

**Richard Shorman****Chess****STAMER MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT RESULTS**

The 11th annual Arthur B. Stamer Memorial Chess Tournament, directed by **Raymund Conway**, took place in the Mechanics' Institute Building, San Francisco, July 4-7. A \$2,275 prize fund provided incentive for 119 players in the seven-round, USCF-rated, open Swiss system event. Complete results:

**Master-Expert Division**

**1st**, Clark Harmon, Milwaukie, Oregon, 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$700; **2nd-9th**, Peter Cleghorn, San Francisco, Michael MacDonald-Ross, Menlo Park, James McCormick, Berkeley, C. Bill Jones, Redwood City, Robert Newbold, Mt. View, David Forthoffer, Mt. View, Sabu Subramaniam, South Gate, and Martin Sullivan, San Leandro, 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$93.75 each.

**Class A**

**1st-2nd**, Daniel Switkes, Berkeley, and Andy Gordon, Oakland, 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$112.50 each.

**Class B**

**1st-2nd**, Astvaldur Eydal, San Francisco, and Kenneth Myles, Palo Alto, 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$112.50 each.

**Class C**

**1st-4th**, Dwain Miller, Berkeley, John Graas, Palo Alto, William Peper, Oakland, and Dan Fukuma, Sunnyvale, 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$56.25 each.

**Unrated Division**

**1st**, William Bartley, San Francisco, 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$100; **2nd-4th**, Austin Wand, San Francisco, Paul Thorp, San Francisco, and Lionel Hernandez, San Francisco, 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, \$16.66 each.

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Here are some of the more interesting games from the four-day competition, recorded in USCF endorsed coordinate chess notation (files lettered "a" to "h", ranks numbered "1" to "8", always counting from White's lower left corner regardless of whose turn to move: pawn captures designated by file letters only).

**White: C. Bill Jones. Black: Tom Dorsch. Stamer Memorial, San Francisco, July 6, 1974. Sicilian Defense** 1 e4 c5 2 Nf3 Nc6 3 d4 cd 4 Nd4 e6 5 Nc3 a6 6 Be3 Qc7 7 Bd3 Nf6 8 f4 Nd4 9 Bd4 Qf4 10 g3 Qg4 11 Be2 Qg5 12 e5 Nd5 13 Ne4 Qd8 14 0-0 Be7 15 c4 Nb4 16 Bh5 0-0 17 Bf7 Rf7 18 Rf7 Kf7 19 Qh5 Kg8 20 Rf1 Nc6 21 Nf6 Bf6 22 ef Nd4 23 f7 Kf8 24 Qh7 Ne2 25 Kg2 Ke7 26 Qh4 Resigns.

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**White: Dennis Fritzinger. Black: Stephen Kornher. Stamer Memorial, San Francisco, July 5, 1974. Center Counter Defense** 1 e4 d5 2 ed Nf6 3 d4 Nd5 4 c4 Nb6 5 Nc3 e5 6 de Qd1 7 Nd1 Nc6 8 Nf3 Bg4 9 Be2 Bf3 10 Bf3 Bb4 11 Kf1 Ne5 12 Bb7 Rd8 13 Bf4 Nbc4 14 b3 Nd6 15 Be5 Nb7 16 Bg7 Rg8 17 Be5 Rg6 18 Bc7 Re6 19 Ne3 Rd2 20 a3 Bc3 21 Rb1 Nc5 22 Bf4 Nd3 23 Bg3 f5 24 Nc4 Ra2 25 f4 Ree2 26 Nd6 Kf8 27 Nf5 Nf4 28 Ne3 Nh5 29 Bd6 Kg8 30 Bc5 Nf4 31 Nc4 Nd3 32 Ba7 Rf2 33 Bf2 Rf2 34 Kg1 Bd4 35 h3 Nf4 36 Re1 Rg2 37 Kf1 Rf2 38 Kg1 Rf3 39 Ne3 Be3 40 Re3 Re3 41 Rh2 Rb3 42 Ra2 Nh3 43 Kh2 Ng5 44 a4 Nf3 45 Kg3 Nd4 46 Kf4 Rb6 47 Ke5 Nc6 48 Kd6 Nb4 49 Kc5 Rb7 50 Rd2 h5 51 Rd4 Na6 52 Kc6 Rb4 53 Rd5 h4 54 a5 Kg7 55 Rd6 h3 56 Rd2 Rh4 57 Kb6 Nb4 58 Kb5 h2 59 Rh2 Rh2 60 Kb4 Kf7 61 Kb5 Ke7 62 Kb6 Kd7 63 Kb7 Rb2 64 Ka7 Kc8 65 a6 Ra2 66 Resigns.

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**White: Boris Popov. Black: M. E. Mattingly. Stamer Memorial, San Francisco, July 5, 1974. Alekhine's Defense** 1 e4 Nf6 2 e5 Nd5 3 c4 Nb6 4 c5 Nd5 5 Bc4 e6 6 Nc3 Nc3 7 dc Bc5 8 Qg4 Bf8 9 Bg5 f6 10 ef gf 11 Qh5 Ke7 12 Bf6 Kf6 13 Qh4 Resigns.

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**White: Frank Metz. Black: Tom Maser. Stamer Memorial, San Francisco, July 6, 1974. King's Gambit Accepted** 1 e4 e5 2 f4 ef 3 Bc4 d5 4 ed Nf6 5 Nc3 Bd6 6 Nf3 0-0 7 0-0 Nbd7 8 d4 Nb6 9 Qd3 Nc4 10 Qc4 Re8 11 Ne5 g5 12 Bf4 gf 13 Rf4 Re5 14 de Be5 15 Raf1 Qd6 16 Rh4 Bc3 17 Qc3 Nd5 18 Qd3 f5 19 Rd4 Qb6 20 Kh1 Be6 21 Rd5 Bd5 22 Qd5 Kg7 23 Qe5 Kg8 24 Rf5 Qd6 25 Rg5 Kf8 26 Qh8 Kf7 27 Qh7 Resigns.

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