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NOWAK, JENSEN & McCOURT FRONT MEN AT FREEZE OUT NOWAK VICTOR AT VALENTINE MAYER ACCURATE AT ACTION WARM UP SMITH CONQUERS QUICK CHESS SKOVRON BEST AT BOOKWORM NOWAK & MAYER CO-WIN CROCUS

GRAND PRIX POINTS AS OF THE CROCUS

1. Nowak	43.44
2. Jensen	26.98
3. Carpenter	24.97
4. Mayer	24.74
5. Motta	23.03
6. McCourt	17.93
7. Erickson	15.34
8. Lenchner	12.40
9. Uker	11.30
10. Thompson	11.16
11. Loy	10.73
Duke	10.72

SEND IN YOUR GAMES!

Tournament Directors, please submit games and crosstables to MCN for publication. Any interesting stories or anecdotes would be appreciated also. At this printing, there is very little to pass on, as little has been submitted. There are some exciting events coming up and we should be able to provide all the juicy details in the next newsletter.

Our friend from Wyoming, **Steve Smith**, has created a custom set of chess fonts for

the Macintosh Computer (which I'm using), and he has been so generous as to let MCN use them, along with an open invitation to call anytime for assistance or advice needed to create a successful newsletter. Thanks Steve!

If anyone has scoresheets of interesting games from the six tournaments mentioned above, please send them to MCN. I'll include as many as I can in the next issue along with coverage of May, June and July. -Ed.



FIVE VALLEY FREEZE - OUT

1/16,17/93

	NAME	PRE	POST	R1	R2	R3	R4	TOT
1	NOWAK, GREGORY W	2212	2197	W-9	L-6	W-8	W-2	3
2	JENSEN, J MICHAEL	1931	1951	W-10	W-4	W-7	L-1	3
3	MC COURT, DANIEL	1700	1717	W-14	L-7	W-10	W-9	3
4	ERICKSON, RON	1809	1789	W-12	L-2	BYE	D-5	2.5
5	MOORE, SHERWOOD	1500	1519	L-7	W-14	W-13	D-4	2.5
6	PHILLIPS, ROBERT	1830	1863	W-11	W-1	U--	U--	2
7	CARPENTER, ROMIE	1821	1825	W-5	W-3	L-2	U--	2
8	MC BROOM, WILLIAM	1692	1672	W-15	BYE	L-1	L-10	2
9	MOSTAD, THOMAS O.	1648	1646	L-1	W-13	W-11	L-3	2
10	DUKE, DAVID A	1602	1610	L-2	W-12	L-3	W-8	2
11	PIATT, JOHN W	1512	1509	L-6	W-15	L-9	W-14	2
12	GIZZELBECK, DONALD	1284	1276	L-4	L-10	L-14	W-13	1
13	OLSZEWSKI, STEPHEN	1264/16	1235/19	BYE	L-9	L-5	L-12	1
14	HAYES, ROBERT E	0	1299/04	L-3	L-5	W-12	L-11	1
15	MC COURT, CHRIS D	1140/02	1171/04	L-8	L-11	U--	U--	0

VALENTINE OPEN RESULTS

(CROSSTABLE NOT SUBMITTED)

1ST. NOWAK (4) 2ND, 3RD, 4TH. MOTTA (3) ERICKSON (3) LIMESAND (3) 5TH. JENSEN (2.5)

1993 MT STATE ACTION WARM-UPS 3/13/93

	NAME	RTG	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	R7	TOTAL
1	MAYER, ZYGMOND	2046	W-6	W-4	W-5	W-3	W-8	W-2	W-7	7
2	SMITH, STEVE	2118	W-7	W-6	W-4	W-5	W-3	L-1	W-8*	6
3	LOY, JAMES R	1857	W-4	W-5	W-8	L-1	L-2	W-7	W-6	5
4	SCARFF, STEVE	1711	L-3	L-1	L-2	W-7	W-6	W-8*	W-5	4
5	LONG, MICHAEL J	1845	W-8	L-3	L-1	L-2	W-7	W-6	L-4	3
6	GOPLEN, ARMAN	1700	L-1	L-2	W-7	W-8	L-4	L-5	L-3	2
7	MAYER, ERIEL	1168	L-2	W-8	L-6	L-4	L-5	L-3	L-1	1
8	CAMPEAU, ANTONI	UNR	L-5	L-7	L-3	L-6	L-1	U--	U--	0

* forfeit win

1993 MT ST QUICK-CHESS WARM-UPS 3/14/93

	NAME	RTG	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	TOTAL
1	SMITH, STEVE	2118	W-2	W-3	W-5	W-6	W-4	5
2	SCARFF, STEVE	1711	L-1	D-4	W-3	W-5	W-6	3.5
3	MAYER, ZYGMOND	2046	W-6	L-1	L-2	W-4	W-5	3
4	LOY, JAMES R	1857	W-5	D-2	W-6	L-3	L-1	2.5
5	MAYER, ERIEL	1168	L-4	W-6	L-1	L-2	L-3	1
6	GOPLEN, ARMAN	1700	L-3	L-5	L-4	L-1	L-2	0

CROCUS OPEN RESULTS

(CROSSTABLE NOT SUBMITTED)

1ST, 2ND NOWAK, MAYER (3.5) 3RD, 4TH, 5TH MOTTA, ANDERSON, HANSEN (3.0)

UPCOMING EVENTS

WYOMING STATE OPEN MAY 22,23 1993

Eastridge Mall, Casper, WY. 5 Round Swiss, 40/2, 20/1 Three sections: OPEN EF \$30 if by 5/17, Prizes: 1st place \$100 U1600 \$50 BOOSTER SECTION (under 1800) EF \$25 if by 5/17, Prizes: 1st place \$100 U1600 \$50 RESERVE SECTION (under 1400) EF \$20 if by 5/17 Prizes: 1st place \$75 U1200 \$25 Registration \$5.00 extra at the door. Registration 8:00-8:45 a.m. First round 9:00 a.m. Advance Registration to Elizabeth Scott, P.O. Box 1187, Casper, WY 82602 For further information contact Adam Eddy (307) 234-0346 or Elizabeth (307) 234-3975 or 234-8663. No Smoking, No Computers, Wheelchair accessible. 1st Interstate Inn, Ed Cook (307) 234-9123 single double \$21.89 single queen \$25.71, 2 people/beds \$32.39

58th MONTANA STATE OPEN JUNE 5,6 1993

Willson Hall, Montana State University, Bozeman, Montana. 5 Round Swiss, 10:00am, 3:00pm, 7:30pm; 9:00am, 2:00pm Optional 1/2 point bye available for Round 3. Time Control = 40/2, 20/1. EF \$15 if by 5/28, \$20 at site 8:30 - 9:30am June 5. Prizes: Trophies to 1st & 2nd. Awards to top A, B, C, D/E, Junior. Sponsor - Montana Chess Association / Thad Suits, 2125 1st Avenue N., Great Falls, MT 59401 (406) 453-6160. *** Montana Chess Association Annual Business Meeting 10:00am, June 5. Round 1 begins directly after meeting. *** The top three finishers qualify for the State Closed Championship, joining the seeded players - Last Year's Champion and the 1st and 2nd place finishers in the State Grand Prix.

MONTANA ACTION & QUICK CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS JUNE 19,20/93

Sponsored by the Montana Chess Association. Montana State University, Bozeman, MT Student Union Building, Room 106-E, downstairs, north end of building. Two separate single day events. SATURDAY = Action Chess! (G/30) Thirty minutes per side for game. 7 Round Swiss. Rated @ 1/2 K. Rounds: 10:30 am, 11:45 am, 2:15 pm, 3:30 pm, 4:45 pm, 7:30 pm & 8:30 pm. EF \$10 if by 6/18, \$12 at site. MCA membership req. (\$6). Prizes: trophies. Registration 9 - 10 am, Saturday, 6/19. SUNDAY = (G/15) Fifteen minutes sudden death each side per game. Separate rating system from OTB ratings. 8 Round Swiss. Rounds: 9:05 am, 9:45, 10:25, 10:55; 11:35, 1:20pm, 1:55, 2:30. EF \$10 if by 6/19 \$12 at site. MCA memb. req. (\$6) Prizes: trophies. Advance entries to: Zygmund Mayer, 1608 Janie Street, Billings, MT 59105. (406) 248-4950 Sunday's registration: 8:30 - 9:30 am.

MIDSUMMER OPEN JULY 17, 18 1993

Room 362, Social Science Building, University of Montana, Missoula, MT. 5 Round Swiss. Time Control: G/2 (Game in 2 hrs). Rounds: 9:30am, 2:00pm, 6:30pm; 8:30am, 1:00pm. Registration 8:00 - 9:00am July 17. EF \$15 if by 7/15, \$17.50 at site. Prize Fund = \$200 (gift certificates) Guaranteed: 1st place \$80, 2nd place \$40, 3rd place \$20; U1900 \$25, U1700 \$20, U1500 \$15. Plus plaque for Biggest Upset (both players must have nonprovisional ratings). For advance entry or information: William H. McBroom, 2321 Raymond Ave., Missoula, MT 59802 (406) 728-4654 No smoking, No Computers, Wheelchair access.

PLEASE DON'T ASSUME THAT A PHONE CALL IS TANTAMOUNT TO ADVANCE REGISTRATION. NOT EVERYONE THAT CALLS WILL SHOW UP AND THIS CAN MAKE THINGS DIFFICULT FOR THE TD. - REGISTER IN ADVANCE BY MAIL

OTHER TOURNAMENTS COMING UP

TURKEY OPEN (MISSOULA) 11/6,7/93
 FIVE VALLEY FREEZE-OUT (MISSOULA) 1/15,16/94
 VALENTINE OPEN (MISSOULA) 2/12,13/94

WESTERN SLOPES BOOKWORM 3/20/93

NAME	PRERATE	POSTRATE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	TOTAL
1 SKOVRON, JAMES J	1791/10	1892/19	*	W	L	W	W	W	D	W	W	W	7.5
2 SUITS, THAD	1945*0	1934*a2	L	*	W	L	W	W	W	L	W	W	6.0
3 CARPENTER, ROMIE	1865/10	1853/19	W	L	*	W	L	D	W	L	W	W	5.5
4 PHILLIPS, ROBERT	1834/10	1817/19	L	W	L	*	W	L	L	W	W	W	5.0
5 DUKE, DAVID A	1589/10	1689/19	L	L	W	L	*	W	W	L	W	W	5.0
6 MOTTA, PAUL S	2014/10	1896/19	L	L	D	W	L	*	L	W	W	W	4.5
7 McBROOM, WILLIAM	1686/10	1717/19	D	L	L	W	L	W	*	W	L	W	4.5
8 McCOURT, DANIEL	1740/10	1705/19	L	W	W	L	W	L	L	*	L	D	3.5
9 HANSEN, DOUGLAS J	1666*0	1659*C2	L	L	L	L	L	L	W	W	*	W	3.0
10 McCOURT, CHRIS D	1157/06	1327/15	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	D	L	*	0.5

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