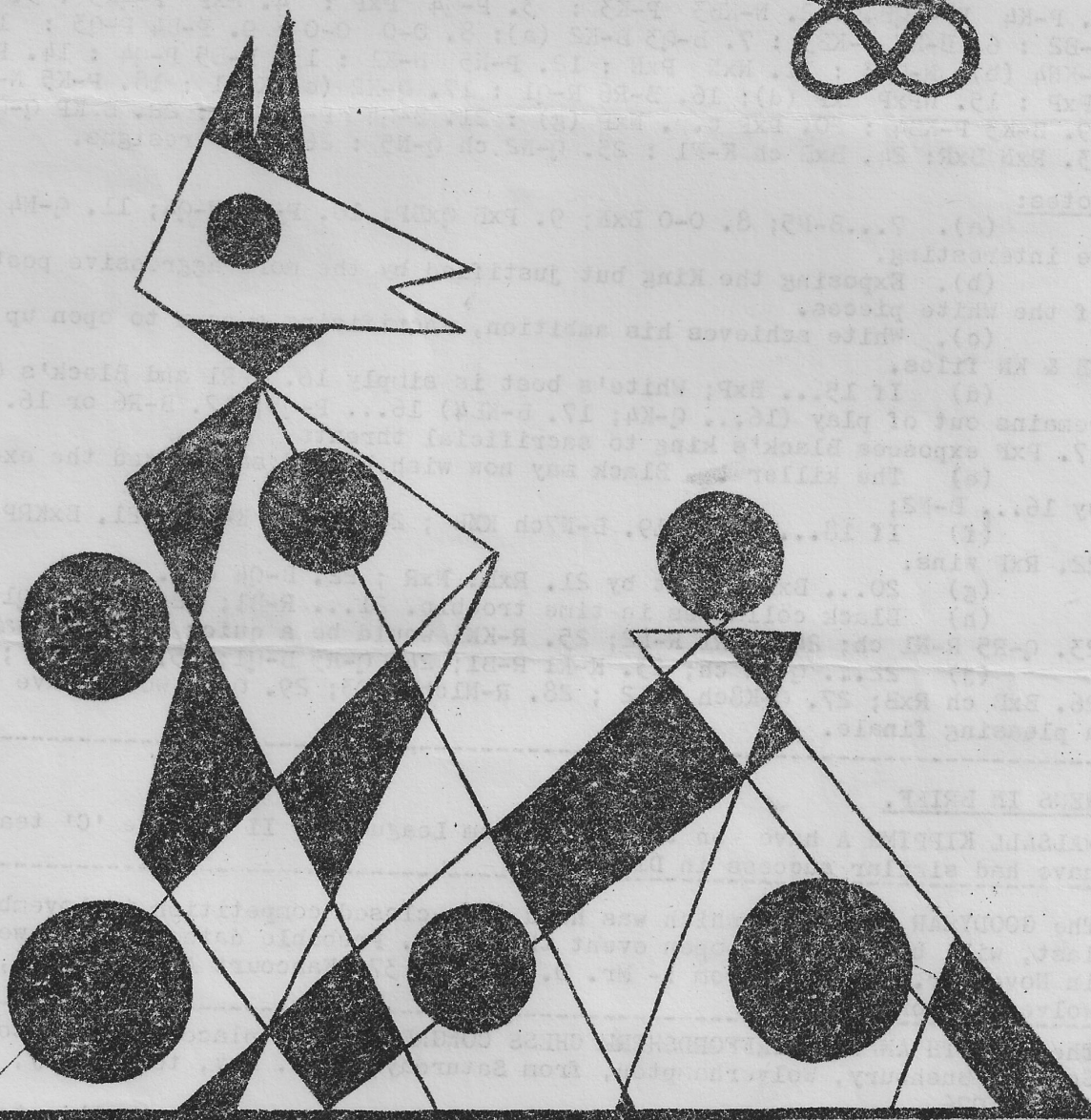




Staffs Chess News

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GAMES SECTION.Hickman Cup Semi Final . Board 1.D.R. Johnson (Walsall Kipping) v B. Hopewell (Electra).Opening : Sicilian Defence.

1. P-K4 P - QB4 : 2. N-KB3 P-K3 : 3. P-Q4 PxP : 4. NxP P-QR3 : 5. N-QB3
 Q-B2 : 6. B-K3 N-KB3 : 7. B-Q3 B-K2 (a): 8. O-O O-O : 9. P-B4 P-Q3 : 10.
 P-KN4 (b) N-QB3 : 11. NxN PxN : 12. P-N5 N-K1 : 13. P-B5 P-Q4 : 14. P-B6 (c)
 NPxP : 15. NPxP NxP (d): 16. B-R6 R-Q1 : 17. Q-K2 (e) K-R1 : 18. P-K5 N-N1 :
 19. B-K3 P-KB4 : 20. PxP e.p. NxP (g) : 21. B-Q4 P-K4 (h): 22. BxKP Q-Q2 (j):
 23. RxN BxR: 24. BxB ch K-N1 : 25. Q-N2 ch Q-N5 : 26. BxR resigns.

Notes:

(a). 7...B-N5; 8. O-O BxN; 9. PxB QxBP; 10. P-K5 N-Q4; 11. Q-N4 would be interesting.

(b). Exposing the King but justified by the more aggressive posting of the White pieces.

(c). White achieves his ambition, sacrificing a pawn to open up the KB & KN files.

(d) If 15... BxP; White's best is simply 16. K-R1 and Black's Queen remains out of play (16... Q-K4; 17. B-KB4) 16... P-Q5; 17. B-R6 or 16... K-R1; 17. PxP exposes Black's king to sacrificial threats.

(e) The killer ! Black may now wish he had sacrificed the exchange by 16... B-N2;

(f) If 18... N-N5; 19. B-N7ch KxB ; 20. QxNch K-R1 ; 21. BxKRP QxP; 22. RxP wins.

(g) 20... BxP is met by 21. RxB! NxR ; 22. B-Q4 etc. ,

(h) Black collapses in time trouble. 21... R-B1; 22. B-K5 Q-Q1 ; 23. Q-R5 R-N1 ch; 24. K-R1 R-N2; 25. R-KN1 would be a quick death anyway.

(j) 22... Q-R2 ch; 23. K-R1 R-B1; 24. Q-R5 B-Q1; 25. RxN BxR ; 26. BxB ch RxB; 27. Q-K8ch K-N2 ; 28. R-N1ch K-R3; 29. Q-N8 would have been a pleasing finale.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

WALSALL KIPPING A have won the Birmingham League Div II and the 'C' team have had similar success in Div VI.

The GOODYEAR CONGRESS, which was held as a closed competition in November last, will be run as an open event this year. Probable date is first week in November. Details from :- Mr. D. Bonner, 37, Fancourt Avenue, Penn, Wolverhampton.

The TWELFTH ANNUAL STAFFORDSHIRE CHESS CONGRESS takes place at Northicote School, Bushbury, Wolverhampton, from Saturday, 29th. May, to Tuesday, 1st June, 1976.

The Staffs Chess Association A.G.M. will take place, also at Northicote Schools, on Tuesday, 1st June, 1976, at 3.00 pm.

The BURNWOOD FIRST OPEN CHESS CONGRESS, a 1 day 5 Round Swiss Tournament, will be held on Saturday, July 10th, 1976, at Burnwood Recreation Centre, High street, Chasetown, Walsall.

Details from Mr. W. Morrison, Burnwood Recreation Centre, High Street, Chestown, Walsall, or Phone: Burnwood 2911.

The 2nd, SURREY CHESS CONGRESS takes place at The Ricards Lodge High School, Lake Road, Wimbledon, S.W. 19, on 16th, 17th & 18th July, 1976.

Details from Mr. H.M. Cath, 6, Northwood Avenue, Purley, Surrey. CR2 2EP.

MIDLAND COUNTIES CHESS UNION A.G.M. Takes place at Nuneaton, June 12th, 1976.

Wolverhampton League Results:- Div I.

<u>Stourbridge A</u> 1½	<u>Walsall Kip A</u> 4½	<u>Stourbridge B</u> 1	<u>Telford</u> 5
N. McSheehy. 0	D.R. Johnson. 1	R. Wray. 1	A. Stearn. 0
F. Tatler. 0	B. Marshall. 1	J. Soley. 0	J. Tunks. 1
J. Williams. ½	Dr. N. Young. ½	F. Pickett. 0	N. Andrews. 1
D. Fernihough. 0	I. McGillivray. 1	G. Moss. 0	N. Grahame. 1
C. Majer. 1	J.H. Baines. 0	S. Thompson. 0	A. Darmanin. 1
P. Moss. 0	E. Lees. 1	T. Aldworth. 0	R. McLean. 1
R.V. Butters. ½	<u>Stafford A</u> 2	<u>Walsall Kipping A</u> 4	B. Marshall. ½
C.J. Gant. ½	D.R. Johnson. ½	J.G. Jackson. ½	I. McGillivray. 1
R. Alley. ½	Dr. N. Young. ½	A. Leadbetter. 0	E. Lees. 1
	R.J. Withnall. ½	B. Hollis. 0	

Div II.

<u>Dudley A</u> 3½	<u>Springvale A</u> 2½
T.R. Grove. 1	J. Charles. 0
G. Elwell. ½	R. Grainger. ½
J. Johnson. 0	H. New. 1
<u>Walsall Kipping C</u> 3½	<u>Rugeley A</u> 2½
R. Jones. ½	W. Wallace. ½
E. Jones. 1	M. Page. 0
C. Somers. 0	T. Styles. 1
	M. Groombridge. ½
	A. Shrimpton. 1
	N. Finer. ½
	R. Hadley. ½
	E. Heap. 0
	G. Edwards. ½

Div IV.

<u>Rock B</u> 2½	<u>J. Thompson B</u> 2½
J. Williams. ½	G.P. Ralph. ½
A. Bate. 1	F. Savage. 0
M. Heap. 1	J. Blewitt. 0
	M. Darlington. 0
	W. Hutchinson. 0
	G.J. Ralph. 1
	G.A. Wellings. 1

Div V.

<u>Lichfield C</u> 4	<u>Penn B.L. E</u> 1
T. Magee. ½	G. Nightingale. ½
J. Bright. ½	D.M. Smith. ½
P. Thornton. 1	R. Horton. DEF,
	S. Foulds. 1
	J. Bailey. 1
	A. Terry. 0
	M. Cromwell. 0

Adjudicated & Adjourned Results.

D. Davies. (West Bromwich)	1	M. Reynolds. (Cannock Chase)	0
G. Towns. " "	½	F. Kihnkead. " "	½
M. Picken. " "	½	T. Soley. (Stourbridge)	½
T. Venables. " "	½	S. Temple. (Rugeley)	½
M. Picken. " "	½	P. Thompson. (Lichfield)	½
S. Hicks. " "	1	A. Leadbetter. (Stafford).	0
D. Aveline. " "	1	LLOYD. (Walsall Kipping)	0
W. Partridge. " "	1	R. Threlfall. (Lichfield).	0
G. Towns. " "	0	T. Henley. (Dudley)	1
R.H. Partridge. " "	0	J. Johnson. "	1
D. Aveline. " "	1	J. Blewitt. "	0
S. Parry. (Goodyears).	1	E. Dodd. (Harris & Sheldon)	0
B. Farr. (Bushbury)	1	W. Cross. (Dudley)	0
G. Tait. (Walsall Kipping)	1	J. Elliott. (W-ton Kipping)	0
C. Tomlinson. " "	½	J. Freeman. (Telford).	½
A. Shrimpton. " "	½	J. Keene. (Springvale)	½
T. McFarlane. " "	1	J. Grugulis. (Penn B.L.)	0
J. France. " "	1	M. Horrigan. " "	0
C. Somers. " "	1	K. Jones. (Lichfield).	0
M. Harding. " "	½	A. Jones. (Bushbury)	½

Adjudicated & Adjourned Results..... cont....

M. Groombridge.	(Walsall Kipping)	1	C. Majer.	(Stourbridge)	0
J. Williams.	(Rock)	$\frac{1}{2}$	G. Newton.	(Dudley).	$\frac{1}{2}$
K. Jones.	(Lichfield).	1	E. Parkes.	"	0
P. Allso.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	P. Cooper.	(West Brom).	$\frac{1}{2}$
J. Denton.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	S. Hicks.	" "	$\frac{1}{2}$
D. Tarbuck.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	R. Parkes.	(Dudley).	$\frac{1}{2}$
D. Tarbuck.	"	0	E. Goodwin.	(W-ton Kipping)	1
N. Summers.	(Dudley).	1	B. Lynam.	(Cannock Chase)	0
M. Musty.	"	1	B. Naylor.	(Rock).	0
A. Lowe.	"	1	G. Lines.	(J. Thompson).	0
L. Hesbrook.	(Wolverhampton).	$\frac{1}{2}$	S. Moss.	(Telford).	$\frac{1}{2}$
J. Fellows.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Stearn.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$
N.P. Cook.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	N. Andrews.	"	$\frac{1}{2}$
L. Hesbrook.	"	1	A. Boxley.	(Penn B.L.)	0
B. Tisdell.	(W-ton Kipping).	1	P. Allso.	(Lichfield).	0
Dr. V. Jenson.	" "	1	I. MacGillivray.	(Walsall Kip)	0
B. Smith.	" "	1	G. Panter.	(Bushbury).	0
R. Grainger.	(Springvale).	1	A. Walker.	(Rugeley).	0
R. Grainger.	"	1	D. Lewis.	(Cannock).	0
H. New.	"	1	A. Steventon.	"	0
F. Marson.	(Penn B.L.)	$\frac{1}{2}$	M. Savin).	(Walsall Kip.)	$\frac{1}{2}$
D.G. Edwards.	" "	1	B. Milner.	(Lichfield).	0
P. Nightingale.	" "	1	T. Aldworth.	(Storbridge).	0
K. Pittaway.	(J. Thompson).	$\frac{1}{2}$	K. Jones.	(Lichfield).	$\frac{1}{2}$
R. Wray.	(Stourbridge).	0	R.V. Butters.	(Stafford).	1
G. Hicks.	(Bushbury).	1	Spencer.	(Walsall Kip).	0
P. Staley.	"	1	D. Davies.	(West Brom)	0
A. Jones.	"	1	A. Jones.	(Walsall Kip)	0
P. Ganeri.	(Stafford).	1	N. Cowley.	(Penn B.L.)	0
E. Heap†	(Rugeley).	$\frac{1}{2}$	G. Sharratt.	(Dudley.)	$\frac{1}{2}$
R. Clamp.	(Goodyears).	$\frac{1}{2}$	J. Peters.	(Bushbury).	$\frac{1}{2}$

PITTAWAY TROPHY RESULTS.

Semi-Final.

Walsall Kipping.	5	Stourbridge	3	Rugeley	3	Penn B.L.	5
D.R. Johnson.	$\frac{1}{2}$	G.F. Harris.	$\frac{1}{2}$	R. Hadley.	$\frac{1}{2}$	G. Edwards.	$\frac{1}{2}$
B. Marshall.	$\frac{1}{2}$	B.G. Dudley.	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Walker.	0	M. Costley.	1
Dr. N. Young.	0	M. Edwards.	1	P. Nightingale.	0	A. Boxley.	1
I. McGillivray.	1	R.J. Wray.	0	M. Page.	0	K. Tabner.	1
J.H. Baines.	1	C. Morley.	0	G. Leese.	$\frac{1}{2}$	D. Smith.	$\frac{1}{2}$
W.N. Clayton.	1	J. Soley.	0	G. Edwards.	0	N. Cawley.	1
J. Sturrock.	0	F. Tatler.	1	T. Styles.	1	P.W. French.	0
R. Butler.	1	C. Timmins.	0	G. Oglesby.	1	M. Horrigan.	0

FINAL.

<u>FINAL.</u>		<u>Penn B.L.</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>Walsall Kipping</u>	<u>34</u>		
D.G. Edwards.	O	D.R. Johnson.	1	K. Tabner.	0	B. Marshall.	1
A. Boxley.	1	I. McGillivray.	O	D. Smith.	$\frac{1}{2}$	W.N. Clayton.	$\frac{1}{2}$
M. Costley.	A	J.H. Baines.	A	P. French.	0	R. Butler.	1
N. Cowley.	A	A. Willis.	A	P. Nightingale.	1	E. Lees.	0

Wolverhampton League Tables.

Div I.

	P	W	D	L	Pts.
Walsall Kipping.	11	9	2	0	20
W-ton Kipping.	11	5	3	3	13
Stourbridge A	10	6	0	4	12
Penn B.L.	11	4	3	4	11
Stafford B.	11	4	3	4	11
Walsall Kip B.	11	4	2	5	10
West Bromwich.	11	4	2	5	10
Stourbridge B.	11	4	2	5	10
Lichfield.	11	3	3	5	9
Stafford A.	11	3	3	5	9
Telford.	11	3	2	6	8
Wolverhampton A	10	2	1	7	5

Div III.

Lichfield B.	10	6	4	0	16
Dudley C.	10	5	3	2	13
West Brom C.	10	6	1	3	13
J. Thompson.	10	5	2	3	12
Rock A.	10	4	3	3	11
Walsall Kip E.	10	4	3	3	11
Rugeley B.	10	4	0	6	8
Wolverhampton B	10	3	1	6	7
G.K.N.	10	3	1	6	7
Dudley B.	10	2	2	6	6
Cannock Chase B.	10	2	1	7	5

Div V.

Lichfield.	10	10	0	0	20
J. Thompson C.	10	7	1	2	15
Harris Sheldon B	10	6	1	3	13
Mercia B.	10	6	1	3	13
Cannock Chase D	10	6	0	4	12
Penn B.L. D.	10	5	1	4	11
Rugeley C.	10	5	0	5	10
Goodyears B.	10	3	1	6	7
Blanford Mere B	10	2	0	8	4
Bushbury C.	10	2	0	8	4
Penn B.L. E	10	0	1	9	1

Div II.

	P	W	D	L	Pts.
Bushbury A.	11	6	4	1	16
Penn B.L. B.	11	6	4	1	16
West Brom B.	11	6	3	2	15
Walsall Kip C.	11	5	3	3	13
Dudley A.	11	5	3	3	13
Springvale.	11	4	4	3	12
Walsall Kip D.	11	5	2	4	12
W-ton Kipping B.	11	2	5	4	9
Stourbridge C.	11	3	3	5	9
Rugeley A.	11	3	3	5	9
Rubery Owen.	10	1	1	8	3
Cannock Chase A	10	0	1	9	1

Div IV.

Penn B.L. C.	11	10	0	1	20
Goodyears.	11	8	2	1	18
Mercia.	11	8	1	2	17
Bushbury B	11	7	1	3	15
Harris Sheldon A	11	5	2	4	12
Springvale. B	11	4	3	4	11
Rock B.	10	4	2	4	10
Blanford Mere A.	10	3	1	6	7
Stafford C.	11	3	1	7	7
J. Thompson B.	11	2	2	7	6
Cannock Chase C	11	2	0	9	4
Wolverhampton C	11	1	1	9	3

The Wolverhampton League A.G.M.
will be held at John Thompson Social
Centre, on Tuesday 8th, June, 1976.

Commence 7.00 pm SHARP.

BEATTIES LIGHTNING TEAM TOURNAMENT.

This event took place at the John Thompson Social Centre, Spring Road, Ettingshall, on May 12th, 1976.

42 teams competed, 8 in the Trophy Section and the remaining teams in the Major Section.

After losing last year by only half a point, ELECTRA returned to winning ways and had a comfortable 4 point lead to clinch the senior event.

Details:-

Trophy Section.

1. Electra 21½ pts: W-ton Kipping 17½ pts: Stafford 16½ pts: Walsall Kipping 16½ pts: Stourbridge A 12½ pts: Lichfield 12 pts: Telford 10 pts: & Stourbridge B 5½ pts:

Major Section.

Bushbury A 23 pts: Walsall Kipping B 20 pts: J. Thompson 19 pts: Walsall Kipping C 18½ pts: West Bromwich 17 pts: Penn A 16 pts: Lichfield B 16 pts: Mercia A 15½ pts: Harris & Sheldon 15½ pts: Michelin A 15 pts: Wolverhampton A 15 pts: Rugeley 15 pts: Stourbridge C 14½ pts: Penn B.L. B. 14½ pts: Stafford B 14 pts: Bushbury B 14 pts: Cannock Chase 14 pts: Wolverhampton B 14 pts: Springvale 14 pts: Goodyear A 13½ pts: National Clothing 13½ pts: W-ton Kipping B 13 pts: Telford B 13 pts: Penn B.L. C 13 pts: Mercia B 12½ pts:

STOKE-ON-TRENT CHESS LEAGUE RESULTS AND TABLES

DIVISION ONE

Electra A	2½	Victory A	2½	Electra B	3½	Penkhull A	1½
R A Beach	1	N Bell	0	C Barnard	1	W Park	0
D Barnett	0	R Kirkland	1	P Adams	½	P Burnett	½
D Farrall	1	K Greatbach	0	C Ferry	1	T Galla	0
J Pitcher	½	R J Edwards	½	A Doust	½	L Grdanovich	½
A Doust	0	F Cooper	1	F Edmonds	½	R Whiteside	½
Electra C	4	Victory A	1	Keele A	5	Cheddleton A	0
G Evans	1	R Kirkland	0	A Morley	1	G Jackson	0
D Messham	1	N Bell	0	P Neatherway	1	C Benyon	0
E Cox	1	R J Edwards	0	R Healey	1	S Wassenberg	0
R Lakin	1	K Greatbach	0	J Palgrave	1	E Ratcliffe	0
J Sandhu	0	F Cooper	1	G Gibson	1	G Allen	0
Penkhull A	3½	Sneyd Green A	1½	Electra C	3	Penkhull A	2
W Park	½	P Paskin	½	B Hopewell	½	W Park	½
T Galla	½	F Saunders	½	G Evans	1	T Galla	0
L Grdanovich	½	M Lawton	½	N Edmonds	½	L Grdanovich	½
R Whiteside	1	R Platt	0	R Lakin	1	G Rutter	0
M Quinn	1	A Humphries	0	E Cox	0	A Egerton	1
Sneyd Green A	1½	Keele B	3½	Cheddleton A	2½	Keele A	2½
P Paskin	0	R Greenall	1	G Jackson	1	A Morley	0
F Saunders	0	G Gibson	1	M Wassenberg	0	A Neatherway	1
M Lawton	½	A Ingram	½	C Benyon	½	R Healey	½
R Platt	1	B McGlone	0	D Bradbury	0	A Green	1
A Humphreys	0	P Janyshiwsky	1	R Kitt	1	A Pawley	0

Cheddleton A win over Keele B by TEAM DEFAULT

DIVISION II

Leek	2½	Michelin A	2½	Meir B	2	Smallthorne A	3
J Nicholas	½	P McGinty	½	F Spicer	½	B Hitchens	½
D Morris	0	J Reader	1	E Hancock	1	A Cotton	0
N Cameron	0	M Willder	1	J Woodward	½	A Mayer	½
G Gunia	1	M Sowden	0	D Fuller	0	G Stanway	1
G Price	1	J Erlah	0	S Hill	0	C Martin	1
Sandbach	3	Penkhull B	2	Penkhull C	2	Victory B	3
D Bourne	1	T Swain	0	G Rutter	½	M Edge	½
J Hicks	1	M Quinn	0	A Egerton	½	R Hall	½
J Kent	0	W Lawton	1	B Wagstaff	0	D Nixon	1
P Grindley	1	S Mills	0	D Pollard	0	I Thursfield	1
T Jackson	0	M Leese	1	D Jones	1	A Merritt	0
Kidsgrove	3	Meir A	2	Penkhull C	1½	Smallthorne A	3½
W Dale	0	W Armstrong	1	G Rutter	½	R Willis	½
T Pickford	0	M Hancock	1	A Egerton	1	H Cotton	0
S Burndred	1	W Foley	0	G Boulton	0	A Mayer	1
S Elliott	1	H Deaville	0	D Pollard	0	G Stanway	1
S Huxley	1	S Griffin	0	D Crawley	0	R Mayer	1
Meir A	1½	Sandbach	3½	Sandbach	3	Leek	2
W Armstrong	0	D Bourne	1	D Bourne	1	J Nicholas	0
M Hancock	0	J Hicks	1	J Hicks	½	F Bruce	½
H Deaville	0	J Kent	1	J Kent	0	D Morris	1
G Marson	½	T Jackson	½	P Grindley	½	N Cameron	½
S Woodward	1	P Grindley	0	T Jackson	1	G Gunia	0
Leek	2½	Victory B	2½	Smallthorne A	2	Sandbach	3
J Nicholas	0	M Edge	1	B Hitchens	1	D Bourne	0
F Bruce	½	R Hall	½	R Willis	½	J Hicks	½
D Morris	0	D Nixon	1	P Hancock	0	J Kent	1
G Gunia	1	I Thursfield	0	A Mayer	½	T Jackson	½
N Cameron	1	J Oleksik	0	S Newman	0	P Grindley	1

STOKE-ON-TRENT CHESS LEAGUE RESULTS AND TABLES

DIVISION II Cont'd

Penkhull B	3½	Smallthorne	1½	Smallthorne A	2½	Penkhull C	2½
T Swain	0	B Hitchens	1	B Hitchens	1	G Rutter	0
M Quinn	½	R Willis	½	R Willis	1	G Boulton	0
P Windows	1	A Mayer	0	A Mayer	0	D Pollard	1
W Lawton	1	S Stoddart	0	H Cotton	½	M Leese	½
S Mills	1	C Martin	0	P Hancock	0	A Caton	1
Michelin A	2½	Meir B	2½	Victory B	3	Meir B	2
P McGinty	1	F Spicer	0	M Edge	1	F Spicer	0
M Willder	0	E Hancock	1	R Hall	1	E Hancock	0
J Reader	0	M C Hancock	1	D Nixon	0	M C Hancock	1
J Erilah	½	D Fuller	½	I Thursfield	1	J Woodward	0
T Jardine	1	A Kanner	0	A Merritt	0	D Fuller	1

SECOND DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY-OFF

Meir A	½	Sandbach	4½
M Hancock	0	D Bourne	1
G Marson	0	J Hicks	1
W Foley	0	J Kent	1
H Deaville	½	T Jackson	½
E Hancock	0	M Lowe	1

DIVISION THREE

Sneyd Green B	3½	Cheddleton C	1½	Penkhull E	2	Cheddleton C	3
F Rowley	1	J Sherry	0	W Clayton	0	D Buxton	1
A Steventon	1	D Buxton	0	A Caton	0	D Bradbury	1
B Bradstreet	½	D Bradbury	½	G Klein	½	C Whitehead	½
A Beardmore	1	A Whitehead	0	N Reece	½	A Wood	½
D Jones	0	C Whitehead	1	B Cheetham	1	M Worthington	0
Penkhull E	1½	Sneyd Green B	3½	Cheddleton B	1	Penkhull D	4
W Clayton	0	F Rowley	1	G Allen	0	R Whiteside	1
A Caton	0	P Rawlins	1	D Matthews	0	D Crawley	1
G Klein	0	A Steventon	1	R Lorraine	0	D Mancell	1
A Hodson	½	P Bradstreet	½	F Harris	1	K Dallow	0
B Cheetham	1	G Toft	0	W Cope	0	M Leese	1
Cheddleton B	3½	Michelin C	1½				
G Allen	0	R Bell	1				
F Harris	1	J Wood	0				
D Matthews	1	F Oakden	0				
D Poole	½	A Bowman	½				
R Lorraine	1	Default	0				

DIVISION FOUR

Trentham B win over Keele D by TEAM DEFAULT

Trentham B	2	Smallthorne B	3	Keele D	5	Penkhull F	0
L Hogarth	1	R Horne	0	J Crook	1	B Johnson	0
M Griffiths	1	E Evans	0	S Pirrera	1	B Birtles	0
I Hogarth	0	C Martin	1	S Bland	1	A Kemp	0
I Mullin	0	M Sayers-Lewry	1	A Pawley	1	D Jones	0
F Moore	0	S Stoddart	1	I Betts	1	N Rees	0
Cheddleton D	1½	Smallthorne C	3½	Meir C	4	Electra D	1
M Hughes	0	R Williams	1	P Arnold	0	A Pitcher	1
M Worthington	1	G Stanway	0	E Johnson	1	J Marshall	0
K Gledhill	0	M Sayers-Lewry	1	A Brayford	1	M Ellam	0
I McCathie	½	B Hancock	½	A Eardly	1	N Eker	0
M Parrack	0	S Stoddart	1	S Hill	1	S Hart	0
Trentham A	4	Penkhull F	1	Penkhull F	0	Smallthorne C	5
I McMillan	1	B Johnson	0	D Jones	0	R Williams	1
B Kennedy	1	P Birtles	0	R Allman	0	M Sayers-Lewry	1
R Thomas	1	D Biddorn	0	B Johnson	0	G Stanway	1
J Burton	0	R Allman	1	P Shaw	0	J Ashley	1

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DIVISION FOUR Cont'd

Penkhull F	0	Smallthorne B	5
R Allman	0	R Horne	1
B Johnson	0	J Biddulph	1
P Birtles	0	A Maxwell	1
K Swain	0	D Hulse	1
M Birtles	0	J Ashley	1

THE LEAGUE TABLES

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	L	D	Pts
Electra A	16	11	1	4	26
Keele A	16	9	2	5	23
Electra B	15	7	5	3	17
Electra C	15	7	5	3	17
Penkhull A	16	7	6	3	17
Sneyd Green A	14	5	8	1	11
Keele B	16	4	9	3	11
Victory A	16	4	10	2	10
Cheddleton A	16	3	11	2	8

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	L	D	Pts
Sandbach	19	15	3	1	31
Meir A	19	14	4	1	29
Kidsgrove	17	9	4	4	22
Penkhull B	18	8	6	4	20
Michelin A	18	6	7	5	17
Leek	18	5	8	5	15
Penkhull C	18	6	9	3	15
Victory B	17	6	10	1	13
Smallthorne A	18	4	10	4	12
Meir B	18	2	14	2	6

DIVISION THREE

	P	W	L	D	Pts
Cheddleton C	14	9	2	3	21
Sneyd Green B	16	9	5	2	20
Penkhull D	15	8	4	3	19
Keele C	14	7	3	4	18
Blind	16	8	8	0	16
Cheddleton B	14	4	6	4	12
Michelin B	16	4	9	3	11
Michelin C	16	5	11	0	10
Penkhull E	15	4	10	1	9

DIVISION FOUR

	P	W	L	D	Pts
Trentham A	15	13	1	1	27
Meir C	16	10	5	1	21
Smallthorne B	16	8	6	2	18
Keele D	14	7	4	3	17
Cheddleton D	16	6	7	3	15
Trentham B	15	6	7	2	14
Electra D	16	5	8	3	13
Smallthorne C	16	6	9	1	13
Penkhull F	16	1	15	0	2