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Annual Council Meeting (Saturday 14th June 1980): County Secretaries and members of the SCCU Executive should receive official notice of the Meeting, plus all attendant bumf, with this Bulletin. County delegates' copies have been sent to the County Secretaries, who are asked to pass them on.

People keep explaining to me why inflation is a Bad Thing. I always understand at the time, but have forgotten the reasons half an hour later. Anyway, inflation is hitting us again this year as usual. The BCF will be proposing rather large levy increases (maybe already has done so by the time you read this) and I regret to say that the SCCU feels bound to propose, at its AGM on the 14th June, that its own County levy should go up from £4 to £5. At the same time the Executive will propose £1.40 as the price of a grading list (£1.25 last year) and £1.60 for an annual subscription to the Bulletin (£1.25 last year). If the Editor had his way - but I don't suppose he will - the Bulletin would be £1.50 if only because it's easier to divide by 6, but that's neither here nor there.

I can assure you that the Executive would not be proposing these increases if they were not necessary. Don't complain too loud. Somebody, somewhere, at this very moment, is probably buying a chess computer for the best part of £300.

#### SCCU AGM

In case you didn't spot it above: the Annual Council Meeting (AGM) will be held on Saturday 14th June. It is expected that the Meeting will be held at St Brides as usual, starting 2 p.m. Counties will receive official notice in due course, but delegates please make a note of the date if you haven't already.

#### EXECUTIVE MEETING

The Executive met on Friday 18th April at St Brides. Present were EE Croker, AJ NW Dennis, AJ Douglas, BA Fewell, RJ Haddrell, HT Jones, JJ Lauder, BG Locke, J Poole, RJ Richmond and NG Thomas. Apologies from RCA Lee-Pentecost.

The main items fit to print were:

Essex-Middlesex dispute: The Executive was called to resolve a dispute on eligibility of players. Mr RW O'Brien of Essex and Mr DN Foley-Comer of Middlesex (who seems to be making rather a habit of this) both attended by special invitation to put their Counties' cases.

Mr O'Brien claimed that three players who represented Middlesex I against Essex I on the 12th January were ineligible. In one case the player involved, PG Large, had moved temporarily out of Middlesex before the start of the season and returned less than one month before the date of the match. The Executive ruled that in this particular case the player's absence from Middlesex was of a clearly transitory nature, and that he should not be considered ineligible. (Match captains please note: this was an unusual case, though space prevents giving full details here.) The other two players, CS Pritchett and RJ Pearce, both came into the "border dispute" category. Both are registered members of clubs undoubtedly in Middlesex, but have not been so for the two years required by the rules. Their eligibility rests in one case on residence in Hackney, and in the other on membership of the Cavendish Club; and Essex maintained that neither of these was in Middlesex. The Executive felt that Essex's case was insufficient on both counts, and that both players were genuinely Middlesex men.

One problem is that county boundaries are defined in pre-1964 terms (otherwise Middlesex could scarcely exist). It was agreed that the situation is messy and that some steps ought to be taken to clarify it. One idea mentioned was that all Counties could be invited to define their boundaries, and that players in disputed areas (provided these were not too large) could be considered eligible for either County. It seems obvious that something should be done, or we may yet see Messrs Foley-Comer and O'Brien manning machine-gun posts in Hackney.

Tournament Rules: The new draft Tournament Rules came up for some minor amendments. There was some comment that they should include a reference to County boundaries.

Purchase of equipment: The Union is to buy 12 new clocks. Four of the existing 40 are unusable; most of our equipment was bought at least ten years ago.

Union Officers: Most of the Officers are willing to stand for re-election at the AGM. But it is likely that we shall need a new Secretary as Mr Bitton is thought to be contemplating retirement. Members of the Executive have been asked to look around for a successor, but if you know (or are!) a likely candidate the President would no doubt be delighted to hear from you.

Money: Mr Richmond, apart from proposing the price increases mentioned in the Editorial, said that expected losses on grading activities this year were £30-£40.

The Executive also spent some time discussing preparations for the AGM on the 14th June 1980. There, now we've told you three times so it must be true.

## SCCU INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP 1980

The Championship was again held as part of the Surrey Congress at Sutton (4-7 April). Once again Fred Manning gave sterling service in organising the tournament.

		grade	Rd1	Rd2	Rd3	Rd4	Rd5	Rd6	Pts
1)	DH Cummings	Sussex 204	+24	<u>+22</u>	+ 9	+ 2	= 8	= 4	5
2)	PG Large	Middx 207	+ 5	+ 4	<u>+16</u>	- 1	<u>+19</u>	<u>+ 8</u>	5
{ 3)	CM Cooley	Middx 202	<u>+ 6</u>	=18	<u>+11</u>	- 4	<u>+16</u>	+10	4 <sup>1/2</sup>
{ 4)	WN Watson	Middx 208	+20	- 2	+ 5	+ 3	<u>+12</u>	<u>= 1</u>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>
5)	AJ Berry	Beds 185	- 2	+15	- 4	=17	<u>+23</u>	+18	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
6)	RMR O'Kelly	Kent 210	- 3	+17	=13	=18	+ 9	<u>=12</u>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
7)	JC Saunders	Bucks 198	= 8	-12	=20	=23	<u>+22</u>	<u>+14</u>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
8)	GC Flear	Surrey 207	= 7	+24	+12	<u>= 9</u>	= 1	- 2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
9)	DJ King	Kent 205	+14	+19	- 1	= 8	- 6	<u>+20</u>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
{10)	GD Lee	Middx 216	<u>+15</u>	-16	<u>=18</u>	=14	+11	- 3	3
{11)	AD Martin	Essex 196	=22	<u>+13</u>	- 3	=19	-10	+21	3
{12)	RJ Pearce	Middx 200	=17	+ 7	- 8	+16	- 4	= 6	3
{13)	IR Watson	Essex 204	=18	-11	= 6	=20	<u>=21</u>	+19	3
14)	JJ Ady	Kent 180	- 9	=20	+22	=10	<u>=18</u>	- 7	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
15)	SD Brown	Kent 195	-10	- 5	+24	=21	<u>=20</u>	=16	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
16)	GW Chapman	Oxon 168	+21	<u>+10</u>	- 2	-12	- 3	<u>=15</u>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
17)	NF Dickenson	Kent 186	=12	- 6	-23	<u>= 5</u>	=24	<u>+22</u>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
18)	JC Henshaw	Sussex 198	=13	= 3	=10	<u>= 6</u>	=14	<u>= 5</u>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
19)	DGA Shallcross	Sussex 188	+ d	- 9	+21	<u>=11</u>	- 2	<u>-13</u>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
{20)	GH James	Sussex 194	- 4	=14	= 7	<u>=13</u>	=15	- 9	2
{21)	KI Norman	Sussex 200	-16	+23	-19	<u>=15</u>	=13	<u>-11</u>	2
22)	JW Branford	Surrey 195	<u>=11</u>	- 1	-14	+24	- 7	-17	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
23)	SC Le Blancq	Cambs		-21	+17	= 7	- 5	-24	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
24)	F Parr	Surrey 200	- 1	- 8	-15	<u>-22</u>	<u>=17</u>	+23	1 <sup>1/2</sup>

SC Le Blancq came in in the second round to replace an absentee.

Results with white are underlined.

Average grade was 198, the highest for some time at any rate. (1977 was 183, 1978 179, 1979 191.)

A play-off for the right to play in the British Championship is being arranged between DH Cummings and PG Large.

## LETTERS

Dear Mr Haddrell,

If you have any space in the next edition of the SCCU Bulletin, your readers might be interested in knowing the average gradings of SCCU graded players over the past 9 seasons, which were as shown below.

season	average grading	number of players in SCCU grad.list	season	average	no. of players
1970-1	148	2873	1974-5	140	3836
1971-2	146	3187	1975-6	138	4131
1972-3	145	3461	1976-7	136	4110
1973-4	141	3733	1977-8	135	4246
			1978-9	135	4365

Yours sincerely,

DM Forbes                      Wooburn Green, Bucks

(Ed: We'd love to know how Mr Forbes worked these out - did he do it by hand or has he got a tame computer? We assume that the gradual decline in average grade is due to the influx of more and more players, mostly at the bottom end.)

Dear Richard,

Mr Lean's letter in your Bulletin no. 132 reminded me that I had forgotten to update you on Norfolk's insurance position.

To recap, for some years we had our trophies insured, but lacked any other insurance, and were most concerned about public liability, particularly for the Congress. We thought it would be a good idea if we could get a single policy to cover all clubs for all risks including liability. However this was rejected at Committee level because the cost seemed rather high (your report in January covered this event). We were not content to leave it at this and have now effected a single policy covering our trophies and liability up to £500 000 for all the officers of the Association. The Congress is specifically mentioned in the policy. The cost is £32.50 per annum.

Incidentally Mr Lean and I are members of the same profession and we both work for Insurance Companies, which may help to explain why our Counties have been persuaded to effect policies, when there seemed to be singular lack of interest when there was some correspondence in Newsflash.

Yours sincerely,

Norman Thomas

Norwich

### ROUND THE COUNTIES

#### BUCKS

The 4th Bucks team lightning championship was played at Amersham on the 20th January. 1 Slough I 8/8; 2 Amersham 8; 3 Bourne End I 7... (9 team APA)

A proposal has been mooted to hold an Annual Dinner of the Association.

#### CAMBS

Cambridgeshire League: In Division I University "A" are on top but could still be overtaken by Perse I. City "B" have a clean sheet in Division II and are certain of promotion.

Knock-out: Through to the semi-finals so far are Radfield, South Cambridgeshire and Cambridge University.

#### KENT

The Association has introduced a new Summer Quick-play Team Tournament to run from April to September. Teams are of four, a match consists of 16 games with everyone playing all 4 members of the opposing team. 30 minutes per game, with time hand-out based on grading.

Finals of all the County competitions are to be played simultaneously at a central venue. We have not heard who the finalists are.

#### NORFOLK

Both KO competitions have reached the final stage. Williamson Cup: Morley Movers v Gorleston Giants. Norfolk and Suffolk Cup (Norfolk Section): Gorleston v Wymondham.

We have received the current League tables but do not fully understand them. They seem to depend on some sort of goal average running to 3 places of decimals.

The Association is to hold a 50th anniversary Dinner and Dance in September.

#### SUFFOLK (but thanks to the Norfolk Bulletin for the news)

The Norfolk/Suffolk Jamboree, organised by the Bury and W Suffolk Club, attracted a record entry of 25 teams. 1 Post Office research centre 5; 2 Norfolk and Norwich 4½; 3-6 Fakenham A, Bury A, Ely B, Saxmundham A 4...

#### SURREY

1979 Individual Tournaments: Championship 1 RA Harris 7/9; 2 JC Pigott 6½; 3 TW Pelling 6... Slater-Kennington APH Kinsman beat PM Stimpson in the final.

Wernick Cup final play-off: 1 PC Wood 3½/4; 2-3 PS Morton, B Blackburn 2... Wernick Cup final play-off: 1-2 P Boltwood, BA Pittman 1½/2; P Boltwood won the play-off play-off.

#### SUSSEX

The Individual Lightning Championships were held at Horsham on the 29th March. Championship final pool: 1 DH Cummings (Varndean) 4½/6; 2 JC Henshaw (Brighton) 4; 3 JIP Simpole (Brighton), D Parr (Horsham) 3½... Runners-up final pool: 1-2 ML Roberts (Varndean), Dr R Fenn (Sx Univ) 5/6... Reserves final pool: 1 BA Bruno (Horsham) 5½/6... Consolation section winners were JJC Herring (Lewes), R Bavin (Bognor) and AC Neal (Christ's Hospital).

Winners of the McArthur Cup sections are: Central Varndean; West Worthing; Northern Horsham. Semi-finals are Varndean v Horsham, Worthing v Brighton.

### THE VARSITY MATCH

(sponsored by Lloyds Bank)

Cambridge		Oxford
1 S Taulbut	1 0	DSC Goodman
2 SJB Knott	1 0	D Macpherson
3 M Pagden	½ ½	PJ Spowray
4 P Townsend	0 1	N Benjamin
5 K Harris	0 1	J Branford
6 CA Frostick	½ ½	V Brendel
7 J Friedland	1 0	P Walden
8 J Anson	1 0	K Thompson
	5 3	

played 15th March 1980

This was Cambridge's eleventh successive win, a record for the series begun in 1873 and believed to be the longest running annual fixture in the world. For a long time Oxford seemed headed for victory but late blunders on the clock turned the tables.

Lloyds Bank trophies for the best games were awarded to Nicholas Benjamin for Oxford and Jonathan Friedland for Cambridge.

## LLOYDS BANK BRITISH CHESS PROBLEM SOLVING CHAMPIONSHIP

Problem by AJ Fenner

	Q				
R	B	Q	F	B	
	K	F		P	
	P	S			
		R			
		S	K	E	

White to play and mate in 2.  
 Forsyth check: 8/1pQ5/1RbqPB2/  
 8/2kP1p2/2pS4/3R4/3S1K1B

Successful entrants for this stage will qualify to compete in a more difficult postal phase, the top scorers of which will be invited to take part in the Final, to be held in London in January 1981.

There will be prizes of £50, £20 and £10 for the leading solvers, and a Lloyd Bank trophy for the champion.

Results, and solutions, will not be supplied to competitors submitting an incorrect entry unless they send a self-addressed envelope.

Last year's competition attracted a great many entries from overseas, and there will be a special prize of £10 for the highest-scoring overseas entry from the second stage. But competitors are reminded that unless they can be present in London in January 1981 they will not be eligible to compete in the Final.

Mark your entry "SCCU Bulletin", and mark the envelope "Chess Problem Solving Contest". Your entry must arrive not later than the 30th June 1980.

The British Chess Problem Society, which organised the first National Solving Championship last year, announces that Lloyds Bank has readily agreed to sponsor another competition run on the same lines this year. The Bank will provide all prizes as well as the Trophy, and will pay travelling expenses for competitors reaching the final stage.

The problem on the left is the first stage in this year's championship. To compete in the event, solve the problem and send your solution (key move only) to:

Public Relations Department  
 Lloyds Bank Ltd  
 71 Lombard St  
 London  
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## JUNIOR NEWS

BCF NATIONAL U18 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP played 29.3.80 at Aston University

A setback for Middx who unexpectedly finished last: 1 Yorks 8/12; 2 Warwicks 6½; 3 Gloucestershire 5; 4 Middx 4½. No detailed results have reached the Bulletin.

BCF NATIONAL GIRLS U18 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

But a less unexpected result here: 1 Surrey 5½/6; 2 Hants 4½; 3 Warwicks 1½; 4 Merseyside ½. Surrey results, in board order: Penelope Coxon 1; Lavinia Pereira 1; Karen Cartmel 1; Susan Walker 1; Caroline Lane ½; Sarah Scott 1. Congratulations to Surrey on retaining their title.

SURREY JUNIOR CONGRESS at Glyn School, 14-16 March 1980

U18 1 GW Dormand; 2-3 GA Novik (Ilford), APH Kinsman (Tiffin)...

U16 1-2 AG Mitchell-Baker (Hampton), AP Soane (St Josephs); 3 PS Bailie (Wimbledon College)...

U15 1 PE Johnstone (Hampton); 2 DB Rosen (St Pauls); 3 SG Walker (Sutton Manor)...

U14 1 RG Mead (RGS); 2 RG Horvath (RGS); 3-6 PR Loosley (Glyn), BS Rich (Dulwich), AD Wright (Kingston), KA Slegg (Highview)...

U13 1-4 PJ Colvin (Wallington), Sarah Scott (Coloma), Harriet Somers (Woolmer Hill), GF Thompson (Woburn Hill)...

U12 1 IS Ahmad (Trinity); 2-6 SN Khan (Emanuel), PA Lingard (RGS), A Morrison (Cranmore), IM Sim (Sutton Manor), SK Vopni (Downsend)...

EAST GRINSTEAD JUNIOR CONGRESS 8th March 1980

U16 1-2 G Ferguson (Oat Hall), G Saunders (Beacon) 3½/4; 3-4 S Clay, J Little (both Beacon) 3... 10 played

U16 Girls 1 Mitzi Wakefield (Beacon) 4/4... 3 player APA

U14 1-3 M Moini (Gt Walstead), K Dawn (Imberhorne), K Chamberlain (Oat Hill) 4/5

U11 1 B Pollington (Fermor, Crowborough) 7/8... 80 played.

U11 Girls 1 Anna Moore (Groombridge) 7½/8; 2 Tracey Roebuck (Groombridge) 7; 3 E James (Fermor) 6... 27 played.

LONDON PRIMARY SCHOOLS CA INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 9-10 April 1980

One of the toughest U11 events around (past winners include John Nunn and Jonathan Speelman). 1-2 John Carlin (Harrow), Jeremy Sharp (S Barnet) 9/11; 3-4 Richard Evans (Dulwich: U10 Champion), Paul Georghiou (Highgate) 8½... Best U9 Michael Hennigan (Parliament Hill) 7; best girl Eluned Jones (Blackheath) 7½.

The London Girls Champion is Shelley Metzger (Newbury Park).

ENGLISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS CA TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS (southern zone) at Swansea 26.3.80

The southern half of the Championships was a 3 round jamboree for teams of 18.

1 London 45/54; 2 Kent 36; 3 Wolverhampton 35½; 4 S Devon 33; 5 Avon 31; 6-7 Gwent, Walsall 30½; 8-9 Berks, Birmingham 29½; 10 Sutton 24; 11 Solihull 23; 12 Wycombe 20; 13 W Glamorgan 18½; 14 Thamesdown 15½; 15 Way Valley 14; 16 W Wilts 10½

The top 5 teams go forward to the Finals on Cup Final Day.

CHARLTON JUNIOR CONGRESS 15.3.80

Secondary: 1 St Olaves 23½/30; 2 St Dunstons College 18½... 9 teams of 6

Primary: 1 Eliot Bank 28/36; 2 Stillness 26... 13 teams

KENT SCHOOLS LEAGUE winners for 1979-80:

Senior Sevenoaks School (38 teams); U16 Dulwich College (69 teams); U13 Simon Langton (Canterbury) (45 teams); Primary John Ball (Blackheath) (68 teams).

SUSSEX Junior Girls Cup went to St Thomas's, Groombridge. We have not heard who won the other Sussex schools competitions.

NATIONAL U14 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS at Highbury Grove School, 8.3.80

This was a 3 round jamboree for teams of 10. We understand there was some confusion about the format of the competition when the organiser failed to turn up, but the competition was played anyway with slightly improvised rules:

1 Essex 26/30; 2 Middx 24; 3-4 Kent, Warwicks 23½; 5 W Glamorgan 18... 17 teams

LLOYDS BANK SOUTHERN COUNTIES/BCF JUNIOR SQUAD CHAMPIONSHIPS 21-23 March, 18-20 April 1980. SCCU Champions are underlined.

Under 21 1 Jim Plaskett (Bedford); 2 G Flear (Leicester); 3-4 T Farrand (Norwich), I Wells (Morecambe)...

Under 18 1 Michael Kerridge (Rugby); 2-4 Neil Bradbury (Borehamwood), Byron Jacobs (Slough), P Wells (Portsmouth)... (The Bulletin does not know who won the SCCU title.)

Under 14 1 Jim Hockaday (Harrow); 2 D Watts (Pinner); 3-5 S Lee (Barkingside), R Morrison (Forset Hill), M Vernon (Portsmouth)...

Under 16 1 Neil Bradbury (Borehamwood); 2 J Molyneux (Wigan); 3-4 M Bennett (Hendon), R Brindley (Shrewsbury)...

Under 12 1 Edward Lee (Barkingside); 2 P Rossiter (Portsmouth); 3-5 P Brown (Harrow), S Chittenden (Aldershot), Joe Hockaday (Harrow)...

Under 10 1 Michael Hennigan (Muswell Hill); 2-3 M Adams (Falmouth), D Wheeler (Walsall)...

Girls Under 10 1 Mandy Hepworth (Pulborough); 2-3 Jane Blount (Hackney), Sabrena Needham (Queens Park)...

Girls Under 14 1 Cathy Forbes (Chelsea); 2-3 Clare Kemish (Basildon), Elizabeth Newmark (Guildford)...

Girls Under 16 1 Carol Gorman (Wealdstone); 2-4 Kathy Jukes (Highgate), Terri Ruff (Southsea), Susan Walker (Sutton)...

Girls Under 18 1 Teresa Needham (Queens Park); 2-3 Penelope Coxon (Wallington), Carcy Groves (Portsmouth)...

COUNTY COMPETITIONS

The SCCU leagues are all but completed: see tables on the next page, and sorry we didn't have the patience to de-alphabetise them. (We'll leave that to the Tournament Secretary.) If the Editorial calculator is working, we have to congratulate Middx I on winning the Shannon Trophy; Essex II the Montague-Jones; Middx III the new Phillips and Drew Amboyna; and either Kent V or Surrey IV the Phillips and Drew Ebony. Norfolk gain promotion to the Shannon competition next season.

The Bulletin can find no record of receiving the following results -

Shannon: Bucks v Herts; Sussex v Herts. Montague-Jones: Beds v Herts; Middx v Beds; Kent v Herts; Herts v Middx. Amboyna: Kent v Surrey. To the best of our knowledge we have published everything else.

Seated one day at his typewriter, the Editor thought he seemed to be typing "default" rather a lot. A bit of counting at the end of the season reveals (approximately!) 103 defaulted games in 99 matches published; and that's not counting a couple of complete match defaults. Much the lowest incidence of defaults came in the Shannon competition, perhaps not surprisingly. Some teams seemed much more unfortunate, if that's the word, than others. We maliciously reproduce the default league table herewith, and will apologise unreservedly to any team that can prove itself wronged thereby.

Berks I	0	Kent V	1
Cambs I	0	Surrey II	2
Essex I	0	Surrey III	2
Essex III	0	Middx II	3
Herts II	0	Kent III	4
Kent I	0	Sussex I	4
Middx I	0	Surrey IV	5
Norfolk	0	Sussex II	5
Suffolk	0	Oxon	7
Beds	1	Surrey I	7
Bucks	1	Sussex III	7
Essex II	1	Kent II	10
Essex IV	1	Kent IV	11
Herts I	1	Cambs II	14
Middx III	1	Berks II	15

## COUNTY LEAGUE TABLES

CHAMPIONSHIP	Be	Bu	C	E	H	K	M	O	Sy	Sx	GP	
Berks		12	10	2½	9	3½	5½	13½	6½	7½	70	2½/9
Bucks	8		9½	8½	11	9½	4	9½	7	8	75	1/9
Cambs	10	10½		7½	10½	6	9½	14½	10½	14	93	5½/9
Essex	17½	11½	12½		14½	9	9½	16	10	10½	111	6½/9
Herts	11	9	9½	5½		6½	6	11½	7	8	74	2/9
Kent	16½	10½	14	11	13½		9½	17	12½	9	113½	7/9
Middx	14½	16	10½	10½	14	10½		16½	12½	15½	120½	9/9
Oxon	6½	10½	5½	4	8½	3	3½		10½	6½	58½	2/9
Surrey	13½	13	9½	10	13	7½	7½	9½		13	96½	4½/9
Sussex	12½	12	6	9½	12	11	4½	13½	7		88	5/9

MONTAGUE-JONES	B	C	E	H	K	M	N	Sk	Sy	Sx	GP	
Beds		9½	5½	5½	9	4½	6½	12½	7	9½	69½	1/9
Cambs II	10½		3½	10½	12½	5	8½	9½	6½	10½	77	4/9
Essex II	14½	16½		14	12½	11	8½	10½	11½	12½	111½	8/9
Herts II	14½	9½	6		7	9	7	10	7	13	83	2½/9
Kent II	11	7½	7½	13		0d	9½	13½	10½	8½	81	4/9
Middx II	15½	15	9	11	19d		13½	10	*	14	107	6½/8
Norfolk	13½	11½	11½	13	10½	6½		13	11½	14	105	8/9
Suffolk	7½	10½	9½	10	6½	10	7		9	9½	79½	2/9
Surrey II	11*	13½	8½	13	9½	*	8½	11		15	90	5/8
Sussex II	10½	9½	7½	7	11½	6	6	10½	5		73½	3/9

AMBOYNA	E	K	M	Sy	Sx	E	K	M	Sy	Sx	GP	
Essex III		13½	10	14½	15½		20d	9	9	15	106½	5½/8
Kent III	6½		5½	4	7	0d		2½	*	11		1/8
Middx III	10	14½		7½	13½	11	17½		12½	17	103½	6½/8
Surrey III	5½	16	12½		14	11	*	7½		14		6/8
Sussex III	4½	13	6½	6		5	8	3	6		52	1/8

EBONY	B	E	K4	K5	S	B	E	K4	K5	S	GP	
Berks II		8½	14	10½	12		10	9½	11	9½	85	4½/8
Essex IV	11½		11½	10	10		10	13	8½	8	82	4½/8
Kent IV	6	9		9½	5½	10½	7		9½	6	63	1/8
Kent V	9½	10	10½		10½	9	11½	10½		*	(71½)	4½/7
Surrey IV	8	10	14½	9½		10½	12	14	*		(78½)	4½/7

Unofficial tables only: usual apologies for errors.

\* Notes -

Montague-Jones Middx v Surrey was declared void. Surrey (the home team) waited at Sutton while Middx turned up at St Brides.

Surrey's score against Beds includes a 2-point deduction for an ineligible player. We understand that the Surrey match captain pointed out the offence himself. O si sic omnes.

Amboyna The second-round match Surrey v Kent is believed to have been won by Surrey but neither side has informed the Tournament Secretary.

Ebony The one outstanding match Kent V v Surrey is to be played in late May. Kent need to win this match, and Surrey to draw it, in order to win the trophy.

## ADJUDICATIONS

from January issue:

A Surrey III 14½ 5½ Sussex III 8.12.79: 4 JE Pattle ½ EJ Bowley

from March issue:

C Oxon 6½ 13½ Sussex 26.1.80: 2 S Hughes 0 DH Cummings

Berks 13½ 6½ Oxon 9.2.80: 15 JC Hart ½ T Morgan; 19 EDV Young ½ S Gornings

Surrey 7½ 12½ Kent 9.2.80: 4 M Prizant 1 RMR O'Kelly

Kent 17 3 Oxon 23.2.80: 1 RG Eales 1 P Botham; 18 J Richardson 0 MD Goodwin

Surrey 9½ 10½ Cambs 23.2.80: 1 R Emerson 0 SJB Knott; 4 D Williams 0 PW Bourne (on appeal); 10 RJ Stockwell 0 N Donovan; 11 C Jones ½ CI Howell; 19 R Lai ½ N Doe

MJ Essex 8½ 11½ Norfolk 16.2.80: 4 HI Woolverton 0 RA Fuller; 9 R Forey 0 TD Lenton; 19 D Bird 1 D Hall

Sussex 9½ 10½ Cambs 16.2.80: 1 AB Bamford ½ RB Newbery

Essex 12½ 7½ Kent 1.3.80: 1 KW Spurgeon 1 T Stonehouse; 19 NP O'Conner 1 I Stock (no Kent claims received)

Beds 7 11 Surrey 1.3.80: 11 A Hitchcock ½ G Woodhead

Herts 7 13 Norfolk 1.3.80: 3 L Fawcett 1 T Farrand; 17 KL Woodland 0 N Brown

A Middx 12½ 7½ Surrey 9.2.80: 12 TN Burrell ½ C Moorman

E Kent V 11½ 8½ Essex 1.3.80: 16 T Atkins 1 D Imrie

Adjudication results given on the following pages were up to date on the 4th May. Come to that, they seem to be complete.



CHAMPIONSHIP

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<u>Berks</u>		10.11.79	<u>Sussex</u>		<u>Herts</u>		8.3.80	<u>Berks</u>	
1	R Bailey	0	1	BJ Denman	PV Byway (W)	1	a 0	MJ Staples (B)	
2	PA Lamford	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DH Cummings	PAJ Brown	1	0	PA Lamford	
3	DV Lofts	0	1	GH James	G Palmer	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DS Tucker	
4	JH Hodgson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	KI Norman	Dr M Lexton	0	1	R Moss	
5	G Varty	0	1	JIP Simpole	W Tabakiernik	1	0	JH Hodgson	
6	NW Dennis	1	0	Default	AB Haberberg	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RP Bristow	
7	MW Marlow	1	0	SON Hawes	AC Cooper	1	0	DI Stevenson	
8	RP Bristow	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JW Cornforth	D Mackenzie	0	1	P Morrey	
9	P Morrey	0	1	DB Scott	Dr P Collins	0	1	DV Lofts	
10	TN Parrott	0	1	FJ Kwiatkowski	AI Wheatley	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	GE Borrowdale	
11	FG Dingwall	0	1	AB Bamford	N Bradbury	1	0	MF Redmond	
12	JE Syner	0	1	D Frost	CH Watson	0	1	JT Matthews	
13	GE Borrowdale	0	1	ML Roberts	AP Primett	0	1	TN Parrott	
14	AJ Stenton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CE Cropp	FB Ings	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	FG Dingwall	
15	JT Matthews	1	0	LJ Cannon	BS Bowie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JC Hart	
16	JC Hart	0	1	J Goodare	J West	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PAF Watkins	
17	PAF Watkins	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PN Kington	J Cook	1	0	K Robbins	
18	DI Stevenson	1	0	PD Leat	N Fox	1	0	MPA Connolly	
19	MF Redmond	0	1	D Graham	S Triggs	0	1	SM Piercey	
20	K Robbins	1	0	RTF Williams	P Larty	1	0	Miss CJ Nichalson	
(Sandhurst)		$7\frac{1}{2}$	$12\frac{1}{2}$		(Barnet)	11	9		

<u>Bucks</u>		8.3.80	<u>Sussex</u>		<u>Essex</u>		8.3.80	<u>Cambs</u>	
1	J Girdlestone	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RJ Denham (sic)	JG Cooper (W)	1	a $\frac{1}{2}$	S Knott	
2	JC Saunders	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	MA Pagden	J Nicholson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MA Pagden	
3	R Edwards	0	1	KI Norman	G Hillyard	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RJ Richmond	
4	DA Bennett	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JIP Simpole	C Cooley	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MP Townsend	
5	RCS Newton	0	a 1	G Kenworthy	A Stebbings	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CA Frostick	
6	CJ Shaw	0	1	FJ Kwiatkowski	I Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Berry	
7	KG Hyde	0	1	DGA Shallcross	S Le Blancq	0	1	SR Williams	
8	AJ Cox	0	1	D Frost	D Sherman	1	0	PW Bourne	
9	Dr EN Bramley	1	0	A Hall	K Bowden	1	0	MK Stone	
10	RD de Coverly	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Fallon	L Burnett	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Mackenzie	
11	G Cabaj	0	1	J Goodare	J Howson	1	0	MN Panchen	
12	A Niedzwiedzki	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AE Smith	D Futter	1	0	R Morris-Hill	
13	BW Atkinson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	LJ Cannon	I Smith	1	0	CE Majer	
14	PJ Adams	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Watson	T Hart	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	A Oliver	
15	PW Rawcliffe	0	1	P Kington	R O'Brien	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Best	
16	JE Povey	1	0	H Rosenthal	J Pascoe	1	0	I Kemp	
17	PD Porter	0	1	PD Leat	I Hunnable	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	P Gayson	
18	DA Curtis	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	RTF Williams	S Kalinsky	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	G Cook-Martin	
19	Beedle	1	0	RD Hirsch	A Marshall	1	0	MK Dillistone	
20	RDW Marsh	1	0	L Jack	J Roles	0	1	SZ Reese	
(Amersham)		8	12		(Wanstead)	$12\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$		

<u>Oxon</u>		8.3.80	<u>Surrey</u>		<u>Middx</u>		8.3.80	<u>Kent</u>	
1	S Hughes (B)	1	0	Default	C Pritchett (B)	1	0	RG Eales (W)	
2	P Botham	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JW Branford	RG Wade	1	0	D Friedgood	
3	R Starkie	0	1	WA Linton	AJ Whiteley	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DJ King	
4	S Easterbrook Smith	1	0	CNJ Rose	AP Law	1	a 0	AG Trangmar	
5	C Chapman	1	0	Default	GD Lee	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RMR O'Kelly	
6	D Hackett	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Gillam	PG Large	0	1	M Macdonald-Ross	
7	A Britton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Rowson	AH Perkins	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MV Lambshire	
8	J Phipps	1	0	ML Dann	WN Watson	0	1	JP Cook	
9	T Pavlovic	0	1	M Singleton	R Holmes	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	JN Sugden	
10	D Godfrey	0	1	R Granat	JC Benjamin	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$ *	PS Milner-Barry	
11	M Duffy	1	0	D Barasi	S Quigley	1	0	J Brown	
12	G Jones	0	1	B Valentine	JB Adams	0	1	AE Hanreck	
13	J Yates	0	1	A Corkett	RJ Pearce	1	0	LM Pickett	
14	M Maguire	0	1	R Carthy	T Peterson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	DH Powell	
15	N Hepworth	1	0	M Shahoud	T Parkes	1	0	S Brown	
16	S Charles	0	1	SJ Drury	P Yerbury	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NR Oliver	
17	T Morgan	0	a 1	JRM Moore	G Dickson	0	1	PJ Heaven	
18	K Weavers	1	0	Default	G Pearce	0	a 1	G Botley	
19	N Giffin	1	0	Default	C Hill	0	1	AP Smith	
20	S Goringe	1	0	R Lai	J Levitt	1	0	RA Parry	
(Kidlington)		$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$		(Highbury)	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	*Mx appeal upheld	

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<u>Berks</u>		15.3.80	<u>Middx</u>		<u>Bucks</u>		23.3.80	<u>Essex</u>	
1	MJ Staples (W)	0	1	AP Law (B)	PC Girdlestone	1	0	AD Martin	
2	DS Tucker	0	1	GD Lee	JC Saunders	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Stebbings	
3	BA Jacobs	0	1	PG Large	R Edwards	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RW O'Brien	
4	R Moss	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	J Hodgson	MJ Freeman	0	a 1	S Le Blancq	
5	K Bowmer	0	1	W Watson	RCS Newton	0	1	IBN Smith	
6	RP Bristow	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Holmes	CJ Shaw	0	1	D Taylor	
7	DI Stevenson	0	1	JB Adams	KG Hyde	0	1	D Futter	
8	P Morrey	1	0	JC Benjamin	Dr EN Bramley	1	0	W Saunders	
9	DV Lofts	1	0	S Quigley	BW Allan	0	1	KW Spurgeon	
10	GE Borrowdale	0	1	T Parkes	AJ Cox	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AT Marshall	
11	JT Matthews	0	1	DP Lynch	RD de Coverly	0	1	K Barnes	
12	TN Parrott	0	1	G Pearce	BW Atkinson	1	0	IJ Myall	
13	DC Seawert	0	1	G Dickson	DR Smith	0	a 1	HI Woolverton	
14	EJ Smith	0	1	S Goodman	PJ Adams	0	1	SJ Abbott	
15	A Chapman	0	1	KR Clark	A Niedzwiedzki	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	JW Roles	
16	PE Barnard	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	S Tovey	PR Rawcliffe	1	a 0	RA Wagstaff	
17	K Robbins	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	NA Perkins	K Beedle	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	R Rodie	
18	MPA Connolly	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	J Redon	DA Curtis	1	0	D Selfe	
19	DJ Mander	1	a 0	M Crewdson	RDW Marsh	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Carr	
20	SC Chittenden	0	1	DN Foley-Comer	PD Porter	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	J Page	
(Sandhurst)		$5\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{1}{2}$		(Amersham)	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$		

<u>Middx</u>		29.3.80	<u>Oxon</u>		<u>Herts</u>		29.3.80	<u>Surrey</u>	
1	C Pritchett (B)	1	0	R Starkie	PV Byway (W)	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	GC Flear	
2	RG Wade	1	0	Default	PA Brown	0	1	M Prizant	
3	AJ Whiteley	1	0	Default	AC Cooper	1	0	W Linton	
4	AP Law	1	0	Default	AM Simpson	0	a 1	T Pelling	
5	GD Lee	1	0	S Easterbrook Smith	Dr MJ Lexton	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SR Gillam	
6	PG Large	1	0	D Hackett	W Tabakiernik	1	0	M Davis	
7	AH Perkins	1	0	L Millin	D Mackenzie	0	1	R Stockwell	
8	JB Adams	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Britton	N Bradbury	0	1	D Rowson	
9	T Peterson	0	1	M Duffy	AP Primett	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	CNJ Rose	
10	S Quigley	1	0	Default	C Watson	0	1	R Granat	
11	T Parkes	1	0	G Jones	J Cook	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Jones	
12	KR Clark	1	0	Default	BS Bowie	0	1	A Corkett	
13	G Pearce	$\frac{1}{2}$	a $\frac{1}{2}$	J Yates	J Nellist	1	0	R Lai	
14	S Tovey	0	1	S Horwood	N Fox	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Barasi	
15	G Dickson	1	0	K Weavers	M Sutton	0	1	APH Kinsman	
16	D Stewardson	1	0	S Hayler	L Fawcett	0	1	P Roche	
17	J Redon	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Collier	P Vainker	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Crowdy	
18	BA Smith	1	0	J Powers	J Gittus	0	a 1	G Woodhead	
19	DG Wayte	1	0	T Corcoran	AJ Eccles	1	0	F Manning	
20	DN Foley-Comer	1	0	H Phipps	Default	0	1	B Blackburn	
(Highbury)		$16\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}$		(Barnet)	7	13		

## COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP QUARTER FINAL

<u>Middx</u>		26.4.80	<u>Yorks</u>	
1	C Pritchett (B)	0	1	DM Adams (W)
2	RG Wade	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Haygarth
3	AJ Whiteley	1	0	CCW Shepherd
4	GD Lee	1	0	JC Hawke
5	PG Large	1	0	RD Westra
6	AH Perkins	1	0	EA Little
7	J Hodgson	1	0	JW Atkinson
8	WN Watson	1	0	BA Jones
9	R Holmes	1	0	G Senior
10	S Quigley	1	0	A Kavalec
11	JB Adams	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Vickery
12	RJ Pearce	1	0	P Ballard
13	JC Benjamin	1	0	M Hassall
14	T Peterson	a		GM Peake
15	C Leach	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Firth
16	T Parkes	0	1	PV Wade
17	G Dickson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SJ Mann
18	S Goodman	0	1	DR Markham
19	DP Lynch	1	0	DH Milton
20	KR Clark	1	0	G Frost
(Coventry)		14	5	

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Suffolk		8.3.80	Cambs II		Essex II		15.3.80	Cambs II	
1	IJ Wallis (B)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	RB Newbery (W)	D Coleman (W)	0	1	FV Gregory (B)	
2	CM Gold	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	FV Gregory	W Saunders	1	0	Default	
3	RCT Parry	0	1	NP Donovan	R Heppinstall	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NP Donovan	
4	C Chambers	1	0	JR Sallares	I Robson	0	1	TG Moule	
5	TG Dunmore	0	1	TG Moule	G Moore	1	0	Default	
6	IR Pickup	1	0	SJ Emmerton	K Barnes	1	0	SJ Emmerton	
7	DP Hurricks	1	0	J Anson	H Woolverton	1	0	Default	
8	DWA Packham	0	1	B Adler	P Pritchard	1	0	Default	
9	D Ward	0	1	P Cloudsdale	M Kaye	1	0	Default	
10	MJ Edwards	1	0	N Jones	T Whitton	1	0	R Newman	
11	I Stansfield	0	1	R Newman	C Ramage	1	0	Default	
12	KR Shaw	0	1	G Sankaran	F Simms	1	0	Default	
13	DB Smith	1	0	D Shillinglaw	J Ryles	1	0	Default	
14	GB Knox	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Angel	I Myall	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Shillinglaw	
15	J Gibson	1	0	SW Pink	L Mercer	1	0	Default	
16	DS O'Brien	1	0	K Issacson	R Hammond	1	0	Default	
17	R Adams	0	1	R Lee	RA Wagstaff	1	0	SW Pink	
18	DJ Glasscock	1	0	RM Friday	G Fernie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Vigor	
19	EA Bailey	1	0	B Parfitt	L Crane	1	0	R Lee	
20	LG Collins	0	1	R Parfitt	K Jones	1	0	Default	
(Bury St Edmunds)		$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	(Cambridge)		$16\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}$		

Sussex II		22.3.80	Norfolk		Sussex II		12.4.80	Suffolk	
1	AB Bamford (W)	0	1	R Bellin (B)	RH Williams (B)	0	1	IJ Wallis (W)	
2	HL Roberts	0	1	C Cubitt	FPE Green	0	1	RJ Woodcraft	
3	P Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TJ Turner	P Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	SJ Gregory	
4	PD Leat	0	1	PL Coleman	PR Selby	1	0	CM Gold	
5	AH Palmer	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Wells	PD Leat	1	0	C Chambers	
6	T Norton	0	1	A Charity	CP Tucknott	1	0	IR Pickup	
7	PR Selby	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	KS McEwan	Default	0	1	D Mayers	
8	C Arthur	0	1	Miss S Wood	DG Ratcliffe	1	0	DP Hurricks	
9	H Rosenthal	0	1	I Gladden	MSR Paul	0	1	MJ Edwards	
10	JP Munday	0	1	S Randall	BG Locke	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	TG Dunmore	
11	DC Ratcliffe	1	0	L Poll	PH Benson	0	1	I Stansfield	
12	BG Locke	0	1	G Evans	Default	0	1	DS O'Brien	
13	MSR Paul	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Clemens	MR Hickman	0	1	JR Woodcraft	
14	MR Hickman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Johnson	DJ Hopson	1	0	MB Hawtin	
15	DJ Hopson	0	1	R Hughes	RH Saunders	1	0	KP Greenacre	
16	RH Saunders	0	1	S Livermore	J Richmond	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	AH Sierakowski	
17	N Richardson	0	1	K Chapman	DC Leach	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	GF Kendall	
18	DC Leach	1	0	D Abbott	SA Rowlands	1	0	ML Day	
19	DJ Opie	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Lamont	DA Rix	1	0	KD Woodcock	
20	SA Rowlands	1	0	S Moore	HE Wadsworth	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Payne	
(St Brides)		6	14	(St Brides)		$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$		

Kent II		12.4.80	Surrey II		Norfolk		12.4.80	Beds	
1	T Stonehouse (W)	1	0	ML Dann (B)	OM Hindle (W)	1	0	P Habershon (B)	
2	PB Cook	0	1	APH Kinsman	C Cubitt	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	N Wingfield	
3	J Wager	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	HM Granat	M Kwan	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	H Ditmas	
4	MJ Pitt	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Tebb	SW Ruthen	1	0	W Osborne	
5	CH Armstrong	1	0	G Woodhead	A Charity	0	1	S Roe	
6	LA Trangmar	1	0	RG Rusha	J Wells	1	0	WA Cordon	
7	CC King	1	0	PR Archer	R Hardy	1	0	N Hickman	
8	E Liberman	0	1	JRM Moore	TD Lenton	1	0	G Stokes	
9	W Belcher	0	1*	D Mackle	K Chapman	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Hitcock (?)	
10	MH Micklethwaite	1	0	RJ Kearsley	MJ Hughes	1	0	M Dunne	
11	A Sands	1	0	P Griseri	K McEwan	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Tiplady	
12	R Fleming	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	MW Burrows	G Evans	0	1	P Gill	
13	P Tickner	1	0	DA Baldock	J Scott	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Barrable	
14	Default	0	1	E Weimann	P Clemens	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	Saunderson	
15	M Owen	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Moss	I Gladden	1	0	K Liddle	
16	W Maynard-Smith	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	K Wilson-Croft	S Livermore	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Shearer	
17	D Picton	0	1	JJ Lauder	M Johnson	1	0	B Muthwill	
18	T Fenton	0	1	S Whitehouse	M Brock	1	0	P Copperwheat	
19	HF Bitton	1	0	B Floyd	Mrs K Hindle	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Perry	
20	Default	0	1	TO Brugger	T Tripp	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	P Wigginton	
(Kidbrooke House)		$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	(Newmarket)		$13\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$		

\* no Kent claim

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<u>Kent III</u>		23.2.80	<u>Sussex III</u>		<u>Sussex III</u>		8.3.80	<u>Surrey III</u>	
1	K Gordon	1 0	Default	FPE Green (B)	1 0	Default (W)			
2	C Brown	1 0	TJ Sheldon	TJ Sheldon	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	PS Morton			
3	T Hewson	0 a 1	PH Benson	PH Benson	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	JM Soesan			
4	KRM Claudius	$\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$	J Richmond	EJ Bowley	0 1	HM Cath			
5	Default	0 0	Default	J Richmond	0 1	PJ Roche			
6	R Morton	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RH Saunders	RH Saunders	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	DM Woods			
7	Default	0 1	MSR Paul	E Chapman	0 1	PR Archer			
8	R Burman	1 0	A Smith	MSR Paul	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	PC Wood			
9	J Gilbert	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Moffatt	GR Opie	0 1	GD Green			
10	SJ Alton	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Coe	A Smith	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	SG Walker			
11	L Gurr	1 a 0	DJ Opie	R Moffatt	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	B Lyons			
12	M Duncan	1 0	LE Porter	S Coe	1 0	GC Nurse			
13	M Owen	1 0	Miss P Garland	E Gilligan	0 1	FC Manning			
14	N Bitton (??)	0 1	G Mansfield	LE Porter	0 1	CJ Dennis			
15	A Knowles	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	S Smith	DJ Opie	0 1	RH Griffiths			
16	R Mason	1 0	P Brownlow	RK Hunt	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RE Mattocks			
17	W Stuck	$\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$	E Gilligan	Miss P Garland	0 1	EA Parker			
18	D Wood	0 1	HE Wadsworth	G Mansfield	0 1	JDH Nicholas			
19	A Wallace	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	E Chapman	HE Wadsworth	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RE James			
20	B Gilbert	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RA Parker	RA Parker	0 1	BJ Todd			
(Charlton)		11 8	(Falmer)		6 14				

<u>Essex III</u>		8.3.80	<u>Middx III</u>	
1	I Pheby (B)	0 1	BJ Benjamin (W)	
2	K Barnes	+1 a 0=	GB Stanway	
3	RG Rodie	0 1	IN Heppell	
4	FJ Chin	0 1	Dr R Glew	
5	B Beavis	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	GJ Mason	
6	G Gatheral	1 0	DJ Faldon	
7	RH Langenham	1 0	A Gaffney	
8	P Shepherd	0 1	MD Brougham	
9	B Imrie	0 1	G Hutchinson	
10	P Thomson	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	AT Erdal-Smith	
11	D Selfe	1 0	GS Kitchin	
12	R Parker	1 0	DK Abiaw	
13	D Millward	0 1	TN Burrell	
14	D Bird	$\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$ +	PL Szabo	
15	JSA Wood	0 1	R Parker	
16	MG Lynn	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Cresswell	
17	L Crane	1 0	BA Smith	
18	P Heath	0 1	RC Cousens	
19	D Dennis	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	DG Wayte	
20	S Russell	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Jennings	
(Witham)		9 11		

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<u>Berks II</u>		22.3.80	<u>Kent V</u>		<u>Essex IV</u>		22.3.80	<u>Surrey IV</u>	
1	DC Seawert (W)	1 0	S Lafferty (B)	PW Revell (B)	0 1	DD Cox (W)			
2	WH Norris	1 0	RB Parkin	D Millward	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	AR Corkett			
3	EDV Young	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	P Newitt	JJ Boden	0 1	GW Dormand			
4	PE Barnard	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RA MacBrayne	A Kochen	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	MJ Cowley			
5	JH Hasselt	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	AJ Sherriff	D Wright	$\frac{1}{2}$ a $\frac{1}{2}$	B Blackburn			
6	KS Benjamin	1 0	MA Phillips	DL Read	0 1	SC Crowdy			
7	Miss GD James	1 0	B Crouch	DH Tyrell	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	A Killey			
8	DJ Mander	1 0	T Collins	MV Stanley	0 1	D Mackle			
9	Dr H Sloan	0 1	AA Purchase	TA Dickerson	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	DA Baldock			
10	W Makar	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Hyde	GT Gooding	0 1	F Griseri			
11	ST Bird	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RC Shilling	AJ Eley	0 1	P Statham			
12	MD Bennet	0 1	DF Sexton	A Calder	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	E Weimann			
13	SC Sellick	0 1	RW Parsons	R Neill	1 0	JJ Lauder			
14	JT Byrne	0 1	F Staines	TN Smith	1 0	BJ Todd			
15	SJ Holmes	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	RJ Hale	GJ Kershaw	1 0	BP Floyd			
16	JMR Watkins	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	T Atkins	CJD Newman	0 1	SL Kearney			
17	RE Langham	1 0	J Hollands	D Imrie	0 1	A Henry			
18	PJ Bennet	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	R Blackman	B Sonnett	0 1	MS Sweetman			
19	PT Ash	1 0	Mrs RM Hannan	T Winter	1 0	DMP Burford			
20	S Recaldin	0 1	P Ganszczyk	IR Fuller	1 0	Dr R Gregory			
(Sandhurst)		11 9	(Brentwood)		8 12				

SECOND CITY OF LONDON CONGRESS 22-24 Feb 1980

Open 1-2 MG Chandler (Charlton), C Pritchett (Islington)  $5\frac{1}{2}/6$ ; 3-8 R Bellin, D Cummings, PG Large, A Law, J Nicholson, MA Silva 5... 173 played. Grading 175-190 AP Lewis, S Quigley, E Teichman; U175 R Hardy, G Stanway. Ladies S Jackson.

Major 1-3 RA Barton, JA Brown, MR Taylor... Grading 147-155 R Kane, DG Ratcliffe, FCW Chin, E Vosa; U145 R Fisher, DW Odle, DS Levin. 195 played.

Minor 1 R Demming; 2 JM Jasorz... 159 played. Grading 115-125 RC Hessing, DJC Mackle, HB Proctor; U115 JC Moran, A Brocklehurst, WA Shutler.

Novice 1 DC Curtis; 2-4 PD Kemp, A Marwaha, DP Russell... 85 played. U14 T Fox, PJ Morris, MJ Penn, J Saddler; U12 NA Peters; U10 HM Bakhshi, M Hennigan.

Ungraded 1 J Kitchen; 2-3 EE Wright, S Bradford; 4-7 J Yee, SG James, D Clarke, G Zubreczki. 137 played.

Carey Groves, Teresa Needham and TJ King won BCM subscriptions. The Bulletin does not know what competition they played in.

THIRTEENTH EAST ANGLIAN CONGRESS organised by Norfolk CCA 28-30 March 1980

All sections had 22 players.

Premier 1 T Farrand  $4\frac{1}{2}/5$ ; 2 JT Farrand 4; 3-6 LP Burnett, C Cubitt, GEJ Lambert, TP Love  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ...

Premier Reserves 1 Jane Seymour  $4\frac{1}{2}/5$ ; 2-5 DA Curtis, N Donovan, CJ Goodwin, JP Knee  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ...

Major 1 1 DTW Altham  $4\frac{1}{2}/5$ ; 2-3 T Barber, CM Gold 4; 4-5 D Renton, TC Tripp  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ...

Major 2 1 G Meitiner\*  $4\frac{1}{2}/5$ ; 2-4 R Adams, JJ Lauder, AM Twitchell 4...

Minor 1 1-4 KL Brown, HA Harman, JH Parry, NL Townsend  $4/5$ ...

Minor 2 1 PH Crook  $5/5$ ; 2 WWC Algar 4; 3-6 ERJ Barlow, MW Brandon, GK Brown, R Hart\*  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ...

BCM Vouchers for Juniors to John Emms (Norfolk) in the Premier; M Leahy (St Marys)  $3/5$  in Major 1; Robert J Lee (St Marys)  $2/5$  in Minor 1.

\*juniors from St Marys School, Royston, Herts.

TWELFTH BASINGSTOKE ONE DAY CONGRESS 30th March 1980

1-5 R Granat (Wimbledon), SI Hughes (Shotover and Cowley), PA Lamford (Hendon), EOMC Teichmann (Cambridge City), C Zuidema (IBM)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ; 6-9 A Cullinane (Portsmouth), KB Harman (Popley), JH Hodgson (Wimbledon), MJ Surtees (Reading) 4... 69 played.

TWENTY-FOURTH SOUTHEND ON SEA CONGRESS 4-7 April 1980

Southend Open Championship 1 NW Bryans (Northampton)  $6\frac{1}{2}/7$ ; 2 JN Sugden (Beckenham) 6; 3-7 NP Donovan (Littleport, Cambs), BL McCague (Rainham, Essex), L Prins (Amsterdam), C Shepherd (Birmingham), B Thomas (Chelmsford)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ ... 103 played.

Major "A" 1-2 JT Harvey (Woking), GF Yates (Chigwell)  $4/5$ ... Major "B" 1-2 SR Capsey (Bishops Stortford), G Varnom (Birmingham)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ... Major "C" 1-2 EE Wright (Harlow), RC Petherick (Rayleigh, Essex) 4... Major "D" 1 K Cook (Stanford-le-Hope, Essex)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ... Major "E" 1 SJ Kelsey (Upminster)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ... Major "F" 1-2 R Francis (Barnham), JVP Greenough (Southend) 4...

Minor "A" 1 FP Day (Epping)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ... Minor "B" 1 NJ London (Halstead, Essex)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ... Minor "C" 1 K Fuller (Basildon) 4... Minor "D" 1 T Lebon (Rochford, Essex)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ...

Minor "E" 1 AJ Comber (Leigh-on-Sea, Essex)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ... Minor "F" 1 P Williamson (Benfleet, Essex) 3... Minor "G" 1 JT O'Brien (Shoeburyness) 4...

Junior "A" 1 MC Smith (NW11)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ... Junior "B" 1-3 AW Bevis (Westcliff-on-Sea), P Bryson (Leigh-on-Sea), M Burns (Hornchurch) 3... Junior "C" 1-2 TM Mortimer (Harpenden), S Ottino (Benfleet) 4...

Major, Minor and Junior sections were 6-player APAs. The total number of competitors was 195.

SURREY EASTER CONGRESS at Sutton, 4-7 April 1980

The Frank Winter Open Tournament 1-2 JDM Nunn IGM (Oxford Univ), G Sax IGM (Hungary)  $6\frac{1}{2}/7$ ; 3-4 CD Gilliam (Mitcham), PJ Sowray (Wood Green)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ ; 5-12 JB Adams (Metropolitan), DL Barasi (Wimbledon), MJ Basman (Wimbledon), IS Blackstock (Charlton), RG Granat (Wimbledon), AE Hanreck (Charlton), BA Jacobs (Slough), JC Pigott (Streatham) 5... 96 played. Grading prizes: U180 DW Fryer (Horley) 5; U165 SH Mason (Coulsdon)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ . Junior prizes: U18 JJ Cox (Slough) 5; P Johnstone (Richmond)

Major (U150) 1 R Demming (Willesdon)  $6\frac{1}{2}$ ; 2-3 MR Ruston (Charlton), SJ Whitehouse (Wimbledon) 6; 4-7 F Khan (Pinner), DJC Mackle (Wimbledon), W Makar (Newbury), R Tailford (Surbiton)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ ... 127 played. Grading prizes: U135 PS Bailie (E Molesey)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ ; U120 TG Atkins (Bromley)  $5\frac{1}{2}$ . Junior prizes: U18 PJP Gibbons (Sutton) 5, PA King (Kingston) 4; U16 JA Melvin (Ashted)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , DCE Slaughter (RAE) 4

Main Tournaments (8-player APAs): Main "A" 1 AAB Wilson (Esher) 5... Main "B" 1 S Crowdy (Streatham)  $6\frac{1}{2}$ ... Main "C" 1 SN Khan (Richmond) 6...

Main Tournaments (6-player APAs): Main "D" 1-3 D Booth (Crystal Palace), SEE Cranmer (Guildford), GD Green (Sandhurst) 3... Main "E" 1 PFW Horne (Wallington)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ... Main "F" 1 BS Rich (Streatham) 4... Main "G" 1 AD Sim (Sutton)  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ...

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Main "H" 1 M Smithson (Metropolitan) 4... Main "J" 1 J Pincis (Wimbledon) 4½...  
Novice Tournaments (6-player APAs): A1 1 NT Davies (Downside School) 5... A2  
1 PD Kemp (Sutton) 4... A3 1 R McLoughlin (Acton) 5... A4 1DJ Shurrock (Morley  
College) 5... A5 1-2 M Arundale (Roehampton), D Pruden (Ashtead) 4½... A6 1 MP  
Robinson (Glyn School) 5... A7 1-2 C Hill (New Malden), C McDonald (Croydon) 4...  
A8 1 A Johnstone (Horsham) 4½... A9 1-2 CM Joel (Bourne End), Miss L Simpson  
(Streatham) 4... A10 1 KP Davis (Whitgift School) 5... B1 1 S Abeyssekera (Arch-  
bishop Tenisons) 4½... B2 1-3 J Davy (KCS Wimbledon), R McLoughlin (Acton),  
D Pruden (Ashtead) 4... B3 1 PD Kemp (Sutton) 4½... B4 1 JS Borrill (Eccleshall)  
5... B5 1 N Hackers (Wimbledon) 4½... B6 1 KP Davis (Whitgift) 4...

#### CONGRESS DATES

A reminder that Peter Morrish (3 Elmside, 55 Stoneyfields Lane, Edgware HA8 9SG) is doing his best to co-ordinate congress dates. If you are holding a congress, please get in touch with him with a view to avoiding clashes.

#### REVIEW

107 Great Chess Battles by A Alekhine: edited and translated by EG Winter. 256 pp Oxford University Press. Boards £7.95, paper covers £4.95. Short algebraic.

We tend to forget that during the last war chess, excellent at that, was played. Alexander Alexandrovitch Alekhine was born in Moscow on November 1st 1892. He was world champion from 1927-35 and 1937-46 (death). He was leading the French team with distinction at the International Team Tournament at Buenos Aires when war broke out. His Dieppe château and wife having been captured he returned to France.

The majority of these annotated games, including over 30 of Alekhine's own feats, form a good collection of games mainly played in Nazi organised Europe. It includes games from Munich 1941 where amid the heavy bombing Alekhine tied with the Swede Lundin behind the Swede Stoltz. How in Cracow with its resisting population a tournament was played and Alekhine was first equal is not known. Alekhine also competed in Salzburg and Munich 1942 and we are treated to some of these games.

We thus have a collection of games annotated by Alekhine and well translated by Winter from a unique period of history and adding splendidly to the only two books written by Alekhine and devoted to his best games 1908-1937.

Alekhine was well known for his opening theory, exploitation of small advantages into favourable positions. The analysis follows this trend having clarity without quantity, provoking thought without being boring.

There are a few interesting anecdotes - and Alekhine's attitude towards Capablanca and Reshevsky - but Pomar's progress through Alekhine's tutelage is destroyed by the arrangement of the games by openings rather than chronologically.

Whilst confessing my partiality to books published using algebraic notation one can only commend the clarity of the text and diagrams and the general quality of the materials used. There are remarkably few printing errors but a number of puzzles. Why a certain game was so important to Foltys is still a puzzle to me.

The greatest dislike I have is the title. Who will pick up "107 Great Chess Battles"? Why not "World War II Chess Battles"!

GOOD VALUE : GOOD BUY.

JE Scholes

#### CHILTERN LEAGUE

Berks have sent some results which we give below. We are sorry not to be able to give more.

Berks "A" scored 17/20 v Berks "B"; 13 v Berks "B" (Ah, it's double round); 11½ and 14 v Herts III; 11½ and 10½ v Bucks II; 14 and 9 v Oxon II. Berks "B" scored 7½ v Oxon II; 7½ and 6½ v Bucks II; 11½ and 7 v Herts III. By our reckoning that makes Berks "A" champions if Oxon II aren't, unless there are teams as yet unplayed lurking in wait. Or unless it's decided on goal average. (We really know next to nothing about the Chiltern League - or the East Anglian one either, for that matter.)

#### VOLUNTEER GRADERS WANTED

Brian G Locke, Grading Secretary, writes:

I have received the results of a number of congresses very late this year and our team of graders are already overloaded. The work would need to be completed by the middle of July to be included as late data on our computer system. Similar work will be available on a regular basis from October onwards for next season.

If interested please write to me, giving your phone number or address, at 51, Queensway, Horsham, West Sussex RH13 5AP.

A couple of items just received from the Tournament Secretary:

Minor Counties Championship: (see table on page 6) Essex II, Norfolk, Middx II and Cambs II entered for this year's Minor Counties. Oddly, Middx who finished 3rd behind both Essex and Norfolk in the MJ competition win the Minor Counties tournament and go on to the National stage. This is because only matches between the four MC entrants are counted, and Middx scrambled home on game points after a three-way tie on matches.

Quick Play finishes: You will know that Mr Douglas had sought Counties' views on the possibility of allowing QP finishes in County matches by mutual agreement. The final result is that Counties favoured the status quo by about a 60-40 margin. The idea will not be pursued, at least for the time being.

And another item by courtesy of the May Newsflash: Kent lead Glos 8-7, with 5 for adjudication, in the BCF stage quarter-final. Those interested may find full results in Newsflash: we have no intention of copying them out. In the other quarter-finals Notts conceded against Lancs, and we have as yet no news of Somerset v Greater Manchester. (Middx's convincing win against Yorks has already been reported on page 8.)

#### OF CONGRESSES AND KINGS

We wondered for a time whether the Bulletin would be the only publication in the country to carry no mention of the Phillips and Drew Kings Tournament. It has received such saturation coverage in the media that we could see little point in adding more. On reflection we thought utter silence would be silly: you can't ignore such events. Sponsors, moreover, deserve all the recognition we can give them. (And here we should add that the GLC did their generous bit as co-sponsors.)

We give no results: there is an excellent report in the May Newsflash.

Which brings us to something the Bulletin has always felt rather ambivalent about: congress results. There is always a fair amount of duplication between us and Newsflash; and we presume (but do not know) that a majority of our readers see Newsflash as well. Our policy has always been to include everything we receive from the area covered by the SCCU - partly as a matter of record, and partly because this is the Southern Counties Bulletin. We try, but often fail, to give rather more detail than the BCF, with its national coverage, can do. If we wanted to avoid duplication it would be tricky anyway, since we have no way of knowing in advance just what's going to be in Newsflash.

That's our rationale. We have niggling doubts about the waste of duplication, but we think it's got to continue. Events of real National standing, in which most players are not SCCU men, we are content to leave to the big boys.

Congress organisers in the Southern Counties: please go on sending results!

We have just learnt that Terry Middleton, Editor of "Kent Chess", is unable to carry on in the position. He more or less founded the magazine and ran it single-handed, and he will not be easy to replace. (What lunatic would want to produce nine large issues a year as he has done and hold down a job as well?) Sorry to lose you, Terry. Things will be duller without you.

#### SOME LATE JUNIOR RESULTS

SUSSEX Schools results just in (9.5.80):

Under 19: William Parker, Hastings, beat Falmer in the final; Under 16: William Parker beat Falmer (again); Under 14: William Parker (again! and for the fourth consecutive time) beat St Andrews, Worthing; Girls Under 16: Westergate, Chichester, beat Oathall. The events attracted slightly fewer teams than last year's record.

KENT: We seem to have room for the Tunbridge Wells and District Schools League - Sixth Form: Judd, Tonbridge (5 teams); Under 16 Division I: Judd; Under 16 Division II: Beacon, Crowborough; Under 13: William Parker! (9 teams); Primary: Kilndown (7 teams)

ENGLISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS CA team finals were duly held on Cup Final day (10.5.80) at Star Cross School, Islington. This event, like the southern eliminator, was a 3 round jamboree for teams of 18. Results: 1 Liverpool 36/54; 2 Coventry 33; 3 London 32; 4 Kent 31½; 5 Avon 29; 6 Manchester 24; 7 South Devon 23; 8 Nottingham 22½; 9 Calderdale 21; 10 Wolverhampton 18. One of the closest finals for years, with 4 teams neck and neck going into the last round. London's run of three consecutive victories thus comes to an end, just as proposals are being mooted to split them up because they're getting too strong...

Details received very late by telephone(!). Boards 11 to 20 played two games each, and scores on the top 10 boards were doubled. \*: White (on left) "floated" up.

1 N Carr (E)	1	0	S Walker (S)	JD Hockaday (M)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	NH Stone (K)
				* RE Walker (K)	1	0	N Fox (H)
2 M Leahy (H)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Lee (E)	AD Wright (S)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Blackwell (M)
3 AB Rose (M)	1	0	D Curtis (H)	MD Tottman (K)	1	0	I Winter (S)
				* S Kahn (S)	0	1	E Lee (E)
4 G Meitiner (H)	0	1	BS Rich (K)	S Leary (E)	0	1	J Kirk (M)
5 RG Mead (S)	1	0	R Lee (H)	MJ Luff (K)	0	1	J Singh (E)
				* A Harley (H)	0	1	D Watts (M)
6 J Franklin (E)	0	1	PR Loosley (S)	A Diamond (M)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	Y Dewan (K)
7 A. Smith (H)	0	1	J Duggan (E)	I Sim (S)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Lazarus (M)
				* G Read (E)	1	0	I Galloway (K)
8 P Brown (M)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Buchanan (H)	M Penn (K)	1	0	PJ Colvin (S)
9 R Haddow (H)	0	1	J Gorman (K)	K Warnes (E)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	K Jukes (M)
				* AM Stone (M)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	PD Hudge (S)
10 S Scott (S)	0	1	I Thomas (H)	V Hester (K)	1	0	R Holman (E)

## Round 1:

11 A Burnyeat (H)	0	1	PG Noble (S)	B Kemish (E)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	N Macdonald (K)
				* Default (S)	0	1	O Jarvis (M)
12 M Roweth (K)	1	0	J Latif (H)	H Branch (M)	1	0	Default (E)
13 CP Sanders (H)	1	0	C Gawler (M)	J Mitchell (S)	1	0	MPR Veck (K)
				* M Thomas (K)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	M Goff (E)
14 J Taylor (E)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Lodge (H)	H Lawrence (M)	0	1	C McHale (S)
15 P Bannister (S)	1	0	C Kemish (E)	GJ Rawkins (K)	0	1	S Blaney (M)
				* J Blount (M)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	I Hemingway
16 A White (H)	0	1	K Kochar (S)	Default (E)	0	1	I MacRury (K)
17 C Offord (K)	1	0	P Nendick (H)	F Hughes (M)	1	0	D Kemish (E)
				* D Pearce (E)	1	0	GF Thompson (S)
18 S Ali (H)	0	1	T Boyle (M)	G Lee (S)	0	1	M Kinlay (K)
19 D Rowe (E)	0	1	G Streeter (H)	Default (M)	0	1	KA Slegg (S)
				* P Sanders (H)	1	0	A Offord (K)
20 GP Slegg (S)	1	0	N Moffat (E)	I Lazenbury (K)	1	0	P Erasmus (M)

## Round 2:

11 PG Noble (S)	0	1	B Kemish (E)	N Macdonald (K)	1	0	O Jarvis (M)
				* H Branch (M)	1	0	A Burnyeat (H)
12 J Latif (H)	0	1	P Bannister (S)	D Bakachi (E)	1	0	M Roweth (K)
13 MPR Veck (K)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	CP Sanders (H)	C Gawler (M)	1	0	M Goff (E)
				* J Taylor (E)	1	0	J Mitchell (S)
14 S Lodge (H)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	H Lawrence (M)	G McHale (S)	1	0	M Thomas (K)
15 C Kemish (E)	1	0	I Hemingway (H)	Default (M)	0	0	Default (S)
				* A White (H)	0	1	GJ Rawkins (K)
16 K Kochar (S)	1	0	H Bakachi (E)	I MacRury (K)	0	1	J Blount (M)
17 P Nendick (H)	0	1	GF Thompson (S)	D Kemish (E)	0	1	C Offord (K)
				* G Lee (S)	0	1	P Hughes (M)
18 M Kinlay (K)	1	0	S Ali (H)	T Boyle (M)	1	0	D Pearce (E)
19 G Streeter (H)	1	0	S Blaney (M)	KA Slegg (S)	1	0	A Offord (K)
				* I Lazenbury (K)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Rowe (E)
20 N Moffat (E)	0	1	P Sanders (H)	P Erasmus (M)	0	1	GP Slegg (S)

Placings: 1 Kent 25/40; 2 Middx 24; 3 Surrey 20; 4 Essex 19; 5 Herts 11. Apologies for mis-spellings, copy at the other end of the line was often illegible.

## FORTHCOMING CONGRESSES

- May 24-26 BASINGSTOKE U161; U131 - EJ Smith, One-and-a-half, Linden Ave, Old Basing  
 24-26 ILFORD U160; U130 J Rosenberg, 78 Cowley Rd, Cranbrook, Ilford IG1 3JJ  
 24-26 COTSWOLD at Stroud: M Powis, Gordano, Farmhill Lane, Stroud, Glos  
 Jun 13-15 BRISTOL Open; U150; U120: C Carter, 48 Alma Vale Rd, Clifton, Bristol BS8 2HS  
 20-22 BASINGSTOKE Open; U160; U130: RE Boxall, 91 Campsie Close, Bucks, B'stoke  
 27-29 BEDWORTH U170; U130; U16/14/12/10/8: D Evans, 47 Dale House Lane, Kenilworth  
 27-29 MANCHESTER Open; U150: A Gardner, 79 Beverley Rd, Bolton  
 Jul 4-6 MANCHESTER U180; U120: A Gardner as above  
 11-13 CHARLTON Open; U160; U125: Mrs RM Hannan, 11 St Johns Rd, Sidcup, Kent  
 11-13 CLEVELAND: County Leisure Services, Education Offices, Woodlands Rd, Middles-  
 12-19 SCOTTISH CONGRESS at Troon: N Elder, 39 Whitefauld Rd, 9wells, Dundee borough  
 20 BASINGSTOKE One day: RE Boxall as above

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