FREMONT CHESS CLUB

NEWSLETTER

by Hans Poschmann

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Meetings: Thursdays fr. 7 - 11 pm at the Central Park Community Center 40204 Paseo Padre Parkway, near Lake Elisabeth and City Hall

The Fremont Chess Club is growing !!!

As the days of the year 1972 are running out, we can look back to the latest events:

First Summer Rating Tournament.
Here we discovered that the club also grew in talent.
Rick Price posted a perfect score of 5:0 by beating Rendon Holloway in the final round. Rendon as well as Mario Maciel and Ken Torngren came in second to fourth with a score of 4:1.

Rick Price was also successful in the San Leandro Centennial - Bicentennial. He shared first prize and won \$ 52.00.

A few weeks later Rick won the "B"prize in the Redwood City Tournament, an other \$ 60.00.

The following Fall-Rating Tournament, Rick Price again with a perfect score.

It seems that the rest of us has to study harder, so we can catch up with him.

Second - fourth place in above tournament with a score of 4:1 were obtained by Ed Nixon, Ed Sheffield and Gus Castellanos.

Congratulations !!!

FREMONT CHESS CLUB enters three teams at the Bay Area Chess Olympics.

The "A" team tied their two matches vs. Berkeley and Concord.

The "B" team has to fight if it is not to end up last in the league. But I believe it is worth the experience and if our players don't loose interest, they will find their rewards.

The Independent team won the first match 4:0 but had to taste defeat against an overly strong Walnut Creek Team.

Good luck in the future!

The Knock-Out Tournament for the EBONY ROOK is in the final round. David Brooks and Rick Price are the oponents. The winner will represent the club in the Bay Area Play-Offs.

On January - 4 - 1973 we will start the Club Championship

Tournaments in three classes (Round Robin System).

Eligibility for each class is decided by the Club Rating List published below. Members with a " * " in front of their names have the choice to play in the next class up or down.

There will be trophies for first and second in each class.

New club members can only start in class "B" or "C" unless they have a USCF Rating of 1500 or more.

1	Rick Price	1860 /68
2	Rendon Holloway	1766\$ 166
3	Ventura Negrete	1719 153
4	Dave Brooks	1709
5	Hans Poschmann	1694 1640
6	Ed Nixon	1686
7	Jon Fox	1660 1408
	Ed Sheffield	1653
	Mario Maciel	1641
	Ken Torngren	1638
	Gus Castellanos	1633
12	Bob Wilson	1628

"*" Bruce Vogel	1609
"*" Nelson Aquilar	1569
"*" Doug Gilligan	1561
Ray Izuno	1538
Terry Hengl	1535
Don Lane	1524
Mike Guidry	1515
John Bartlett	1506
Bob Love	1500
"*" Pat Jackson	1485
"*" Kevin Kishiyama	a 1463
"*" Craig Larkin	1462
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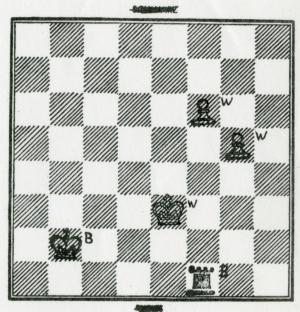
25 "*" Mike Negrete	1456
26 "*" David Mostardi	1443
27 "*" John Estrada	1407
28 Marc Underwood	1362
29 Jim Dunnegan	1316
30 Herold Townzen	1316
31 Robert Brooks	1300
32 Bob Rosen	1300
33 Vincent N.Clement	1300
34 Joe Williams	1300
35 Rosasco Araya	1244
36 Gene Wohler	1203
37 Glen Kishiyama	1285
38 Robert Deeter	1175
39 Greg Wilson	1166
40 Eric Mostardi	1161
41 Rick Hoch	1098

42 John Pierson

1078

For End Game practice please study the problem below:

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Who wins and how ? ? ?

Solution in the next newsletter.

Good wishes for a happy and

successful 1 9 7 3

Hans Poschmann