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M E R R Y C H R I S T M A S ! ! !

H A P P Y N E W Y E A R !

We wish to take this opportunity to wish all of our readers a very happy, merry and wonderful Christmas, and a prosperous, happy new year -- may the coming year bring you added pleasure in the field of chess, many tournament trophies and laurels, increased rating points and....just many more friends.

Merry Christmas!

Happy New Year!

IMPORTANT! KEEP THIS DATE OPEN!

JANUARY 5

The year's most important So. Calif. Chess League meeting takes place on Jan. 5 at 8.00 p.m. at the Atlas Chess Club, 3351 W. 43rd St., Los Angeles.

To be discussed at the meeting:

T E A M M A T C H E S

HALL OF FAME SELECTION

ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS

IMPORTANT RULE CHANGES IN TEAM PLAY

The most important change involves the one on player substitution. You will be asked to vote on the question, "Should a captain be allowed to make a substitution after the exchange of lists, if one of his regular teamplayers doesn't show up? Be prepared.

We'll give you full HALL OF FAME news in our next issue, which will appear before the meeting. But select the number of teams you will enter NOW - 1968 will be the biggest, best ever!

A M E R I C A N O P E N

Santa Monica, 1967

	Ratg	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total
1. SAIDY Dr. A.	2474	W 35	W 28	W 37	W 7	W 59	W 13	D 2	W 5	7½- 1½
2. BENKO P.	2592	W 82	W 42	D 16	W 18	W 9	W 15	D 1	W 11	7 - 1
3. BLACKSTONE J.	2256	D 99	W 80	W 43	D 10	W 77	W 17	W 8	W 7	7 - 1
4. BROWNE W.	2280	W 68	W 31	L 77	W 48	W 40	D 9	W 18	W 16	6½-1½
5. WEINBERGER T.	2303	W 98	D 44	W 21	W 46	W 16	D 6	W 10	L 1	6 - 2
6. OSBUN E.	2203	W100	W 48	W 17	W 40	D 13	D 5	L 7	W 27	6 - 2
7. RIVISE I.	2183	W101	W 45	W 27	L 1	W 32	W 12	W 6	L 3	6 - 2
8. GREFE J.	2196	W 55	W F	W 22	L 13	W 30	W 28	L 3	W 25	6 - 2
9. HARRIS W.	2174	W102	W 33	W 50	W 77	L 2	D 4	W 15	D 17	6 - 2
10. KERR R.	2147	W 87	W 81	D 12	D 3	W 31	W 14	L 5	W 28	6 - 2
11. LAVER R.	2146	W120	L 52	W 66	W110	W 22	W 59	W 24	L 2	6 - 2
12. PRUNER E.	2304	W 97	W 29	D 10	L 41	W 63	L 7	W 78	W 42	5½-2½
13. BINET L.	u/r	W 66	W 63	W 39	W 8	D 6	L 1	L 16	W 43	5½-2½
14. GROSS R.	2271	L 69	W 88	W 98	W 81	W 20	L 10	D 21	W 45	5½-2½
15. LEVIN Dr. E.	2245	W 36	W 76	D 18	W 78	W 41	L 2	L 9	W 31	5½-2½
16. TARJAN J.	2152	W 86	W 64	D 2	W 61	L 5	W 45	W 13	L 4	5½-2½
17. HANKEN J.	2133	W112	W 30	L 6	W 50	W 69	L 3	W 32	D 9	5½-2½
18. HOHENSEE S.	2080	W 49	W 23	D 15	L 2	W 51	W 39	L 4	W 53	5½-2½
19. RATERMAN L.	2072	W 87	W 72	L 59	W 64	D 24	L 25	W 80	W 54	5½-2½
20. BRAGG W.	2053	L 72	W113	W 83	W 52	L 14	D 43	W 65	W 58	5½-2½
21. BATCHELDER C.	2023	W122	D 91	L 5	W 56	D 54	W 35	D 14	W 52	5½-2½
22. ANTMAN B.	1909	W117	W126	L 8	W 37	L 11	D 46	W 41	W 39	5½-2½
23. HAMMIE R.	1816	W119	L 18	W109	D 39	W 61	W 37	L 27	W 40	5½-2½
24. HENIN C.	2298	W 83	W 32	L 40	W 33	D 19	W 41	L 11	D 29	5 - 3
25. SIERO M.	u/r	W 70	D 78	D 44	W 79	L 28	W 19	W 30	L 8	5 - 3
26. SHEAN R.	2169	W 67	W110	W 52	L 59	D 45	D 43	L 31	W 64	5 - 3
27. RUBIN S.	2026	W105	W124	L 7	L 69	W 98	W 36	W 23	L 6	5 - 3
28. DAVIDSON M.	2006	W127	L 1	W 84	W 35	W 25	L 8	W 59	L 10	5 - 3
29. REYNOLDS R.	1991	W 73	L 12	D 70	L103	W112	W111	W 57	D 24	5 - 3
30. GELLER S.	1972	W130	L 17	W 55	W 67	L 8	W100	L 25	W 66	5 - 3
31. POLLARD B.	1971	W 71	L 4	W101	W 44	L 10	W 69	W 26	L 15	5 - 3
32. ALMGREN S.	1968	W106	L 24	W124	W 91	L 7	W 67	L 17	W 73	5 - 3
33. HOCHBERG B.	1907	W108	L 9	W112	L 24	W 68	L 53	W100	W 59	5 - 3
34. FORNOFF F.	u/r	W116	L 37	D 72	W 92	L 39	W 87	D 53	W 60	5 - 3
35. KLEIN R.	1777	L 1	W127	W118	L 28	W 95	L 21	W 76	W 62	5 - 3
36. MATHIS J.	1758	L 15	L106	W130	W124	W 48	L 27	W 61	W 63	5 - 3
37. SPILLER A.	2161	W 85	W 34	L 1	L 22	W 78	L 23	D 82	W 81	4½-3½
38. DEDINSKY J.	2140	W111	D 53	L 46	L 54	L 87	W 71	W 65	W 80	4½-3½
39. SAIDI T.	2136	W 95	W 96	L 13	D 23	W 34	L 18	W 79	L 22	4½-3½
40. LEIDNER M.	2123	W121	W 65	W 24	L 6	L 4	W 64	D 52	L 23	4½-3½
41. KUPERSMITH L.	2080	D 89	W 94	W 54	W 12	L 15	L 24	L 22	W 82	4½-3½
42. WOOD N.	2007	W 56	L 2	L 69	D112	W 89	W 84	W 81	L 12	4½-3½
43. ENEQUIST L.	2003	D 80	W 92	L 3	W 70	W103	D 26	D 20	L 13	4½-3½
44. RHEE P.	1984	W114	D 5	D 25	L 31	W 66	D 54	L 58	W 83	4½-3½
45. MILNER H.	1982	W107	L 7	W100	W 97	D 26	L 16	W 91	L 14	4½-3½
46. DORNE W.	1963	D 92	W 99	W 38	L 5	D 58	D 22	L 54	W 86	4½-3½
47. SINGLETON H.	1961	W123	L 59	D 56	D 57	L 67	D 72	W 89	W 92	4½-3½
48. NEUSTAEDTER R.	1960	W115	L 6	W 85	L 4	L 36	W 90	W 69	W 51	4½-3½
49. LUBIN A.	1902	L 18	L 71	W107	W104	D 84	D 86	D 55	W 91	4½-3½
50. KOLKEY J.	1893	W 75	W103	L 9	L 17	L100	W104	D 86	W 94	4½-3½
51. HUFNAGEL F.	1888	L 94	W105	D 91	W 75	L 18	W 92	D 60	D 48	4½-3½
52. STUMBRIS O.	1864	W 58	W 11	L 26	L 20	W 72	W 77	D 40	L 21	4½-3½
53. KATONA S.	1858	W129	D 38	L 61	D 60	W 88	W 33	D 34	L 18	4½-3½

AMERICAN OPEN - cont'd.

		Ratg	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Rd 7	Rd 8	Total	
54.	SHUEY	P.	1787	W125	D 61	L 41	W 38	D 21	D 44	W 46	L 19	4½-3½
55.	WILLIAMS	R.	1698	L 8	W131	L 30	W117	L 64	W118	D 49	W 77	4½-3½
56.	GARDNER	R.	1610	L 42	W129	D 47	L 21	L 62	W 93	W110	W 78	4½-3½
57.	COMMONS	K.	1551	L 19	D 62	W 99	D 47	D 82	W110	L 29	W 79	4½-3½
58.	HOGGATT	J.	u/r	L 52	W 86	W 65	D 63	D 46	D 91	W 44	L 20	4½-3½
59.	LESSING	N.	2230	W 84	W 47	W 19	W 26	L 1	L 11	L 28	L 33	4 - 4
60.	MAYER	H.	2110	D103	W 89	L 78	D 53	W 97	D 63	D 51	L 34	4 - 4
61.	STANI	K.	2043	W104	D 54	W 53	L 16	L 23	D 82	L 36	W103	4 - 4
62.	JONES	K.	2038	L 91	D 57	L 92	W 99	W 56	D 83	W 67	L 35	4 - 4
63.	BALFE	D.	1972	W 74	L 13	W111	D 58	L 12	D 60	W 68	L 36	4 - 4
64.	TOKAREFF	V.	1878	W109	L 16	W 93	L 19	W 55	L 40	W 75	L 26	4 - 4
65.	BECKWITH	S.	1814	W118	L 40	L 58	W 71	W 75	L 20	L 38	W104	4 - 4
66.	BERRY	F.	1750	L 13	W107	L 11	W105	L 44	W 74	W 95	L 30	4 - 4
67.	KLASS	M.	1737	L 26	W 74	W 76	L 30	W 47	L 32	L 62	W105	4 - 4
68.	COWAN	E.	1728	L 4	W115	W 95	L114	L 33	W107	L 63	W106	4 - 4
69.	FAGIN	V.	1724	W 14	L 77	W 42	W 27	L 17	L 31	L 48	W107	4 - 4
70.	SWORDS	C.	1712	L 25	W128	D 29	L 43	L 92	D121	W124	W109	4 - 4
71.	USAN	R.	1590	L 31	W 49	L110	L 65	W116	L 38	W123	W 95	4 - 4
72.	KENT	J.	1532	W 20	L 19	D 34	D 80	L 52	D 47	D 99	W 96	4 - 4
73.	LEONHARDT	K.	1400	L 29	L 97	W126	L 83	W129	W 98	W 96	L 32	4 - 4
74.	HERSCHENS'	NMrs	1304	L 63	L 67	L 86	W113	W126	L 66	W102	W125	4 - 4
75.	BEATTIE	W.	u/r	L 50	W104	W 96	L 51	L 65	W102	L 64	W100	4 - 4
76.	SCHAIN	G.	2100	W113	L 15	L 67	L 88	W123	W 97	L 35	D 87	3½-4½
77.	SLOAN	S.	2030	W 90	W 69	W 4	L 9	L 3	L 52	D 83	L 55	3½-4½
78.	LITTRELL	D.	1958	W128	D 25	W 60	L 15	L 37	W101	L 12	L 56	3½-4½
79.	EDBERG	R.	1950	L124	W 90	W 87	L 25	D 83	W103	L 39	L 57	3½-4½
80.	SILVEN	S.	1889	D 43	L 3	W 89	D 72	D101	W109	L 19	L 38	3½-4½
81.	BULLOCKUS	DrT	1872	W 93	L 10	W106	L 14	D 86	W 94	L 42	L 37	3½-4½
82.	GRUMETTE	Mrs	1777	L 2	L118	W114	W106	D 57	D 61	D 37	L 41	3½-4½
83.	OLSSON	Greta	1730	L 24	W114	L 20	W 73	D 79	D 62	D 77	L 44	3½-4½
84.	HENDERSON	C.	1714	L 59	W130	L 28	W116	D 49	L 42	L 92	W101	3½-4½
85.	SHOWERS	D.	1634	L 37	W119	L 48	D109	L 94	L 89	W115	W116	3½-4½
86.	BATCHELDER	Mrs	1631	L 16	L 58	W 74	W118	D 81	D 49	D 50	L 46	3½-4½
87.	WELSH	D.	1629	L 10	W123	L 79	D 94	W 38	L 34	D103	D 76	3½-4½
88.	MATTY	Dr	1572	L F	L 14	W128	W 76	L 53	L 95	D117	W118	3½-4½
89.	HURT	E.	1562	D 41	L 60	L 80	W108	L 42	W 85	L 47	W117	3½-4½
90.	FOSLIEN	D.	1534	L 77	L 79	L116	W125	W115	L 48	D118	W111	3½-4½
91.	NEZHNI	L.	1499	W 62	D 21	D 51	L 32	W 96	D 58	L 45	L 49	3½-4½
92.	TUTTLE	G.	1393	D 46	L 43	W 62	L 34	W 70	L 51	W 84	L 47	3½-4½
93.	HARVEY	R.	u/r	L 81	W120	L 64	L101	D122	L 56	W127	W113	3½-4½
94.	PILIAVIN	L.	u/r	W 51	L 41	L 97	D 87	W 85	L 81	W111	L 50	3½-4½
95.	STEERS	D.	2096	L 39	W121	L 68	W119	L 35	W 88	L 66	L 71	3 - 5
96.	SCHAUMBURGER		1852	W126	L 39	L 75	W122	L 91	W106	L 73	L 72	3 - 5
97.	KURTZ	N.	1770	L 12	W 73	W 94	L 45	L 60	L 76	L105	W123	3 - 5
98.	VAYSSIE	P.	1761	L 5	W122	L 14	W123	L 27	L 73	L107	W124	3 - 5
99.	WINTER	H.	1716	D 3	L 46	L 57	L 62	W128	W122	D 72	-	3 - 5
100.	RAZIEN	P.	1712	L 6	W117	L 45	W115	W 50	L 30	L 33	L 75	3 - 5
101.	BONESS	A.	1654	L 7	W108	L 31	W 93	D 80	L 78	D109	L 84	3 - 5
102.	FOTIAS	C.	1650	L 9	L109	L103	W130	W124	L 75	L 74	W126	3 - 5
103.	MELNIKER	R.	1590	D 60	L 50	W102	W 29	L 43	L 79	D 87	L 61	3 - 5
104.	NANASSY	J.	1523	L 61	L 75	W108	L 49	W131	L 50	W121	L 65	3 - 5
105.	JONES	A.	1452	L 27	L 51	W125	L 66	L109	W131	W 97	L 67	3 - 5
106.	GUSNER	S.	1419	L 32	W 36	L 81	L 82	W117	L 96	W112	L 68	3 - 5
107.	JUDD	C.	1378	L 45	L 66	L 49	W120	W119	L 68	W 98	L 69	3 - 5
108.	COAN	J.	u/r	L 33	L101	L104	L 89	W BY	L123	W131	W122	3 - 5

AMERICAN OPEN - cont'd

		<u>Ratg</u>	<u>Rd 1</u>	<u>Rd 2</u>	<u>Rd 3</u>	<u>Rd 4</u>	<u>Rd 5</u>	<u>Rd 6</u>	<u>Rd 7</u>	<u>Rd 8</u>	<u>Total</u>
109.	DANKIN	W. u/r	L 64	W102	L 23	D 85	W105	L 80	D101	L 70	3 - 5
110.	MILLER	G. 1897	W131	L 26	W 71	L 11	D111	L 57	L 56	- -	2½-5½
111.	MULINEX	L. 1702	L 38	W116	L 63	W131	D110	L 29	L 94	L 90	2½-5½
112.	RADL	R. 1600	L 17	W125	L 33	D 42	L 29	L113	L 106	W129	2½-5½
113.	WEILER	J. 1574	L 76	L 20	L117	L 74	W130	W112	D116	L 93	2½-5½
114.	McGRANN	W. 1393	L 44	L 83	L 82	W 68	L118	L117	D129	W131	2½-5½
115.	BRAGG Donna	1240	L 48	L 68	W120	L100	L 90	D119	L 85	W127	2½-5½
116.	MOHAWK	W. 983	L 34	L111	W 90	L 84	L 71	W130	D113	L 85	2½-5½
117.	MURDOCK	B. 983	L 22	L100	W113	L 55	L106	W114	D 88	L 89	2½-5½
118.	HILL	D. u/r	L 65	W 82	L 35	L 86	W114	L 55	D 90	L 88	2½-5½
119.	OSBORNE	R. u/r	L 23	L 85	W127	L 95	L107	D115	D122	D120	2½-5½
120.	JIRON	A. 1612	L 11	L 93	L115	L107	L121	W BY	D125	D119	2 - 6
121.	WOOD Dr	G. 1599	L 40	L 95	L123	D128	W120	D 70	L104	- -	2 - 6
122.	SINGLETON	W. 1439	L 21	L 98	W129	L 96	D 93	L 99	D119	L108	2 - 6
123.	EPSTEIN	A. 1296	L 47	L 87	W121	L 98	L 76	W108	L 71	L 97	2 - 6
124.	HINRICHSEN	D. 1108	W 79	L 27	L 32	L 36	L102	W126	L 70	L 98	2 - 6
125.	MORRISEY	K. u/r	L 54	L112	L105	L 90	D127	W128	D120	L 74	2 - 6
126.	SIERO	M. u/r	L 96	L 22	L 73	W127	L 74	L124	W128	L102	2 - 6
127.	PATSCH	A. 1428	L 28	L 35	L119	L126	D125	W129	L 93	L115	1½-6½
128.	NARCISI	J. 1112	L 78	L 70	L 88	D121	L 99	L125	L126	W BY	1½-6½
129.	JONES Miss	N. u/r	L 53	L 56	L122	W BY	L 73	L127	D114	L112	1½-6½
130.	WOOD	R. 1323	L 30	L 84	L 36	L102	L113	L116	W BY	- -	1 - 7
131.	BRIGGS	E. 938	L110	L 55	W BY	L111	L104	L105	L108	L114	1 - 7

And there we are. We promised you a full crosstable, and you may now relax and peruse it all at your heart's contention. A tremendous tournament indeed, and if you have missed it, be sure to make a point to participate next year.

The tournament was sponsored by the Santa Monica Bay Chess Club, and directed by Isaac KASHDAN, assisted by Andy KEMPNER. Held over the Thanksgiving weekend at the Hotel Miramar in Santa Monica, a real nice facility with an especially nice Tiki room. Unfortunately, your editor couldn't play, but he discovered the Tiki room nevertheless.....

ALL FREEWAYS NOW LEAD TO.....

Have you neglected to keep up with the progress of the new freeways around here? Have you not even looked at the latest map or magazine telling you that, for instance, the Pomona Freeway is now open 'way out east, and the Riverside Freeway is just swinging with the jet set?

'Cause if you haven't kept up with the times, you wouldn't realize that the ultra-mod WHITTIER CHESS CLUB is now so-o-o easy to reach that you simply have no excuse not to attend Whittier's

THIRD ANNUAL WINTER RATING TOURNAMENT

starting Monday, January 15, 1968 at 8.00 p.m. It's a six-rd Swiss, 40 in 2, USCF-rated, with prizes galore! This great event, directed by the dauntless Ken FLESHMAN (OX 9-5787) offers trophies and cash for 1) Grand Champion; 2) Above 1700; 3) 1400-1700; 4) Below 1400 and u/r; 5) trophy for best game played (that'll be YOU for sure). Entry fee: \$6.00 non-members; \$5.00 members. All games played at Sorensen Recreation Park, Broadway/Rosehedge, Whittier. A short hop for all now!

SPECIAL To warm up for the above, a rollicking Rapid Transit on January 8 will better any fireplace. \$1.

AIN'T THROUGH YET!

It is only fitting that we start a new page with the news of the crowning of a new champion for 1967 - the winner of the year's Whittier Chess Club Championship, to whom bouquets are in order:

Edgar HURT, Jr.

Edgar deserves our sincerest congratulations! We know this young man who has been in there pitching in many an event, never making cloud nine before - his persistence paid off finally. Edgar tied for first with last year's champion, Hector GUADARRAMA, at the 5 - 1 level, but won out on tie-breaking.

GUADARRAMA won the Class A trophy, and William DUNKIN took home the coveted beauty for under 1600's. Larry HOKE, Treasurer of the So. Calif. Chess League, won the trophy for the best game played - considering the 26 players in six rounds, that's....126 games. Out of. Pretty good going. (You may comment that that's only 78 games; but as both players think their own games are best, it's really double the figure, isn't that so? Nice work, Larry - we'd like to see that game.

LYON ROARS AT EL SEGUNDO

The LYON in question being Irwin LYON of Fort MacArthur, who whiles his time away between radaring assignments with new systems of prize distribution. He tried his basic system which we described in our last issue at El Segundo over the weekend of Dec 2-3 at the LYON'S SHARE tournament, apparently with good success; the main thing, however, is that he collected valuable experience enabling him to modify the system to be really good next time. We don't have room this time to elaborate, but will give this full coverage later.

LYON'S SHARE

El Segundo, Dec. 1967

	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Total</u>
	<u>One</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>Three</u>	<u>Four</u>	<u>Five</u>	
1. BEAVERS	L. W 7	W 14	W 4	W 5	D 2	4½ - ½
2. SEFTON	D. W 15	W 8	D 5	W 7	D 1	4 - 1
3. FAGIN	V. L 5	W 10	W 9	W 14	W 6	4 - 1
4. SAUDEK	G. W BY	W 13	L 1	W 11	D 5	3½ - 1½
5. LOPEZ	V. W 3	W 6	D 2	L 1	D 4	3 - 2
6. CILLERS	H. W 17	L 5	W 8	W 15	L 3	3 - 2
7. RADL	R. L 1	W 16	W 18	L 2	W 13	3 - 2
8. STOLPE	J. W 12	L 2	L 6	W 17	W 14	3 - 2
9. HIGGINS	Olga D 11	W 18	L 3	D 13	W 15	3 - 2
10. TUTTLE	G. L 13	L 3	W BY	W 18	W 19	3 - 2
11. SHANDER	D. D 9	W 19	D 13	L 4	D 12	2½ - 2½
12. NANASSY	J. L 8	L 15	W 16	W 19	D 11	2½ - 2½
13. HOWARD	W. W 10	L 4	D 11	D 9	L 7	2 - 3
14. LYDERSEN	T. W 16	L 1	W 19	L 3	L 8	2 - 3
15. VAN HORNE	R. L 2	W 12	W 17	L 6	L 9	2 - 3
16. NEEL	W. L 14	L 7	L 12	W BY	W 18	2 - 3
17. BRAGG	Donna L 6	W BY	L 15	L 8	W 10	1 - 4
18. NARCISI	J. D 19	L 9	L 7	L 10	L 16	½ - 4½
19. SHIPIN	H. D 18	L 11	L 14	L 12	L 10	½ - 4½

All those with plus scores received prizes; the winner \$26.64, runner-ups \$13.32 each, 3½ pointers \$6.66 each and 3-pointers, \$3.33.

MEAN THERE'S MORE?

Either we see double, or things just come in pairs or something. We've just covered the Lyon's Share, so it's only fitting that we cover the TIGER - Allan TROY's great showing in breezing past the El Segundo Club Championship.

EL SEGUNDO CHESS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Oct-Nov., 1967

		<u>Round</u> <u>One</u>	<u>Round</u> <u>Two</u>	<u>Round</u> <u>Three</u>	<u>Round</u> <u>Four</u>	<u>Round</u> <u>Five</u>	<u>Round</u> <u>Six</u>	<u>Total</u>
1. TROY	A.	W 11	W 12	W 4	W 5	W 3	L 2	5 - 1
2. WALPUSKI	H.	L 12	W 14	D 3	W 9	W 10	W 1	4½- 1½
3. GOJICH	A.	D 13	W 16	D 2	W 6	L 1	W 4	4 - 2
4. TAYLOR	R.	W 15	W 8	L 1	W 7	W 5	L 3	4 - 2
5. LYON	I.	W 16	W 7	W 10	L 1	L 4	W 9	4 - 2
6. SHIFIN	H.	L 9	W 15	W 8	L 3	W 12	W 10	4 - 2
7. CILLERS	H.	W 17	L 5	W 12	L 4	D 8	W 13	3½-2½
8. NANASSY	J.	W BY	L 4	L 6	W 15	D 7	W 16	3½-2½
9. PORTER	J.	W 6	L 10	W 13	L 2	W 11	L 5	3 - 3
10. STOLPE	J.	W 14	W 9	L 5	W 11	L 2	L 6	3 - 3
11. VORDERSTRASSE	L	1	W 13	W 17	L 10	L 9	W 15	3 - 3
12. CALDWELL	A.	W 2	L 1	L 7	D 14	L 6	W BY	2½-3½
13. LOPEZ	V.	D 3	L 11	L 9	W 17	W 14	L 7	2½-3½
14. GOJICH	M.	L 10	L 2	W BY	D 12	L 13	W 17	2½-3½
15. GLAZER Dr	B.	L 4	L 6	W 16	L 8	W BY	L 11	2 - 4
16. RADL	R.	L 5	L 3	L 15	W BY	W 17	L 8	2 - 4
17. DAHM	A.	L 7	W BY	L 11	L 13	L 16	L 14	1 - 5

FROM EAST TO WEST TO NORTH

We've sure covered the four corners of the southland this time! From Santa Monica to Whittier to El Segundo to - now, the Valley. We haven't heard from the Northridge Chess Club in ages, since the team matches in fact, so it's our pleasure indeed to report on their Club Championship which was won by Hal MILNER, 7½-½, drawing only with Mike LEIDNER, whose final score in the runner-up spot was 6-2. Mike also drew with David LEVY and lost to young Larry NEZHNI. Larry won the Junior Champion trophy with 5½-2½.

Item Clyde PIEPHOFF, having played more Challenge Ladder games than anyone else, receives the third-quarter book prize.

The Northridge Club meets on Mondays at Temple Ramat Zion, at 17655 Devonshire St., Northridge.

STILL UP NORTH, AMID ALL THAT EXCITEMENT

Neck and neck drag races, pull-ahead fallback overpasses, changing climate from frost to sizzle have characterized the NAA Valley Chess Club's Club Championship throughout the last six weeks. The two top finishers, Mike LEIDNER and Gordon BARRETT, met already in the second round, drawing their game, after which they fought neck and neck, watching each other's games hoping for a slip by the other. Your editor faltered in the last round, "assisting" LEIDNER to a clear first. Matt EK coasted into third place to take the No. 3 trophy, while the Class A, B, C, D and u/r trophies were won by WARNER, FAELTEN, FORREST, MASTOUS and RUDIN respectively. Crosstable /over.

NAA VALLEY CHESS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Fall, 1967

	<u>Ratg.</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Total</u>
		<u>One</u>	<u>Two</u>	<u>Three</u>	<u>Four</u>	<u>Five</u>	<u>Six</u>	
1. LEIDNER	M. 2123	W 14	D 2	W 4	W 5	W 9	W 7	5½-½
2. BARRETT	G. 1884	W 17	D 1	W 3	W 7	W 4	D 8	5 - 1
3. EK	M. 1885	W 18	D 7	L 2	W 16	W 10	W 9	4½-1½
4. WARNER	C. 1940	W 12	W 8	L 1	W 6	L 2	W 15	4 - 2
5. KOLIN	H. 2012	W 19	W 16	W 6	L 1	L 7	W 12	4 - 2
6. THOMSON	W. 1954	W 10	W 9	L 5	L 4	W 15	W 11	4 - 2
7. LAJCIK	T. 2026	W 20	D 3	W 13	L 2	W 5	L 1	3½-2½
8. BERGGREN	1841	W 11	L 4	L 15	W 18	W 13	D 2	3½-2½
9. RUDIN	L. u/r	W 21	L 6	W 17	W 15	L 1	L 3	3 - 3
10. OLMORE	u/r	L 6	W 22	D 20	W 14	L 3	D 16	3 - 3
11. FAELTEN	u/r	L 8	D 21	W 22	D 13	W 16	L 6	3 - 3
12. FORREST	K. 1842	L 4	L 15	W 19	W 17	W 20	L 5	3 - 3
13. FREIBERGS	1909	D 15	W 19	L 7	D 11	L 8	W 17	3 - 3
14. KORST	W. 1602	L 1	L 17	W 21	L 10	W 18	W 20	3 - 3
15. HALL	W. 1511	D 13	W 12	W 8	L 9	L 6	L 4	2½-3½
16. McKISSON	R. 1590	W 22	L 5	W 18	L 3	L 11	D 10	2½-3½
17. BULGIER	1466	L 2	W 14	L 9	L 12	W 19	L 13	2 - 4
18. MASTOUS	1380	L 3	W 20	L 16	L 8	L 14	W BY	2 - 4
19. LEVY	u/r	L 5	L 13	L 12	W BY	L 17	W 21	2 - 4
20. HOLTOM	u/r	L 7	L 18	D 10	W 21	L 12	L 14	1½-4½
21. OLIVA	u/r	L 9	D 11	L 14	L 20	W BY	L 19	1½-4½
22. SDMOSKOWITZ	u/r	L 16	L 10	L 11	-	-	-	0 - 6

DON'T FORGET SO. CAL. CHESS LEAGUE MEETING - JAN. 5!