

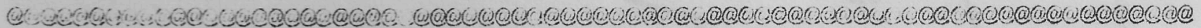
# Staffs Chess News

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Editorial:

Pride of place in this issue must go to Mr. David Anderton for his award of the O.B.E. which was announced in the New Year's Honours List.

Although the local newspaper only touched vaguely at the achievements of David in the Chess world, more knowledgeable people are obviously aware of the amount of time, work and effort he has devoted to our sport and I am sure that all chess players in Staffordshire will join with me in salutation and add our congratulations to this welcome recognition of his work.



WOLVERHAMPTON LEAGUE TABLE.      DIVISION FIVE.

<u>Team.</u>	<u>Played.</u>	<u>Won.</u>	<u>Drew.</u>	<u>Lost.</u>	<u>Points.</u>
Wolverhampton Kipping C.	6	4	0	2	8
Harris & Sheldon B.	5	4	0	1	8
Lichfield District.	4	2	2	0	6
Wolverhampton .	4	3	0	1	6
Cannock Chase D.	3	2	0	1	4
Rugeley C.	4	2	0	2	4
Bushbury C.	4	0	2	2	2
Goodyears B.	4	0	1	3	1
Kingswinford B.	3	0	1	2	1
Penn B.L. E.	2	0	1	1	1
Penn B.L. D.	3	0	1	2	1

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STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY MATCHES:Midland Counties Championship Match: STAFFS I v WORCS I.

Match played at Abbey Stadium, Redditch, Worcs, on Saturday 20th. November, 1976. Staffs had White on the odd boards.

<u>Staffordshire I</u>	v	<u>Worcestershire I.</u>	
A. Morley.	1	J. Anderson.	0
R. Beach.	0	G.F. Harris.	1
D.W. Anderton.	0	R.F.T. Wood.	1
B. Marshall.	1	B.G. Dudley.	0
E. Goodwin.	0	S. Small.	1
G. Homer.	1	D. Adshead.	0
M.W. Johnson.	1	E. Myers.	0
W. Armstrong.	0	Dr. V.G. Jenson.	1
I. McGillivray.	$\frac{1}{2}$	T.D.R. Grove.	$\frac{1}{2}$
Dr. N. Young.	0	J. Heath.	1
H.J. Baines.	$\frac{1}{2}$	J. Knee.	$\frac{1}{2}$
W. Clayton.	1	G. Thomas.	0
R. Butler.	1	P.C. Robertson.	0
A. Leadbetter.	1	M.V.A. Hobbs.	0
A. Willis.	1	A. Green.	0
G. Heap.	1	A.K. Winwood.	0
E. Lees.	$\frac{1}{2}$	C.L. Heathcote.	$\frac{1}{2}$
J. Charles.	0	A.E. Copeman.	1
S. Hodge.	$\frac{1}{2}$	G. Malpass.	$\frac{1}{2}$
S. Dickens.	$\frac{1}{2}$	B. Foord.	$\frac{1}{2}$
	<u>11<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>		<u>8<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>

Minor Counties Championship Match: STAFFS II v HEREFORD.

This match was played at John Thompson's, Ettingshall, Wolverhampton, on Saturday 4th, December, 1976, and was over 16 boards.

<u>Staffordshire II</u>	v	<u>Hereford.</u>	
A. Willis.	$\frac{1}{2}$	M.J. Proctor.	$\frac{1}{2}$
E. Lees.	$\frac{1}{2}$	P. Johnson.	$\frac{1}{2}$
E.G. Luck.	0	R. Porter.	1
J.H. Charles.	1	Default.	0
S. Hodge.	0	J. Begbie.	1
J. Earwicker.	0	J. Geary.	1
J. Pitcher.	1	W.A. Archer.	0
P.T. Burnett.	1	G. Snowball.	0
W. Wallace.	$\frac{1}{2}$	M.E.L. Griffiths.	$\frac{1}{2}$
N. Bell.	$\frac{1}{2}$	E.G. Shields.	$\frac{1}{2}$
R.M. Ewan.	0	R. Campbell.	1
M. Lawton.	1	R.C. Leighton.	0
T. Swain.	0	P.J. Barker.	1
A. Pitcher.	1	D. Black.	0
K.A. Francis.	1	R. Neville.	0
G. Stokes-Roberts.	0	A. Leary.	1
	<u>8</u>		<u>8</u>

Junior Event. U/18 Match.

<u>Staffordshire</u>	v	<u>Shropshire.</u>	
M. Costley.	$\frac{1}{2}$	J. Bourne.	$\frac{1}{2}$
N. Cowley.	1	D. Evans.	0
S. Hodge.	1	J. Cox.	0
J.E. Crump.	0	P. Evans.	1
C. Benyon.	1	G. Pugh.	0
N. Jones.	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Evans.	$\frac{1}{2}$
Miss C. Whitehead.	1	L.V. Roberts.	0
B. Chidlow.	$\frac{1}{2}$	P. Griffiths.	$\frac{1}{2}$
G.T. Kitchen.	1	P. Billington.	0
K. Brand.	$\frac{1}{2}$	K. Bradley.	$\frac{1}{2}$

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U/18 Match ..... cont.....

<u>Staffs.</u>	v	<u>Shrops.</u>	
N.J. Bradbury.	1/2	D. Hopwood.	1/2
A. Whitehead.	1	M. Westwood.	0
K. Gledhill.	1	Glen Randle.	0
I. Sage.	0	K. Birch.	1
D. Concar.	1	P. Iddison.	0
A. Shanks.	1	P. Jones.	0
N. Preston.	1	P. Darmanin.	0
J. Middleton.	1	D. Burke.	0
P. Evans. (Default)	0	P. O'Doherty.	1
D. Blakeman.	1	S. Cruise.	0
B. Farr.	1	D. Doignie.	0
G.J. Ralphs.	1	D. Bourne.	0
Mark May.	0	Miss G. Randle.	1
Martin May.	1	Miss M. Darmanin.	0
P. Wilkes.	1	S. Cruise.	0
P. Hadley.	1	P. Jones.	0
	<u>19 1/2</u>		<u>6 1/2</u>

STAFFORDSHIRE COLOURS.

First Team Ties. The following Staffs players have qualified to sport the appropriate Tie applicable for the County First Team.

The full list was given in Staffs Chess News No.11 1970 and the additional names published here cover the period 1971 - 1976:-

1971	J.D. Hughes.	J.M. Turner.	J.M. Quinn.	C.S. Barnard.
	R.F.T. Wood.			
1972	E.H. Goodwin.	B. Hopewell.	E.W. Lees.	P. Wojciechowski.
	M.C. Wright.	W.P. Taylor.	J. Watson.	
1973	R. Martin.	J. Montgomery.		
1974	G.R. Evans.	B. Marshall.		
1975	M.W. Johnson.	D.A. Tarbuck.	A.T. Leadbetter.	
	I.C.R. MacGillivray.			
1976	A. Willis.	R. Butler.		

Qualifiers during 1949 - 51 were: W.N. Boyden. A.J. Butcher. F. Cooper. J. Fellows. C. Gilmore. G. Homer. V.G. Jenson. R.F. Walton.

Qualifiers during 1957 - 1960 were: H.G. Hughes. B.S. Jeffries. L. Vall. G. Wilson.

The missing period 1951 - 1957 is still being investigated and will be published in due course.

Qualifier not previously recorded and prior to 1949 - T.G.A. Farrell.

The Committee have also awarded an Honorary Tie to L.A. Landon.

Second Team Ties: The following Staffs players have qualified for Second Team Ties during period 1964 - 1976:-

1964	G.L. Armstrong.	P.J. Gregory.	J.S. Hatton.	P.G. Jackson.
	G. Janos.	E.F. Ratcliffe.	M. Reynolds.	W. Wiater.
1966	E.W. Lees.	G.A. Lines.		
1967	J.P. Greatbach.	G. Stokes-Roberts.		
1968	M.T. Bacon.	R.J. Edwards (Stafford).	M. Fleury.	E.V. Foulds.
	R. Jones.	I.C.R. MacGillivray.	B. Marshall.	K. Pittaway.
	J.M. Quinn.			
1969	K.A.J. Francis.	G.R. Link.	W.P. Taylor.	
1970	A.C. Finney.			

Second Team Ties.... cont...

1972	A.T. Leadbetter. C. Tomlinson. J.W. Withnall.
1974	J. Freeman.
1975	A. Boxley. T.M. Deaville. R.M. Ewan. R. Withnall.
1976	P. Burnett. T.E. Swain. W. Wallace. A. Wilshaw.

All queries concerning Staffordshire Colours and qualifications for same should be sent to Mr. P.G. Jackson, Staffordshire County Secretary.

CHESS ON T.V.

From Monday, 3rd. January 1977, BBC-2's "MASTER GAME", the chess knock-out competition returns for the second series.

The programme is as follows:-

Week 1 - 3rd. January, 1977.

William Hartston. (Holder of Master Game Trophy)	Versus	Nigel Short. (11 years of age and tipped as a future world champion)
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Week 2 - 10th January, 1977.

John Nunn. (former Junior Champion of Europe)	Versus	Jana Hartston. (British Lady Champion)
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Week 3 - 17th. January, 1977.

George Botterill (former British Champion)	Versus	Julian Hodgson. (13 years of age and London's youngest ever junior Champion)
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Week 4 - 24th. January, 1977.

Tony Miles. (Britain's first and the World's youngest Grandmaster)	Versus	Peter Clarke. (A former England Inter- national and a leading Chess writer).
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Week 5 - 31st, January, 1977.

First Semi - Final.

Week 6 - 7th, February, 1977.

Second Semi - Final.

Week 7 - 14th, February, 1977.

The Final.

Nigel Short, the youngest player taking part in the "Master Game" is no stranger to Staffs Congress players - finishing equal 5th in the 1976 Staffordshire Open Championship in a field of 32 entrants. Here, from the 12th. Staffs Congress book is a game he played in Round 5 of that competition.

SHORT v WOODLAND,Centre Counter.

1. P-K4	P-Q4	2. PXP	N-KB3	3. P-QB4	P-B3
4. P-Q4	PXP	5. PXP(a)	NXP	6. N-QB3	P-K3
7. B-Q3	N-QB3	8. KN-K2	B-Q3	9. NXP	PXP
10. B-N1	B-KN5(b)	11. P-B3	B-R4	12. K-B2(c)	Q-R5ch
13. P-N3	Q-B3	14. Q-Q3(d)	N-N5	15. Q-B5	QxQ
16. BxQ	B-N3	17. BxB	RPxB	18. P-QR3	N-B3
19. B-K3	O-O-O	20. QR-QB1	B-B2	21. P-QN4	P-R3
22. P-KR4	KR-K1	23. R-B3	R-K3	24. KR-QB1	QR-K1
25. P-R4	R(1)-K2(e)	26. P-N5	PXP	27. PXP	N-R2
28. N-B4	R-Q3	29. P-N6	RXP	30. NXP	R-N7ch
31. K-N1	RxB	32. RxBch	Resigns.		

(-) This is inferior and I know it, but he probably knew all book lines

Notes to Game ..... cont...

(b) Shucks!

(c) Getting the King out of the way.

(d) Here Black couldn't find anything to do. His men are all well placed but they aren't any real danger to White's King. Just as a point of interest, White could have played 14. R-B1 and hoped for 14... QxPch. 15. K-N1 Q-N5; 16. B-B5 and Black's Queen is lost for after 16... QxN; 17. R-K1.

(e) 25... K-N1 was better.

(Notes by the winner). (Nigel was one day short of his 11th birthday when this game was played).

NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.Round 1.

<u>Stafford</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Electra.</u>	<u>2</u>
R.V.H. Butters.	0	R.A. Beach.	1
C.J. Gant.	½	D.J. Barnett.	½
E.G. Luck.	1	S. Whitehead.	0
A.T. Leadbetter.	1	P. Robinson.	0
S. Hodge.	½	C. Bott.	½
P. Ganeri.	1	J. Pitcher.	0

ROCK CUP RESULTS. Round 1.

W. Hutchinson.	1	M. Duffy.	0	W. O'Donnell.	0	G. Ling.	1
G. Oglesby.	0	N.P. Cook.	1	Y. Annand.	DEF	A. Turner.	1
D. Conway.	0	M.W. Savin.	1	R.W. Whittingham.	DEF	F. Hackett.	1
S.J. Barr.	1	P.S. Walkins.	0	R.W. Kindon.	1	B. Jones.	0
E.A. Thomas.	0	D. Jeffs.	1	J.P. Keene.	½0	L. Hesbrook.	½1
R.A. Francis.	DEF	H. New.	1	G. Hicks.	DEF	C.J. Challenor.	
J.H. Charles.	1	K.W. Bate.	0	P. Evans.	1	J. Willetts.	0
M. Page.	0	K. Pittaway.	1	T. Bonham.	1	G.A. Edwards.	0
F. Savage.	1	C. Webb.	0	J.P. Peters.	½½	K.R. Grainger	½½
P. Guest.	0	D. Perks.	1	P. Jones.	1	R. Cooper.	0
D. Blest.	0	N. Cowley.	1	J. Pitt	DEF	D.M. Bonner.	1
P. O'Donoghue.	0	G. Parkes.	1	Mrs Lloyd.	1	A. Schroeder.	0
G. S-Roberts.	1	M. Finnemore	DEF	R. Clamo	DEF	F. Lloyd.	1
A. Walker.	1	A. Collabella.	0	M. Wojciechowski	DEF	C.A. Jones.	1
B.R. Smith.	1	R. Blackwell.	0	K.A.J. Francis.	0	N. Jones.	1
S. Jukes.	1	W.J. Bloomer.	0	I.J. Law.	0	D. Challenor.	1
G. Thomas.	1	G. Tuck.	0	M. Pyatt.	1	C. Tuck.	0

Eight players defaulted in Round 1 of the Rock Cup which means that only 25 players compete in the Bidgood Trophy.

PITTAWAY TROPHY. Round 1.

<u>Wolverhampton</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Rugeley</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Lichfield.</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>W-ton Kipping.</u>	<u>4</u>
J. Fellows.	1	A. Walker.	0	D. Tarbuck.	½	A. Sadler.	½
N.P. Cook.	0	M. Page.	1	B. Milner.	1	M.W. Johnson	0
L.G. Hesbrook.	½	E. Heap.	½	G. Bradley.	0	E. Goodwin.	1
J.P. Wilkinson.	1	G. Oglesby.	0	K. Thompson.	1	A.A. Roberts.	0
R.A. Cook.	1	G. Edwards.	0	A. Grant.	0	J. Bargery.	1
R.W. Whittingham	0	D. Lee	1	T. Rees.	1	J.A. Elliott.	0
R.J. Page.	1	S. Temple.	0	J. Keaveney.	½	B. Tisdell.	½
E.A. Thomas.	½	B. Baker.	½	W. Webster.	0	D. Colley.	1

Walsall Kipping beat West Bromwich by DEFAULT.

Pittaway Trophy. cont.....

		<u>Mercia</u>		5	<u>Kingswinford</u>		3
K.A. Francis.	1	H. Callow.	0	B. Smith.	1	P. Guest.	0
G. S-Roberts.	0	R. Kindon.	1	G. Sanders.	1	W. Fletcher.	0
D. Perks.	1	A. Clarke.	0	Mrs.M. Lloyd.	0	A. Whitehouse.	1
F. Lloyd.	0	G. Parkes.	1	J. Pitt.	1	K. Smith.	0

WOLVERHAMPTON CHESS LEAGUE RESULTS.

Division I.

<u>Bushbury</u>	5½	<u>Penn B.L. A</u>	0	<u>West Bromwich</u>	4	<u>Stourbridge B</u>	2
P. Staley.	1	A.K. Boxley.	0	J.H. Baines.	0	R.T. Wray.	1
G. Hicks.	1	D. Smith.	0	J.E. Crump.	1	F. Pickett.	0
A. Jones.	1	K. Tabner.	0	D. Davies.	1	G. Moss.	0
N. Jones.	½	M. Costley.	½	W.F. Partridge	1	T. Aldworth.	0
P. Evans.	1	P. Terry.	0	✕ R.M. Partridge	½	C. Greaves.	½
P. Jones.	1	P. Bate.	0	G. Homer.	½	T. Soley.	½
<u>Stafford B</u>	2	<u>Stafford A</u>	4	<u>Penn B.L. A</u>	4	<u>Penn B.L. B</u>	2
E.G. Luck.	0	B.H. Coop.	1	D.G. Edwards.	1	F. Marson.	0
P. Ganeri.	0	R.V. Butters.	0	A.K. Boxley.	0	N. Cowley.	1
S. Hidge.	½	C.J. Gant.	½	D.J. Smith.	½	D. Safe.	½
R.M. Ewan.	½	R.A. Alley.	½	M. Costley.	1	J. Grugulis.	0
B. Wallace.	0	A.T. Leadbetter	1	P. Nightingale.	½	G. Safe.	½
E. Newton.	0	G.H. de Visme	1	P. Terry.	1	P.J. French.	0
<u>Lichfield</u>	1½	<u>Walsall Kip A</u>	4½	<u>Stourbridge A</u>	2½	<u>Lichfield</u>	2½
B. Milner.	0	D.R. Johnson.	1	B.G. Dudley.	1	B. Milner.	0
D. Tarbuck.	1	B. Marshall.	0	A. Ruffle.	1	D. Tarbuck.	0
K. Thompson.	0	N. Young.	1	F. Tatler.	0	K.R. Thompson.	1
A. Grant.	0	J.C. Sturrock.	1	D. Fernihough	½	A. Grant.	½
M. Hoare.	0	P.A. Harris.	1	G. Burford.	1	I. Thow.	0
E. Keaveney.	½	E. Lees.	½	A. Littley	✕ ½	J. Keaveney.	½
		<u>Walsall Kip B</u>	5	<u>Penn B.L. B</u>	1		
A. Willis.	1	D. Safe.	0	R. Butler.	1	G. Safe.	0
W. Clayton.	½	N. Cowley.	½	S. Dickens.	1	F. Marson.	DEF
M. Groombridge	½	J. Grugulis.	½	R. Jones.	1	M. Horrigan.	DEF

Division II.

<u>Rugeley A</u>	2½	<u>Wolverhampton</u>	3½	<u>J. Thompson A</u>	1½	<u>Dudley A</u>	4½
L. Chrusciel	0	L. Hesbrook.	1	K. Pittaway.	0	P. Sharratt.	1
A. Walker.	½	N.P. Cook.	½	G.M. Wellings.	½	S. Jukes.	½
M. Page.	1	J. Wilkinson.	0	R. Jones.	1	G. Elwell.	0
E. Heap.	0	L. Williams.	1	F. Savage.	0	I. Tudor Williams	1
D. Wheeler	1	R.A. Cook.	0	G.J. Ralph.	0	C. Sharratt.	1
P. Nightingale	DEF	R. Whittingham	1	G.P. Ralph.	0	J. Blewitt.	1
<u>Walsall Kip B</u>	5	<u>West Bromwich</u>	1	<u>W-ton Kipping B</u>	3½	<u>Springvale</u>	2½
D. Friend.	0	J. Friar.	1	K.G. Humphreys	½	J.H. Charles.	½
E. Jones.	1	G. Wesson.	0	D. Colley.	0	J.P. Keene.	1
M.W. Oakley.	1	G. Ingles.	DEF	B. Tisdell.	1	J. Holloway.	0
M. Savin.	1	K. Whale.	"	D. Guest.	1	R. Grainger.	0
J. Gough.	1	D. Davis.	"	J.V. Bargery.	½	H. New.	½
J. Lefevre	1	A.J. Shaw	"	F. Bassett.	½	D. Wright.	½
<u>Wolverhampton A</u>	4	<u>Springvale A</u>	2	<u>Dudley A</u>	3	<u>W-ton Kipping</u>	2
J. Fellows.	½	J.H. Charles.	½	R. Parkes.	✕ 0	K.G. Humphreys.	1
L.G. Hesbrook.	0	J.P. Keene.	1	P. Sharratt.	½	R. Quinton.	½
N.P. Cook.	½	R. Grainger.	½	I.J. Henley.	1	D.J. Colley.	0
J.P. Wilkinson.	1	J. Holloway.	0	I. Tudor Williams	1	B. Smith.	0
R.A. Cook.	1	H. New.	0	C. Sharratt	1	B. Tisdell.	0
R.W. Whittingham.	1	D. Wright.	0	J. Blewitt.	½	F.W. Bassett	½
<u>Dudley A</u>	2½	<u>Telford</u>	2½			<u>Div III.</u>	
R. Parkes.	✕ 1	N.R. Andrews.	0	<u>Mercia A</u>	3½	<u>Cannock Chase A</u>	1½
P. Sharratt.	0	A. Darmanin.	1	K.A.J. Francis	1	R. Kinkead	0
T.J. Henley.	1	L. Roberts.	0	B. Smith.	1	K. Windle	0
I. Tudor Williams	1	D. Roberts.	0	G. S-Roberts.	0	B. Lynam	1
				D. Perks.	1	M. Haywood	1

Wolverhampton League Results cont... Div V.

<u>Goodyears B 1½</u>	<u>Harris Sheldon B 3½</u>	<u>W-ton Kipping C 1½</u>	<u>Harris Sheldon 3½</u>
R. Clamp. 0	D. Thomas. 1	A. West. 1	D. Thomas. 0
P. O'Donoghue 1	E. Dodd 0	B. Sheldon. ½	E. Dodd. ½
C. Wilson. 0	N. Smith. 1	F. Greaves. 0	N. Smith. 1
R. Blackwell. ½	Mark May ½	S. Carley. 0	Mark May. 1
R. Cooper. 0	Martin May. 1	P. Morris. 0	Martin May. 1
<u>Goodyears B 2½</u>	<u>Lichfield Dist 2½</u>	<u>W-ton Kipping C 3</u>	<u>Wolverhampton C 2</u>
C. Wilson. 0	I. McGillivray 1	A. West 1	P.S. Walkins. 0
R. Clamp. ½	S. Abbotts. ½	B. Sheldon 1	K.W. Bate 0
P. O'Donoghue. 1	G. Chatting. 0	T. Grieve. 0	C.J. Challender 1
R. Blackwell. 1	G.A. Cooper. 0	S. Carley. 1	R.A. Francis. 0
G. Blest. 0	W. Chapman. 1	A. Sheldon. 0	B. Lewis. 1
<u>Wolverhampton C 3</u>	<u>Kingswinford B 2</u>	<u>Harris Sheldon B 5</u>	<u>Kingswinford B 0</u>
P.S. Walkins. 0	T. Bonham. 1	D. Thomas. 1	A. Clarke. 0
K.W. Bate. 1	G. Parkes. 0	E. Dodd. 1	G. Parkes. 0
C.J. Challender 1	A. Clarke. 0	N. Smith. 1	G. Wood. 0
M. Duffy. 0	K. Smith. 0	Mark May. 1	M. Callow. 0
B. Lewis. 1	G. Wood. 0	Martin May. 1	E. Brammeld 0
<u>Harris Sheldon 5</u>	<u>Rugeley C 0</u>	<u>Rugeley C 2</u>	<u>Lichfield Dist 3</u>
D. Thomas. 1	S. Temple. 0	B. Baker. 0	K. Edmonds. 1
N. Smith. 1	B. Baker. 0	S. Temple. 0	A. Cox. 1
E. Dodd. 1	M. Kennedy 0	J. Horton. 0	W. Chapman. 1
Mark May. 1	J. Horton. 0	M. Kennedy. 1	G. Cooper. 0
Martin May. 1	D. Crandon. 0	D. Brandon. 1	G. Chatting. 0

Cannock Chase D beat Penn B.L. D by DEFAULT.

Division VI

<u>Wellman Crane 3½</u>	<u>W-ton Kipping D 1½</u>	<u>Oldhill 3½</u>	<u>Goodyear C 1½</u>
R. Mayo 0	I. Green. 1	D. Jeffs. 1	M. Wociechowski 0
P.J. Wade. ½	P. Morris. ½	B. Homer. ½	T. Collabella ½
S. Thompson. 1	N. Platt. 0	F. Hackett 0	T. Willetts. 1
J. Burke. 1	D. Morris. 0	A. Turner. 1	R. Cooper. 0
C. Perry. 1	M. Lampitt 0	B. Jones. 1	Y. Annand. 0
<u>Penn B.L. F 1</u>	<u>Wolverhampton C 4</u>	<u>Goodyears C 0</u>	<u>Wolverhampton D 5</u>
L. Terry. 0	M. Duffy. 1	T. Collabella 0	L.D. Williams. 1
C. Byrne. 0	I. Lister. 1	T. Willetts. 0	J. Wyer. 1
Miss A Hughes 0	D. Fisher. 1	R. Cooper. 0	P.S. Fisher. 1
J. Broadley. 0	G.S. Taylor. 1	C. Wilson. 0	G. E. MacDivitt 1
R. Dasgupta 1	N.A. Dodd. 0	Y. Annand. 0	M.W. Holmes. 1

WOLVERHAMPTON SUMMER LEAGUE.

There will be a meeting of all interested persons at British Steel Corporation Social Centre, Millfields Rd., Bilston, on Tuesday, 8th. February, 1977.

The 1976 Summer League was a experimental event which proved pretty successful but was rather vague as to things like rules, fees & prizes for winning team(s), etc., etc., and it is hoped that this meeting will produce a formula for the construction of a permanent healthy league.

Clubs interested but unable to attend are requested to let me know at the usual address as printed on Page One of this issue.

Wolverhampton League Results cont.... Div III.

<u>Dudley B</u> 2½	<u>Penn B.L. C</u> 2½	<u>Rock A</u> 3	<u>G.K.N.</u> 2
E. Parkes. ½	M. Horrigan. ½	G. Heap. 1	B. Hammond. 0
M. Musty. 0	F. Green. 1	S.J. Barr. 0	W. Hammond. 1
G. Tuck. 1	B. Safe. 0	G. Ling. 1	A. Evans. 0
W. Criss. 1	M. Cromwell. 0	J. Williams. 1	G. Joynes. 0
D. Mulligan. 0	J. Cook. 1	M. Heap. 0	C.H. Wilkinson 1

<u>Walsall Kip E</u> 2½	<u>Mercia A</u> 2½	<u>Penn B.L. C</u> 3	<u>Cannock Chase</u> 2
C. Somers. 1	K.A. Francis. 0	M. Horrigan. 1	D. Lewis. 0
H. Curtis. ½	B.R. Smith. ½	L. Terry. 0	R. Kinkead. 1
K. Moody. 0	D. Perks. 1	D.M. Smith. 1	A. Gilbert. 0
S. Allen. 1	G. S-Roberts. 0	G. Nightingale 0	K. Windle 1
J. Lefevre. 0	Mrs M. Lloyd. 1	J. Cook. 1	D. Burgoyne 0

<u>Dudley B</u> 3½	<u>Wolverhampton B</u> 1½	<u>Goodyears A</u> 5	<u>West Bromwich C</u> 0
M. Garbett. 1	R.J. Page. 0	A. Schroeder. 1	DEFAULT.
S. Jukes. 1	J. Wyer. 0	D. Blest. 1	"
E. Parkes. ½	W.N. Boyden. ½	M. Finnemore. 1	"
G. Tuck. 1	P.R. Eastwood. 0	D.M. Bonner. 1	"
D. Challenger 0	B. Priest. 1	W. O'Donnell. 1	"

Division IV.

<u>Lichfield C</u> 4½	<u>Mercia B</u> ½	<u>Stafford C</u> 2	<u>Cosford</u> 3
M. Turner. 1	F. Lloyd 0	A.B.C. Smith. 0	R. Rowe. 1
J. Bailey. ½	J. Pitt. ½	R. Jarvis. ½	A. Crilly. ½
S. Foulds 1	A. Farnell. 0	I. McNeill. 1	E. Slaney 0
J. Mullins. 1	R. McPherson 0	P. O'Leary ½	J. McAvoy ½
D. Neale. 1	Default. 0	K. Coghlan 0	S. Dickens. 1

<u>Bushbury B</u> 3	<u>Stafford C</u> 2	<u>Stafford C</u> 4	<u>Cannock Chase B</u> 1
P. Jones. ½	I. McNeill. ½	A. Smith. 1	R. Hales. 0
A. Black. 0	R. Jarvis. 1	I. McNeill. 0	M. Hayward. 1
B. Farr. 1	B. Hollis. 0	R. Jarvis. 1	B. Lynam. 0
G. Baker. ½	K. Brand. ½	J. Earwicker. 1	D. Burgoyne. 0
R. Kidd. 1	A.T. Bailey. 0	K. Brand. 1	D. Moir. 0

<u>Lichfield C</u> 1½	<u>Harris &amp; Sheldon</u> 3½	<u>Rock B</u> 2	<u>Bushbury B</u> 3
M. Turner. ½	T. Proffitt ½	G. Hancock. 0	P. Jones. 1
J. Mullins. ½	M. Whitehouse ½	B. Naylor. 0	A. Black. 1
P. Thornton. 0	F. Bennett 1	W. Hutchinson ½	B. Farr ½
D. Neale. ½	N. Smith. ½	M. Darlington ½	G. Baker ½
L. Ratbuck 0	Mark May 1	M. Heap. 1	M. Banks. 0

<u>Kingswinford A</u> 2½	<u>Rock B</u> 2½	<u>Bushbury</u> 2½	<u>J. Thompson B</u> 2½
H. Callow. ½	W. Hutchinson. ½	P. Jones. 1	R. Farmer. 0
P. Guest. 1	J. Williams. 0	A. Black. 1	R. Evans. DEF
R. Kindon. 0	R. Bates. 1	B. Farr. 0	L. Reynolds. 1
W. Fletcher. 0	M. Darlington. 1	G. Baker. ½	R. Scribner. ½
T. Bonham. 1	I. Sage. 0	R. Kidd. 0	C. Savage. 1

<u>Harris Sheldon A</u> 2½	<u>Cosford</u> 2½	<u>Harris Sheldon</u> 3½	<u>Dudley C</u> 1½
T. Proffitt. ½	R. Rowe. ½	T.E. Proffitt. 1	C. Tuck. 0
M. Whitehouse. 1	E. Slaney. 0	M. Whitehouse. 1	K. Fradgley. 0
F. Bennett 0	A. Crilly. 1	F. Bennett. 1	M. Willetts. 0
D. Thomas. ½	S. MvAvoy. ½	G. Clarke. 0	M. Pyatt. 1
E. Dodd ½	S. Dickens. ½	R. Crutchley. ½	I. Law. ½

<u>Dudley C</u> 1½	<u>Stafford C</u> 3½	<u>Cannock Chase B</u> 1	<u>Kingswinford A</u> 4
S. Jukes. 0	A.B.S. Smith. 1	M. Hayward. 0	R. Kindon. 1
D. Challenor. 0	R. Jarvis. 1	B. Lynam. 0	P. Guest. 1
M. Willetts. 0	I. McNeill. 1	D. Moir. 0	W. Fletcher. 1
C. Tuck. 1	P. O'Leary. 0	K. Warkulewicz 1	T. Bonham 0
M. Pyatt. ½	K. Brand. ½	D. Burgoyne. 0	A. Clarke. 1

WOLVERHAMPTON CHESS LEAGUE TABLES.DIVISION ONE.

<u>Team.</u>	<u>Played.</u>	<u>Won.</u>	<u>Drawn.</u>	<u>Lost.</u>	<u>Adj.</u>	<u>Points.</u>
Walsall Kipping A.	6	4	2	0	0	10
Bushbury A.	5	4	1	0	0	9
Walsall Kipping B.	6	3	2	1	0	8
Stafford A.	5	2	1	0	2	5
Stafford B.	4	1	2	1	0	4
West Bromwich A.	4	2	0	2	0	4
Stourbridge A.	6	0	2	1	3	2
Stourbridge B.	4	1	0	1	2	2
Lichfield A.	5	0	2	3	0	2
Penn B.L. A.	5	1	0	4	0	2
Wolverhampton Kipping A.	3	0	2	1	0	2
Penn B.L. B.	4	0	0	3	1	0

DIVISION TWO.

Springvale A.	6	3	1	2	0	7
Rugeley. A.	5	3	0	2	0	6
Wolverhampton Kipping B.	6	3	0	2	0	6
Dudley A.	5	2	1	2	0	5
Lichfield B.	3	2	0	1	0	4
Telford.	3	1	2	0	0	4
J. Thompson A.	4	2	0	2	0	4
Wolverhampton A.	4	2	0	2	0	4
Walsall Kipping C.	3	2	0	1	0	4
Walsall Kipping D.	5	1	1	3	0	3
West Bromwich B.	5	1	1	3	0	3
Stourbridge C.	4	1	0	3	0	2

DIVISION THREE.

Mercia A.	7 <sup>5</sup>	3	2	0	0	8 <sup>12</sup>
Walsall Kipping E.	5	3	2	0	0	8
Penn B.L. C.	6	3	1	2	0	7
Rock.	4	3	0	1	0	6
Dudley B.	6	2	2	2	0	6
Goodyears A.	5	2	1	2	0	5
Cannock Chase A.	4	2	0	2	0	4
Rugeley B.	5	1	1	2	1	3
Wolverhampton B.	3	1	0	2	0	2
G.K.N.	4	0	1	3	0	1
West Bromwich C.	4	0	0	4	0	0

DIVISION FOUR.

Kingswinford A.	5	3	2	0	0	8
Lichfield C.	5	4	0	1	0	8
R.A.F. Cosford.	6	3	1	2	0	7
Harris & Sheldon A.	5	2	2	1	0	6
Bushbury B.	4	2	1	1	0	5
Cannock Chase B.	5	2	1	2	0	5
Rock B.	5	1	3	1	0	5
Springvale B.	4	2	0	2	0	4
Mercia B.	4	1	1	2	0	3
Dudley C.	6	1	0	5	0	2
J. Thompson B.	5	0	2	0	0	2

DIVISION SIX.

Wolverhampton D.	6	6	0	0	0	12
Oldhill.	5	4	1	0	0	9
Goodyears C.	7	3	0	4	0	6
Bushbury D.	4	1	2	1	0	4
Penn B.L. F.	5	2	0	3	0	4
Wellman Cranes.	6	2	0	4	0	4
Mercia C.	6	1	1	4	0	3