15	L--24	1.0
39	ANTOLINE, JAMES A	OH	1581	1579	L--18	D--19	L--15	L--20	H--0	1.0
40	GREEN, LIBERTY V	OH	2087	2063	D--14	L--21	F--0	U--0	U--0	0.5
41	WU, JUSTIN	OH	1522	1514	U--0	U--0	L--38	U--0	U--0	0.0

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1	GUEHL, DAVID	OH	1624	1778	W--50	W--34	W--6	W--20	W---7	5.0
2	YUAN, MATTHEW	OH	1728	1798	D--32	W--37	W--21	W--8	W--12	4.5
3	MILLER, PATRICK	OH	1727	1757	D--48	W--29	W--18	W--17	D--4	4.0
4	GHOSH, SHOURJYA	OH	1708	1759	W--15	W--42	W--14	D--7	D--3	4.0
5	PAGANINI, XAVIER	OH	1623	1672	L--35	W--50	W--19	W--34	W--18	4.0
6	CAO, YUTONG	OH	1604	1718	W--43	W--10	L--1	W--13	W--14	4.0
7	RUTHERFORD, DAVE	OH	1790	1802	W--25	W--28	W--13	D--4	L--1	3.5
8	SOUAYVIXAY, KIAN	OH	1663	1711	W--40	W--19	D--17	L--2	W--21	3.5
9	LAKE, JAMES T	OH	1603	1687	L--19	W--40	W--22	D--10	W--23	3.5
10	SHEPARD, PHILLIP	OH	1794	1786	W--30	L--6	W--24	D--9	H--0	3.0
11	O'MEILIA, CASEY	OH	1652	1651	W--39	L--14	L--16	W--40	W--31	3.0
12	HUANG, EVAN Y	OH	1734	1726	L--18	W--33	W--42	W--16	L--2	3.0
13	HOEHNE, BRAD	OH	1694	1674	W--41	W--16	L--7	L--6	W--33	3.0
14	KOEBEL, JEREMY	OH	1601	1640	W--33	W--11	L--4	W--26	L--6	3.0
15	MURREY, KEITH A	OH	1558	1587	L--4	W--47	L--26	W--44	W--34	3.0
16	GALLAGHER, DANIEL	OH	1536	1619	W--22	L--13	W--11	L--12	W--26	3.0
17	FRANKLIN, WILLIAM	OH	1483	1595	W--27	W--46	D--8	L--3	D--22	3.0
18	SCHWIND, MICHAEL	OH	1518	1613	W--12	W--26	L--3	W--27	L--5	3.0
19	O'HANLON, DAN	WV	1791	1770	W--9	L--8	L--5	W--32	H--0	2.5
20	STERN, ALLEN MERL	PA	1745	1746	D--31	W--36	W--23	L--1	U--0	2.5
21	HARPER, DERRICK	MI	1708	1697	H--0	W--35	L--2	W--29	L--8	2.5
22	FRISCOE, LOU	OH	1700	1700	L--16	W--31	L--9	W--39	D--17	2.5
23	KALYANAKUMAR, ASH	OH	1721	1704	D--29	W--48	L--20	W--36	L--9	2.5
24	CLIFFORD, PAUL RA	OH	1613	1623	D--52	W--32	L--10	W--37	U--0	2.5
25	MARCH, WILLIAM GL	OH	1602	1590	L--7	D--44	L--32	W--52	W--37	2.5
26	WATERS, MEGHAN E	KY	1727	1684	W--38	L--18	W--15	L--14	L--16	2.0
27	KLEBAN, JOSEPH WA	OH	1653	1630	L--17	W--52	W--39	L--18	U--0	2.0
28	RIEF, DAVID B	OH	1625	1593	W--44	L--7	L--34	L--33	W--41	2.0
29	FAN, CODY	OH	1598	1594	D--23	L--3	W--41	L--21	D--32	2.0
30	KONOVALENKO, NICH	MI	1577	1553	L--10	L--39	W--52	D--43	H--0	2.0
31	BECHTOLD, CHRISTI	IN	1605	1576	D--20	L--22	D--44	W--42	L--11	2.0
32	KUMAR, ARVIND	OH	1592	1594	D--2	L--24	W--25	L--19	D--29	2.0
33	WU, JUSTIN	OH	1514	1504	L--14	L--12	B--0	W--28	L--13	2.0
34	GLADWIN, ASHLEY B	OH	1512/08	1530/13	W--47	L--1	W--28	L--5	L--15	2.0
35	PISINI, DAKSHIN	OH	1443	1457	W--5	L--21	L--36	L--41	W--50	2.0
36	SKINNER, DARYL DE	OH	1607	1593	H--0	L--20	W--35	L--23	U--0	1.5
37	SENTHIL, SWATHI	PA	1583	1555	H--0	L--2	W--38	L--24	L--25	1.5
38	BORDE, KUNAL DATT	OH	1532	1497	L--26	D--41	L--37	L--47	W--52	1.5
39	FERKINS, ETHAN	OH	1549	1527	L--11	W--30	L--27	L--22	D--42	1.5
40	CHALLAN, ROBERT	OH	1523	1509	L--8	L--9	W--47	L--11	D--44	1.5
41	KELLEY, MICHAEL	OH	1565	1529	L--13	D--38	L--29	W--35	L--28	1.5

42	BURNS, DANIEL R	PA	1514	1510	W--53	L---4	L--12	L--31	D--39	1.5
43	ST CYR, ROMALLIS	KY	1571	1536	L---6	L--45	W--50	D--30	U---0	1.5
44	SUNKAD, AYUSH	OH	1457	1449	L--28	D--25	D--31	L--15	D--40	1.5
45	RUTHERFORD, DAVE	OH	1790	1802	U--0	W--43	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
46	NIRO, FRANK A, II	KY	1700	1700	W--54	L--17	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
47	MUMAW, JOHN	OH	1621	1600	L--34	L--15	L--40	W--38	U--0	1.0
48	EDINGTON, LARRY	OH	1598	1591	D--3	L--23	H--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
49	BLOOMFIELD, KELLY	OH	1347	1385	W--55	U--0	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
50	PHILLIPS, STEVE A	KY	1463	1411	L--1	L--5	L--43	D--51	L--35	0.5
51	WIKLE, LEONARD	OH	1400	1400	U--0	U--0	U--0	D--50	U--0	0.5
52	SCHMIDT, RICHARD	OH	1377	1349	D--24	L--27	L--30	L--25	L--38	0.5
53	HOEHNE, BRAD	OH	1694	1674	L--42	U--0	U--0	U--0	U--0	0.0
54	BECHTOLD, CHRISTI	IN	1605	1576	L--46	U--0	U--0	U--0	U--0	0.0
55	ST CYR, ROMALLIS	KY	1571	1536	L--49	U--0	U--0	U--0	U--0	0.0

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1	RAGHUKANTH, UDBHA	OH	1200	1447	W--40	W--29	W---5	W---2	D---4	4.5
2	SCHWAN, C FRED	OH	1528	1540	W--18	W--31	W--21	L---1	W--11	4.0
3	RAGNER, JOHN CHAR	OH	1389	1473	D--19	W--22	H--0	W--17	W--10	4.0
4	MEDICHERLA, SANJA	OH	1198	1427	D--16	W--12	W--15	W--14	D---1	4.0
5	HAYES, RICHARD TH	OH	1467	1471	W--25	W--34	L---1	W--8	D---7	3.5
6	VILENCHUK, ELINA	OH	1370	1364	L--34	W--40	W--35	W--26	D--12	3.5
7	O'NEIL, JAMES	MI	1299	1365	L--11	W--33	B--0	W--21	D--5	3.5
8	BALYAN, ARYAN	OH	1402	1438	W--23	W--24	D--14	L---5	W--19	3.5
9	PARISH, KALIND DA	OH	1229	1355	D--12	L--28	W--33	W--29	W--24	3.5
10	CHENG, EMMA	OH	1541	1515	W--22	L--21	W--24	W--23	L---3	3.0
11	FANG, ETHAN	OH	1426	1434	W---7	H--0	W--26	D--13	L---2	3.0
12	BREEDEN, DUSTIN	IN	1414/09	1425/14	D--9	L--4	W--27	W--15	D---6	3.0
13	GORTI, ATMIIKA	VA	1318	1402	D--27	W--16	W--19	D--11	U---0	3.0
14	HUEBNER, KARL	OH	1477	1472	W--33	W--17	D--8	L---4	U---0	2.5
15	MARTIN, TRAVIS	WV	1411	1370	D--30	W--35	L---4	L--12	W--26	2.5
16	KELLEY, NOAH	OH	1384	1388	D--4	L--13	W--30	W--31	U---0	2.5
17	CHUNG, ETHAN	OH	1344	1319	W--38	L--14	W--34	L---3	D--20	2.5
18	BRICKEY, JAMES	OH	1239	1248	L--2	L--20	D--40	W--27	W--30	2.5
19	CURT, WALTER	OH	1196/09	1289/14	D--3	W--30	L--13	W--22	L---8	2.5
20	VADOR, MIHIR P	OH	1024	1146	L--24	W--18	L--23	W--34	D--17	2.5
21	BLOOMFIELD, KELLY	OH	1385	1379	B--0	W--10	L--2	L---7	U---0	2.0
22	GALUPO, PETER L	OH	1295	1282	L--10	L--3	W--25	L--19	W--31	2.0
23	MYERS, KEITH	OH	1339	1335	L--8	W--25	W--20	L--10	U---0	2.0
24	CARROLL, DAVID	OH	1332	1306	W--20	L--8	L--10	W--35	L---9	2.0
25	CARROLL, MARK	OH	1197	1173	L--5	L--23	L--22	W--38	W--35	2.0
26	BOJJA, DINESH	OH	1056	1098	W--41	W--27	L--11	L---6	L--15	2.0
27	HUANG, STELLA	OH	1424	1348	D--13	L--26	L--12	L--18	W--34	1.5
28	WIKLE, LEONARD	OH	1400	1400	L--31	W--9	H--0	U--0	U--0	1.5
29	GEORGE, ADITH JOS	OH	1357	1321	W--32	L---1	D--31	L---9	U---0	1.5
30	JULIAN, RANDALL K	IN	1212	1190	D--15	L--19	L--16	W--40	L--18	1.5
31	NANGIN, KENJIRO	IN	1207	1208	W--28	L--2	D--29	L--16	L--22	1.5
32	TOLEK, CUNEDY ALI	OH	1151	1110	L--29	L--37	H--0	L--33	W--40	1.5
33	BACK, LARRY	OH	1340	1296	L--14	L--7	L--9	W--32	U---0	1.0
34	KALLAM, KARTHIK	OH	1196	1167	W--6	L--5	L--17	L--20	L--27	1.0
35	HILL, BRUCE	OH	1082	1036	B--0	L--15	L--6	L--24	L--25	1.0
36	PRABU, SNEHA	OH	1020	1028	U--0	U--0	W--38	U--0	U--0	1.0
37	NEKERVIS, ROBERT	OH	878/15	933/16	U--0	W--32	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
38	VAIL, RICHARD EAR	OH	696	678	L--17	L--39	L--36	L--25	B---0	1.0
39	SOBH, MAHMOUB	MI	1067/00	1078/01	U--0	W--38	U--0	U--0	U--0	1.0
40	MAYHEW, DOMINIC J	OH	1272	1187	L--1	L--6	D--18	L--30	L--32	0.5
41	JOHNSTON, JAMES	IN	870/21	856/22	L--26	U--0	U--0	U--0	U--0	0.0

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1	JOHNSTON, JAMES	IN	856/22	1124	B--0	W---6	D--4	W--2	W--8	4.5
2	KELLETT, PAUL G	OH	1189	1179	W--11	W--12	W--8	L---1	D--5	3.5
3	CODOGNI, CHRISTOP	OH	1153	1150	D--5	D--4	H--0	D--7	W--11	3.0
4	FRANCIS, ANTHONY	PA	1119	1126	D--6	D--3	D--1	D--10	W---9	3.0
5	ADAMS, EMIL	OH	1009/19	1069/24	D--3	D--7	W--11	D--8	D--2	3.0
6	PRABU, SNEHA	OH	1028	1027	D--4	L--1	B--0	D--9	W--12	3.0
7	BROWN, ROBERT AAR	IN	1300/00	1076/05	L--9	D--5	W--12	D--3	W--10	3.0
8	MCCREA, GABRIELLE	OH	1038/14	1054/19	W--10	W--9	L--2	D--5	L---1	2.5
9	KELLY, PATRICK	OH	1159	1099	W--7	L--8	D--10	D--6	L--4	2.0
10	NEKERVIS, ROBERT	OH	933/16	922/20	L--8	B--0	D--9	D--4	L--7	2.0
11	SOBH, MAHMOUB	MI	1078/01	880/05	L--2	B--0	L--5	W--12	L--3	2.0
12	CALPIN, DONALD CH	OH	709	674	B--0	L--2	L--7	L--11	L--6	1.0

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1	PARASURAMAN, SURY	MI	1949	1969	W---7	1.0
2	SANDERS, LEWIS FR	WV	1950	1951	W---9	1.0
3	KALLAM, KARTHIK	OH	1167	1189	W---10	1.0
4	TOLEK, CUNEYD ALI	OH	1110	1164	W---8	1.0
5	BALYAN, ARYAN	OH	1438	1442	W---11	1.0
6	NEKERVIS, ROBERT	OH	922/20	971/21	W---12	1.0
7	BAUMGARTNER, BLAK	OH	2107	2091	L---1	0.0
8	SCHWAN, C FRED	OH	1540	1501	L---4	0.0
9	VILENCHUK, ELINA	OH	1364	1362	L---2	0.0
10	KELLY, PATRICK	OH	1099	1076	L---3	0.0
11	PRABU, SNEHA	OH	1027	1022	L---5	0.0
12	VADOR, MIHIR P	OH	1146	1103	L---6	0.0



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All rounds will be played at the Ohio Union, 1739 N. High St., Columbus OH 43210. Parking is \$7 per day at nearby campus garages.

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5-SS, 30/90, SD/60 (2-day schedule, rd. 1 G/90), 3 sections.

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Premier: open to 1799/below. \$600, 400; U1600: \$600, 400

Reserve: open to 1399/below. \$600, 400

Entry Fees

\$95 if rec'd by July 13, 2012. \$105 at site. Cash or check;

Free to Sr. Master/above who complete their schedule. (\$95 Entry Fee subtracted from prize winnings)

Schedule

3-day schedule: Reg. Ends Fri. 6:30 p.m., Rds: Fri. 7 p.m.; Sat. 2 p.m., 7:30 p.m.; Sun. 9:30 a.m., 3 p.m.

2-day schedule: Reg. Ends Sat. 9:30 a.m. Rd 1 at 10 a.m., then merges with 3-day schedule.

Re-entry: \$20. Any player who loses Fri. night may re-enter for \$20 and loss will not count in tournament standings!

Byes: One ½-pt. Bye available upon request in Rds 1-4 (request required prior to Rd 1). Unrated players may play in any section. \$25 upset prize each section.

Clock Setting: 5-second delay all sections.

Other: N.S. A/C

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Multhopp, Hans (2218) - Erenburg, Sergey (2681) [B12] 2015 Cardinal Open (1), 23. 01. 2015

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 Bf5 4. Nc3 e6 5. g4 Bg6 6. Be3 h5 7. gxh5 Bxh5 8. Be2 Bxe2 9. Nxg2 Nd7 10. Qd2 Ne7 11. 0-0-0 c5



12. Ng3 [12. f4 Nf5 13. dxc5 Nxe3 14. Qxe3 Bxc5 15. Nd4 Qb6 16. Na4 Bxd4 17. Rxd4 Qc6] 12. ... Ne6 13. f4 Nb6 14. b3 cxd4 15. Bxd4 Nxd4 16. Qxd4 Rc8 17. Qd3 Nd7 18. Kb1 Qa5 19. Nee2 Rc6



20. Nd4 [20. Ne4 Ra6 21. a4 Rb6 22. N4c3 g6 23. h4 Nc5 24. Qh3 Kd8 25. Nxd5] 20. ... Ra6 21. a4 Rb6 22. Nb5 Ne5 23. Qf3 Be7 24. f5 Kd7



25. Nc3 [25. fxe6 fxe6 26. Nf5 Rxb5 27. axb5 Rf8 28. Rxd5 Kc7] 25. ... Nxb3 26. exb3 Rxb3+ 27. Kc2 Rxс3+ 28. Qxc3 Re8 29. fxe6+ fxe6 30. Qxc8+ Kxc8 31. Rd4 Qc7+ 32. Kb3 Qb6+ 33. Ke3 Qc7+ 34. Kd3 Qxe5 35. Rc1+ Kb8 36. Rc2 Bf6 37. Rb4 Qe1 38. Rb5 Qd1+ 39. Rd2 Qxa4 40. Rb1 Qc4+ Kd4 0-1

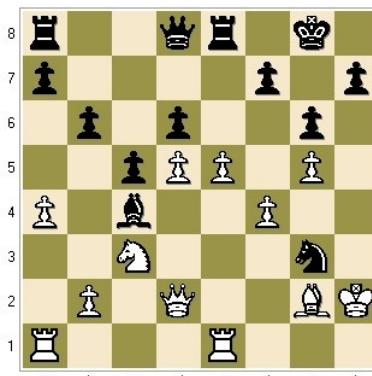
682_Cs02. Modern Benoni: Fianchetto Variation. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Aronian Levon 2724 - Handke Florian 2460, Germany 3/13/2005 Bundesliga 2004/05; 1/2-1/2, Bareev Evgeny 2675 - Gelfand Boris 2717, Khanty Mansyisk 12/17/2005 Cup World FIDE.

Jayaram, Ashwin (2514) - Britt, Thomas (2210) [A62] 2015 Cardinal Open (1), 23. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 c5 4. d5 exd5 5. exd5 d6 6. g3 g6 7. Bg2 Bg7 8. Nf3 0-0 9. 0-0 Re8 10. Bf4 b6 11. Re1 Nh5 12. Bg5 Bf6 13. Qd2 Nd7 14. e4 Ba6 15. a4 Ne5 16. h4



16. ... Be4 17. Nxe5 Rxe5 18. f4 Re8 19. e5 Bxg5 20. hxg5 Nxg3 21. Kh2



21. ... Nf5 [21. ... Nh5! 22. Bf3 dxe5 23. fxe5 Kg7 24. d6 Qd7] 22. Ne4 Re7 23. Nf6+ Kf8 24. Qc3 Ba6 25. Nxh7+ Ke8 26. Nf6+ Kf8 27. Qh3 Re8 28. exd6 1-0

"Overheard"

Q: Tough game. What went wrong?
A: His knight wasn't pinned after all.

682_Cs03. English Opening vs King's Indian. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Ponomariov Ruslan 2710 - Morozевич Alexander 2758, Biel 7/22/2004 It (cat.18).

Mills, James (2200) - Song, Edward (2409) [A21] 2015 Cardinal Open (1), 23. 01. 2015

1. c4 e5 2. Nc3 Bb4 3. g3 Bxc3 4. bxc3 Nc6 5. Bg2 d6 6. Nf3 f5 7. d3 Nf6 8. 0-0 0-0 9. Rb1 Qe8 10. Bg5 f4 11. gxf4 Qh5 12. fxe5 Ng4



13. h3?! [13. Bh4!? Nxh2 14. Nxh2 Qxh4 15. exd6 cxd6 16. Qd2 Bh3 17. Nf3] 13. ... Ngxe5 14. Nxe5 Nxe5 15. f4 Bxh3 16. Rf2 Ng4 17. e4 h6

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18. Be7 Bxg2 19. Rxg2 Rxf4 20. Rxb7 Qh3
 21. Rxc7 Qe3+ 22. Kh1 Nf2+ 23. Rxf2 Rxf2 24. Bxd6 Qh3+ 0-1

"Overheard"

Q: Tough game. What went wrong?
 A: He shouldn't have continued to play in a lost position.



39. ... Nb7 [39. ... Ke7 40. Ra7 Kd6 41. g4 g6 42. h4 Rc7] 40. Ra6 Nc5 41. Ra7 g6 42. h4 h5 43. Ke2 Rb8 44. Rc7 Nb3 45. Nxe6+ fxe6 46. Bd3 Ra8 47. Bxg6 Ra2+ 48. Rc2 Ra1 49. Kf2 Rh1 50. Kg3 Re1 51. Kf4 Kg7 52. Bxh5 Kf6 53. g4 e5+ 54. Kg3 Rxe3 55. g5+ Ke7 56. Bg4 Nd4 57. Re7+ Kd6 58. Rd7+ Kc6 59. Rf7 Ne2+ 60. Kf2 d4 61. g6 Nf4 62. g7 1-0



21. ... Bxe2 22. Qxe2 f5 [22. ... Qd7 23. f4 f6 24. Bd2 Rae8 25. Re3 Rxe3 26. Qxe3 Qb5] 23. f4 Re8 24. fxe5 f4 25. Rxf4 hxg5 26. Rf1 Qe7 27. Qc4+ Qe6 28. Qxe6+ Rxe6 29. Bxg5 Ng6 30. Rgf3 Rae8 31. Rf7 Rf8 32. Rxf8+ Nxf8 33. Kd2 Nh7 34. Bd8 c6 35. Re1 Rh6 36. Re8+ Kf7 37. Re7+ Kf8 38. Re3 d5 39. h4 Kf7 40. Re7+ Kf8 41. Rxb7 Ke8 42. Rb8 Re6 43. Bc7+ Kf7 44. Be5 Nf8 45. Rb7+ Ke8 46. h5 Nd7 47. Rxd7 Kxd7 48. g5 Ke8 49. h6 Re7 50. g6 1-0

682_Cs04. Nimzo-Indian: Rubinstein. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Adams Michael 2718 - Nielsen Peter Heine 2646, Dortmund 7/14/2005 It (cat.19); 1-0, Adams Michael 2718 - Nielsen Peter Heine 2646, Dortmund 7/14/2005 It (cat.19); 1/2-1/2, Topalov Veselin 2782 - Anand Viswanathan 2788, Linares 3/4/2005 It (cat.20); 1/2-1/2, Radjabov Teimour 2704 - Dominguez Lenier 2635, Dos Hermanas 4/7/2005 It (cat.16.)

682_Cs05. Petroff Defence. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Adams Michael 2718 - Nielsen Peter Heine 2646, Dortmund 7/14/2005 It (cat.19); 1-0, Adams Michael 2718 - Nielsen Peter Heine 2646, Dortmund 7/14/2005 It (cat.19); 1/2-1/2, Topalov Veselin 2782 - Anand Viswanathan 2788, Linares 3/4/2005 It (cat.20); 1/2-1/2, Radjabov Teimour 2704 - Dominguez Lenier 2635, Dos Hermanas 4/7/2005 It (cat.16.)

Kelley, Deshawn (2098) - Bello, Joseph (1857) [C42] 2015 Cardinal Open (1), 23. 01. 2015

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. Nc3 Bb4 4. e3 0-0 5. Nge2 d5 6. a3 Be7 7. cxd5 exd5 8. Nf4 c6 9. Bd3 Re8 10. 0-0 Nbd7 11. b4 Nf8 12. Rb1 Ne6 13. Nce2 Nxf4 14. Nxf4 a6 15. a4 Bd6 16. b5 axb5 17. axb5 Qc7 18. h3 Bd7 19. Qb3 Qc8 20. bxc6 bxc6 21. Qb7 Qxb7 22. Rxb7 Reb8 23. Rxb8+ Rxb8 24. Rd1



24. ... Kf8 25. Ne2 h6 26. f3 Re8 27. Kf2 Bb4 28. Bd2 Bd6 29. Ra1 c5 30. dxc5 Bxc5 31. Rc1 Bb6 32. Bb4+ Kg8 33. Bc5 Bxc5 34. Rxc5 Rc8 35. Ra5 Kf8 36. Ke1 Be6 37. Kd2 Nd7 38. Nd4 Ne5 39. Bb5



12. ... a6 13. Bd3 h6 14. g4 g5 15. Be3 Ne7 16. Rhg1 Bc6 17. Nd4 Bxd4 18. cxd4 Bf3 19. Rdf1 Ng6 20. Rg3 Nh4 21. Be2



10. ... a5 [10. ... dxe5 11. Nxe5 Bxe5 12. dxe5 13. Bxd2 Be6 14. 0-0-0 Bf2] 11. exd6 exd6 12. 0-0-0 Ne6 13. d5 Nxf4 14. Bxf4 c5 15. Re1+ Kf8 16. Bb5 Bd7 17. Bxd7 Qxd7 18. Re6 Ra6 19. Rxe1 Qb5 20. c3 h6



21. Bxd6+ Rxd6 22. Rxd6 Kf7 23. Qe2 Qxe2 24. Rxe2 g5 25. Rb6 Rd8 26. Rxb7+ Nd7 27. Ne5+ Bxe5 28. Rxe5 Kg6 29. Re6+ Kh5 30. Rd6 Re8 31. Rxd7 Re2



32. Rh7 Rxf2 33. Rb6 Rxg2 34. Rhxh6+ Kg4 35. h3+ Kf3 36. d6 e4 37. b3 cxb3 38. axb3 Rg1+ 39. Kb2 Rd1 40. Rh7 g4 41. hxg4 fxg4 42. d7 g3 43. Rg6 Kf2 44. Rf7+ Kg2 45. Rg8 1-0

"Overheard"

Q: Tough game. What went wrong?
A: I played all the right moves,
although not necessarily in the right
order.

682_Cs07. Sicilian Dragon: Yugoslav Attack. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Bauer Christian 2585 - Van Wely Loek 2714, Enghien 2001 It (cat.17); 1-0, Karpov Anatoly 2700 - Sosonko Gennadi 2530, Brussels 1987 It.

Erenburg, Sergey (2681) - Ramer, Scott (2288) [B78] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 5. Nc3 g6 6. Be3 Bg7 7. f3 0-0 8. Qd2 Ne6 9. Be4 Bd7 10. 0-0-0 Re8 11. Bb3 Ne5 12. Kb1

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12. ... a6 13. h4 h5 14. Bg5 Ne4 15. Bxc4 Rxc4 16. Nde2 Rc5 17. Be3 Re8 18. Bh6 b5 19. Bxg7 Kxg7 20. Nf4 Qa5



21. Qe3 [21. Rhei Rfd8 22. Qe3 Bc6 23. a4] 21. ... e5 22. Rxd6 Qb4 23. Nxh5+ Nxh5 24. Rxd7 Qc4 25. Qd3 1-0

682_Cs08. English. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Ponomariov Ruslan 2734 - Psakhis Lev 2582, Benidorm 2002 It (cat.13).

Kasiurak, Zach (2287) - Jayaram, Ashwin (2514) [E19] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

1. c4 Nf6 2. Nf3 e6 3. g3 a6 4. Bg2 b5 5. b3 c5 6. 0-0 Bb7 7. Bb2 Be7 8. d3 0-0 9. Nbd2 d6 10. e3 Nfd7 11. Qe2 Bf6 12. Bxf6 Nxf6 13. Rfd1 Nbd7 14. Rac1 b4 15. Ne1 Bxg2 16. Nxg2 a5 17. Ne4 Qc7 18. Nxf6+ Nxf6



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19. e4 [19. a4 bxa3 20. Ra1 a4 21. Rxa3 axb3 22. Rxb3 Rfb8 23. Rxb8] 19. ... a4 20. Ne3 Qb7 21. f3 Nd7 22. Qb2 Ne5 23. f4 Nf3+ 24. Kf2 Nd4 25. Nc2 e5 26. Nxd4 exd4 27. f5 Qe7 28. Qd2 axb3 29. axb3 Ra3 30. Rb1 Rfa8 31. Rb2 f6 32. Qf4 Ra2 33. Rdb1 Rxb2+ 34. Rxb2 Ra1 35. Qd2 Qa7 36. Kf3 Qa3 37. Kg2 Kf7 38. h4 Re1



39. Qc2 [39. Ra2 Qc1 40. Qxc1 Rxc1 41. Ra7 Kf8 42. Ra8 Kf7 43. Ra7] 39. ... Qa1 40. Ra2 Rg1+ 41. Kf3 Qf1+ 42. Qf2 Qxd3+ 43. Kg4 Qd1+ 44. Kh3 Rf1 45. Qe2 Qxe2 46. Rxe2 Rb1 0-1

682_Cs09. English Opening with 1. ... e6. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Lputian Smbat G 2625 - Ivanchuk Vassily 2702, Batumi 1999 Ch Europe (team).

Song, Edward (2409) - Bowersock, Michael (2259) [A13] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

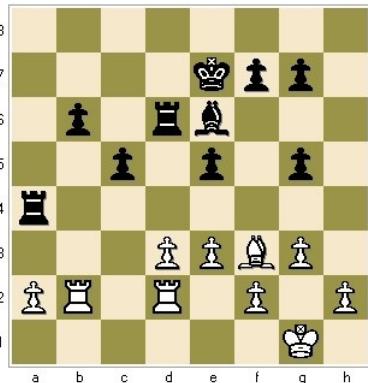
1. Nf3 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. g3 d5 4. Bg2 dxe4 5. Qa4+ Nbd7 6. Qxc4 c5 7. 0-0 a6 8. Qc2 Rb8 9. d3 Bd6 10. Nc3 0-0 11. Nd2 b6 12. Nde4 Nxe4 13. Nxe4 Nf6 14. Bg5 Be5 15. Nxf6+ Bxf6



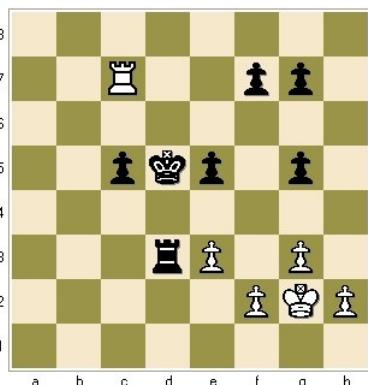
16. Bf4 [16. Bxf6 Qxf6 17. b4 Qe5 18. bxc5 bxc5 19. Rab1 Bd7 20. Rfc1 Rb4 21. a3] 16. ... e5 17. Be3 Bg5 18. Bxg5 Qxg5 19. Rfd1

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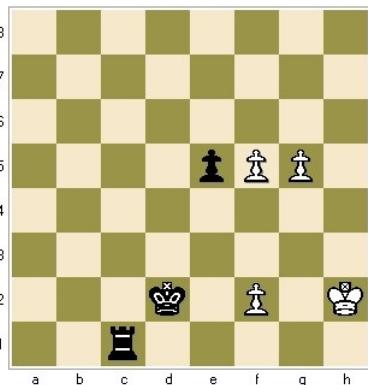
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37. ... Kd8 38. Bd1 Ra3 39. Bb3 Kc7 40. Kf1 Bxb3 41. axb3 Ra1+ 42. Kg2 Kc6 43. b4 Ra3 44. bxc5 bxc5 45. Rb8 Rxd3 46. Rc8+ Kd5 47. Rxd3+ Rxd3 48. Rc7



48. ... f5 [48. ... c4 49. Rxf7 Kc6 50. Rf8 Rd7 51. Ra8 c3 52. Ra3 Rd3] 49. Rxg7 g4 50. h3 gxh3+ 51. Kxh3 e4 52. Re7 Re3 53. Kg2 Ke4 54. Re5 Re2 55. Kg1 e3 56. Kg2 Re1 57. Kh2 c2 58. Re3 Kf3 59. e4+ Ke2 60. exf5 Kd2 61. Re8 Ra1 62. g4 c1Q 63. Rxcl Rxcl 64. g5



64. ... Ke2 [64. ... Rc4 65. g6 Rg4 66. Kh3 Rg1 67. Kh2] 65. Kg2 Re4 66. f3 e4 [66. ... Rf4 67. f6 Rxf3 68. Kg1] 67. fxe4 Rxe4 68. Kg3 Re3+ 69. Kf4 Rf3+ 70. Ke5 Re3+ 71. Kf6 Ra3 1-0

682_Cs10. English Opening: Unusual Replies for Black. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Topalov Veselin 2745 - Lobron Eric 2540, Frankfurt 1997 It; 1-0, Kramnik Vladimir 2760 - Gerber Richard 2386, Zurich 1999 Simul.

Dowling, John (2072) - Boor, Carl (2383) [A04] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

1. Nf3 e6 2. e4 f5 3. g3 Nf6 4. Bg2 g6 5. b3 Bg7 6. Bb2 0-0 7. 0-0 d6 8. d4 Ne4



9. Nfd2 [9. Qc2] 9. ... Ng5 10. f4 Nf7 11. Nf3 e5 12. Nc3 cxd4 13. Nxd4 Ne6 14. Nxc6 bxc6 15. Na4 Bxb2 16. Nxb2 e5 17. Kh1 e4 18. Qd4 Qb6 19. Rfd1 Qxd4 20. Rxd4 Be6 21. e3 Rfb8 22. Bf1 Kf8 23. Kg2 Ke7 24. Kf2 a5



25. Rad1 [25. Na4 c5 26. Rd2 Bd7 27. Nc3 a4 28. bxa4 Bxa4 29. Nb5 Ra6 30. Be2] 25. ... c5 26. R4d2 Bd7 27. Rb1 a4 28. Nd1 axb3 29. axb3 Ra3 30. Rdb2 Nd8 31. Nc3 Bc6 32. Ke1 Ne6 33. Be2 Ne7 34. Kd2 Rb4 35. Ke2 h6 36. Ra2 Rxa2+ 37. Nxa2 Rb8

38. Nc3 Na6 39. Kd2 Ne7 40. Kc2 g5 41. Rf1 g4 42. h3 d5 43. cxd5 Nxd5 44. Nxd5+ Bxd5 45. hgx4 Rxb3



46. Kd2 [46. Rd1 Bf7 47. Kd2 Rb2 48. Ke1 f4xg4 49. Rc1 c4 50. Bxg4] 46. ... Rb2+ 47. Ke1 Rxe2+ 48. Kxe2 Be4+ 49. Kf2 Bxf1 50. Kxf1 f4xg4 51. Ke2 h5 52. Kd2 c4 0-1

682_Cs11. King's Indian: Saemisch. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Karpov Anatoly 2730 - Kasparov Garry 2800, New York/Lyons 1990 Ch World (match); 1-0, Timman Jan H 2630 - Kasparov Garry 2770, Paris 1991 It "Immopar"; 1-0, Gulko Boris F 2600 - Kasparov Garry 2800, Linares 1990 It (cat.16).

Gittrich, Dennis (1881) - Kelley, Deshawn (2098) [E70] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. e4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4. e4 0-0 5. Be3 d6 6. f3 c6 7. Qd2 a6 8. Bd3 Nbd7 9. Nge2 b5 10. g4 Rb8 11. Ng3 Qa5 12. cxb5 axb5 13. Nce2 b4 14. Kf2 c5 15. h4 cxd4 16. Nxd4 Ne5



17. Kg2 Ba6 18. Bxa6 Qxa6 19. b3 Nfd7 20. Bh6 Nc5 21. Bxg7 Kxg7 22. h5 Qd3 23. Qf2 h6 24. Rad1 Qc3



25. hxg6 [25. Nge2 Qb2 26. hxg6 fxg6 27. Qe3 Rh8 28. Rd2] 25. ... fxg6 26. Qd2 Qxd2+ 27. Rxd2 Rf6 28. Ndf5+ gxf5 29. Nh5+ Kf7 30. Nxsf6 Kxf6 31. exf5 Rh8 32. Rd4 Nc6 33. Rc4 Kg7



34. a3 [34. Kg3 Rf8 35. Rh2 Rh8 36. Rc1 Ne5 37. Rf1 Ned3 38. Rd1] 34. ... **Rb8** 35. axb4 Rxb4 36. Rxb4 Nxb4 37. Re1 Kf7 38. Rh1 Kg7 39. Re1 Nd5 40. Rb1 ½-½

682_Cs12. Semi-Benoni. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Wang Lei 2498 - Krasenkow Michal 2702, Shanghai 2000 It (cat.13); 1/2-1/2, Karpov Anatoly 2760 - Epishin Vladimir 2655, Dos Hermanas 1993 It.

Souayvixay, Kian (1663) - O'Hanlon, Dan (1791) [A41] 2015 Cardinal Open (2), 24. 01. 2015

1. d4 d6 2. c4 e5 3. e3 c6 4. Nc3 f5 5. d5 c5 6. e4 Nf6 7. Bd3 f4 8. a3 a5 9. Rb1 Na6 10. Bd2 Be7 11. Qc2 0-0



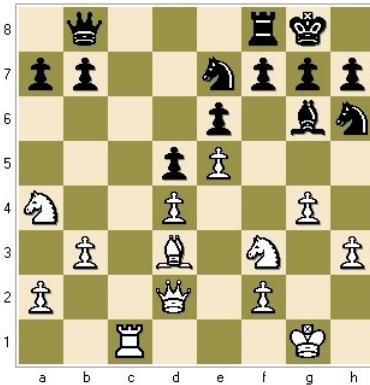
12. Nb5 [12. Nf3 Bg4 13. Qd1 Nc7 14. 0-0 b6 15. Bc2 Qe8 16. Ba4 Bd7 17. Bxd7 Qxd7] 12. ... Nd7 13. b3 Nc7 14. a4 Nxb5 15. axb5 Qe8 16. Ra1 Qg6 17. g3 fxg3 18. hxg3 b6 19. Ne2 Nf6 20. f4 Nh5 21. Rg1 Bg4 22. f5



22. ... **Qf7** [22. ... Qf6 23. Kd1 g6 24. Kc1 gxf5 25. Nc3 Qg6 26. Kb2 f4] 23. **Be3 g6** 24. **Kd2 gxf5 25. exf5 Bxf5 26. Bxf5 Qxf5 27. Qxf5 Rxf5 28. g4 1-0**



15. ... **Nb8** [15. ... Bh5 16. h3 Bxf3 17. Bxf3 f6 18. exf6 Qxf6 19. Rc7 Nb8] 16. **h3 Nc6 17. Bb5 Nce7 18. Bd3 Nc6 19. Bb5 Nce7 20. Bd3 Rc8 21. Rxc8 Qxc8 22. Rc1 Qb8 23. g4 Nh6**



24. Bxg6 [24. Bb5 Rc8 25. Rxc8 Nxc8 26. Qc3 Kh8 27. Ng5 a6 28. Bf1] 24. ... **hxg6** 25. **Ne5 Rc8 26. Nd3 Rc7 27. Kg2 Qc8 28. Rxe7 Qxc7 29. Ne5 b6 30. Na4 Nc6 31. Ne3 a6 32. Ne2 Kf8 ½-½**

682_Cs13. Caro-Kann Advance Variation. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Shirov Alexei 2720 - Hracek Zbynek 2615, Ostrava 1998 Match; 1-0, Shirov Alexei 2720 - Hracek Zbynek 2615, Ostrava 1998 Match.

Song, Edward (2409) - Erenburg, Sergey (2681) [B12] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 Bf5 4. Nc3 Qb6 5. Nf3 e6 6. Be2 Nd7 7. 0-0 Ne7 8. b3 Bg6 9. Na4 Qd8 10. Ba3 Nf5 11. Bxf8 Nxf8 12. c4 Nd7 13. cxd5 cxd5 14. Qd2 0-0 15. Rac1

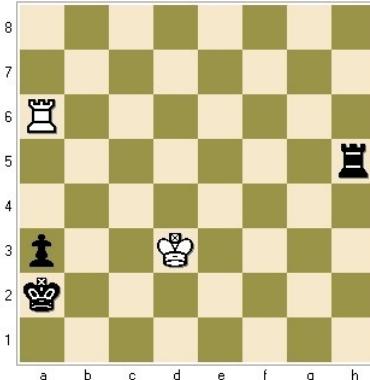
682_Cs14. Slav Defence. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Salov Valery 2710 - Kamsky Gata 2695, Madrid 1994 It (cat.16); 1/2-1/2, Morozhevich Alexander 2707 - Leko Peter 2751, Wijk aan Zee 1/26/2005 It (cat.19).

Boor, Carl (2383) - Georgiev, Vladimir (2567) [A50] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 c6 3. Nc3 d5 4. cxd5 cxd5 5. f3 e6 6. e4 dxe4 7. fxe4 Bb4 8. Qd3 e5 9. dxe5 Qxd3 10. Bxd3 Nfd7 11. Nf3 Nc6 12. Bf4 Nc5



13. Bb5 Nxe4 14. a3 Bxc3+ 15. bxc3 Nxc3
16. Bxc6+ bxc6 17. Rc1 Nd5 18. Bd2 Bd7
19. 0-0 0-0 20. Nd4 Rac8 21. Rc5 Rfe8



57. ... Kb2 58. Rb6+ Kc1 59. Re6+ Kd1 60.
Kc3 Ra5 61. Rh6 a2 62. Rh1+ Ke2 ½-½



17. ... Nec7 18. Nxd7 Qxd7 19. Ba4 Qe6 20.
b3 h6 21. Be3 f5 22. Qd2 f4 23. Bf2 Rf6 24.
Nc3 g5 25. Nd5 Rg6 26. h3 h5 27. Kf1 Kh7
28. Be6



22. Rfc1 Rxe5 23. Nxc6 Bxc6 24. Rxc6
Rxc6 25. Rxc6 f6 26. Kf2 Kf7 27. Ra6 Re7
28. Bb4 Nxb4 29. axb4 Ke8 30. b5 Rb7 31.
Ke3 Kd8 32. Kd4 Rd7+ 33. Ke4 Re7+ 34.
Kf4 Rb7 35. Ke4 Kc8

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Q: Tough game. What went wrong?
A: I castled queenside, which was
unlucky because my opponent
decided to attack down that very side.

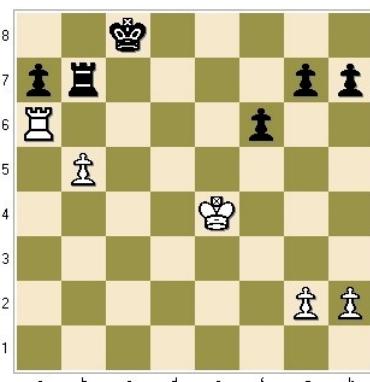
682_Cs15. King's Indian. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Kasparov Garry 2785 - Maroulis G, Corfu 1996 Simul; 1-0, Ponomariov Ruslan 2704 - Huang Qian 2398, Beer-Sheva 11/ 5/2005 Ch World (team).

Jayaram, Ashwin (2514) - Liang, Awonder (2350) [E70] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

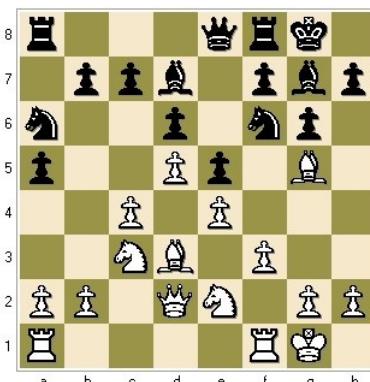
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Bd3 0-0 6. Nge2 e5 7. d5 a5 8. f3 Na6 9.
Bg5 Qe8 10. Qd2 Bd7 11. 0-0



28. ... Qf7 29. Qa5 Bf8 30. Nxc7 Nxc7 31.
Bxc5 dxc5 32. Rd7 Be7 33. Qxc7 Re8 34.
Rd5 Reg8 35. Rxe5 R8g7 36. Rd1 Qf6 37.
Be8 Rh6 38. Bd7 g4 39. Bf5+ Kh8 40. Re6
1-0



36. h4 Kb8 37. Re6 Rxb5 38. Re8+ Kb7 39.
Re7+ Kb6 40. Rxg7 Rb4+ 41. Kf5 Rxh4
42. Kxf6 a5 43. Kg5 Rh1 44. Kf4 a4 45.
Rg8 Re1 46. Ra8 Kb5 47. Rb8+ Kc4 48.
Rc8+ Kb3 49. Rb8+ Ka2 50. g4 Rb1 51.
Ra8 a3 52. Ra7 h6 53. Ra6 Rb4+ 54. Kf5
Rb5+ 55. Ke4 h5 56. gxh5 Rxh5 57. Kd3

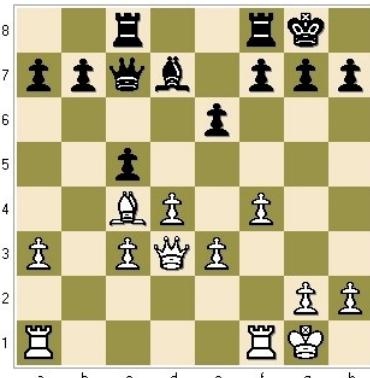


11. ... c6 12. dxc6 bxc6 13. Bc2 Qe6 14.
Rfd1 Ne8 15. Na4 c5 16. Nb6 Rb8 17.
Qxa5

682_Cs16. Nimzo-Indian: Rubinstein. For play in this line, cf. 0-1, Karpov Anatoly 2745 - Kramnik Vladimir 2770, Monte Carlo 1997 It "Melody Amber" (blindfold); 1/2-1/2, Bacrot Etienne 2717 - Aronian Levon 2752, Wijk aan Zee 1/20/2006 It (cat.19); 1-0, Ivanchuk Vassily 2720 - Kamsky Gata 2655, Tilburg 1992 It (play-off) "Interpolis"; 1/2-1/2, Radjabov Teimour 2700 - Aronian Levon 2752, Linares 3/ 3/2006 It (cat.20).

Miller, John (2048) - Mitkov, Nikola (2570) [D38] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

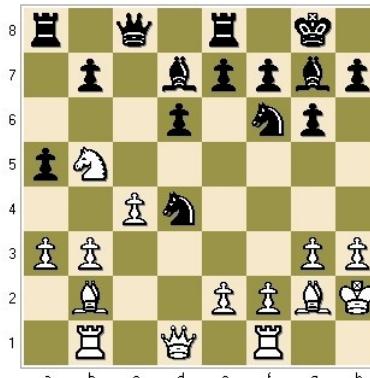
1. d4 d5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. c4 e6 4. Nc3 Bb4 5.
Bd2 0-0 6. e3 c5 7. a3 Bxc3 8. Bxc3 Ne4 9.
Nd2 Nxc3 10. bxc3 Ne6 11. f4 Na5 12. Bd3
dxe4 13. Nxc4 Nxe4 14. Bxc4 Qc7 15. Qd3
Bd7 16. 0-0 Rac8



17. Rac1 Qa5 18. Rb1 Rc7 19. e4 cxd4 20. exd4 Rfc8 21. Rb4 a6 22. d5 Qc5+ 23. Kh1 a5 24. dxе6



16. Qd2 Bxc3 17. Qxc3 Na5 18. Qd2 Qc7 19. Qh6 Qc3 20. Rfe1 Ra7 21. Rab1 Rc8 22. Re2 Bg4 23. Re3 Qxc2 24. Rbe1 Bxf3 25. Rxf3 Qb2 26. Rh3 Qg7 27. Qd2 Ne4 28. Qc2 Nb6 29. Qe2



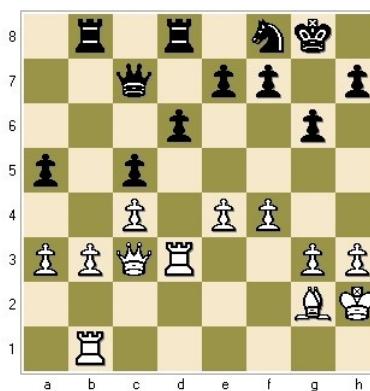
16. Nxd4 Bc6 17. Nxc6 bxc6 18. Qd3 Rb8 19. e4 Qc7 20. Rfd1 Nd7 21. Bxg7 Kxg7 22. Qc3+ Kg8 23. f4 c5 24. Qd3 Red8 25. Qe3 Rb6 26. Qc3 Rbb8 27. Rd3 Nf8



24. ... fxe6 25. Bb5 axb4 26. Bxd7 bxa3 27. Bxe6+ Kh8 28. h3 Ra8 29. e5 Qc3 30. Qf5 Qc2 31. Qg4 a2 32. Bf5 a1Q 33. Rxal Rxa1+ 34. Kh2 Qe2 0-1



29. ... Rc3 30. Rb1 Rb7 31. Qxa6 Rb8 32. Qa7 Rbc8 33. Rxc3 Qxc3 34. h3 Ne4 35. Bxc4 Qxc4 36. Qxe7 Qxd5 37. a4 Kg7 38. Rb7 Rc1+ 39. Kh2 Qe5+ 40. Qxe5+ dxe5 41. Rd7 Ra1 42. Ra7 Kf6 43. a5 h5 ½-½



28. f5 Nd7 29. fxg6 hxg6 30. Qc1 Kg7 31. h4 Ne5 32. Rc3 Qc6 33. h5 Rh8 34. g4 Nxg4+ 35. Kg3 Ne5 36. hxg6 fxg6 37. Qg5 Qd7 38. Rh1 Rxh1 39. Bxh1 Rh8 40. Bg2 Qe6

682_Cs17. Sicilian: 2. Nf3, unusual Black moves. For play in this line, cf. 0-1, Morozovich Alexander 2758 - Petursson Margeir 2535, Reykjavik 1999 Cup European Club.

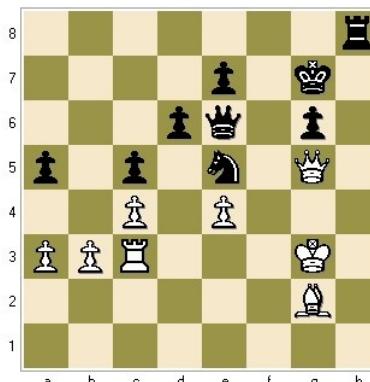
Pounraj, Karthikeyan (1979) - Ramaswamy, Abhinav (2004) [B27] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 g6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Qxd4 Nf6 5. Bc4 Ne6 6. Qd3 Bg7 7. a3 0-0 8. Nc3 d6 9. Bd2 a6 10. Ba2 b5 11. 0-0 b4 12. Nd5 bxa3 13. bxa3 Bd7 14. Bc3 Nxd5 15. exd5 Bf5

682_Cs18. Symmetrical English. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Georgiev Kiril 2595 - Kasparov Garry 2760, Saint John 1988 Ch World (blitz).

Hoehne, Brad (1629) - Rutherford, Dave (1790) [A05] 2015 Cardinal Open (3), 24. 01. 2015

1. Nf3 Nf6 2. g3 g6 3. c4 c5 4. Bg2 Bg7 5. 0-0 0-0 6. Nc3 Ne6 7. Rb1 d6 8. a3 a5 9. Nb5 Re8 10. d4 cxd4 11. Nfxd4 Bd7 12. b3 Qb6 13. Bb2 Qd8 14. h3 Qc8 15. Kh2 Nxd4



41. Kf4 Rh5 42. Qg3 Qf6+ 43. Ke3 Rg5 44. Qh3 Ng4+ 45. Kd2 Qf2+ 46. Kc1 Ne3 47. Qxe3 Qxg2 48. Rc2 Rg3 49. Qe1



49. ... Qg1 50. Qxg1 Rxg1+ 51. Kb2 Re1
 52. Rf2 Rxe4 53. Rf3 g5 54. Rf5 Re5 55.
 Rf3 g4 56. Rg3 Re4 57. Kc3 Kg6 58. Kd3
 Kf5 59. Rg1 Re5 60. Rf1+ Kg5 61. Rf7
 Kh4 62. Rh7+ Kg3 63. Rh8 Kg2 64. Ra8
 Rf5 65. Ke4 Rf6 66. Rxa5 Kf2 67. b4 g3
 68. Ra8 Rg6 69. Kd3 g2 70. Ra5 0-1

682_Cs19. Sicilian: Paulsen Variation. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Anand Viswanathan 2788 - Polgar Judit 2735, Sofia 5/22/2005 It (cat.20); 1/2-1/2, Anand Viswanathan 2788 - Polgar Judit 2735, Sofia 5/22/2005 It (cat.20).

Erenburg, Sergey (2681) - Jayaram, Ashwin (2514) [B49] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015
 1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 e6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nc6 5.
 Ne3 Qc7 6. Be3 a6 7. Be2 b5 8. Nxc6 Qxc6
 9. Bf3 Bb7 10. e5 Qc7 11. Bxb7 Qxb7 12.
 Qd3 f5



13. exf6 Nxf6 14. 0-0 Be7 15. Bd4 0-0 16.
 Rfe1 Rac8 17. Ne4 Nxe4 18. Rxe4 Bf6 19.
 Bxf6 Rxf6 20. Rd1 Qb6 21. Re2 Rf7 22.
 Qd4 Qxd4 23. Rxd4 Rc6 24. a4 Kf8 25. c3
 bxa4 26. Rxa4 Rf5 27. Rd2 Ke7 28. Kf1 a5
 29. Ke1 Rd6 30. f3 Rb5 31. Re2 Rbd5 32.
 c4 Rd1+ 33. Kf2 Rc1 34. Rxa5 ½-½

682_Cs20. French: Winawer Variation. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Nisipeanu Liviu-Dieter 2707 - Asrian Karen 2645, Moscow 2/22/2005 It (open) "Aeroftot"; 1/2-1/2, Timofeev Artyom 2658 - Ivanchuk Vassily 2748, Skanderborg 10/22/2005 It (cat.16); 1/2-1/2, Radjabov Teimour 2663 - Topalov Veselin 2757, Benidorm 2003 It (active).

Mitkov, Nikola (2570) - Boor, Carl (2383) [C15] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. Nc3 Bb4 4. Nge2 dx4
 5. a3 Be7 6. Nxe4 Nf6 7. Nxf6+ Bxf6 8. Be3
 b6 9. Qd2 Bb7 10. 0-0-0 Ne6 11. Nf4 Ne7
 12. Nh5 Qd5 13. Nxf6+ gxf6 14. e4 Qc6 15.
 Qc3 0-0-0 16. Rg1 Rhg8 17. g3 Nf5 18.
 Bg2 Qa4



19. d5 Kb8 20. Bf4 e5 21. Be3 Rg4 22. Bf1
 Ba6 23. Be2 Re4



24. Kb1 Nxe3 25. fxe3 Bxc4 26. Rc1 b5 27.
 Bf3 b4 28. Qxc4 Rxc4 29. Rxc4 a5 30.
 Rge1 Qb3 31. axb4 axb4 32. Bg2 Rd6 33.
 Bf1 Ra6 34. Rc5 Ra2 35. Rb5+ Ka8 36.
 Re2 Qa4 37. Bg2 0-1

682_Cs21. Nimzo-Indian . For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Gurevich Mikhail 2644 - Ivanchuk Vassily 2705, Antalya 5/29/2004 Ch Europe; 1/2-1/2, Bareev Evgeny 2675 - Gelfand Boris 2717, Khanty Mansyisk

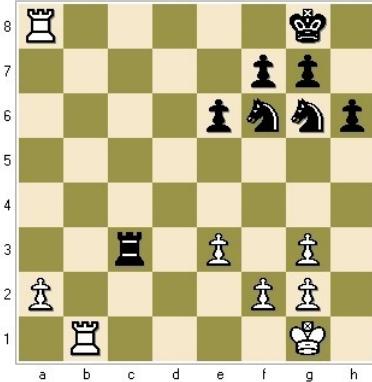
12/17/2005 Cup World FIDE (places 5-6).

Georgiev, Vladimir (2567) - Bidwell, John (2247) [E00] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. e4 e6 3. Nc3 Be7 4. Nf3 0-0 5.
 Bg5 d6 6. e3 Nbd7 7. Qc2 c5 8. Rd1 cxd4
 9. Nxd4 a6 10. Be2 Qc7 11. 0-0 h6 12. Bh4
 b6 13. Rd2 Bb7 14. Rc1 Rac8 15. Qd1
 Rfe8 16. Bg3 Qb8 17. b3 Qa8 18. Bf3 Ne5
 19. Bxb7 Qxb7 20. Qe2 Ng6 21. Rcc2 d5



22. Rd1 dxc4 23. bxc4 Red8 24. Rb1 Bd6
 25. Rcb2 Qc7 26. Rxb6 Bxg3 27. hxg3
 Qxc4 28. Qxe4 Rxc4 29. Nde2 Rd3 30.
 Rxa6 Rdxc3 31. Nxc3 Rxc3 32. Ra8+



32. ... Nf8 33. Ra1 g5 34. a4 Kg7 35. a5
 N8d7 36. a6 Nb6 37. Rb8 Nc8 38. Rb7 Ne4
 39. g4 Nf6 40. f3 Nd5 41. a7 Ndb6 42. a8Q
 Nxa8 43. Rxa8 Rc6 44. e4 Nd6 45. Rbb8 f5
 46. e5 Nf7 47. Ra7 1-0

682_Cs22. Ruy Lopez. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Tiviakov Sergei 2669 - Ivanchuk Vassily 2729, Wijk aan Zee 1/25/2006 It (cat.19); 1/2-1/2, Morozovich Alexander 2707 - Kaidanov Gregory S 2608, Beer-Sheva 11/5/2005 Ch World (team).

Xie, Luke (2146) - Song, Edward (2409) [C77] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 a6 4. Ba4 Nf6 5. Bxc6 dxc6 6. d3 Bd6 7. 0–0 0–0 8. Nbd2 Nd7 9. b3 Re8 10. Bb2 Bf8 11. Nc4 f6 12. Nh4 Nc5 13. Nf5 Ne6 14. Qf3 b5 15. Nce3 g6 16. Ng3 Bg7 17. h4 Rf8 18. h5 c5



19. hxg6 hxg6 20. Ba3 Nd4 21. Qd1 Qd6 22. Ne2 f5 23. c3 Ne6 24. exf5 gxf5 25. Ng3 Nf4 26. Qf3 Rb8



27. b4 cxb4 28. Bxb4 c5 29. Ba3 b4 30. cxb4 cxb4 31. Bb2 Qg6 32. Nd5 Nxd5 33. Qxd5+ Be6 34. Qc6 Rbe8 35. Qxa6 f4 36. Ne4 f3 37. g3 Qg4 38. Ng5 Bf5



39. Bc1 Bf6 40. Qb7 Rxc1 41. Raxc1 Bxg5 42. Rc4 e4 43. Qd5+ Kh8 44. Qd6 Rf7 45. Qe5+ Bf6 46. Qe8+ Kg7 0–1

682_Cs23. Benko/Volga Gambit. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Shirov Alexei 2710 - Adams Michael 2610, Hastings 1992 It (cat.14); 1-0, Shirov Alexei 2710 - Hodgson Julian M 2535, Hastings 1992 It (cat.14).

Stern, Benjamin (2030) - Wycoff, James (1906) [A57] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. e4 c5 3. d5 b5 4. cxb5 a6 5. b6 Qxb6 6. Nc3 d6 7. a4 a5 8. e4 g6 9. Be4 Bg7 10. Nge2 0–0 11. 0–0 Na6 12. f3 Nd7 13. b3 Nb4 14. Rb1 Ne5 15. Bb2 Nbd3 16. Ba1



16. ... Ba6 17. Nb5 Bxb5 18. axb5 Nb4 19. Nc3 a4 20. Nxa4 Rxa4 21. Bxe5 Ra2 22. Bxg7 Kxg7 23. Rf2 Ra5 24. f4 Rfa8 25. Qf3 Ra2 26. f5 Rxf2 27. Qxf2 Ra2



28. Qh4 Qa7 29. Rf1 Nd3 30. f6+ exf6 31. Qxf6+ Kg8 32. b6 Qd7 33. Bxd3 Rd2 34. Bb5 1–0

682_Cs24. Closed Sicilian: Lines without g3. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Adams Michael 2680 - Anand Viswanathan 2765, Groningen 1997 Ch World FIDE (play-off).

Rutherford, Dave (1790) - Ghosh, Shourjya (1725) [B23] 2015 Cardinal Open (4), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 c5 2. Nc3 Nc6 3. f4 g6 4. Nf3 Bg7 5. Bb5 Nd4 6. 0–0 Nxb5 7. Nxb5 a6 8. Nc3 d6

9. d3 e6



10. Ne2 Ne7 11. c3 b5 12. Bd2 Bb7 13. Ng3 d5 14. e5 h5 15. d4 h4 16. Nh1 c4 17. Qe2 Nf5 18. Ng5 Qd7 19. Nf2 0–0–0 20. Ng4 Bc6 21. Ne3 Kb7 22. Nh3 Rdg8 23. Ng4 Rd8 24. Rfb1 Kc7 25. Ne3 Rb8 26. Ng4 Rbd8 27. Ng5 Rb8 28. b3 Rb7



29. Qe1 Rbb8 30. b4 Rbd8 31. Rb2 Rb8 32. Be3 Ra8 33. Rf2 Rab8 34. Rf3 Qe7 35. Rh3 Rh5 36. Bf2 Rh8 37. Ne3 Nxe3 38. Qxe3 Bh6 39. Bxh4 Bxg5 40. Bxg5 Rxh3 41. gxh3 Qd7 42. Bf6 Ra8 43. a3 Qe8 44. Rf1 Qf8 45. Qg3 a5 46. Rf3 axb4 47. cxb4 Qh6



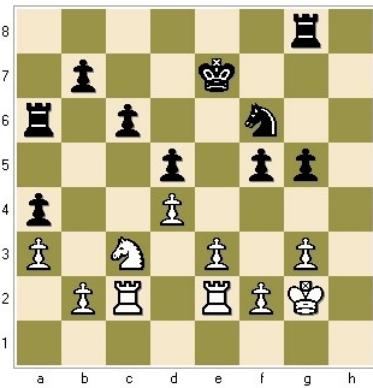
48. h4 Qh5 49. Kg2 Qf5 50. Qf2 Qb1 51. Rc3 Qd1 52. Kg3 Qa1 53. Qe3 Qd1 54.

Rc1 Qb3 55. Qxb3 cxb3 56. Rb1 Rx a3 57. Kg4 Ra2 58. Rxb3 Rxh2 59. Be7 Rg2+ 60. Kh3 Rg1 61. Rg3 Rxg3+ 62. Kxg3 Kd7 63. Bf6 Ke8 64. Kg4 Bd7 65. Kg5 Bc8 ½-½

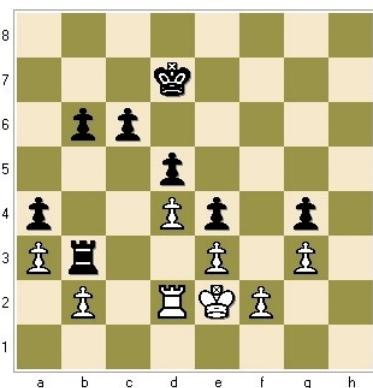
682_Cs25. Queen's Gambit: Slav Defence. For play in this line, cf. 0-1, Zeliakov Nugzar 2173 - Morozhevich Alexander 2742, Moscow 2001 Ch World FIDE (KO-system); 0-1, Bareev Evgeny 2729 - Morozhevich Alexander 2678, Cannes 2002 It (cat.18).

Song, Edward (2409) - Georgiev, Vladimir (2567) [D11] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nf3 d5 4. e3 a6 5. Nbd2 Bf5 6. Qb3 Ra7 7. Bd3 e6 8. 0-0 Bd6 9. Re1 Ne4 10. Qc2 Nxd2 11. Bxd2 Bxd3 12. Qxd3 f5 13. Qb3 Nd7 14. Bb4 Bxb4 15. Qxb4 Qe7 16. Qxe7+ Kxe7 17. Rac1 a5 18. h3 Rf8 19. g3 a4 20. a3 Ra6 21. Kg2 Rb6 22. Re2 Rb3 23. Rcc2 Kd6 24. Kf1 Ke7 25. Ke1 h6 26. h4 Rg8 27. Kf1 g5 28. hxg5 hxg5 29. Nd2 Rb6 30. Nb1 Ra6 31. Nd2 Rb6 32. Nb1 Nf6 33. Nc3 Ra6 34. cxd5 exd5 35. Kg2



35. ... Rh8 36. Re1 g4 37. Rcc1 Ne4 38. Nxe4 fxe4 39. Re2 Kd7 40. Rd2 Rh6 41. Rh1 Rxh1 42. Kxh1 Rb6 43. Kg2 Rb3 44. Kf1 b6 45. Ke2



45. ... Kd6 46. Kd1 c5 47. Kc2 c4 48. Rd1 c3 49. bxc3 Rx a3 50. Kb2 Rb3+ 51. Kc2 Kc6 52. Rh1 Rb5 53. Rh6+ Kb7 54. Rh7+ Ka6 55. Rh8 Ra5



56. Kb2 Kb5 57. Rh6 Ra8 58. Rd6 Kc4 59. Rxb6 Rf8 60. Re6+ Kd3 61. Re5 Rxf2+ 62. Ka3 Rc2 63. Kxa4 Kxe3 64. Kb4 Kd3 65. Rxd5 Rxe3 66. Rg5 e3 67. d5 e2 68. Re5 Re4+ 69. Kb5 Re4 0-1

682_Cs26. Open Catalan. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Gelfand Boris 2717 - Van Wely Loek 2648, Goteborg 8/1/2005 Ch Europe (team); 7. e3 Bd7 8. Nc3 Nd5 9. Nd2 Nb6 10. Qe2 Na5 11. e4 Bb4 0-1, Radjabov Teimour 2663 - Adams Michael 2740, Tripoli 7/1/2004 Ch World FIDE (KO-system).

Jayaram, Ashwin (2514) - Boor, Carl (2383) [E04] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. g3 d5 4. Nf3 dxe4 5. Bg2 a6 6. 0-0 Ne4 7. Nbd2 Nxd4 8. Nxd4 Qxd4 9. Qc2 Be7 10. Nxc4 Qa7



11. Na5 c5 12. b4 Nd5 13. a3 cxb4 14. e4 Nf6 15. Be3 Qb8 16. axb4 0-0 17. Nc4 Nd7 18. Qb3 b6 19. Rfd1 Ra7 20. Ra2



a5 21. bxa5 Nc5 22. axb6 Rd7 23. Qb1 Rxd1+ 24. Qxd1 Bb7



25. Bf4 Rd8 26. Rd2 Rxd2 27. Qxd2 Qa8 28. Qa5 Qd8 29. Nd2 g5 30. Be3 Qc8 31. e5 Bxg2 32. Kxg2 Qc6+ 33. Kg1 Nb7 34. Qa6 Kg7 35. Qd3 Nc5 36. Qb1 Nb7 37. Ne4 h6 38. Nf6 Bxf6 39. exf6+ Kxf6 40. Qh7 Ke5 41. Qxf7 Qe4 42. Qg7+ Kf5 43. Qh7+ Ke5 44. f4+ 1-0

682_Cs27. Caro-Kann. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Morozhevich Alexander 2707 - Bareev Evgeny 2675, Monte Carlo 3/22/2005 It "Melody Amber" (blindfold); 1-0, Kasparov Garry 2812 - Kayumov Dmitry D 2460, Tbilisi 1976 Cup URS; 0-1, Azarov Sergei 2581 - Akopian Vladimir 2704, Moscow 2/9/2006 It (open) "Aeroflot"; 1/2-1/2, Svidler Peter 2765 - Sakaev Konstantin 2649, France 2/4/2006 Ch France (team) 2006, where knights are developed first and White's light-squared bishop is less provocative than on move 2 here.

Griggs, Walker (2325) - Erenburg, Sergey (2681) [B10] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 c6 2. Bc4 d5 3. Bb3 dxe4 4. Qh5 g6 5. Qh4 Nf6 6. Nc3 Na6 7. Nxe4 Nxe4 8. Qxe4 Bg7 9. Nf3 Ne5 10. Qh4 Nxb3 11. axb3



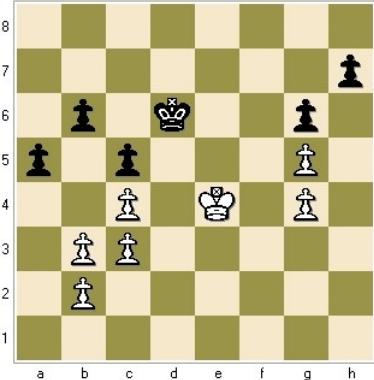
11. ... e5 12. Qxd8+ Kxd8 13. d3 Kc7 14. Be3 b6 15. 0–0 c5 16. Nd2 Be6 17. Ne4 Bxe4 18. dxc4 e4 19. c3 a5 20. f3 exf3 21. Rxf3 f5



22. Bf4+ Kc6 23. Re3 Rae8 24. Rae1 Re4 25. Rxe4 fxe4 26. Rxe4 Kd7 27. Re3 Rf8 28. Rd3+ Kc8 29. g3 Rf7 30. Bg5 Be5 31. Rg8+ Kb7 32. Re8 Bd6 33. Re6 Kc7 34. Kg2 Rg7 35. h4 Rf7



36. g4 Kd7 37. Rf6 Rxrf6 38. Bxf6 Bf4 39. Bg5 Bxg5 40. hxg5 Ke6 41. Kf3 Ke5 42. Ke3 Kd6 43. Kf4 Ke6 44. Ke4 Kd6

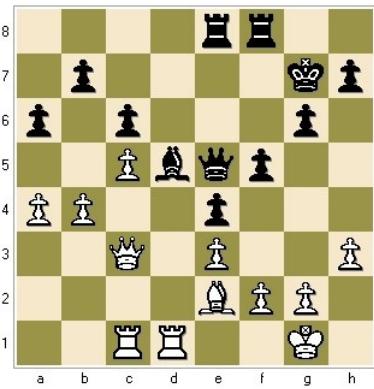


45. b4 [45. Kf4! Ke6 46. Kf3 Ke7] 45. ... a4 ½–½

682_Cs28. Gruenfeld. For play in this line, cf. 1-0, Karpov Anatoly 2688 - Kasparov Garry 2847, New York 2002 Match (active); 1-0, Bareev Evgeny 2719 - Kalka Arkadius Georg 2386, Germany 2001 Bundesliga 2000/01; 0-1, Sulava Nenad 2493 - Grischuk Alexander 2720, France 5/6/2005 Ch France (team) 2005; 0-1, Sulava Nenad 2493 - Grischuk Alexander 2720, France 5/6/2005 Ch France (team) 2005.

Ramer, Scott (2288) - Bora, Safal (2430) [D92] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. d4 Nf6 2. Nf3 g6 3. c4 Bg7 4. Ne3 d5 5. Bf4 c6 6. e3 0–0 7. Rc1 a6 8. c5 Bg4 9. Qb3 Ra7 10. Ne5 Nbd7 11. h3 Be6 12. Be2 Nxe5 13. Bxe5 Ne4 14. Bxg7 Kxg7 15. Nxe4 dxe4 16. Qc3 Bd5 17. 0–0 Ra8 18. a3 Qc7 19. b4 Rae8 20. a4 e5 21. Rfd1 f5 22. dx5 Qxe5



23. b5 axb5 24. axb5 Qxc3 25. Rxc3 Ra8 26. Bc4 Bxc4 27. Rxc4 Rfd8 28. Red4 Rxd4 29. Rxd4 Ra1+ 30. Kh2 Rc1 31. Rd7+ ½–½

682_Cs29. Caro-Kann. For play in this line, cf. 1/2-1/2, Tiviakov Sergei 2669 - Topalov Veselin 2801, Wijk aan Zee 1/20/2006 It

(cat.19); 1/2-1/2, Tiviakov Sergei 2700 - Berkes Ferenc 2596, England 10/22/2005 Ch England (team) 2005/06.

Ramaswamy, Abhinav (2004) - Stern, Benjamin (2020) [B22] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 c5 2. c3 g6 3. d4 cxd4 4. cxd4 d5 5. exd5 Nf6 6. Bb5+ Nbd7 7. Nc3 a6 8. Bc4 Nb6 9. Bb3 Nbxsd5 10. Nf3 Bg7 11. 0–0 0–0 12. Re1 e6 13. Bg5



13. ... Qa5 14. Qd2 Kh8 15. Ne5 b5 16. Nxd5 Qxd2 17. Bxd2 Nxd5 18. Bxd5 exd5 19. Bb4 Bxe5 20. Bxf8 Bxd4 21. Re8 1–0

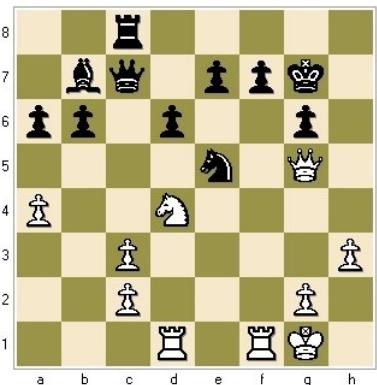
682_Cs30. Pirc-Robatsch Defence. For play in this line, cf. 0-1, Eliet Nicolas 2434 - Bacrot Etienne 2725, France 5/5/2005 Ch France (team) 2005; 0-1, Ivanovic Bozidar 2500 - Beliavsky Alexander G 2710, Niksic 1997 Ch Yugoslavia (team); 1-0, Kasparov Garry 2770 - Dellair Abdul Malek, Asiago 1991 Simul.

Guehl, David (1677) - Rutherford, Dave (1790) [B08] 2015 Cardinal Open (5), 25. 01. 2015

1. e4 d6 2. d4 Nf6 3. Nc3 g6 4. Nf3 Bg7 5. h3 0–0 6. Bc4 c5 7. 0–0 cxd4 8. Nxd4 a6 9. a4 b6 10. Be3 Bb7 11. Bd3 Nbd7 12. Nb3 Rc8 13. Qe2 Nb8 14. f4



14. ... Rxc3 15. bxc3 Nxe4 16. Bxe4 Bxe4
 17. Bd4 Bb7 18. Bxg7 Kxg7 19. f5 Nd7 20.
 fxg6 hxg6 21. Rad1 Ne5 22. Nd4 Qc7 23.
 Qe3 Rc8 24. Qg5



24. ... Qd7 25. Nf5+ Kh7 26. Qh6+ 1-0

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6.0 William Sedlar, James Mills, Hans Multhopp; 5.0 Maggie Feng, Yuri Barnakov; 4.0 Carl Boor, Ronald Burnett, Goran Vojinovic, Ben Li, William Wright.

Expert

7.0 Blake Baumgartner, Noah Keating-Adams; 6.0 Luke Xie; 5.0 Abhinav Ramaswamy, Anagh Kulkarni, Christopher Shen, Vikram Srivastava.

Class A

8.0 Jason Wang; 5.0 Arvind Prasad, Vincent Baker; 4.0 Gregg Stark, Dennis Gittrich, Scott Klutzz, Lewis Sanders, Surya Parasuraman.

Class B

9.0 Yutong Cao; 7.0 David Guehl, Nolan Song; 6.0 Brian Suganraj.

Class C

9.0 Christian Bechtold; 8.0 Steve Phillips; 7.0 Emma Cheng, William Franklin.

Class D

5.0 Akshar Aiyer, David Carroll, Adith George, Richard Schmidt; 4.0 Elina Vilenchuk, Stella Huang, James Brickey, Daniel Sullivan; 3.0 Kalind Parish.

Class E

5.0 Mark Carroll, Ishan Aiyer, 4.0 Bruce Hill; 3.0 Victoria Baker, Kalpak Duddella, Amey Haridhas, Dinesh Bojja.

In the next issue of your Ohio Chess Bulletin we pay tribute to the full line of Ohio champions since the establishment of the Ohio Chess Association in 1945. You probably know who holds the most titles, but do you know how many? Did you know that many of the earliest Ohio championships featured 7 rounds of play? Can you guess the longest span of time between first and second title by a player? We hope the tribute will spur readers to submit stories, games, and photos of their encounters with these warriors so that all can better appreciate their accomplishments.



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2015 Columbus Open **July 17, 18, 19**

Ohio Union of The Ohio State University, 1739 North High Street, Columbus 43201

3-Day Schedule

Registration: ends Friday 6:30 p.m.

Rounds: Friday at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday at 2:00 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.; 3:00 p.m.

2-Day Schedule

Registration: ends Saturday 9:30 a.m.

Rounds: Saturday at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday at 2:00 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.; 3:00 p.m.

Re-entry: \$20. Any player who loses Fri. night may re-enter for \$20 and loss will not count in tournament standings!

Byes: One ½-pt. Bye available upon request in Rds 1-4 (request required prior to Rd 1).

Unrated players may play in any section. \$25 upset prize each section.

5-second delay all sections. N.S. A/C

Parking is \$7 per day at nearby campus parking garages.
