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## KIP STUBBERUD SWEEPS '86 MONTANA OPEN

### BILL HAMMEL WINS CROCUS OPEN / NAILS DOWN GRAND PRIX TITLE

MIDSUMMER OPEN Sponsor - University-Community Chess Club July 12-13, 1986

Place: Room 362, Social Sciences Bldg., Univ. of MT Campus, Missoula, 59801.  
Registration: 8:00-9:00am, July 12. Advance registration is advised. Players arriving after 9:00am may not be paired until the second round. USCF and MCA required. Entry fee = \$5 advance, \$8 at door, over 2000 - one half price, Masters free.  
Rounds: 5 Round Swiss System. 9:30, 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: No Smoking. There is no opening "theme" required this year.

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MONTANA CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIP Sponsors - UCCC / MCA July 12-13, 1986

The round robin playoff for the State Title will once again be held in conjunction with the Midsummer Open thanks to the generous accommodations of the University-Community Chess Club. The six qualifiers are: 1985 State Champion - Bill Lynch; 1985-86 Grand Prix Champion - Bill Hammel and runnerup Matt Guthrie; and Montana Open qualifiers - Kip Stubberud, Keith Ratliff and Jim Loy. First alternate is our 1986 Senior Champion - Gordon Shuck.

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1985-86 GRAND PRIX - Bill Hammel of Great Falls had two first place finishes, two seconds and a third for 43.48 points to win this year's title by a wide margin. Bill Lynch of Billings had 23.78 points for second place and Matt Guthrie of Missoula logged 21.93 points for third. Rounding out the top ten were: John Thompson - 18.22, Gordon Shuck - 16.98, Ron Erickson - 16.11, Kip Stubberud - 11.55, Matthew Mestel - 10.73, Bill Greer - 10.45 and Keith Ratliff - 9.48. Point totals in the top ten fell off a bit this year - symptomatic of decreasing participation. The competition for the 1986-87 Grand Prix begins with the Midsummer Open and runs through the Montana Open Tournament in May, 1987.

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JACKSON HOLE OPEN Sponsor - Wyoming Chess Association Aug 30-Sept 1, 1986

Place: Jackson Lake Lodge, Route 89, 35 miles North of Jackson, WY.  
Registration: c/o Lance Gill, Red Mountain Terr. #30, Evanston, WY 82930. Entry fee = \$20 before August 15th, \$25 at site.  
Rounds: 6 Round Swiss System. 9am, 2pm / 9am, 2pm / 9am, 2pm.  
Prizes: \$1000 GUARANTEED. \$500 - 1st, \$300 - 2nd, \$200 - 3rd. Class prizes if permitted by entries.  
Notes: No Smoking. Bring Clocks! Info 307-789-3777 (or 307-773-7374).

RD2 Austreng-Carpenter PETROFF  
John shows that practice playing in the postals can get results- Romie got roaming too much.  
1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nf6 3 Nxe5 e6 4 Nf3 Nxe4 5 e3 Nf6 6 Bg5 Be7 7 Be2 Nc6 8 0-0 h6 9 Bh4 Bf5 10 c4 Qd7 11 Nc3 g5 12 Bg3 Nh5 13 d4 Nxc3 14 fxc3 f6 15 d5 Ne5 16 Nd4 Bg4 17 Bxc4 Nxc4 18 Ne6 Ne3 19 Qh6+ 1-0

RD2 Cagle-Shuck ALEKHINE Steve shows an open assault on Gordon\* = Alekhine. 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5 Nd5 3 c5 Nb6 4 d4 d6 5 f4 dxe5 6 fx e5 Bf5 7 Nf3 e6 8 Be3 Bb4+ 9 Nc3 0-0 10 Be2 N8d7 11 0-0 Re8 12 a3 Bxc3 13 bxc3 Qe7 14 Qd2 c5 15 Rael cxd4 16 cxd4 Qxa5 17 Nh4 Bg6 18 Rf3 Bh5 19 Rh3 Bxe2 20 Qx e2 Qe7 21 Rf1 Rc8 22 Qh5 Rxc 23 Ng6 Nf6 24 Nxe6+ Rxe6 25 Rxf6 h6 26 Bxh6 Black Resigns. 1-0

RD3 Loy-Cagle MODERN DEFENSE Jim shows us that his winning combination was at last a surprise ... for himself. 1 c4 Nf6 2 Nc3 g6 3 e4 d6 4 d4 Bg7 5 f3 0-0 6 Bf4 Ne8 7 Qd2 c5 8 dxc5 Nc6 9 cxd6 e5 10 Be3 Nxd6 11 Bc5 Nd4 12 Nb5 N6xb5 13 Bxf8 Bxf8 14 cxb5 Bb4 15 Qxb4 Nc7+ White Resigns. 0-1

RD4 Hammel-Ratliff LARSONS  
Three connected pawns convert

into an instructional draw. Endgame practice for us all.  
1 N-KB3 P-QB4 2 P-QN3 N-KB3 3 B-N2 P-K3 4 P-K3 P-Q4 5 P-QB4 B-K2 6 Q-B2 N-QB3 7 P-QR3 0-0 8 B-Q3 P-KN3 9 N-QB3 R-K1 10 N-K2 B-B1 11 P-KR4 P-K4 12 P-KR5 P-K5 13 PxB BPxB 14 PxB PxB 15 Q-B4 PxB 16 PxBch B-K3 17 Q-KR4 N-KR4 18 PxB R-N1 19 P-KN4 QxQ 20 RxQ N-N2 21 N-N5 P-KR4 22 PxB NxB 23 NxB RxN 24 RxN RxP 25 R-KN1 K-B2 26 P-N4 PxB 27 PxB RxP 28 RxR BxR 29 R-N4 P-QR4 30 R-QB4 N-B3 31 B-B3 BxB 32 RxB R-K2 33 R-QR3 R-R2 34 P-Q4 K-K3 35 K-Q3 K-Q4 36 P-B3 P-N4 37 R-N3 P-N5 38 P-K4ch K-K3 39 P-B4 P-N6 40 P-B5ch K-B2 41 P-K5ch P-N7 42 R-B1 P-R5 43 K-K3 P-R6 44 K-B2 P-R7 45 R1-K1 N-K5ch 46 KxP N-Q7 47 P-Q5 N-N6 48 R-R1 K-N1 49 P-Q6 P-B8=Q 50 RxQ NxB 51 P-K6 K-B1 52 P-B6 K-K1 53 P-Q7ch RxB 54 PxBch KxP 55 K-N3 K-K3 56 K-N4 KxP Drawn. 1/2-1/2

RD5 Stubberud-Shuck LARSONS The Championship Game - Kip gets mean. 1 N-KB3 P-Q4 2 P-KN3 N-KB3 3 B-N2 B-B4 4 P-Q3 QN-Q2 5 0-0 P-K3 6 QN-Q2 B-Q3 7 P-QN3 P-KR3 8 B-N2 0-0 9 Q-K1 B-R2 10 P-K4 PxB 11 PxB P-K4 12 Q-K2 P-QR3 13 KR-Q1 Q-K2 14 N-K1 Q-K3 15 N-B4 P-QN4 16 NxB PxB 17 B-QR3 N-B4 18 P-KB3 KR-Q1 19 R-Q2 N-K1 20 QR-Q1 Q-K2 21 B-R3 P-B3 22 N-Q3 NxB 23 RxN P-QR4 24 P-B3 K-R1 25 Q-Q2 R-R3 26 R-Q5 R-N3 27 B-QB5 R-R3 28 B-K3 N-B2 29 R-Q3 B-N1 30 B-QB5 N-K1 31 B-B1 P-R5 32 P-QB4 R-B3 33 B-N4 PxB 34 PxB Q-QB2 35 P-B5 B-B5 36 B-R5 Q-R2 37 BxR QxP+ 38 K-N2 BxR 39 BxB R-B1 40 B-R5 R-R1 41 B-N4 Q-Q5 42 P-QR3 N-B2 43 Q-KB2 QxQ+ 44 KxQ Black Resigns. 1-0

Games selection and notes by Dennis Petrak.

P1 Name	Rate	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	RD5	TOT
1 Kip Stubberud	2047	W20	W9	W3	W5	W6	5.0
2 Keith Ratliff	1524	D14	W16	W15	D3	W5	4.0
3 Bill Hammel	1980	W19	W11	L1	D2	W9	3.5
4 Jim Loy	1948	W7	D15	L5	W12	W10	3.5
5 Steve Cagle	1400	W12	W6	W4	L1	L2	3.0
6 Gordon Shuck	1775	W8	L5	W7	W11	L1	3.0
7 John Barto	1428	L4	W17	L6	W15	W13	3.0
8 John Austreng	1299	L6	W12	L9	W17	W11	3.0
9 Ron Erickson	1681	W13	L1	W8	D10	L3	2.5
10 Bill McBroom	1636	D16	D14	W13	D9	L4	2.5
11 Gregg Ford	1648	W18	L3	W14	L6	L8	2.0
12 Romie Carpenter	1867	L5	L8	W16	L4	W15	2.0
13 Richard Byrd	1200	L9	W20	L10	W14	L7	2.0
14 Greg Arnold	UNR	D2	D10	L11	L13	W18	2.0
15 Don Norrid	1525	W17	D4	L2	L7	L12	1.5
16 Mike Britz	UNR	D10	L2	L12	L18	W17	1.5
17 Scot Wilson	UNR	L15	L7	W18	L8	L6	1.0
18 Dave Jenkins	UNR	L11	L19	L17	W16	L14	1.0
19 Dennis Petrak	1447	L3	W18	WD	--	--	1.0
20 Lyle Petersen	1485	L1	L13	WD	--	--	0

RD3 Stubberud-Hammel RETI Up two pawns even the Wild Bull can move the wrong piece. There is hope Mr. Jensen. 1 N-KB3 N-QB3 2 P-B4 P-K4 3 N-B3 P-B4 4 P-Q3 B-N5 5 B-Q2 N-B3 6 Q-B2 P-Q3 7 P-QR3 BxN 8 BxB 0-0 9 P-KN3 Q-K1 10 B-N2 N-K2 11 P-QN4 N-N3 12 0-0 P-B3 13 P-K3 P-Q4 14 R-K1 P-K5 15 N-Q2 N-K4 16 BxN QxB 17 P-N5 Q-K1 18 P-QR4 Q-K4 19 N-B1 N-Q2 20 BPxQP BPxQP 21 Q-N3 Q-B2 22 QR-B1 N-R4 23 KR-Q1 B-K3 24 P-Q4 N-Q6 25 R-B3 QR-B1 26 N-Q2 RxR 27 QxR R-B1 28 Q-R3 Q-R4 29 P-B3 Q-N4 30 P-B4 Q-R4 31 Q-N3 Q-K1 32 B-B1 QxP+ 33 K-N2 QxP 34 PxB PxB 35 N-B3 R-B6 36 NxB Black Resigns. 1-0

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CROCUS OPEN

April 12-13, 1986

RD1 McBroom-Jensen FRENCH KIA

Table with columns: P1 Name, Rate, RD1, RD2, RD3, RD4, RD5, TOT. Lists 14 players including Bill Hammel, Bill McBroom, Ron Erickson, Mike Jensen, Lyle Petersen, Bob Phillips, Roger White, Gordon Shuck, Dan Britt, Tom Booth, Dennis Petrak, Sherwood Moore, Mike Keown, Les Brennan.

1 P-K4 P-K3 2 P-Q3 P-Q4 3 N-Q2 P-QB4 4 P-KN3 N-QB3 5 B-N2 P-KN3 6 N-KB3 B-N2 7 O-O KN-K2 8 P-QB3 O-O 9 R-K1 P-QN3 10 N-KB1 P-QR4 11 N-K3 QB-R3 12 N-N4 P-KR4 13 N-K3 R-R2 14 N-KN5 QPxKP 15 Pxp R-Q2 16 Q-N3 N-K4 17 R-Q1 Rxr+ 18 Nxr P-B5 19 Q-B2 N-Q6 20 B-K3 Q-Q3 21 P-QN3 P-QN4 22 Pxp Pxp 23 R-N1 R-N1 24 Rxr Qxr 25 Q-R4 Q-N4 26 QxQ BxQ 27 K-B1 B-R5 28 K-K2 BxN+ 29 RxB BxBP 30 K-B2 B-N5 31 B-KB1 N-K4 32 P-KR3 N2-QB3 33 P-B4 N-Q6 34 BxN PxB+ 35 Kxp B-Q8 36 K-B4 BxNP 37 P-R3 P-K4 38 Pxp Nxp+ 39 K-N5 B-K8 40 B-N6 41 P-R4 P-B3 42 N-R3 B-K8 43 Bxp

Bxp 44 B-B7 P-N4 45 P-R4 P-N5 46 N-B4 P-N6 47 NxrP P-N7 48 B-N6 N-B6 49 P-R5 P-N8=Q 50 BxQ NxB 51 P-R6 B-B7 52 Nxp+ K-B2 53 N-Q5 B-R2 54 K-B6 N-B6 55 K-N7 B-B4 56 N-N6 N-K4 57 P-R7 N-Q2 58 P-R8=Q BxN 59 Q-R2+ K-K2 60 K-B3 B-K6 61 Q-Q5 N-N1+ 62 K-N7 N-K2 63 P-K5 B-B5 64 Q-Q6+ K-K1 65 Q-N6+ K-K2 66 Q-N7+ K-K1 67 Q-R8+ K-B2 68 Q-R5+ Black Resigns. 1-0

RD5 Moore-Booth FRENCH

1 e4 e6 2 d4 d5 3 e5 c5 4 Nf3 Nc6 5 c3 Qb6 6 Be2 cxd4 7 cxd4 Nge7 8 O-O Nf5 9 Nd2 Nxd4 10 Nxd4 Nxd4 11 Nf3 Nxe2+ 12 Qx e2 Bd7 13 b3 Bb5 14 Qc2 Bxf1 15 Kxf1 Bc5 16 Bb2 Qb5+ 17 Kgl Ke7 18 Nd4 Qb6 19 Rdl Rac8 20 Qd2 h6 21 Qe2 Bxd4 22 Bxd4 Qc6 23 h3 Qc2 24 Rd2 Qcl+ 25 Kh2 b6 26 a4 Rc7 27 Bb2 Qc5 28 Bd4 Qc6 29 Bb2 f6 30 Ba3+ Kf7 31 Bd6 R7c8 32 Rd3 Qc2 33 Qh5+ g6 34 Qf3 f5 35 g4 h5 36 gxf5 gxf5 37 Qg3 Rg8 38 Qh4 Rf5 39 Rc3 Qd2 40 Rc7+ Kg6 41 Re7 Qcl 42 Rxe6+ Kf7 43 Re7+ Kf8 44 Rc7+ Black Resigns. 1-0

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BILLINGS OPEN

March 22-23, 1986

Lynch-Thompson QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED

Table with columns: P1 Name, Rate, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, TOT. Lists 6 players including Bill Lynch, John Thompson, Chad Robinson, Les Brennan, Bob Pitman, Mike Kadie.

1 d4 Nf6 2 c4 e6 3 Nc3 d5 4 Bg5 Nbd7 5 Nf3 Be7 6 e3 O-O 7 Qc2 c5 8 Bd3 dxc4 9 Bx c4 a6 10 a4 b6 11 O-O Bb7 12 Rfd1 Qc7 13 Bd3 cxd4 14 exd4 Rac8 15 Racl Bd6 16 Qe2 Bxf3 17 Qxf3 Bxh2+ 18 Kh1 Bd6 19 Bxa6 Rce8 20 Bb5 Qa7 21 Bxf6 gxf6 22 Qc6 Rd8 23 Qxd6 Ne5 24 Qb4 Ng4 25 Rf1 Qb8 26 g3 Kh8 27 Ne4 Rg8 28 Qc3 Rd5 29 Qc7 Qf8 30 Qf4 Rf5 31 Qd2 Rh5+ 32 Kg2 f5 33 Rh1 Rxhl

34 Rxhl fxe4 35 Qf4 f5 36 Qc7 Qg7 37 Qxg7+ Rxg7 38 Rol f5 39 Rc8+ Rg8 40 Rxg8+ Kxg8 41 gxf4 e3 42 Bc4 Nxf2 43 Bxe6+ Kf8 44 Kf3 h5 45 b3 h4 46 Kxe3 Ndl+ 47 Kf3 Black Resigns. 1-0

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VALENTINE OPEN RR

February 8-9, 1986

Willis-Guthrie RUY LOPEZ

Table with columns: P1 Name, Rate, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, TOT. Lists 6 players including Matt Guthrie, Bill Hammel, Mike Jensen, Jay Ver Hoef, M. Willis, R. Carpenter.

1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 Bb5 f5 4 exf5 e4 5 Qe2 Qe7 6 Bxc6 bxc6 7 Nd4 Qe5 8 Ne6 Bxe6 9 fxe6 Nf3 10 d3 Qxe6 11 Nd2 O-O-O 12 Nxe4 Re8 13 f3 Nxe4 14 dxe4 Be7 15 Be3 Kb8 16 a3 Bf6 17 c3 Rd8 18 Rdl Rxd1 19 Qxd1 Rd8 20 Qe2 Qb3 21 O-O g5 22 Rcl Kc8 23 Qc2 Qb5 24 a4 Qc4 25 Rdl Rxd1+ 26 Qxd1 Qa2 27 Qc2 Qc4 28 e5 Bxe5 29 Qf5+ Black Resigns. 1-0

Carpenter-Jensen FRENCH 1 e4 e6 2 d3 d5 3 Nd2 Nf6 4 Nf3 Nc6 5 g3 dxè4 6 dxe4 Bc5 7 Bg2 e5 8 O-O O-O 9 h3 a5 10 Qe2 b6 11 Rdl Ba6 12 c4 Qe8 13 Nf1 Nd4 14 Nxd4 Bxd4 15 Be3 Rd8 16 Racl c5 17 Qc2 Qe6 18 Rd3 Bb7 19 Rb3 Rd6 20 Rdl Rfd8 21 Kh2 Ba6 22 Nd2 Bxa3 23 Rxe3 Bxc4 24 b3 Ba6 25 R3el Qd7 White Resigns. O-1



VALENTINE OPEN

February 8-9, 1986

UCCC 2ND SPRING OPEN 4/8-24, '86

P1 Name	Rate	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	RD5	TOT
1 Matthew Mestel	1714	W13	W2	D4	D3	W7	4.0
2 Gregg Ford	1660	W10	L1	W12	W4	W3	4.0
3 Gordon Shuck	1753	W8	W7	W6	D1	L2	3.5
4 Tom Booth	1609	W11	W5	D1	L2	W10	3.5
5 Dave Shughart	1673	W14	L4	D10	W8	D9	3.0
6 Dennis Petrak	1554	W15	W9	L3	L7	W12	3.0
7 Bob Phillips	UNR	W16	L3	W9	W6	L1	3.0
8 Bill McBroom	1652	L3	D11	W14	L5	W13	2.5
9 Ray Jorgenson	1616	W12	L6	L7	W14	D5	2.5
10 Sherwood Moore	1315	L2	W13	D5	W11	L4	2.5
11 Ron Erickson	1681	L4	D8	D15	L10	W14	2.0
12 Bill Egger	1370	L9	W16	L2	W13	L6	2.0
13 Dan Britt	1690	L1	L10	W16	L12	L8	1.0
14 Lyle Petersen	1485	L5	W15	L8	L9	L11	1.0
15 Dan McCourt	1732	L6	L14	D11	WD	—	0.5
16 Tom Mostad	1656	L7	L12	L13	WD	—	0

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UCCC 1ST SPRING OPEN

3/20-4/10, 1986

P1 Name	Rate	RD1	RD2	RD3	RD4	TOT
1 Mike Jensen	1985	D8	W6	W2	W5	3.5
2 Dave Shughart	1696	W3	W5	L1	W6	3.0
3 Greg Herron	1262	L2	W10	W8	W7	3.0
4 Dan Britt	1702	D7	W8	L5	W9	2.5
5 Dan McCourt	1732	W9	L2	W4	L1	2.0
6 Bill McBroom	1636	W10	L1	W7	L2	2.0
7 Richard Gray	1353	D4	W9	L6	L3	1.5
8 Ted Catton	1593	D1	L4	L3	X10	1.5
9 Dennis Vollin	1381	L5	L7	X10	L4	1.0
10 Terry Davis	UNR	L6	L3	F9	F8	0

32 Kd3 Kc7 33 Kc4 a5 34 Nb5+ Kc6 35 Nd4+ Kc7 36 Kd5 a4 37 Be1 b3 38 Bb4 h6 39 Bd6+ Kb6 40 Ke5 Bb5 41 Nb5 Kb5 42 Kf5 Kc6 43 Ba3 Kd5 44 Kg6 Ke6 45 Kh6 Kf6 46 Kh5 Kf5 47 h3 Kf6 48 Bb4 Kf5 49 Bc3 Ke6 50 Kg5 Kd5 51 h4 Kc4 52 Bf6 Kd3 53 h5 Ke3 54 h6 Kf2 55 h7 Kg2 56 Kf4 a3 57 ba b2 58 Bb2 Black Resigns. 1-0 TD Ted Catton.

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UCCC 3RD WINTER OPEN 2/14-2/27, '86

P1 Name	Rate	1	2	3	4	TOT
1 Matt Guthrie	2114	x	1/2	1/2	1	2.0
2 Mike Jensen	1985	1/2	x	1/2	1	2.0
3 Mike Keown	1772	1/2	1/2	x	1/2	1.5
4 R. Carpenter	1833	0	0	1/2	x	0.5
1 Bill McBroom	1631	x	1/2	1/2	1	2.0
2 Dan McCourt	1672	1/2	x	1	0	1.5
3 Dave Shughart	1670	1/2	0	x	1	1.5
4 Dan Britt	1609	0	1	0	x	1.0
1 Ted Catton	1561	x	1	1	1	3.0
2 Dennis Vollin	1381	0	x	1	1	2.0
3 Richard Gray	1359	0	0	x	1	1.0
4 Greg Herron	1262	0	0	0	x	0

Carpenter-Guthrie DANISH 1 e4 e5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4 exd4 4 c3 d5 5 exd5 Qxd5 6 cxd4 Bg4 7 Be2 0-0-0 8 Nc3 Qh5 9 0-0 Bd6 10 Ne4 Bxh2+ 11 Nxb2 Bxe2 12 Ng3 Bxe2 White Resigns. 0-1

Keown-Carpenter KING'S INDIAN ATTACK 1 Nf3 Nf6 2 g3 b6 3 Bg2 Bb7 4 0-0 e6 5 d4 c5 6 c4 cxd4 7 Nxd4 Bxg2 8 Kxg2 Be7 9 Nc3 Qc8 10 Qd3 Nc6 11 Nxc6 Qxc6+ 12 Qf3 Rc8 13 Qxc6 Rxc6 14 Bf4 Rxc4 15 Nb5 Nd5 16 Nd6+ Bxd6 17 Bxd6 Rc6 18 Ba3 d6 19 Racl Rxcl 20 Rxcl Kd7 21 Rd1 b5 22 e4 b4 23 exd5 bxa3 24 dxe6+ fxe6 25 bxa3 Rb8 26 Rd4 Rb7 27 Kf3 e5 28 Rb4 Kc6 29 Ke4 Rxb4 30 axb4 Kb5 31 Kd5 Kxb4 32 Kxd6 a5 33 Kxe5 Ka3 34 Kd4 Kb2 35 Kd3 a4 36 f4 Kxa2 37 Kc2 Ka3 38 Kc3 Ka2 Drawn. 1/2-1/2

Selected Games by TD Dennis Vollin.

P1 Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	TOT
1 Mike Jensen	x	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	5.0
2 Jim Loy	0	x	1/2	1/2	0	-	1	1	1	1	5.0
3 Duane Hildenstab	0	1/2	x	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	4.5
4 Ron Erickson	-	1/2	-	x	-	1	1	-	1	1	4.5
5 Kip Stubberud	-	1	-	-	x	-	1	1	-	1	4.0
6 Bill McBroom	0	-	0	0	-	x	1	-	1	1	3.0
7 Lyle Petersen	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	-	1	1	2.0
8 Dennis Petrak	-	0	0	-	0	-	-	x	1/2	1	1.5
9 John Austreng	0	0	-	0	-	0	0	1/2	x	1	1.5
10 Darren Stacey	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0

The crosstable shows results as reported through June 4th, 1986. Both Mike Jensen and Kip Stubberud have perfect records to date and appear to be overcoming Jim Loy's early lead. Ron Erickson is also undefeated, with only a draw marring his scoring, and Duane Hildenstab is also doing very well, having lost only to Mike Jensen thus far. With 60% of the games complete it looks

quite good for wrapping up the event before the one year mark rolls around on the 10th of October. Following are some interesting games submitted by the players:

Jensen-Hildenstab RETI 1 Nf3 d5 2 c4 d4 3 b4 f6 4 e3 e5 5 Qb3 c5 6 bxc5 Bxc5 7 Ba3 b6 8 Be2 Ne7 9 exd4 Bxa3 10 Nxa3 e4 11 Ngl Qxd4 12 Rdl Bb7 13 Nb5 Qe5 14 d4 ex d3 e.p. 15 Qxd3 0-0 16 Nf3 Qxf3 17 Qxf3 Nbc6 18 0-0 a6 19 Rfel axb5 20 cxb5 Nd4 21 Bc4+ Kh8 22 Qd3 Qc7 23 Qxd4 Rfd8 24 Qe4 Rxd1 25 Qxa8+ Rd8 26 Qe4 Rd7 27 g3 Qd8 28 Bb3 f5 29 Qe6 Rb7 30 Qf7 Rc7 31 Be6 Nd5 32 Bxd5 Rxd8 33 Bxd8 1-0

Petrak-Jensen PIRC 1 c4 Nf6 2 d4 g6 3 Nc3 Bg7 4 e4 d6 5 Nf3 0-0 6 Bd3 Nc6 7 d5 Ne5 8 Nxe5 dxe5 9 0-0 e6 10 Bg5 exd5 11 cxd5 h6 12 BxN QxB 13 Rcl Bd7 14 Rcl Bd7 15 Ne2 Qb6 16 Qd3 a6 17 Bc4 Kh7 18 Kh1 f5 19 f3 h5 20 Rc2 fxe6 0-1

McBroom-Austreng SICILIAN 1 e4 c5 2 d4 cxd4 3 c3 e6 4 Nf3 Nf6 5 e5 Nd5 6 Qd4 Nc6 7 Qe4 Qc7 8 Nbd2 a6 9 Bc4 Nde7 10 0-0 Ng6 11 Rel d6 12 exd6 Bxd6 13 Nb3 0-0 14 Nbd4 Nce5 15 Bb3 Bd7 16 Bc2 Nf3+ 17 Qf3 Bh2+ 18 Kh1 Bd6 19 Qh5 Qc5 20 Qh3 Rfd8 21 b4 Qd5 22 Bb3 e5 23 Bd5 Bh3 24 Bb7 Ra7 25 Nc6 1-0

Stubberud-Loy KIA 1 N-KB3 P-Q4 2 P-KN3 P-QB4 3 B-N2 N-QB3 4 P-Q4 PXP 5 NxP P-K4 6 NxN PxN 7 P-QB4 B-QN5+ 8 N-B3 BxN+ 9 PxB N-K2 10 B-QR3 B-K3 11 0-0 P-K5 12 R-N1 0-0 13 R-N7 R-K1 14 Q-R4 P-QR4 15 R-Q1 (I figured that Kip would win with 15 BxN RxB 16 RxR QxR 17 QxBP)... N-N3 16 PXP PXP 17 Q-N5 Q-B1 18 B-B5 P-B4 19 P-QB4 PXP 20 B-Q4 P-B6 21 RxP+ K-B1 22 R-QB1 BxP 23 RxQBP R-N1 24 QxRP Q-K3 25 B-R3 B-Q4 26 R-B5 R-N8+ 27 K-N2 R-R1 28 QxR+! (I was expecting something like 28 Q-B3 P-K6+ 29 P-B3 BxP+ 30 PxB R-R7+ and I win.) ... BxQ 29 RxP+ K-K1 30 R-QR5 Q-Q3 31 RxB+ R-N1 32 RxR+ Qx R 33 R-N8+ N-B1 34 B-QB5 1-0 (I'm impressed (& depressed)).

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UCCC CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIP 1986

P1 Name	Rate	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
1 Mike Jensen	1966	x	1	1	0	1	1	4.0
2 Dave Shughart	1674	0	x	1/2	1	1	1/2	3.0
3 Bill McBroom	1653	0	1/2	x	1/2	1	1	3.0
4 Ron Erickson	1654	1	0	1/2	x	0	1	2.5
5 Dan Britt	1635	0	0	0	1	x	1/2	1.5
6 Sherwood Moore	1402	0	1/2	0	0	1/2	x	1.0

Mike Jensen won the UCCC Closed Club Championship earning 4 of 5 points, losing only to Ron Erickson. Dave Shughart and Bill McBroom came in 2-3 with 3 points apiece. Dennis Vollin won the satellite section with 2 points.

P1 Name	Rate	1	2	3	4	TOT
1 Dennis Vollin	1397	x	1	1	-	2.0
2 Ted Catton	1562	0	x	1/2	1	1.5
3 Dan McCourt	1680	0	1/2	x	-	0.5
4 Greg Herron	1262	-	0	-	x	0

Jensen-Britt RD4 CARO KANN Here, as usual, Mike's play is clear and strong. 1 P-K4 P-QB3 2 P-Q4 P-Q4 3 PXP PXP 4 P-QB4 N-KB3 5 N-QB3 B-K3 6 P-B5 N-QB3 7 P-QR3 P-KN3 8 N-KB3 B-N2 9 P-QN4 N-K5 10 B-N2 B-KN5 11 B-K2 BxN 12 NPxB NxKBP 13 KxN BxKP+ 14 K-N2 P-K4 15 Q-Q2 P-KB4 16 N-QN5 BxB 17 N-Q6+ K-B1 18 QxB Q-N4+ 19 K-B1 N-Q5 20 B-Q1 Q-K6 21 Q-B2 Q-Q6+ 22 K-N2 Q-B6 23 R-R2 P-K5

24 PXP PXP 25 NxKP Q-B5 26 N-Q6 Q-Q4+ 27 K-N1 N-QN4 28 B-B3 Q-Q6 29 R-Q2 QxRP 30 NxN QxNP 31 Q-Q4 Black Resigns. 1-0

Report by Bill McBroom - time pressure and space do not allow any more of Bill's excellent choices of games. Many thanks to all the Missoula directors and Dennis Petrak for the invaluable assistance in picking games.

At the business meeting held in conjunction with the Montana Open, a motion was carried to retain the 1985-86 officers for 1986-87: President - Dennis Petrak, Western VP - Dan McCourt, Eastern VP - Jim Loy, JR VP - Steve Olson, and Secretary/Treasurer - Bill Lynch. A final selection was not made on a site for the 1987 Open with President Petrak calling for Bozeman or Billings to consider hosting the event. Also proposed for consideration by the membership is a motion to have two other MCA sponsored mobile tournaments besides the Montana Open at regular times each year, with Grand Prix points reduced for club tournaments and/or increased for traveling tournaments to promote attendance. Dennis Petrak will be putting out a letter soliciting comments on this question. Two motions made, seconded and carried were as follows:

1. That the entry fee for the 1987 Montana Open be set at \$10 to help build the treasury.
2. That the Montana Postal Championship shall become an officially sponsored MCA event to be held annually. Jim Loy will establish procedures for the 1986-87 event.

Report by Dennis Petrak.

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MONTANA POSTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Sponsor - MCA

Sep. 1 1986-Sep. 1 1987

Registration: Mail to Jim Loy, 1104 S. Montana, #H-7, Bozeman, MT 59715. Entry fee = \$5. MCA membership and Montana residence required.

Round Robins: Two sections - championship and reserve. Seeding system will be devised based on '85-86 Championship, Postal Ratings and/or OTB ratings. Probably 7 man sections maximum.

Time Control: 30 days for 10 moves.

Director: Jim Loy, 1104 S. Montana, #H-7, Bozeman, MT 59715.

Notes: Both complaints about the number of games required by large round robins and an apparent disparity in levels of ability have led to the necessity of dividing the tournament into several sections. All entries should be received by September 1st.

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