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Russian GM Peter Svidler at cricket



Former World Champion Boris Spassky



ENGLISH U10 CLOSED							
Held at Yateley Manor School 31st Jan & 1st Feb 2009							
No	Name	Area	Grade	Points	Position	Comments	
1	Haria	Ravi	Barnet	95	4.5	1st	
2	Wadsworth	Matthew	Berkshire	86	3.0	4th=	
3	Wang	Anna	Oxford	86	3.0	4th=	
4	Shiatis	Rohan	Coulsdon	77	3.5	3rd	
5	Murphy	Conor	Kent	73R	4.0	2nd	
6	Gerlagh	Joris	Manchester	72	2.5		
7	Claridge-Hansen	William	Bucks	65	2.5		
8	Huser	Hector	Kent	59R	1.0		
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10	Lee	Vincent	Herts	36	2.0		
11	Howard-Jones	Edward	Hampshire	19	1.0		
12	Johnson	Rory	Essex	18	1.0		
13	Abbas	Daniel	Manchester		3.0	4th=	
14	Marta	Dominic			0.0		WD Sunday

**YATELEY MANOR SCHOOL 2009**

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3	Zhang	Roy	Berkshire	110	3.0	3rd=	
4	Green	Conrad	CNW	109	0.0		WD Saturday evening
5	Andreev	Peter	Richmond	103	4.0	2nd	
6	Malhotra	Tarun	Ealing	96	2.5		
7	Levene	Joseph	Barnet	94	n/a		transfer to u14
8	Fitzgerald	Robert	Sussex	93	1.0		WD Sunday
9	Sanders	Isaac	Barnet	90	3.0	3rd=	
10	Taylor	Adam	Surrey	89	2.5		
11	Shepherd	Katherine	Surrey	80	1.0		
12	Knott	Philip	Surrey	79	2.5		
13	Redman	David	Cambs	76	3.0	3rd=	
14	Breindel	Jake	Barnet	74	2.5		
15	Bogoda	Natasha	Essex	70	1.5		



## EDITOR'S FOREWORD AND BASIC ADVICE

by Andrew Martin  
International Master

Welcome to the March edition of the Right Move. We dot this issue with pictorial impression of the great Gibraltar Chess Tournament, which takes place each February. Try to pay a visit the next time if you can! An excellent opportunity for our stronger juniors.

Meanwhile we would like your news, games, and photos. Send to Andrew Martin by the 15th of any month:

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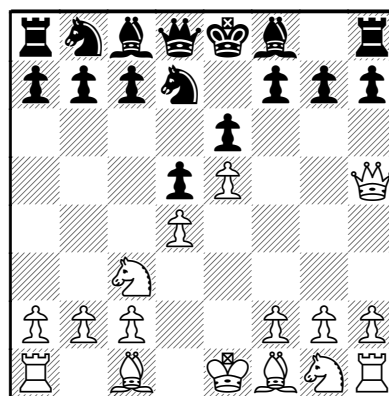
Haldane,RW - Happel,Hendrik A (2310)

[C11]

Guernsey open, 1987

This month's game features an extraordinary and audacious idea against the French.

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.♘c3 ♘f6 4.e5 ♘fd7 5.♙h5!?



Robin Haldane always was a very ingenious attacking player and here is one of his more outrageous ideas. A Queen on Rook Five always intimidates and even if Black wins a pawn, as he frequently does in this line, he has to watch out for the tricks. Happel goes straight for

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the gain of material.

**5...c5**

5...g6 6.♖g4 ♘c6 7.♗f3 a6 8.h4 (In view of what happens I can suggest 8.a3! as an improvement) 8...h5 9.♖g3 ♗b4 was an interesting recent approach. 10.♙g5 ♙e7 11.0-0-0 c5 12.a3 ♗c6 13.dxc5 ♗xc5 14.b4 ♗d7 15.♙d3 ♖c7 16.♙xe7 ♗xe7 17.♔b2 ♗b6 18.♖g5 ♙d7 19.♖f6 ♖f8 20.♗d4 ♖c8 21.♗de2 ♗c4+ 22.♙xc4 ♖xc4 23.♖d4 ♖c7 24.♖d2 a5 25.♖h3 axb4 26.axb4 ♖c4 27.♖d4 ♖a6 28.♗c1 ♖b6 29.♖hd3 ♗c6 30.♗xd5 exd5 31.♖xd5 ♙e6 32.b5 ♙xd5 33.♖xd5 ♗a5 34.e6 ♖xe6 35.♖e5 ♗c4+ 0-1 *Haldane, R (2151)–McCullough, S (2080)/Sunningdale 2007.*

**6.♗f3 cxd4**

6...a6 7.dxc5 ♗c6 8.♙f4 ♗xc5 9.0-0-0 ♙e7 10.♖g4 g6 11.h4 h5 12.♖g3 b5 13.♙d3 b4 14.♗e2 a5 15.♔b1 ♙a6 16.♗g5 ♖g8 17.♖f3 b3 18.♙xa6 bxc2+ 19.♔xc2 ♖xa6 20.♔b1 ♖b8 21.♖xd5 ♖b6 22.♖d2 ♗a4 23.♔a1 ♙xg5 24.♙xg5 ♗e7 25.♙xe7 ♔xe7 26.♖hd1 ♖b7 27.♖f6+ 1-0 *Gavilan Diaz, M (2300)–Pintor Munoz, A (1984)/Motril 2008; 6...♗c6 7.♗g5 g6 8.♖f3 ♖e7 9.♗b5 ♗xd4 10.♗d6+ ♔d8 11.♗gxf7+ ♔c7 12.♖c3 ♙g7 13.♙g5 ♖f8 14.b4 ♙xe5 15.♗xe5 ♗xe5 16.♗b5+ ♗xb5 17.♖xe5+ ♔c6 18.♙xb5+ ♔xb5 19.c4+ ♔c6 20.cxd5+ exd5 21.♙e7 1-0 *Haldane, R (2139)–Webster, R (1976)/Sunningdale 2008/EXT 2009.* A breathtaking wipeout.*

**7.♗xd4 g6 8.♖g4 ♗xe5**

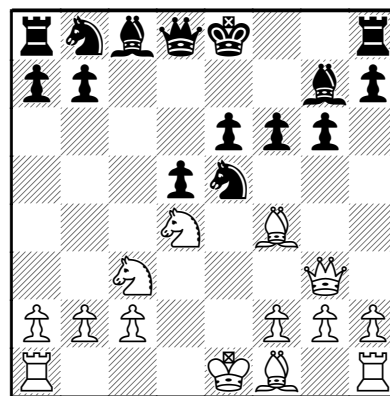
8...♗c6 9.♙b5 ♖c7 10.0-0 ♗xd4 11.♖xd4 ♙g7 12.♖b4 ♙f8 13.♖f4 ♙g7 14.♗xd5! a move which highlights the tricky complications Black has to nego-

ciate after 5 Qh5 14...exd5 15.e6 ♖xf4 16.exd7+ ♙xd7 17.♙xd7+ ♔xd7 18.♙xf4 ♖he8 19.♖fd1± Ironically, White has a slightly better ending. 19...♔c6 20.c3 ♖ad8 21.♙e3 b6 22.a4 a5 23.♖d3 ♙f8 24.♖ad1 ♙c5 25.c4 d4 26.g3 ♖e4 27.♙g5 ♖d6 28.b3 ♖de6 29.♔f1 ♖e2 30.♙e3 ♖b2 31.♙c1 ♖be2 32.♙d2 ♖2e4 33.h4 h5 34.♙h6 f6 35.♖3d2 ♖e7 36.♙f4 ♖4e6 37.♖d3 ♖e8 38.♙c1 ♖e2 39.♙e3 ♖b2 40.♙xd4 ♙xd4 41.♖xd4 ♖xb3 42.♖d6+ ♔c5 43.♖xf6 ♔xc4 44.♖xg6 ♖e5 45.♖g5 ♖xg5 46.hxg5 ♖f3 47.♖b1 ♔c5 48.♔g2 ♖a3 49.♖b5+ ♔c6 50.g6 ♖xa4 51.♖g5 1-0 *Damia, A (2222)–D’Amato, P (1925)/Nichelino 2008.*

**9.♖g3**

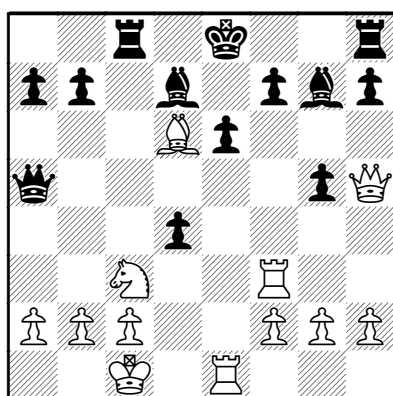
That’s the compensation. The white Queen takes up a dangerous K-side position.

**9...♙g7 10.♙f4 f6?!**



White has to act quickly now before Black takes over the entire centre of the board. [10...♗bc6 would be my choice, but Andrew Smith shows how to play against that: 11.♗xc6! ♗xc6 12.♙c7 (12.♙d6 a6 13.0-0-0 ♗e7 14.♙a3 0-0 15.h4 h5 16.♗e4 ♗f5 17.♖h2 ♖b6 18.♗c5 ♖d8 19.♗e4 ♖e8 20.g4 hxg4 21.h5 ♙h6+ 22.♔b1 g5 23.♖e5 ♙g7 24.♖h2 ♗h6

25.f4 gxf3 26.♖g1 g4 27.♘d6 ♕d7 28.♙d3 ♙b5 29.♗f4 ♗f6 30.♖xg4 ♘xg4 31.♗xg4 ♙xd3 32.cxd3 ♖ed8 0-1 *Damia, A (2212)–Garcia Roman, D (2425)/Andorra 2007* 12...♗f6 13.♙d6 White has to keep the black King in the middle. 13...a6 (13...♘d4 14.♙d3 ♙d7 15.0-0-0 ♘f5 16.♙xf5 ♗xf5 17.♖he1 ♖c8 18.♖d3 d4 19.♖f3 ♗a5 20.♗h4 g5 21.♗h5



Back, and with interest. It's been very difficult to believe in White's play for some time but look at the end result! 21...♖f8 22.♙xf8 dxc3 23.♗xf7+ ♔d8 24.♗e7+ ♔c7 25.♗d6+ ♔d8 26.♖d1 cxb2+ 27.♔b1 ♖c7 28.♙xg7 1-0 *Smith, A–Richards, H/Torquay 1998* 14.0-0-0 ♘e7 15.♙c5 ♙h6+ 16.♔b1 ♙f4 17.♗g4 ♙e5 18.♗a4+ ♙d7 19.♗a3 b6 20.♙d6 ♙xd6 21.♗xd6≡ With the same type of dark-squared compensation that we have already seen. By keeping the King in the middle he takes all the fluency out of Black's game. Players begin to feel very unsettled when they have to think carefully over every single move, here due to the out-of-play Rook on h8.

21...♘f5 22.♗xb6 ♗d8 23.♗b4 ♗e7 24.♗f4 0-0 25.g4 ♘h4 26.♗e5 ♙c6 27.♙d3 f6 28.♗g3 g5 29.f4 h6 30.♖he1 ♖fd8 31.♙f5 ♘xf5 32.gxf5 ♖d6 33.fxg5

hxg5 34.h4 d4 35.hxg5 fxg5 36.f6 ♗f8 1-0 *Smith, A–Benson, P/St Helier 1997*. I cannot vouch for the soundness of White's approach, just point out that it is difficult to counter.

**11.♙b5+! ♔f7**

There will always be chances now.

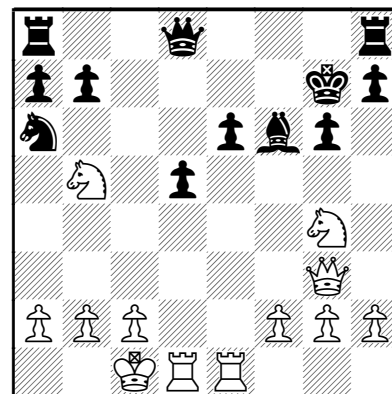
11...♙d7 12.♘xe6.

**12.0-0-0 ♙d7 13.♙xe5**

I think I prefer centralisation: 13.♖he1 ♘bc6 14.♙xc6 bxc6 (14...♙xc6 15.♙xe5 fxe5 16.♘f3 e4 17.♘xe4; 14...♘xc6 15.♘db5≡) 15.♙xe5 fxe5 16.♘f3 e4 17.♘e5+ ♙xe5 18.♗xe5 ♖f8 19.f3∞

**13...fxe5 14.♘f3 ♙xb5**

14...♗f6 was a much tougher defence: 15.♘g5+ ♔g8 16.♔b1 ♘c6 17.♖he1 a6. **15.♘xb5 ♙f6 16.♘xe5+ ♔g7 17.♘g4 ♘a6 18.♖he1**



It's all gone wrong for Black. White has carried out his main ideas:

- 1) Initial dark-squared attack;
- 2) Long castling and rapid centralisation of the Rooks;
- 3) The smashing up of black's centre and penetration of the Knights BEFORE Black gets his Rooks into play.

**18...♖e8 19.♘d6 1-0**

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be free email acknowledgement if you clearly  
put your own email address.

## Playing Schedule

All events: All moves in 2 hrs each.

Fri Rnd 1 1.00 Rnd 2 5.30

Sat Rnd 3 9.30 Rnd 4 2.00

Sun Rnd 5 9.30 Rnd 6 2.00

## Entry Fees + Prizes

(AGES at at 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2009)

Squad Under 16 Championship

Under 16 Squad Member £ 14

Other Under 16 £ 16

Prizes £120; £80; £60; £40

Squad Under 14 Championship

Under 14 Squad Member £ 14

Other Under 16 £ 16

Prizes £120; £80; £60; £40

Squad Under 12 Championship

Under 12 Squad Member £ 14

Other Under 12 £ 16

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All players £ 14

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# National Chess Junior Squad Championships 2009

Including an

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### Getting There (Web site is excellent)

**By Car** Go to end of M62 and turn left along Queens Drive A5058. Continue along A5058 for a couple of miles passing lights, roundabout (3<sup>rd</sup> exit), lights, roundabout 2<sup>nd</sup> exit followed immediately by lights 2<sup>nd</sup> lane (*still on Queens Drive*). After going under two bridges turn left at lights. At T junction turn right and left into Mossley Hill Road and JMU is on left in 500 yards.

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### Championship Trophies, Titles and Prizes

Tied Titles and Cash prizes will be shared. National Chess Junior Squad Trophies will be awarded to all players sharing first place in each event

### School Terms and Byes

In the highly unlikely event of any player having school on the Friday and the refusal of the school to allow the day off please contact Peter Purland and, initially, he will write to the school.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Ages are calculated as at midnight 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008 to fit in with FIDE ages.

Clocks will be used on all boards in all events.

All games must be recorded.

All advertised prizes are guaranteed

**All players must play in their own age group**

**The event is a qualifier for the England U11 Trial and also part of the John Robinson Grand Prix, which is the method by which players are selected for the European Youth Championships.**

**The event is open to all players of a reasonable standard and is NOT solely for Squad players.** A non- Squad player (AGED 12 OR OVER) who does sufficiently well can use the event as part of his qualification for the Squad.

### Late Arrivals for any round

Players arriving after the re-pairing time of 30 minutes in all events, may be deemed to have lost by default, unless the controller can pair them satisfactorily. Players whose opponents have not arrived must expect to be re-paired.

### Withdrawals

Earliest notice please to Mr Alec Webster. A £3 administrative charge may be made from any refund of an entry fee.

### Contact Number

In case of an emergency during the event telephone  
**07875 779297**

(This will be switched off during playing hours)

**The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry.**

# More Details for the Na- tional Chess Junior Squad Champion- ships 2009

### Donations to the NCJS

Your donation towards Squad funds will enable more British Juniors to travel further afield to represent their country. Please help if you are able to. As the NCJS is a charity donations may be made through Gift Aid to enhance the value of the gift.

**English Chess Federation, John Robinson Grand Prix**  
All events count towards the Junior Prix.

### Entries

Entry Forms should be sent to:

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### Equipment / Bookstall

Will be provided by Chess Maze International  
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### Accommodation

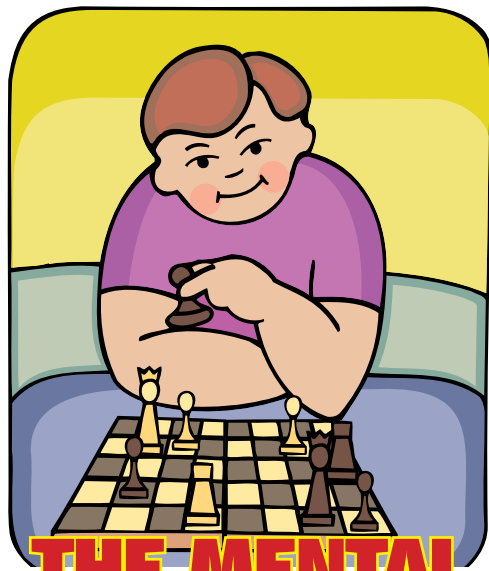
There is none on the IM Marsh Site For hotels and guest houses phone the Tourist Information centre on 0151 233 2459.

### Acknowledgements

The National Chess Junior Squad would like to thank John Moores University for its help and support in running this event.

Please send completed entry form and fee postmarked no later than Saturday 11th April. Late Fee for late entries: £5 donation to the Squad

# An English Chess Federation Grand Prix Event



# THE MENTAL CHECKLIST

by Andrew Martin

Try running through this mental checklist before making your move

- 1) Note all the checks and captures.
- 2) Ask yourself: 'What is he trying to do?'
- 3) Ask yourself: 'What am I trying to do?'
- 4) Finally, check for surprise moves—have I missed anything? Laborious at first, this routine soon becomes second-nature. You will avoid blunders using it!

**Ninov, Nikolai (2515) - Marzolo, Cyril (2487)**

[C57]

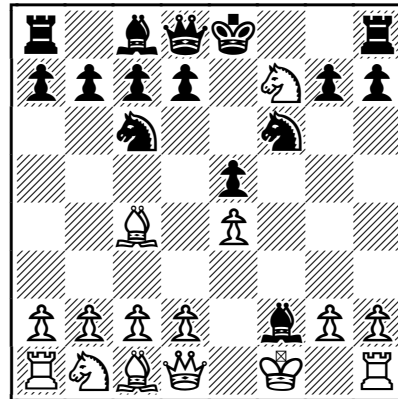
La Fere open 7th, July 7, 2008

With reference to the mental checklist, I'll make the following points about the upcoming game:

- 1) It is indeed, mental.
- 2) I would make a mental note to avoid the whole variation for either colour. There are certainly a lot of juniors who like to play 4. Ng5, so if you have a good

memory, here is something against the Wilkes-Barre.

**1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Nf6  
4.Ng5 Bc5 5.Nxf7 Bxf2+ 6.Kf1!?**

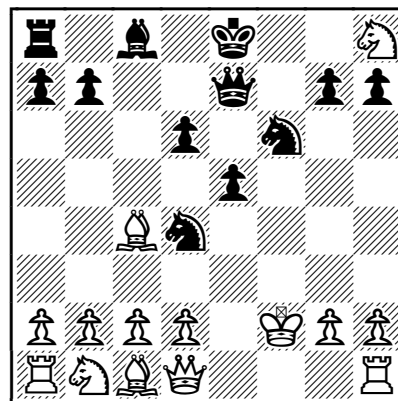


The onus is on both players to demonstrate theoretical knowledge.

**6...Qe7 7.Nxh8 d5 8.exd5 Nd4  
9.d6!**

An interesting suggestion of Estrin's. Marzolo seems taken aback.

**9...cxd6 10.Kxf2**



**10...d5**

10...Bg4 11.Qf1 0-0-0 is what looks like a better way for Black. Nevertheless, in this upcoming recent game the white King crawled away: 12.Kg1 d5 13.Bd3 e4 14.c3 exd3 15.cxd4 Nh5 16.Qf2 Rf8 17.Qe3 Be2 18.h3 Qxe3+ 19.dxe3 Ng3 20.Nd2 Nxh1 21.Kxh1 Rxh8 22.e4 1-0 *Krueger, H (2252) - Gilles, R (2235) / Chess-*



friend.com 2005/Corr 2008.

**11.d3**

Or 11.c3 Bg4 12.Qf1 Nc2 13.Bb5+ Bd7 14.Bxd7+ Kxd7 15.Qb5+ Kc7 16.Na3 Nxa1 17.Re1 Rxh8 18.Kg1+- a6 19.Qa5+ Kb8 20.d4 Ng4 21.Bf4 Rf8 22.Bg3 Ka8 23.h3 Nf6 24.Bxe5 Nd7 25.Bg3 Qg5 26.Kh2 Qg6 27.Qxd5 Nb6 28.Qa5 Rf5 29.Qb4 Ka7 30.Re5 Rxe5 31.dxe5 Qe6 32.Bf2 Qxe5+ 33.Kg1 1-0 Schnabel,F (2062)-Fechner,J (2074)/GER email 2007/Corr 2008.

**11...dxc4 12.h3 cxd3 13.cxd3 Bd7 14.Re1 0-0-0 15.Kg1**

White has consolidated and wins with ease.

**15...Rxh8 16.Be3 Qd6 17.Nd2 Bc6 18.Nc4 Qd5 19.Qd2 b6 20.Rac1 Kb7 21.Bxd4 Qxd4+ 22.Qf2**

Tactical blunders abound at all levels in chess but they are obviously less frequent the higher one climbs up the greasy pole. Quite often at club level they are caused simply by tiredness or at junior level, by carelessness. Stick to the blundercheck procedure mentioned earlier and you will give yourself the best chance of avoiding them.

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## MORE IMPRESSIONS FROM GIBRALTAR



Peter Svidler vs former women's champ Antoaneta Stefanova

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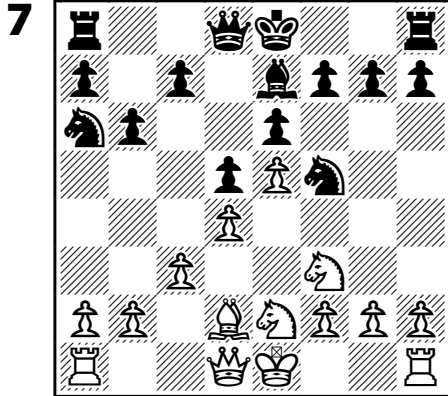
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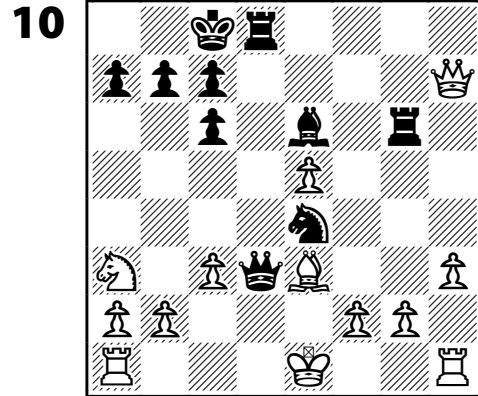


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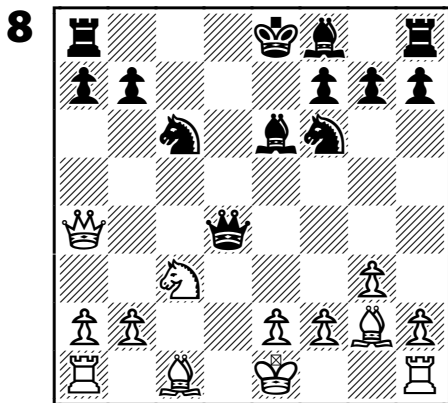
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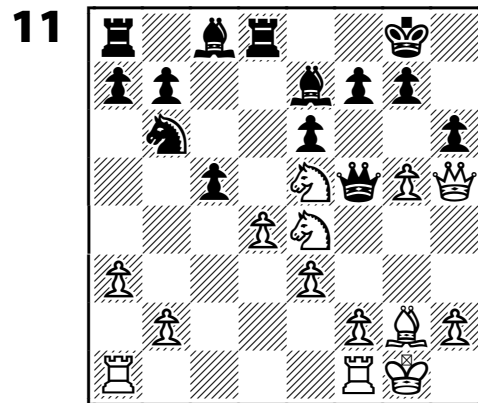
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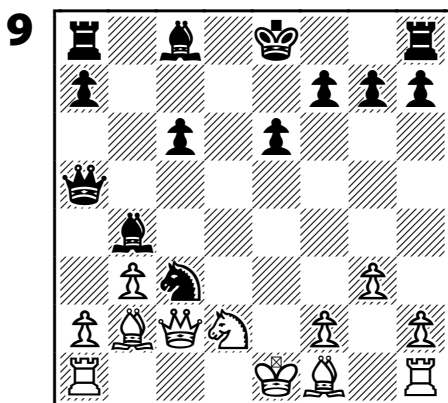
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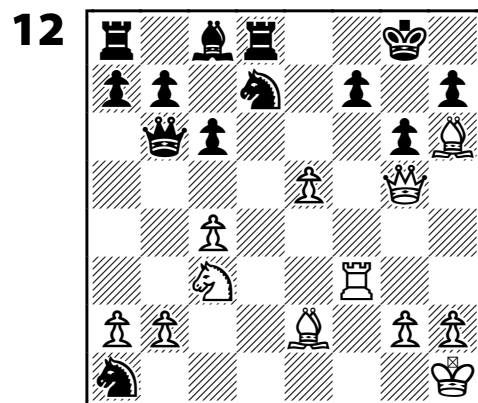
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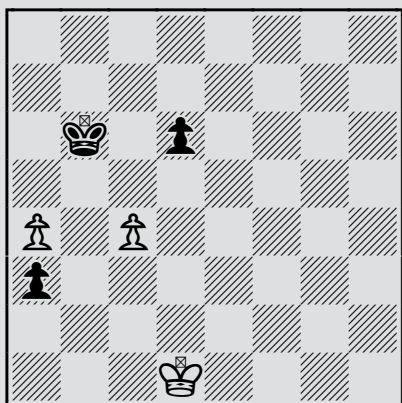
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16	Sabin	Frank	Barnet	106	2.0		
17	Clanchy	Nicholas	Kent	105	2.0		
18	Batchelor	Peter	Barnet	101	3.0		
19	Paul	Barnaby	Sussex	100	2.0		
20	Pyper	Ramsay	Sussex	98	2.5		
21	Bradbury	David	Richmond	96	1.0		SILENT WD
21A	Levene	Joseph	Barnet	94	2.0		transfer from u12
22	Norcliffe-Brown	Dominic	Barnet	93	2.0		
23	McGiff	Aidan	Barnet	86	4.0	2nd =	
24	Cleeves	Megan	Wiltshire	85	2.0		
25	Saunders	Matthew	Bucks	84	3.5		
26	Pozzo	Dominic	Surrey	83	2.0		
27	Payne	Louis	Hampshire	82	1.0		
28	Garside	Andrew	Nottingham	80	1.5		
29	Hoare	Amy	Sussex	80	3.0		
30	Horton	Jamie	Manchester	78	3.5		
31	Mehmood	Athar	Shropshire	78	0.0		WD Saturday evening
32	Cavendish	Joshua	Barnet	77	2.5		
33	Gendler	Gabriel	London	77	1.5		
34	Ehr	Jennifer	Surrey	76	1.5		
35	Burch	Jonathan	Sussex	73	3.0		
36	Gerlagh	Peter	Manchester	73	1.5		
37	Oliver	Martin	Wiltshire	73	1.5		
38	Burroughs	Adam	Wiltshire	72	1.5		
39	Noel	Daniel	Berkshire	72	0.0		withdrew after 1 round
40	Foster	Chantelle	Oxon	70	1.0		
41	Reddiar	Gautham	Kent	62	3.5		
42	Tilston	Jamie	Bucks	53			no show

YATELEY MANOR SCHOOL 2009

ENGLISH U16 CLOSED							
Held at Yateley Manor School 31st Jan & 1st Feb 2009							
No	Name	Area	Grade	Points	Position	Comments	
1	Zhou	Yang-Fan	Richmond Jun	199	3.5	4th =	
2	Jones	Victor	Kent	172	4.5	1st	
3	Brown	Martin	CNW	167	3.5	4th =	
4	Sathyanandha	Saravanan	Herts	164	4.0	2nd =	
5	Jones	William	Kent	162	3.5	4th =	
6	Walker	Samuel	Bucks	158	4.0	2nd =	
7	Iyengar	Ilya	Bucks	152	2.5		
8	Weller	Jean-Luc	Yorkshire	149	2.5		
9	Boulton	William	Norfolk	148	3.0		
9A	Cumming	Rhys	Millfield	148	2.5		transfer from u14
10	Dines	Sheila	Surrey	141	3.0		
11	Thompson	Robert	Devon	141	3.0		
12	Tunstall	George	Berkshire	140			WD ill
13	Weaving	Richard	Warwicks	140	3.5	4th =	
14	Foster	James M	Oxford	139	3.0		
15	Shaw	Dashiell	Hackney	138	2.5		
16	Mann	Harry	Devon	135	2.5		
17	Archer-Lock	Adrian	Berkshire	129	2.5		
18	Maguire	Robert	Kent	129	2.0		
19	Tambini	Jasper	Surrey	127	2.5		
20	Senaratne	Nipuna	Yorkshire	126	2.0		
21	Clements	Thomas	Oldham	125	2.5		
22	Patel	Shyamal	Herts	123	1.5		
23	Payne	Matthew	Sussex	123	1.5		
24	Gupta	Aditya	Surrey	120	2.0		
25	Barr	Gabriel	Norfolk	114	3.0		
26	Pritchard	Abigail	Lancashire	113	2.0		
27	Fitzgerald	Thomas	Sussex	112	3.0		
28	Stepanyan	Astghik	Sutton Coldfield	105	1.0		
29	Rigby-Zeglache	Elyes	Barnet	101	2.0		
30	Barker	Keith	Kent	95	1.0		
31	Harnden	Charlie	Oxford	94	2.0		
32	Schortz	Oskar	Sussex	94	1.5		
33	Hayes	Marvin	CNW	75	1.5		
34	Carter	Jeremy	Hampshire	72			WD

**FEBRUARY'S PRIZE PUZZLE  
ANSWER**



**White to Play and Draw**  
As in all King and Pawn endgames,  
you have to be precise.

**1. Kc2 a2 2. Kb2 Ka5 3. Ka1!!**

The only move or Black gets the  
opposition.

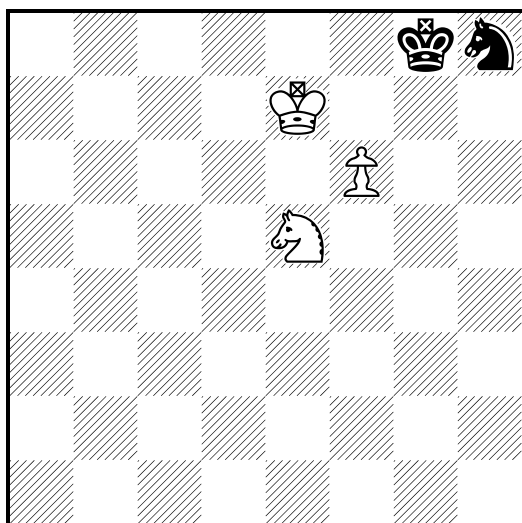
If 3.Ka2? then 3... Kxa4 4. c5 dxc5 5.

Kb2 Kb4 6. Kc2 Kc4-+

**3... Kxa4 4. c5! dxc5 5. Kxa2=**

1/2-1/2

**PRIZE PUZZLE  
MARCH 2009**



**WHITE TO PLAY AND WIN.**  
Show your technique.

**Best Quiz Answers  
for pages 10-11**

1. 1. d5
2. 1. Rxg7+ Qxg7 2. Bxg7 Kxg7 3. Qg4+
3. 1. Rxd5
4. 1... Bxc4
5. 1. e5
6. 1. Qh4
7. 1. Qa4+
8. 1. Bxc6+
9. 1... Qe5+
10. 1... Ng3
11. 1. Nf6+ or 1. Ng3
12. 1. Qe7

*We hope you enjoyed the  
additional tactical puzzles  
this time. Some easy some  
not. Hope you didn't rush.*

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