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MATT GUTHRIE CAPTURES '85 MONTANA OPEN CROWN

MIKE JENSEN TIPS CROCUS OPEN

MIDSUMMER OPEN Sponsor - University-Community Chess Club July 20-21, 1985

Place: Room 362, Social Sciences Bldg., Univ. of Mont. Campus, Missoula, MT.
Registration: 8:00-9:00am, July 20. Advance registration is advised. Players arriving after 9:00am may not be paired until the second round. USCF and MCA memb. required. Entry fee=\$5 advance, \$8 at door, over 2000 - one half price, Masters free.
Rounds: 5 Round Swiss System. 9:30am, 2:00pm, 7:00pm / 9:00am, 2:00pm.
Time Control: 30 moves / 90 minutes, then 25 moves / hour thereafter.
Prizes: Trophies - 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Medals - Best Under 1600, 1400, 1200.
Director: Gregg Ford, 431 N. Surrey, Missoula, MT 59802.
Notes: All games must begin with the moves 1 d4 d5. No smoking.

MONTANA CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIP Sponsors - UCCC / MCA July 20-21, 1985

Tournament will be held in conjunction with the Midsummer Open - a six man round robin event with this year's qualifiers: 1984 State Champion - Bill Lynch; 1984-85 Grand Prix Champion - Kip Stubberud; 1984-85 Grand Prix Runnerup - Mike Jensen; and Montana Open Qualifiers - Matt Guthrie, Bill Hammel and Duane Hildenstab. First Alternate is Montana Senior Champion - Gordon Shuck.

KIP STUBBERUD EDGES MIKE JENSEN FOR '84-85 GRAND PRIX TITLE - The final standings were the closest ever as Kip Stubberud came from behind to capture the Grand-Prix Title with a fine second place finish in the Montana Open while Mike Jensen had an unusually poor showing and garnered no Prix points from the Open. Kip earned 7.84 points for a final total of 59.35, less than 1 point over Mike's total of 58.44. Others finishing in the top ten this year are as follows: 3 Matt Guthrie - 37.36; 4 Ron Erickson - 20.87; 5 Gordon Shuck - 19.82; 6 Steve Smith - 17.50; 7 Darren Stacey - 16.13; 8 Dennis Burke - 14.35; 9 Romie Carpenter - 13.31 and 10 Bill Lynch - 12.50. The 1985-86 Grand Prix begins with the Midsummer Open and runs through the 1986 Montana Open next May.

TURKEY OPEN Sponsor - University-Community Chess Club November 2-3, 1985

Details same as for the Midsummer Open except as follows: Entry Fee=\$6 adv, \$9 door.
Prizes: 1st - \$75, 2nd - \$50, Best Under 1700 - \$30, 1500 - \$20, 1300 - \$10.
Notes: No Smoking. Players are not required to use any particular opening.

50TH MONTANA OPEN

May 18-19, 1985

RD1 BD5 Loy-Petrak ENGLISH 1 c4 e6 2 Nc3 a6 3 e4 c5 4 Nf3 Nc6 5 d4 Qc7? (Black's game now becomes too cramped. Better is 5...cxd4 transposing into a Sicilian.) 6 d5! Nd8 7 Be2 e5 8 Qa4 Rb8 9 O-O Nf6 10 g3 (What is White up to?) Be7 11 Nxe5! Nxe4 12 Nxe4 Qxe5 13 Bf4 Qxe4 14 Bxb8 Qxe2 15 Rfel Qx b2 16 Bd6 Qxa1 17 Rxa1 Bxd6 18 Rel+ Kf8 19 Qa5 Be7 20 d6 Bf6 21 Qc7 g6 22 Qxc8 Kg7 23 Qxd7 Nc6 24 Qxb7 Nd4 25 d7 Rd8 26 Re8 Nf3+ 27 Qxf3 Rxd7 28 Qa8 Rd2 29 Rg8+ Kh6 30 Qf8+ Black Resigns. 1-0

P1 Name	Rate	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	RD5	TOT
1 Matt Guthrie	2071	D19	W21	W11	W5	W2	4.5
2 Kip Stubberud	2061	W12	W16	W4	W3	L1	4.0
3 Steve Smith	2124	W9	W8	W6	L2	W5	4.0
4 Bill Hammel	1862	W15	W7	L2	W10	W6	4.0
5 D. Hildenstab	1545	W14	W23	W17	L1	L3	3.0
6 James Loy	1945	W20	W17	L3	W11	L4	3.0
7 Gordon Shuck	1747	W22	L4	W13	D8	D12	3.0
8 Bill McBroom	1644	W24	L3	W16	D7	D9	3.0
9 Dave Shughart	1629	L3	W15	W21	D18	D8	3.0
10 R. Carpenter	1766	L16	W12	W14	L4	W18	3.0
11 Mike Jensen	1997	W13	W19	L1	L6	D15	2.5
12 Ray Jorgenson	1595	L2	L10	W23	W19	D7	2.5
13 Steve Olsen	1568	L11	D14	L7	W20	W19	2.5
14 Darren Stacey	1912	L5	D13	L10	W21	W16	2.5
15 Dan Britt	1540	L4	L9	BYE	W17	D11	2.5
16 Dan Polette	1479	W10	L2	L8	W22	L14	2.0
17 Lyle Petersen	1455	W18	L6	L5	L15	W22	2.0
18 Gregg Ford	1696	L17	D20	W22	D9	L10	2.0
19 Tom Booth	1616	D1	L11	W20	L12	L13	1.5
20 Dennis Petrak	1477	L6	D18	L19	L13	W21	1.5
21 Matt Janke	1400	W23	L1	L9	L14	L20	1.0
22 John Austreng	1302	L7	BYE	L18	L16	L17	1.0
23 Ron Erickson	1679	L21	L5	L12	BYE	WD	1.0
24 Robert Rajala	UNR	L8	Withdrew				0

RD1 BD3 Stubberud-Jorgenson BIS-HOPS OPENING 1 P-K4 P-K4 2 N-KB3 N-KB3 3 P-Q4 PXP 4 B-QB4 (The Petrov becomes a Bishops Opening.) NXP 5 QXP N-Q3? (N-KB3 is correct) 6 O-O! (The Bishop is immune.) Q-B3 7 R-K1+ B-K2 8 RxB+! QXR 9 Qx NP R-B1 10 B-Q3 (Black is up the exchange, but he cannot meet the threats of White's reserve force.) P-KB3 11 Q-N3 N-B3 12 B-R6 R-R1 13 N-B3 Q-B2 14 R-K1+ N-K2 15 N-

Q4 P-N3 16 N/3-N5 K-Q1 17 NxN PxN 18 QxP B-N2 19 N-K6+ K-K1 20 N-B7+ K-Q1 21 N-K6+ K-K1 22 N-B7+ (White is low on time and uses this "device" to fill up the score-sheet.) K-Q1 23 NxR BxN 24 RxN! Q-Q4 25 RxP+ K-K1 26 Q-K7 Mate. 1-0

RD1 BD2 Booth-Guthrie QUEEN PAWN 1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 c5 3 e3 g6 4 Nf3 Bg7 5 Nc3 O-O 6 Be2 b6?! 7 O-O Bb7 8 d5! d6 9 Qc2 a6 10 e4 e6 11 dxe6 fxe6 12 Bg5 Nc6 13 Rad1 Qc7 14 Rd2 Nd7! (After 25 minutes thought, Black finds an active solution to his weak d-pawn.) 15 Rfd1 Nd4 16 Nxd4 cxd4 17 Rxd4! (Enterprising play by White! Black's Kingside is stripped of its dark-squared defender and he must now watch his weak hanging center pawns besides.) Bxd4 18 Rxd4 Ne5 19 Bh6 Nc6 20 Rd1 Rf7 21 Bg4 Qe7 (Threateneing Qh4) 22 h3?! (Better is Qd2!) Ne5 23 Be2 Qf6? (More prudent is Rd8.) 24 f4! (Black also hoped for g4, trapping the Bishop.) Nc6 25 Rxd6 Rd8? 26 Bg5 Qx g5 27 fxg5 Rxd6 28 Bg4 Nd4 29 Qa4 Drawn. $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ (Both players agree the work ahead of them is not worth the extra half point.)

RD2 BD3 Shughart-Britt CARO-KANN (Dave steals the pot in this game. When the smoke clears, Dan is left holding the bag.) 1 P-K4 P-QB3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 N-QB3 PXP 4 NxP B-B4 5 N-N3 B-N3 6 N-B3 P-K3 (Theory recommends N-Q2 to prevent 7 N-K5.) 7 B-Q3 N-K2 8 O-O N-Q2 9 R-K1 N-B3 10 B-N5 BxB 11 QxB N/2-Q4 12 N-K5 P-KR3 13 N-N6?! PxB? (Black should call White's bluff with ...PxN!) 14 NxR N-B5 15 Q-N3 Q-B2 16 N-K4 O-O-O? (...N-R2 keeps White's Knight locked in.) 17 NxNP RxP 18 N/8XP R-N5 19 NxKP QxN 20 QR-Q1 N/3-Q4 21 Q-KB3 Q-B3 22 P-QB3 RxP 23 P-B4 B-N5 24 PxN NxQP 25 Qx Q PxQ 26 R-K4 B-R4 27 R-KR4 P-N4 28 R-R8+ K-N2 29 P-KR4 B-N3 30 P-R5 RxBP 31 K-R1 RxRP 32 P-R6 R-R5 33 P-N3 R-KN5 34 P-R7 R-N3 35 R-N8+! K-R3 36 R-N1+ B-R4 37 N-B5 Mate. 1-0

RD3 BD5 Carpenter-Stacey SICILIAN (Smith-Morra strikes again!) 1. e4 c5 2 d4 cxd4 3 c3 dxc3 4 Nxc3 e6 5 Nf3 a6 6 Bc4 b5 7 Bb3 Nc6 8 O-O Nf6 9 Qe2 d6 10 Rd1 Qc7 11 Bf4 e5 12 Be3 Bg4 13 Racl Qd7 14 Bg5 Nd4 15 Rxd4 exd4 16 e5! dxe5 17 Qxe5+ Qe7? (...Be7 must be better.) 18 Qxd4 Bxf3 19 gxf3 Qc5? 20 Rel+ Qe7 21 Rxe7+ Bxe7 22 Bx f6 Bxf6 23 Qe4+ Kd7 24 Qd5+ Kc7 25 Qxf7+ Kb8 26 Ne4 Ra7 27 Qe6 Bxb2 28 Bd5 Bd4 29 Qd6+ Kc7 30 Qxa6 Ra7 31 Qxb5+ Kc7 32 Qc4+ Black Resigns. 1-0 (Another strong attack by Romie.)

RD3 BD3 Jensen-Guthrie ALEKHINE'S 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5 Nd5 3 d4 d6 4 Bc4?! Nb6 5 e6? Nx
 c4 6 exf7+ Kd7 (This move secures an easy game, but after ...Kxf7?! - Black has to
 laugh.) 7 Qg4+ e6 8 d5 Qe7? 9 Qxc4 exd5+ 10 Qe2 Qxe2+ 11 Nxe2 Ke7 12 Nbc3 c6 13
 Bg5+ Kxf7 14 0-0-0 Be7 15 Bxe7 (Bf4 is more positional. White tries to take advant-
 age of the situation immediately.) Kxe7 16 Rhel Na6 17 Rd3 Re8 18 Rf3 Be6 19 Nd4
 Kd7 20 Nxe6 Rxe6 21 Rf7+ Ke8! 22 Rxe6+ Kxf7 23 Re3 Rf8 24 Kd2? d4 25 White Resigns.
 -1 (25 Rf3+ Ke7 26 Ne4 Rxf3 and White's Kingside is crippled.)

RD4 BD1 Stubberud-Smith RETI 1 N-KB3 P-KB4 2 P-QN3 N-KB3 3 B-N2 P-Q3 4 P-KN3 P-K4
 5 P-Q3 P-KN3 6 B-N2 B-N2 7 P-B4 0-0 8 0-0 N-B3 9 N-B3 P-KR3 10 N-Q2 P-KN4 11 P-QR3
 Q-K1 12 P-QN4 Q-N3 13 P-N5 N-Q5 14 N-N3 N-K3 15 N-Q5 R-B2 16 Q-B2 P-B5 17 P-B5 P-N5
 18 BxP PxQP 19 N-Q2 N-N4 20 Q-N3 B-K3 21 NxN+ BxN 22 B-Q5 QR-K1 23 QR-B1 P-B6 24
 PxP PxP 25 BxB RxB 26 R-B8+ K-R2 27 Q-B4 B-N2 28 P-KR4? R-B5!! 29 N-K4 RxRP (Black
 should play ...NxN!, as after 30 PxN RxRP followed by ...Q-R4, White may have
 enough time left on his clock to resign.) 30 N-B6+ (Now the invading rook will die.)
 RxN?? 31 Q-N8 Mate. 1-0 (And White came back down to Earth in about an hour.)

RD5 BD1 Guthrie-Stubberud SICILIAN 1 P-K4 P-QB4 2 N-KB3 N-QB3 3 P-Q4 PxP 4 NxP N-
 B3 5 N-QB3 P-KN3? 6 NxN NPxN 7 P-K5 N-N1 8 B-QB4 Q-R4 9 0-0 QxKP (Black wanders
 onto the tracks to pick up a pop can and gets himself "freight-trained.") 10 R-K1
 Q-QB4 11 N-K5 Q-N5 12 P-QB3 Q-R4 13 N-Q6+ K-Q1 14 NxP+ K-K1 15 NxR (And Black al-
 lowed himself to be tortured another ten-moves before resigning.) 1-0

RD5 BD7 Ford-Carpenter PETROV 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nf6 3 d4 Nxe4 (More usual is ..exd4.)
 4 dxe5 Bc5 5 Nd4 Nxf2! 6 Kxf2 Qh4+ 7 g3 (7 Ke3 fails to Bxd4 8 Qxd4 Qel+.) Qxd4+ 8
 Qxd4 Bxd4+ 9 Kf3 b6! 10 White Resigns. 0-1

Montana Open games selection and notations by Kip Stubberud, who also sends this en-
 counter from the accompanying novice section:

RD2 BD3 Shane Hildenstab-Jason Hildenstab PETROV (Mere words cannot give insight
 into the conflict involved in this bloodbath from the novice section.) 1 e4 e5 2
 Nf3 Nf6 3 d3 Bc5 4 Nxe5 Ng8 5 d4 Bd6 6 Bc4 Qe2 7 Nxf7 Qxe4+ 8 Be3 Qxg2 9 Ke2 Bxh2
 10 Nxh8 d5 11 Bb3 Bg4+ 12 Kel Bxd1 13 Kxd1 Qxhl+ 14 Ke2 Nf6 15 c4 dxc4 16 Bxc4 Ng4
 17 Bf7+ Kc8 18 Bd2 Bgl 19 Bb4+ c5 20 Bxc5 Mate. 1-0

Winners in the novice section were 1st - Aaron Stansberry, 2nd - Dave Stacey and
 3rd - Tom Behan.

CROCUS OPEN

April 13-14, 1985

P1 Name	Rate	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	RD5	TOT	
1 Mike Jensen	2006	W6	D15	W5	W8	D2	4.0	
2 Mike Keown	UNR	W13	L3	W15	W7	D1	3.5	
3 Dan Britt	1616	W17	W2	D8	D6	D5	3.5	
4 D. Shughart	1615	L5	W16	D9	W11	W8	3.5	
5 M. Guthrie	2018	W4	1/2BY	L1	W13	D3	3.0	
6 J. Fletcher	1614	L1	W14	W10	D3	D11	3.0	
7 Tom Mostad	1534	W12	L8	W14	L2	W9	3.0	
8 Bill McBroom	1686	W16	W7	D3	L1	L4	2.5	
9 Tom Booth	1579	1/2BY	D11	D4	W15	L7	2.5	
10 Dennis Petrak	1541	D11	D12	L6	D16	W15	2.5	
11 Gordon Shuck	1743	D10	D9	D13	L4	D6	2.0	
12 Dan McCourt	1710	L7	D10	L16	W18	D13	2.0	
13 Ray Jorgenson	1609	L2	W17	D11	L5	D12	2.0	
14 John Austreng	1299	L15	L6	L7	W17	W18	2.0	
15 Ron Erickson	1627	W14	D1	L2	L9	L10	1.5	
16 Lyle Petersen	1451	L8	L4	W12	D10	L17	1.5	
17 Thad Person	1029	L3	L13	L18	L14	W16	1.0	
18 Sherwood Moore	1279	--	--	W17	L12	L14	1.0	
R3 P-B6	51	Q-B5	PxP	52 BxP	Q-R3	53 BxP+ K-R1	54 Q-B8+ QxQ	55 RxQ++ 1-0

RD3 BD2 Jensen-Guthrie CARO KANN
 1 P-K4 P-QB3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 PxP Px
 P 4 B-Q3 N-QB3 5 P-QB3 N-KB3 6 B-
 KB4 B-KN5 7 Q-N3 Q-Q2 8 QN-Q2 N-
 KR4 9 B-K3 P-K3 10 N-KB3 B-Q3 11
 0-0 N-B5 12 B-QB2 P-QN4 13 P-QR3
 0-0 14 B-Q1 N-QR4 15 Q-R2 Q-B2 16
 B-QB2 N-B5 17 NxN PxN 18 B-Q1 N-
 Q6 19 P-KR3 QR-N1 20 R-N1 B-B4 21
 N-KR4 R-N3 22 NxB PxN 23 B-B2 P-
 B5 24 BxN PxP 25 B-K2 R-K1 26 B-
 KB3 B-R7+ 27 K-R1 PxP 28 RxP B-N6
 29 R-B1 Q-N2 30 B-R5 P-N3 31 B-B3
 R-N1 32 KR-Q1 R-N6 33 R/Q1-B1 B-
 Q3 34 R-K1 B-N6 35 KR-B1 R-K1 36
 Q-R1 R-K6 37 K-N1 Q-Q2 38 R-KB1
 Q-K3 39 R/N1-Q1 R/N6-N1 40 Q-QB1
 R/1-K1 41 Q-N1 P-KB4 42 Q-B1 P-
 KN4 43 B-R5 R-K2 44 Q-N1 P-B5 45
 B-N4 Q-B2 46 R-B1 P-KR4 47 B-B3
 P-N5 48 PxP PxP 49 BxP Q-N2 50 B-

RD5 BD1 Jensen-Keown ALEKHINE'S 1 P-K4 N-KB3 2 P-K5 N-Q4 3 P-Q4 P-Q3 4 B-QB4 N-N3
 5 P-K6 NxB 6 PXP+ KXP 7 Q-B3+ K-K1 8 Q-R5+ P-N3 9 Q-N5+ Q-Q2 10 QxN Q-K3+ 11 Q-K2
 QxQ+ 12 NxQ N-QB3 13 P-QB3 P-K4 14 B-K3 B-N2 15 O-O B-K3 16 N-QR3 PXP 17 NxP NxN 18
 BxN BxB 19 PxB P-QR3 20 P-QN3 K-Q2 21 N-QB4 BxN 22 PxB P-QR3 23 KR-K1 KR-B1 24 P-
 KB3 RxB+ 25 RxB R-K1 26 RxB KxB 27 K-B2 P-QB3 28 K-K3 K-K2 29 K-K4 P-QN4 30 PXP
 Drawn. $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$

UCCC 1985 CHAMPIONSHIP/SATELLITE

P1 Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
1 Matt Guthrie	x	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1	1	4.5
2 Mike Jensen	$\frac{1}{2}$	x	1	0	1	1	3.5
3 R. Carpenter	0	0	x	1	1	1	3.0
4 Dan McCourt	0	1	0	x	1	-	2.0
5 Dave Shughart	0	0	0	0	x	$\frac{1}{2}$	0.5
6 Tom Mostad	0	0	0	-	$\frac{1}{2}$	x	0.5

P1 Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOT
1 Ron Erickson	x	1	1	0	1	1	1	-	5.0
2 Bill McBroom	0	x	0	1	-	1	1	1	4.0
3 Dan Britt	0	1	x	1	0	1	1	-	4.0
4 Phil Reno	1	0	0	x	-	-	-	1	2.0
5 Richard Gray	0	-	1	-	x	-	1	-	2.0
6 Greg Herron	0	0	0	-	-	x	1	-	1.0
7 Todd Gherke	0	0	0	-	0	F	x	-	0
8 Dennis Vollon	-	F	-	0	-	-	-	x	0

K5 BXP 9 PxB QxQ+ 10 KxQ PxN 11 BXP R-R4 12 P-KR4 B-K3 13 N-QB3 N-Q2 14 N-N5 R-QB1
 15 NxRP R-QN1 16 N-N5 R-QB1 17 N-Q4 B-Q4 18 NxKBP K-B2 19 N-K3 B-K3 20 B-QB4 NxP
 21 R-B1+ Black Resigns. 1-0

Guthrie-McCourt SCOTCH 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3
 d4 exd4 4 Nxd4 Bc5 5 Nb3 Bb6 6 Nc3 Qf6 7 Qe2
 Nge7 8 a4 a6 9 a5 Ba7 10 Nd5 Nxd5 11 exd5+
 Ne7 12 Ra4 d6 13 Re4 Bf5 14 Rf4 g5 15 Rf3
 O-O-O 16 g4 Rhe8 17 gxf5 Nxf5 18 Be3 g4 19
 Rf4 Bxe3 20 fxe3 Qh4+ 21 Qf2 Qg5?? 22 Rxf5
 Black Resigns. 1-0

Shughart-Jensen COLLE 1 P-K3 P-KN3 2 N-KB3
 B-N2 3 P-Q4 N-KB3 4 B-Q3 P-Q4 5 QN-Q2 O-O
 6 O-O QN-Q2 7 R-K1 P-QB4 8 P-QB3 P-QN3 9
 P-K4 PXP 10 NxP B-N2 11 B-Q2 Q-B2 12 N-KN5
 P-K3 13 N-KR4 KR-K1 14 R-K3 QR-Q1 15 Q-K2
 N-KB1 16 R-QB1 Q-Q3 17 PXP PXP 18 B-QN5 Qx
 B 19 QxQ RxQ 20 BxR NxB 21 R-KR3 RxNP 22
 R-Q3 B-KR3 23 White Resigns. 0-1

Erickson-McBroom FROM'S GAMBIT 1 P-KB4
 P-K4 2 PXP P-Q3 3 PXP BXP 4 N-KB3 P-KN4 5
 P-Q4 P-N5 6 N-N5 P-KB4 7 P-K4 P-KR3 8 P-

Games by Bill McBroom.

UCCC 2ND SPRING OPEN

April 11, 18, 25, 1985

P1 Name	1	2	3	4	TOT	Name	1	2	3	4	TOT	Name	1	2	3	4	TOT
1 Matt Guthrie	x	1	1	1	3.0	J. Fletcher	x	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	2.5	Tom Mostad	x	1	0	1	2.0
2 Mike Jensen	0	x	1	1	2.0	D. Shughart	$\frac{1}{2}$	x	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	2.0	Phil Reno	0	x	1	1	2.0
3 R. Carpenter	0	0	x	1	1.0	B. McBroom	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	x	$\frac{1}{2}$	1.0	Greg Herron	1	0	x	1	2.0
4 Dan McCourt	0	0	0	x	0	Dan Britt	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	x	0.5	Ron Vande Ven	0	0	0	x	0

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