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18th Nottingham Rapidplay

Sunday 18 February
Nottingham High School, Waverley Mount, Nottingham
NG7 4ED

- ♦ Open: open to all players
- ♦ Major: for players graded below 140
- ♦ Minor: for players graded below 110

Six-round Swiss. Thirty minutes per player for all moves.
Play starts at 10:00 a.m.

Enter now: entry forms have been sent to all NCA clubs.
Alternatively, contact Robert Richmond on 0115 945 5908.

Handicap Knockout

The second of the second round matches was played this week, with West Nottingham Daydream joining their Nightmare team mates in the semi-finals.

West Nottingham Daydream – Ashfield Academicals

Ashfield Academicals		B1	B2	B3	Total
A1 Morgan, D. P.	(134)	0	0	0	0
A2 Taylor, R.	(127)	1	½	0	1½
A3 Jackson, M.	(107)	0	1	0	1
					2½

West Nottingham Daydream		A1	A2	A3	
B1 Levens, D.	(167)	1	0	1	2
B2 Parmar, A.	(158)	1	½	0	1½
B3 Basey, M.	(155e)	1	1	1	3
					6½

Special events

Ian Kingston

I suspect my request for ideas for special events got lost in all the Christmas/New Year celebrations, so I'll make another appeal. Apart from the NCA Blitz Championship, what other events would you like the NCA to run this year? The most likely time would be May/June/July, but I'm open to any suggestions.

Reminder – Ashfield's new venue

Ashfield have a new venue and new dates for some matches. The details are on the web site and in Notts News No. 17 (9 December 2006). Please make sure you turn up at the right place on the right day.

Archives

I haven't posted any new material on the web since last time, but I have received a copy of the 1976-77 league tables from Brian Hayward, and Paul Todd is digging some things out for me.

Old league tables, Notts News, league handbooks, newspaper cuttings – anything relating to Notts chess in days gone by (even if those days are only a few years ago) will be most welcome.

League results

Division 1

*Bunkers 1 – Gambit 1

1 Brameld, K.	(143)	0	–	1	Barnes, M.	(186)
2 Jennings, G.	(143)	1	–	0	Mercs, P.	(176)
3 Harrison, J.	(150)	½	–	½	Swain, J.	(170)
4 Harvey, K.	(142)	½	–	½	Hayward, B.	(148)
5 Lyons, S.	(–)	½	–	½	Hunter, S.	(139)
					2½	– 2½

Division 2

Ashfield 2 – Ashfield 3

1 Jarvis, D.	(148)	0	–	1	Cranmer, S.	(139)
2 Taylor, R.	(127)	0	–	1	Sayer, R.	(103)
3 Graham, N.	(133)	1	–	0	Lewis, T.	(107)
4 Morgan, D. P.	(134)	0	–	1	Jackson, M.	(107)
5 Pacitto, A.	(–)	0	–	1	Morrey, A.	(104)
					1	– 4

Division 3

Fiveways – Radcliffe & Bingham 1

1 Best, I.	(117)	1	–	0	London, N.	(126)
2 Bowen, L.	(113)	0	–	1	Toms, D.	(129)
3 Griffiths, D.	(106)	0	–	1	Zerdazi, Y.	(–)
4 Thorsen, A.	(105)	1	–	0	Murfet, G.	(113)
5 Default	(–)	0	–	1	Taylor, M.	(120)
					2	– 3

Gambit 3 – Nomads 2

1 Tassi, J.	(131)	½	–	½	Ince, D.	(116)
2 Gibson, G.	(107)	1	–	0	Darby, L.	(107)
3 Carlton, A.	(121)	½	–	½	Thurgood, T.	(109)
4 Brown, A.	(87)	½	–	½	Cronshaw, D.	(96)
5 Chambers, A.	(–)	½	–	½	Smith, P.	(87)
					3	– 2

Newark 2 – West Nottingham 3

1 Combie, A.	(139)	0	–	1	Messam-Sparks, L.	(121)
2 Aiton, K.	(131)	1	–	0	Nehra, P.	(–)
3 Hargreaves, M.	(73)	0	–	1	Willoughby, R.	(113)
4 Harper, G.	(83)	½	–	½	Williamson, E.	(114)
5 Clurrow, G.	(–)	½	–	½	Crawley, J.	(68)
					2	– 3

Division 4

West Bridgford 2 – Radcliffe & Bingham 2									
1	Hill, F.	(102)	½	–	½	Murfet, G.	(113)		
2	Milford, M.	(69)	0	–	1	Redburn, B.	(95)		
3	Gold, D.	(–)	0	–	1	Morley, S.	(88)		
4	Gill, R.	(–)	0	–	1	Buttery, J.	(84)		
5	Tys, S.	(70)	1	–	0	Falgate, M.	(74)		
			2	–	3				

Division 5

Gambit 5 – West Nottingham 5									
1	Groves, A.	(67)	½	–	½	Zhang, M.	(78)		
2	Watson, R.	(68)	0	–	1	Clegg, T.	(58)		
3	Heath, K.	(55)	0	–	1	Alfred, A.	(63)		
4	Mosley, S.	(35)	0	–	1	Gupta-Kaistha, A.	(44)		
			½	–	3½				

League tables

Division 1

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pn	Pt
1 University 2	7	6	1	0	25	10	15	0	13
2 West Bridgford 1	7	5	1	1	21	14	7	0	11
3 Ashfield 1	8	4	2	2	24	16	8	0	10
4 Mansfield 1	7	3	2	2	18½	16½	2	0	8
5 University 1	7	2	1	4	16½	18½	–2	0	5
6 Gambit 1	7	1	2	4	14	21	–7	0	4
7 Newark 1	7	1	2	4	12½	22½	–10	0	4
8 Bunkers 1	8	1	1	6	13½	26½	–13	0	3

Division 2

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pn	Pt
1 Long Eaton	7	6	0	1	25	10	15	0	12
2 West Nottingham 1	7	6	0	1	23½	11½	12	0	12
3 West Nottingham 2	7	4	1	2	19½	15½	4	0	9
4 Gambit 2	7	3	1	3	17½	17½	0	0	7
5 Ashfield 2	9	2	2	5	18½	26½	–8	0	6
6 Nomads 1	8	2	1	5	16	24	–8	0	5
7 Grantham 1	6	2	0	4	11	19	–8	0	4
8 Ashfield 3	7	1	1	5	14	21	–7	0	3

Division 3

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pn	Pt
1 Radcliffe & Bingham 1	7	5	0	2	19½	15½	4	0	10
2 West Nottingham 3	6	4	1	1	19	11	8	0	9
3 Fiveways	7	4	0	3	16½	18½	–2	0	8
4 Newark 2	6	2	1	3	16½	13½	3	0	5
5 Gambit 3	6	2	1	3	15	15	0	0	5
6 Nomads 2	6	2	1	3	13½	16½	–3	0	5
7 Mansfield 2	5	2	0	3	13½	11½	2	0	4
8 Bunkers 2	5	1	0	4	6½	18½	–12	0	2

Division 4

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pn	Pt
1 West Nottingham 4	8	5	2	1	25½	14½	11	0	12
2 Nomads 3	7	5	1	1	24	11	13	0	11
3 Gambit 4	7	5	1	1	19½	15½	4	0	11
4 University 3	7	3	2	2	19½	15½	4	0	8
5 Ashfield 4	7	3	1	3	19	16	3	0	7
6 Radcliffe & Bingham 2	8	2	1	5	18	22	–4	0	5
7 West Bridgford 2	7	0	2	5	10½	24½	–14	0	2
8 Ashfield 5	7	1	0	6	9	26	–17	0	2

Division 5

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Df	Pn	Pt
1 Grantham 2	6	4	1	1	16½	7½	9	0	9
2 West Nottingham 5	7	4	1	2	18½	9½	9	0	9
3 Gambit 5	6	3	1	2	11½	12½	–1	0	7
4 University 4	6	3	0	3	12½	11½	1	0	6
5 Bunkers 3	6	2	1	3	10	14	–4	0	5
6 West Nottingham 7	6	2	0	4	9½	14½	–5	0	4
7 West Nottingham 6	7	2	0	5	9½	18½	–9	0	4