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If you only go by ratings (which often don't tell the whole story, being mostly based on faster games where players don't have GM/IM coaches to guide them through the wilderness of theory) many of the top boards in the U18 were quite surprising. John Papantoniou again showed that his presence at the pointy end is far from flukey, having the better of a draw against Yi Yuan. Alex Stahnke walloped the out-of-sorts top seed James Morris who now needs five wins in a row to have any real chance of the Under 18 title (and even that would not necessarily do it). Anthony Milton beat Eugene Schon with a sparkling double sacrifice and Fedja Zulfic had an opening disaster against the similarly-rated Alastair Dyer (who now sits in outright second and today meets Bobby Cheng on the top board). But perhaps the biggest upset of them all was on board 7, where Anton Smirnov hardly looked like beating Yita Choong until he did – the missed draw at the finish of this game, once seen, is unforgettable.

Pan's Labyrinth episode six (aka the Under 12s board 1) was a much more dramatic film than the previous five, with Stuart Mason finding himself in a positional wonderland and having Andrew in trouble for much of the game. Alas for Stuart, the black pieces invaded the maze and there was to be no happy ending (except from Andrew's perspective), but he can take great heart from giving the top seed a more than serious run for his money.

Things stayed close in the Girls U18 with a draw between the leaders, and four players are now within half a point of the lead. The unpredictability of the Girls U12 was shown when Hannah Derwent (previously 0/3) beat Caitlin O'Rourke (previously 3), leaving top seeds Denise Lim and Savithri Narenthran on 4/4. The game could have gone either way so it looks like the Round Robin is still sorting itself out.

The **Draw Police** report a sleepy day on the beat. So much so that they turned into the Drawl Police, and spent the day booting people who talked too loudly just outside the main hall door and feeding them to Oscar the fish. We don't care how tardiloquent you are, it's the volume control that matters, and a few of you don't seem to have one!

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Remaining Schedule: Thursday 21st: Round 8 **1 pm,** Adult Lightning **6 pm**
Friday 22nd: Problem Solving **9am.** Lightning **midday.** Mayoral reception **3pm**
(All players must listen carefully to announcements on Thursday re these)
Saturday 23rd: Round 9 **1pm** Australian Junior Chess League AGM **1:30pm**
Sausage sizzle **6pm** (Details to be posted on noticeboard. Location: not here!)
Sunday 24th: Round 10 **1pm** Lightning presentation at round start
Sunday 25th: Round 11 **9am** Problem solving presentation, closing ceremony and social event from **2pm** (or end of last game) on.
Hobart only has two really hot days per summer and we've had both of them already. If Sol claims a draw by a "triple" repetition rounds may be started earlier.

Pointless Metric of the Day: In round 6 (4 for the girls) all entrants scored their scoresheets in black pen except for thirty who did so in blue, four in pencil, two in red, one in green and one in a mixture of pale blue (for the moves) and a sort of pinkish orange (for the times) . The main reason for the prevalence of black pens is that the pens supplied for those who do not bring their own are that colour, by order of the editor who is trying to corrupt the entrants into turning into goths. There were no pink scoresheets submitted, unlike round 3 for the girls in which there were two.

Most entrants signed their names at the end of the game but 26 handwrote them. Materials not in strict accordance with Article 12.4 of the Laws of Chess included outlines drawn around the picture of the pieces (2), scribble (1), a somewhat triangular loveheart (1), stars (2 on one scoresheet), colouring in of the holes of the numbers 4, 6, 8, 9, 0 and the letters a, b, d, e, o and p (1 player - I do this too, but only in boring meetings), and a pic of a girl or female mythical figure with a bow in her hair (1).

Reading from the book of FIBE by FA Grainy Varg

The Swiss System is a system for doing draws for chess tournaments that in principle pairs players whose play thus far has been about the same so they may delight the audience by exchanging unasinous blunders. Because these draws are usually done by computer, the rules are written in a language that is designed to be understandable by computer programmers and incomprehensible to anyone else. Despite this, no-one who has written a pairings program has ever fully understood these rules.

The Swiss Rules as actually implemented are designed to prioritise the alternation of colours over many other considerations, even if the tournament leader needs to be downfloated 53 scoregroups in the process. It is very important that players go WBWBWB (etc) as allowing a player too many whites in a row disturbs their prep routine, leads to accusations of racism and could lead to Alastair winning the tournament.

The Swiss Rules are irrelevant because the most important thing in any junior chess tournament is that the public display of crosstables should be in order of score then rating (and not Buchholz) even if ratings are absent or unreliable in many cases and information about who has met the strongest field and who has just been favoured by the Swiss Rules is thus obscured in favour of silly carping Zoiluses* who can't put a set of ratings into order for themselves.

* As distinct from Zoilas, which are pretty, mostly blackish, cowry shells found in WA, SA and far western Victoria. If you find one in Tasmania show it to the Editor; you'll probably never see it again but he will write a paper about it and make you scientifically famous.

Jnder 18

. Bobby Cheng – Andrew rown

:amatic middlegame turnaround after ıdrew looked clearly better out of the ıening.

d4 Nf6 2. c4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4. e4 d6 5. h3 -O 6. Bg5 Na6 7. Bd3 e5 8. d5 Qe8 9. g4 d7 10. a3 f5 11. f3 Nac5 12. Bc2 fxe4 13. e4 Qf7 14. Qe2 a5 15. b3 Bf6 16. Bh6 ı4+ 17. Kd2 Qf2 18. Be3 Qf6 19. Rb1 ɔ6 20. Bd1 c6 21. Nf3 Bg3 22. Rf1 cxd5 . Bxc5 dxc5 24. exd5 h5 25. Ne4 Bf4+). Kc3 Qg7 27. gxh5 Bf5 28. hxg6 Nd7 29. ;2 b5 30. Nh4 Qh6 31. Nxf5 b4+ 32. Kb2 ‹f5 33. Qg4 Raf8 34. Nd6 R5f6 35. Qxd7 . 36. g7 Rb8 37. Nc8 Qxg7 38. Rg1 Rg6+). Qxg7+ Kxg7 40. Bxe4 Rxg1 41. Rxg1+ f6 42. Na7 Rh8 43. Rg6+ Kf7 44. Bf5 Rh5 . Be4 Rxh3 46. axb4 axb4 (46... Rh2+ 47. ɔ1) 47. Nc6 Re3 48. Re6 Re2+ 49. Bc2 ‹e6 50. Nd8+ Ke7 51. Nxe6 Be5+ 52. Kc1 d6 53. Kd2 Bc3+ 54. Kd3 Bf6 55. Ke4 ı4 56. Ng7 Bf2 57. Nf5+ Kd7 58. Ke5 g1 59. d6 Bf2 60. Be4 1-0

. Yi Yuan – John Papantoniou

:at repetition.

e4 c5 2. c3 Nf6 3. e5 Nd5 4. d4 cxd4 5. f3 e6 6. cxd4 d6 7. Bc4 Nc6 8. O-O Be7 9. :2 O-O 10. Nc3 Nxc3 11. bxc3 dxe5 12. .e5 Qa5 13. Qe4 Rd8 14. Bd3 g6 15. Bh6 ‹c3 16. Rfd1 Nd4 17. Bf1 Nxf3+ 18. gxf3 ‹d1 19. Rxd1 Qc6 20. Qb4 Qc7 21. Qa4 :6 22. Qb4 Qc7 23. Qa4 1/2-1/2

. Alastair Dyer – Fedja Zulfic

lastair wins a very high proportion of his ısmanian games in less than 25 moves but wouldn't have expected a gift like this ɔm an opponent of similar rating.

e4 c5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 Nc3 g6 6. Nxc6 bxc6 7. e5 Ng8 8. Bc4 g7 9. Qf3 f6 10. O-O e6 11. Ne4 Qe7 12. d6+ Kf8 13. Be3 Nh6 14. Nxc8 Rxc8 15. f6 Bxf6 16. Bxh6+ Kf7 17. Bg5 1-0

. Alex (not Axel!) Stahnke – ımes Morris

mes plays sharp stuff needing to go for a in to get back near the pointy end, but his ngside attack is just a wonderclout while ahnke's crashes through.

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 Bb4 4. a3 Bxc3+ 5. bxc3 b6 6. e3 Bb7 7. f3 d6 8. Bd3 Nbd7 9. Ne2 Qe7 10. O-O O-O-O 11. a4 a5 12. e4 e5 13. d5 Rdg8 14. Ng3 h5 15. Bg5 Qf8 16. Bxf6 Nxf6 17. f4 exf4 18. Rxf4 Nd7 19. Nxh5 g6 20. Nf6 Nxf6 (20... Qh6 21. Qg4 Qxh2+ 22. Kf2 Rd8) 21. Rxf6 Qh6 22. Qg4+ Kb8 23. Qf4 Qh5 24. Rf1 g5 25. Qg3 Bc8 26. Rxf7 g4 27. c5 bxc5 28. Rb1+ Bb7 29. Rf5 Qe8 30. Ba6 Qxe4 31. Rxb7+ Ka8 32. Bd3 Qe8 33. Rb5 Rh3 34. gxh3 gxh3 35. Rg5 Rxg5 36. Qxg5 Qe1+ 37. Bf1 Ka7 38. Rxa5+ Kb6 39. Rb5+ Ka7 40. Qg3 Alex even left a note apologizing to James for beating him in the game score! 1-0

5. Eugene Schon – Anthony Milton

23.Qxb4 was probably white's best but black seems to have more than enough for the exchange after taking on g3.

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 5. Nc3 g6 6. Be3 Bg7 7. f3 Nc6 8. Qd2 O-O 9. Bc4 Bd7 10. Bb3 Rc8 11. O-O-O Na5 12. g4 Nxb3+ 13. cxb3 b5 14. Kb1 b4 15. Nce2 Qa5 16. Ng3 Rb8 17. Rdg1 Rfc8 18. h4 Rb6 19. Nc2 Rxc2 20. Kxc2 Ra6 21. Ra1 Nxg4!! 22. fxg4 Qe5 23. Rag1 Qxb2+ 24. Kd1 Bxg4+ 25. Ne2 Qb1+ 26. Qc1 Qd3+ 0-1

6. Yilun Ding – Samuel Dalton

1. e4 e6 2. d3 d5 3. Nd2 Nf6 4. Ngf3 b6 5. e5 Nfd7 6. g3 c5 7. c3 Ba6 8. d4 Bxf1 9. Nxf1 Nc6 10. Ne3 Be7 11. O-O f6 12. exf6 Bxf6 13. Ng4 O-O 14. Bf4 Re8 15. Re1 cxd4 16. cxd4 b5 17. Be5 Bxe5 18. Nfxe5 Ncxe5 19. Nxe5 Nf6 20. Rc1 Rc8 21. Qb3 Qb6 22. Qe3 Qd6 1/2-1/2

7. Yita Choong – Anton Smirnov

White is winning, then better, then it's a draw, and then … amazing …a *Van Perlo's Endgame Tactics* finish.

1. Nf3 d5 2. g3 Nf6 3. Bg2 Bf5 4. O-O e6 5. d3 Bc5 6. b3 O-O 7. Bb2 Nbd7 8. Nbd2 c6 9. Qe1 Qc7 10. e4 dxe4 11. dxe4 Bg6 12. a3 a5 13. e5 Nd5 14. c4 Ne7 15. Ne4 Qb6 16. Nxc5 Nxc5 17. Bd4 Nf5 18. Bxc5 Qxc5 19. Qc3 Rad8 20. b4 axb4 21. axb4 Qb6 22. Rfe1 Nd4 23. c5 Nxf3+ 24. Bxf3 Qc7 25. Red1 Rxd1+ 26. Rxd1 Rd8 27. Rd6 Ra8 28. Qd4 h6 29. Rd7 Qc8 30. b5 Kh7 31. b6 Ra4 32. Qxa4 Qxd7 33. Qd1 Qxd1+ 34. Bxd1 Bd3 35. Ba4 Ba6 36. f4 Kg8 37. Kf2 Kf8 38. Ke3 Ke7 39. Bd1 Bc4 40. Bf3 Bb5 41. h4 g6 42. h5 gxh5 43. Bxh5 Kf8 44. Bf3 Kg7 45. Be4 Ba6 46. Kf3 Bb5 47. Kg4 Be2+ 48. Kh4 Bb5 49. Kh5 Be2+ 50. g4 Bb5 51. Bf3 Ba6 52. f5 exf5 53. g5 hxg5 5 Kxg5 f4 55. Kf5 Bb5 {=} 56. e6 fxe6+ 57. Kxe6 Kg6 58. Kd6 Kg5 59. Kc7 Ba6 60. Kb8 Kf5 61. Ka7 Ke6 62. Bxc6 bxc6 63. Kxa6 f3 64. b7 f2 65. b8=Q f1=Q+ 66. Ka Qa1+ 67. Kb7 Qb1+ 68. Kc7 (68. Kxc6 Qxb8 {"Yita missed a beautiful draw"}) 68... Qxb8+ 0-1

8. Nicholas Deen-Cowell – Jona Muller

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf 5. Nc3 e5 6. Ndb5 d6 7. Bg5 a6 8. Na3 b5 Nd5 Be7 10. Bxf6 Bxf6 11. c4 b4 12. Nc2 a5 13. Be2 O-O 14. O-O Bg5 15. Qd3 Be6 16. Rad1 Ra7 17. b3 Rd7 18. Ra1 Ne7 19. a3 Bxd5 20. cxd5 Qb6 21. axb4 axb4 22. Ra4 Qc5 23. Rxb4 Ra7 24. Rc4 Qb6 25. B Rfa8 26. Rb1 Ra2 27. Qc3 g6 28. g3 1/2-1/

9. Sam Grigg – Kevin Tan

1. d4 g6 2. e4 d6 3. c4 Nf6 4. Nc3 Bg7 5. Nf3 O-O 6. Be2 e5 7. O-O Nc6 8. d5 Ne7 9 b4 Nh5 10. c5 f5 11. Ng5 Nf6 12. Bf3 fxe4 13. cxd6 exf3 14. dxe7 Qxe7 15. Qb3 Kh8 16. Nxf3 Bg4 17. Ng5 h6 18. Nge4 Nxe4 19. Nxe4 Qh4 20. Ng3 Rf4 21. Bb2 Raf8 22. Rae1 Bd7 23. Qd3 a6 24. Qxg6 Rg4 25 Qh5 Qe7 26. Bxe5 Kh7 27. Bxg7 Qxg7 28 Qe5 Bb5 29. Qxg7+ Rxg7 30. Ne2 Bc4 31. f3 Bxa2 32. Nc3 Bb3 33. f4 b6 34. g3 a5 3 bxa5 bxa5 36. Ra1 a4 37. Nxa4 Bxd5 38. Nc5 Re7 39. Rfe1 Rfe8 40. Rxe7+ Rxe7 41 Kf2 Kg6 42. Nd3 Kf5 43. Ra5 Ke4 44. Ne c6 45. Ra4+ Kf5 46. g4+ Kf6 47. Ra6 Rc7 48. Ke3 h5 49. g5+ Kf5 50. Ra8 c5 51. Rf8 Ke6 52. Rh8 c4 53. Rh6+ Ke7 54. Rh7+ Kd6 55. Rxc7 Kxc7 56. Kd4 Be6 57. Nxc4 Kd7 58. Ne3 Ke7 59. Ke5 Bg8 60. h4 Kf7 61. f5 Kg7 62. Nd5 Bf7 63. Nf4 Be8 64. Ke6 Kh7 65. Ke7 1-0

10. Joshua Bishop – Pengyu Chen

Joshua is playing way above his rating so far.

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4. c4 Nf6 5. Nc3 e6 6. Nf3 Bb4 7. cxd5 Nxd5 8. Qc2 O O 9. Be2 Nc6 10. O-O Be7 11. Nxd5 Qxd5 12. Be3 Bf6 13. Bc4 Qh5 14. Qe4 Qg6 15. Qf4 Ne7 16. Nh4 Qh5 17. Nf3 Qf5 18. Rac Rd8 19. Qg3 b5 20. Bb3 Bb7 21. Ne5 Bxe 22. dxe5 Ng6 23. f4 a6 24. Bc2 Be4 25. Bxe4 Qxe4 26. Qf3 Qxf3 27. Rxf3 Rac8 28

f1 Ne7 29. Rxc8 Rxc8 30. Rc1 Rxc1+ 31. c1 Nd5 32. Kf2 Kf8 33. Be3 Ke8 34. g3 f7 35. Bc5 Kc6 36. Bf8 g6 37. Kf3 h5 38. e4 Nb6 39. b3 Nd5 40. Kd4 h4 41. a3 a5 . b4 axb4 43. Bxb4 hxg3 44. hxg3 Nb6 . g4 Nd5 1/2-1/2

1. Benjamin Encel – Sebastian ıle

e4 d5 2. exd5 Qxd5 3. Nc3 Qd6 4. d4 Nf6 Nf3 c6 6. g3 Bg4 7. Bg2 e6 8. h3 Bh5 9. 4 Qb4 10. Qd2 Bxf3 11. Bxf3 Bd6 12. d6 Qxd6 13. O-O O-O 14. Ne4 Nxe4 15. e4 Rd8 16. Rad1 Nd7 17. c3 Nf6 18. Bc2 c8 19. Qe2 Qd5 20. Bb3 Qf5 21. Kg2 g6 . Qf3 Qxf3+ 23. Kxf3 Nd7 24. Rfe1 c5 . dxc5 Nxc5 26. Rxd8+ Rxd8 27. Rd1 3+ 28. Ke2 Rxd1 29. Bxd1 e5 30. Ke3 f5 . Bc2 Kf7 32. b4 Nd7 33. a4 b6 34. g4 e6 35. g5 e4 36. Kf4 Ne5 37. Bb3+ Kd6 . Bg8 Nd3+ 39. Ke3 Ke5 40. Bxh7 f4+ . Ke2 f3+ 42. Kf1 Kf4 43. h4 Ne5 44. h5 xg5 45. Bxg6 Kf4 46. Be8 Ng4 47. Bd7 f6 48. h6 Kg5 49. h7 Nxh7 50. Ke1 Nf6 . Bc6 Kf4 52. c4 e3 53. fxe3+ Kxe3 54. f2+ 55. Kf1 bxc5 56. bxc5 Ng4 57. Bb5 f4 58. Be2 Nf6 59. c6 Nd5 60. Kxf2 Ke5 . Bf3 Ne7 62. Ke3 1/2-1/2

2. Jamie Briant – Michael Chan

e4 c6 2. Nf3 d5 3. exd5 cxd5 4. d4 Nf6 5. 4 Qb6 6. Qc1 Bg4 7. Nbd2 Nc6 8. c3 Nh5 Be3 Nf6 10. Bd3 e6 11. h3 Bh5 12. Ne5 c7 13. Bf4 Bd6 14. Bb5 Nd7 15. Nxd7 xf4 16. Nc5 O-O 17. Nd3 Bd6 18. Nf1 xd4 19. Qg5 Bg6 20. cxd4 Qa5+ 21. Qd2 xb5 22. Rd1 Rac8 23. h4 Bxd3 24. Qxd3 xb2 25. h5 Rc3 26. Qb1 Bb4 27. Nd2 Rc2 . Qxb2 Rxb2 29. Rh3 Rc8 30. Rb3 Rxb3 . axb3 Rc2 32. Ke2 Rxd2+ 33. Rxd2 xd2 34. Kxd2 Kf8 35. Ke3 Ke7 36. g4 f6 . f4 Kd6 38. f5 exf5 39. gxf5 a5 40. Kd3 c6 41. Kc3 Kb5 42. Kb2 Kb4 43. Kc2 Ka3 . Kc3 b5 45. Kc2 b4 0-1

3. Gene Lai – Allen Setiabudi

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d4 Nf6 2. c4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4. e4 d6 5. e2 O-O 6. Bg5 h6 7. Be3 e5 8. d5 a5 9. d2 Kh7 10. h4 Na6 11. O-O-O Ne8 12. h5 13. g4 Nf6 14. f3 Nd7 15. Bd3 Ndc5 16. e2 Bd7 17. Nge2 Qe7 18. Ng3 Rfb8 19. f5 Qd8 20. a4 f6 21. b3 Bf8 22. Kb2 Be7 . Rb1 Bf8 24. Kc1 b6 25. Kd1 Nb4 26. e2 Be8 27. Kf2 Nca6 28. Rhd1 Bd7 29. g3 Qe8 30. Nf5 Rd8 31. Bd3 Rac8 32. e2 Ra8 33. Ra1 Rdb8 34. Na2 Nxa2 35. xa2 Nb4 36. Qb2 Na6 37. Ng3 Rb7 38. g2 Kg7 39. Nh1 Kh8 40. Nf2 Kg8 41. Nd3 Kf7 42. Nc1 Rbb8 43. Na2 Rb7 44. Nc3 Rbb8 45. Rdc1 Rb7 46. Rab1 Rbb8 47. Qa3 Rb7 48. Kh2 Rbb8 1/2-1/2

14. Stephen Daenke – Alastair Cameron

1. e4 c5 2. Nc3 Nc6 3. f4 g6 4. Nf3 Bg7 5. Bb5 Nd4 6. O-O e6 7. d3 Ne7 8. Nxd4 cxd4 9. Ne2 a6 10. Ba4 O-O 11. Qe1 d5 12. e5 b5 13. Bb3 Qb6 14. Ng3 Bb7 15. Qb4 Nc6 16. Qe1 Rac8 17. Bd2 Rfe8 18. Qe2 b4 19. Ba4 Re7 20. h4 a5 21. h5 Ba6 22. hxg6 hxg6 23. Bb3 Bb5 24. a4 bxa3 25. Rxa3 a4 26. Bxa4 Bxa4 27. Rxa4 Qxb2 28. Bc1 Qb5 29. Ra3 Qc5 30. Ra2 Nb4 31. Ba3 Qc3 32. Bxb4 Qxb4 33. Rfa1 Bh6 34. Qf2 Qc3 35. Ne2 Qd2 36. Qh4 Rec7 37. Nxd4 Bxf4 38. Nb5 Bg5 39. Qg4 Rxc2 40. Rxc2 Rxc2 41. Ra8+ Kg7 42. Qf3 Rc1+ 43. Kh2 Bf4+ 44. Kh3 Rh1+ 45. Kg4 g5 46. g3 Qh2 47. Qxh1 Qxh1 48. gxf4 Qh4+ 49. Kf3 Qxf4+ 50. Kg2 Qd2+ 51. Kg1 Qc1+ 52. Kf2 Qb2+ 0-1

15. Charlie Smith – Lawrence Bretag

1. Nf3 c5 2. g3 Nc6 3. Bg2 b6 4. O-O d5 5. d3 Bb7 6. c4 e6 7. Nc3 Nf6 8. b3 Be7 9. Ne1 Qd7 10. Nc2 Rd8 11. Ba3 d4 12. Ne4 Ng8 13. Rb1 f5 14. Nd2 a5 15. f4 Bf6 16. Nf3 Nge7 17. Qd2 O-O 18. Rbd1 e5 19. fxe5 Nxe5 20. Nxe5 Bxe5 21. Bxb7 Qxb7 22. Ne1 f4 23. gxf4 Rd6 24. Nf3 Bxf4 25. Qe1 Nf5 26. Bc1 Be3+ 27. Kh1 Rh6 28. Bxe3 Nxe3 29. Qg3 Rff6 30. Qe5 Nxd1 31. Rxd1 Rxf3 32. Qe4 Qxe4 33. dxe4 Rf2 0-1

16. Simon Karumbi – Marcus Bretag

1. c4 c5 2. Nc3 Nc6 3. e4 d6 4. g3 g6 5. Bg2 Bg7 6. Nge2 Nf6 7. d3 O-O 8. O-O Bd7 9. f4 Qc8 10. Be3 e5 11. Nb5 Qb8 12. h3 a6 13. Nbc3 b5 14. Rb1 b4 15. Nd5 Nxd5 16. cxd5 Ne7 17. g4 f6 18. f5 g5 19. Ng3 a5 20. a3 Rc8 21. Qd2 h6 22. Bf3 Rc7 23. Bd1 bxa3 24. Bc2 axb2 25. Qc3 Rb7 26. Rf2 a4 27. Qa3 Ra6 28. Bd1 Rab6 29. Bd2 Rb3 30. Bxb3 Rxb3 31. Qa2 a3 32. Be1 c4 33. Nf1 c3 34. Rc2 Qb4 35. Nd2 cxd2 36. Bxd2 Qd4+ 37. Kh1 Qxd3 38. Rcxb2 Qxh3+ 0-1

17. Aston Taminsyah – Kevin Hendrey

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nf3 b6 4. Nc3 Bb7 5. Bg5 h6 6. Bh4 Be7 7. e3 O-O 8. Be2 Ne4 9. Bxe7 Qxe7 10. O-O d6 11. h3 Nd7 12. Nd2 Nxd2 13. Qxd2 Qg5 14. f3 Nf6 15. Rfd1 d5 16. Kh2 dxc4 17. Bxc4 Rfe8 18. e4 Qxd2 19. Rxd2 Rad8 20. Rad1 a6 21. b4 b5 22. Bb3 Nd7 23. d5 exd5 24. Nxd5 Kf8 25. Nxc7 Re7 26. Nd5 Bxd5 27. Rxd5 Ke8 28. Rd6 Ra8 29. Bd5 Ra7 30. Bc6 g6 31. Kg3 Rc7 32. Kf4 Kd8 33. Bxd7 Rcxd7 34. Rxd7+ Rxd7 35. Rxd7+ Kxd7 36. Ke5 Ke7 37. h4 f6+ 38. Kd5 Kd7 39. f4 f5 40. exf5 gxf5 41. Ke5 1-0

18. Owen Short – Adam Hayma

1. d4 d5 2. Bg5 Nf6 3. e3 c5 4. c3 Ne4 5. Bf4 Nc6 6. Bd3 Bf5 7. f3 Nd6 8. Bxd6 Bxd3 9. Bxc5 Bg6 10. Nd2 Qc7 11. Nh3 Bf5 12. Nf4 g6 13. Nxd5 Qd8 14. e4 e5 15 Bxf8 Kxf8 16. Qb3 Be6 17. Qxb7 Rc8 18. Nb4 Nxd4 19. cxd4 Qxd4 20. Qb5 Bc4 21. Nxc4 Rxc4 22. a3 a5 23. Nd5 Rc2 24. Rd1 Qf2# 0-1

19. Matthew Bennett – Ryan O'Rourke

1. d4 d5 2. c4 e6 3. Nf3 Nf6 4. Nc3 c6 5. Qc2 Be7 6. e3 O-O 7. b3 Nbd7 8. Bb2 Qc7 9. Bd3 e5 10. dxe5 dxc4 11. Bxc4 Nxe5 12 Nxe5 Qxe5 13. Nd5 Qd6 14. Nxe7+ Qxe7 15. Bd3 h6 16. O-O Rd8 17. Rad1 Be6 18. e4 Nd7 19. Rfe1 Bg4 20. f3 Bh5 21. Qc3 Qc5+ 22. Qxc5 Nxc5 23. Bc2 Ne6 24. Kf2 Bg6 25. g3 Rxd1 26. Rxd1 Rd8 27. Rxd8+ Nxd8 28. f4 Bh5 29. f5 f6 30. Ba3 Nf7 31. h3 Ng5 32. g4 Be8 33. h4 Nf7 34. h5 Ne5 35. Kg3 Nf7 36. Bc1 1/2-1/2

20. Vincent Horton – Mitchell Reid

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Bc5 4. c3 d6 5. d3 Bg4 6. Nbd2 Nf6 7. h3 Bh5 8. Nf1 Qe7 9. g4 Bg6 10. Be3 O-O-O 11. b4 Bxe3 12. Nxe3 Nd7 13. Nd5 Qf8 14. a4 f6 15. a5 Be 16. b5 Ncb8 17. b6 axb6 18. axb6 c6 19. Nc7 Bf7 20. Ne6 Bxe6 21. Bxe6 Qe7 22. Bxd7+ Nxd7 23. Ra8+ Nb8 24. Qa1 Kd7 25. Qa7 Rc8 26. Qxb7+ Ke6 27. Qxe7+ Kxe7 28. Ke2 c5 29. Nd2 Kd7 30. Rb1 Nc 31. Rxc8 Rxc8 32. Nf1 Na5 33. Ra1 Nb3 34. Ra3 c4 35. dxc4 Nc5 36. f3 Kc6 37. Ra Nb7 38. Ra6 g5 39. Ne3 h6 40. Nd5 Nc5 4 Ne7+ Kb7 42. Ra7+ Kb8 43. Nxc8 Kxc8 4 Rh7 Nd7 45. Rxh6 Kd8 46. b7 Ke7 47. Rh7+ Ke6 48. Rxd7 Kxd7 49. b8=Q Ke6 50. Qe8# 1-0

21. Andrew Fifield – Brett Dommersnes

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d6 3. c4 Nf6 4. Nc3 Nbd7 5. Bg5 c5 6. Nf3 Be7 7. Be2 O-O 8. O-O e5 9 d5 b6 10. h3 Ba6 11. a3 Rb8 12. b4 Qc8 13 Qb3 h6 14. Bh4 b5 15. cxb5 Bb7 16. Nd2 Qd8 17. a4 a5 18. bxa5 Qxa5 19. Nc4 Qa8 20. Rfb1 Rfc8 21. a5 Ba6 22. Bg4 Rd8 23.

a4 Bc8 24. b6 Bb7 25. a6 Bxa6 26. Qxa6 xa6 27. Rxa6 Ra8 28. Rba1 Rab8 29. Ra7 30. Bg3 Nxg4 31. hxg4 Bf8 32. b7 Nf6 . f3 Rd7 34. Rb1 Rc7 35. Rb6 Be7 36. xd6 Bxd6 37. Rxd6 Rcxb7 38. Rxb7 Rxb7 . Rxf6 Ra7 40. Rxh6 Ra1+ 41. Kh2 Rc1 . Bxe5 c4 43. Rh8# 1-0

2. Kirk Mackintosh – Nathan ibberd

e4 c5 2. Nf3 e6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Qxd4 Nc6 Qd1 d6 6. Bb5 Bd7 7. O-O Nf6 8. Bg5 a6 Bd3 Be7 10. Nc3 O-O 11. Qd2 Qc7 12. ab1 Rac8 13. Rfe1 Rfd8 14. Qf4 e5 15. e3 Be6 16. Nh4 d5 17. Rbd1 d4 18. Qg3 c3 19. Bh6 Bf8 20. Bg5 Kh8 21. Bxf6 f6 0-1

3. Max Thornley – Jack 'Shaughnassy

e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 Bf5 4. g4 Bg6 5. h4 6. h5 Bh7 7. e6 fxe6 8. Bd3 Be4 9. f3 xd3 10. Qxd3 Qd6 11. Qg6+ Kd7 12. Ne2 13. dxe5 Qxg6 14. hxg6 e6 15. Bf4 Ne7 . Nd2 Nxg6 17. a3 Kd8 18. c4 d4 19. Bg3 20. Ne4 Nc6 21. Nf4 Nxf4 22. Bxf4 Be7 . g5 h5 24. g6 Kd7 25. O-O-O Raf8 26. g5 Bxg5+ 27. Nxg5 Nxe5 28. Rhe1 Nxf3 . Nxe6 Nxe1 30. Nxf8+ Rxf8 31. Rxe1 6 32. Rg1 Ke6 33. Rh1 Rf5 34. b4 Kf6 . bxc5 Rxc5 36. Kb2 Kxg6 37. Kb3 b5 . cxb5 Rxb5+ 39. Kc4 Ra5 40. Ra1 h4 41. xd4 h3 42. Rg1+ {Scoresheets unclear t white resigned a few moves later.} 0-1

Girls Under 18

Leteisha Simmonds – Abbie anagarajah

hite plays the Milner-Barry gambit and ack handles it pretty well, at times looking e she'll keep one pawn for no real mpensation. Eventually white gets the wn back and the lead is shared.

e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Nc6 5. Nf3 6 6. Bd3 Bd7 7. O-O cxd4 8. cxd4 Nxd4 Nxd4 Qxd4 10. Nc3 Qxe5 11. Re1 Qb8 . Qf3 Bd6 13. Qxd5 Nf6 14. Qg5 O-O 15. Bc6 16. Ne4 Bxe4 17. Bxe4 Qc7 18. Qh4 xe4 19. Qxe4 Rac8 20. Bd2 Qe7 21. Bc3 e8 22. Rad1 Bc5 23. Re2 f6 24. Rde1 e5 . Kh1 Qf7 26. f4 Bd6 (26…f5!) 27. fxe5 e5 28. Qa4 b6 29. Re4 h6 1/2-1/2

Megan Setiabudi – Jenny Yum

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 a6 4. Ba4 Nf6 5. d3 d6 6. O-O b5 7. Bb3 Be7 8. h3 O-O 9. Nc3 h6 10. Nd5 Na5 11. c3 Nxd5 12. Bxd5 c6 13. Bb3 Nxb3 14. Qxb3 Be6 15. Qd1 c5 16. d4 cxd4 17. cxd4 f5 18. exf5 Bd5 19. dxe5 Bxf3 20. Qxf3 dxe5 21. Qe4 Qc7 22. b3 Qc3 23. Rb1 Bd6 24. Qd5+ Kh7 25. Qxd6 Rxf5 26. Qd2 Qc5 27. Qd3 Raf8 28. g4 g6 29. gxf5 gxf5 30. Qd7+ Kh8 31. Qe6 Rg8+ 32. Kh2 Rg7 33. Bxh6 Re7 34. Qf6+ Kh7 35. Bf8 Qc7 36. Qh6+ Kg8 37. Rg1+ Kf7 38. Rg7+ Ke8 39. Rxe7+ Qxe7 40. Bxe7 Kxe7 41. Rg1 Ke8 42. Rg7 Kd8 43. Qh8# 1-0

3. Joanne Mason – Jana Pretorius

1. e4 c5 2. Nc3 Nc6 3. g3 g6 4. Bg2 Bg7 5. f4 e6 6. Nf3 Nge7 7. O-O O-O 8. d3 b6 9. g4 f5 10. h3 Bb7 11. Qe2 Nd4 12. Nxd4 Bxd4+ 13. Be3 Bg7 14. Rab1 Rb8 15. Nb5 a6 16. Nd6 Bc6 17. e5 Nc8 18. Nxc8 Rxc8 19. Bxc6 Rxc6 20. c3 d6 21. d4 cxd4 22. cxd4 Qh4 23. Qg2 Rfc8 24. Rbc1 Rxc1 25. Rxc1 Rxc1+ 26. Bxc1 fxg4 27. hxg4 Qe1+ 28. Qf1 Qe4 29. Qc4 dxe5 30. Qxe6+ Kh8 31. Qe8+ 1-0

4. Winnie Yum – Natasha Bortsova

1. d4 Nf6 2. Nf3 e6 3. Bg5 Be7 4. e3 b6 5. Bd3 Bb7 6. O-O O-O 7. Nbd2 h6 8. Bf4 d6 9. h3 Nbd7 10. Bh2 c5 11. c3 d5 12. Ne5 Nxe5 13. Bxe5 Nd7 14. Bh2 Bf6 15. f4 Rc8 16. Nf3 a6 17. Ne5 Nxe5 18. fxe5 Be7 19. Qe2 b5 20. a3 c4 21. Bc2 a5 22. Bf4 Bg5 23. h4 Bxf4 24. Rxf4 Qe7 25. Raf1 Rc6 26. Qh5 Rcc8 27. Rg4 Kh8 28. Rf3 f6 29. Qg6 f5 30. Rfg3 Rc7 31. Rg5 Qf7 32. Qxf7 Rfxf7 33. Rg6 Rce7 34. Kf2 Kh7 35. Ke1 Bc6 36. h5 Be8 37. Rh3 Rf8 38. Rgg3 Rb7 39. Rf3 b4 40. axb4 axb4 41. g4 Kg8 42. gxf5 bxc3 43. bxc3 Rbf7 44. Kd2 exf5 45. e6 Rf6 46. e7 R8f7 47. Rh1 Rxe7 48. Bxf5 Ref7 49. Rhf1 Bd7 50. Bxd7 Rxf3 51. Rxf3 Rxf3 52. Be6+ Kf8 53. Bxd5 Rh3 54. Bxc4 Rxh5 55. Be2 Rf5 56. Kd3 g5 57. Bh5 Ra5 58. Ke4 Ke7 59. c4 1/2-1/2

5. Penelope Drastik – Caroline Shan

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 e6 3. Nc3 Bb4 4. Qc2 O-O 5. Nf3 d5 6. a3 Bxc3+ 7. Qxc3 Ne4 8. Qc2 Nd7 9. e3 b6 10. Bd3 Ndf6 11. O-O Bb7 12. Bd2 Rc8 13. Rfd1 Qd6 14. cxd5 Bxd5 15. Bc4 Nxd2 16. Bxd5 Qxd5 17. Qxd2 Rfd8 18. Rac1 Qb5 19. Qc2 h6 20. b4 a5 21. Qc4 Qxc4 22. Rxc4 axb4 23. axb4 c5 24. bxc5 bxc5 25. Rdc1 Ne4 26. g3 Rd5 27. Ne5 f6 28. Nd3 Rcd8 29. Nxc5 Nxc5 30. Rxc5 Rxc5 31. Rxc5 Kf7 32. Kg2 Kg6 33. f4 Rd5 34. Rxd5 exd5 35. Kf3 f5 36. g4 fxg4+ 37. Kxg4 Kf6 38. f5 h5+ 39. Kf4 g5+ 40. fxg6 Kxg6 41. e4 dxe4 42. Kxe4 Kg5 43. d5 Kg 44. d6 Kh3 45. d7 Kxh2 46. d8=Q Kg3 47. Qg5+ 1-0

6. Ruihong Lu – Janaki Narenthran

The longest game of the day in time terms (about five hours).

1. d4 d5 2. Nf3 Nf6 3. e3 e6 4. Bd3 c5 5. b Nbd7 6. Nbd2 Bd6 7. Bb2 O-O 8. Ne5 cxd 9. exd4 b6 10. O-O Qc7 11. f4 Bb7 12. Rf Ne4 13. Rh3 f6 14. Rxh7 Kxh7 15. Qh5+ Kg8 16. Ndf3 Nxe5 17. fxe5 Qf7 18. Qh3 fxe5 19. Rf1 Qe7 20. Nd2 Rxf1+ 21. Nxf1 Qf7 22. Qh4 exd4 23. Bc1 Be7 24. Qe1 Bh 25. g3 Qf2+ 26. Qxf2 Nxf2 27. Kxf2 Bf6 28. Ba3 Re8 29. Bg6 Rc8 30. Nd2 e5 31. Nf3 e4 32. Ne1 e3+ 33. Kf3 Rc6 34. Bf5 Bc8 35. Bd3 a5 36. Bb5 Re6 37. Ng2 Be7 38. Bb2 Rf6+ 39. Nf4 g5 40. Bxd4 Rf8 41. Bxb6 gxf4 42. gxf4 Bg5 43. Kxe3 Rxf4 44 Kd3 Bf5+ 45. Kc3 Bf6+ 46. Kd2 Rh4 47. Bc7 Rd4+ 48. Kc1 Rg4 49. Bc6 Bc3 50. Bg3 Rg7 51. Bf2 d4 52. Kb1 d3 53. cxd3 Bxd3+ 54. Kc1 Rc7 55. Bd5+ Kh7 56. Kd1 Rd7 57. Bc6 Rd6 58. Bf3 Be4+ 59. Ke2 Bxf3+ 60. Kxf3 Rd2 61. a4 Rb2 62. h4 Rxb3 63. Ke2 Ra3 64. Be3 Rxa4 65. Kd3 Bf6 66. h5 Rg4 67. Bd2 Bd8 0-1

7. Charlotte Dilnutt – Carla Johansen

There is an old chess saying that the winne is the player whose opponent makes the las mistake.

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Nf6 4. d3 Bc5 5 c3 d6 6. a3 a6 7. Nbd2 b5 8. Bb3 a5 9. Bc2 b4 10. cxb4 Bxb4 11. O-O d5 12. Ba4 Bd7 13. Bxc6 Bxc6 14. Nxe5 Bb5 15. exd5 Qxd5 16. Re1 O-O 17. Re3 Bd6 18. Ndf3 Rfe8 19. d4 Nd7 20. Nxd7 Bxd7 21. Qb3 Qh5 22. Rxe8+ Rxe8 23. Bd2 Qg6 24. Nh4 Qe4 25. g3 Qxd4 26. Nf3 Qf6 27. h4 Bg4 28. Nh2 Qf5 29. Nxg4 Qxg4 30. Bxa5 Qf5 31. Qc3 Bc5 32. Qd2 h6 33. Bxc7 Re4 34. a4 Qg6 35. Qd8+ Kh7 36. a5 Rxh4 37. Qxh4 Qf5 38. Qf4 Qc2 39. Rc1 Bxf2+ 40. Qxf2 Much better to defer taking the bisho since the black queen is still under attack but the white queen needs to defend c1. 40…Qxc1+ 41. Kg2 Qxc7 42. a6 Qc6+ 43. Kh3 Qxa6 44. Qxf7 Qd3 45. b4 Qb1 46. Qb7 Qf5+ 47. Kh2 Qf2+ 48. Kh3 Qf5+ 49. Kh2 Qf2+ 50. Kh3 Qf1+ 51. Kh2 h5 52. b5 Kh6 53. b6 g6 54. Qc7 Qe2+ 55. Kh3 g5 5 Qd6+ Kg7 57. Qd4+ Kg6 58. Qd6+ Kh7 5 Qd7+ Kg6 60. Qd6+ Kf7 61. b7 Qg4+ 62.

n2 Qe2+ 63. Kh3 Qf1+ 64. Kh2 Qf2+ 65. n3 Qf3! Was this a deliberate sneaky trap?). b8=Q Qh1# 0-1

Jnder 12

Stuart Mason – Andrew Pan

e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. Nc3 dxe4 4. Nxe4 Bf5 5. g3 Bg6 6. h4 h6 7. h5 Bh7 8. f4 e6 9. Nf3 f6 10. Bd3 Qc7 11. Bxh7 Nxh7 12. Bd2 d7 13. Qe2 Be7 14. O-O-O c5 15. Be3 5.d5!) O-O 16. d5 exd5 17. Rxd5 Nb6 18. d2Rfd8 19. Nf5 Bf6 20. Rhd1 Rxd2 21. xd2 Nf8 22. Nd6 Na4 23. c3 a6 24. Ne4 4.Ne5!) Qe7 25. Nxf6+ Qxf6 26. Ne5 b5 '. Qf3 Re8 28. Re2 (28.b3!) Qe6! And ddenly, black was free. 29. Kb1 Nd7 30. xd7 Qxd7 31. Kc1 Qd3 32. Re1 Qc4 33. c6 Rf8 34. Kb1 Rd8 35. Qxa6 Qd3+ 36. c1 Nxc3 37. Bd4 Qb1+ 38. Kd2 Rxd4+). Ke3 Qxe1+ 40. Kf3 Qe2+ 41. Kg3 Ne4+). Kh4 Qf2+ 43. Kh3 Qg3# 0-1

Matthew Pyper – Joshua ehar

d4 d5 2. Nf3 c6 3. g3 Bf5 4. Bg2 e6 5. b3 d6 6. Bb2 Nd7 7. O-O Ngf6 8. Nbd2 O-O c4 Re8 10. Ng5 h6 11. e4 hxg5 12. exf5 f5 13. cxd5 cxd5 14. Qc2 g6 15. Rfe1 c7 16. Qxc7 Bxc7 17. Nf3 g4 18. Ng5 Ne4). Nxe4 fxe4 20. h3 gxh3 21. Bxh3 Nb6). Ba3 f5 23. Rac1 Rac8 24. g4 Bb8 25. f5 gxf5 26. Bxf5 Rcd8 27. Bg6 Re6 28. 5 Rh6 29. Be7 Re8 30. Bg5 Rh5 31. f4 g7 32. Bg4 Rhh8 33. f5 Reg8 34. Kf2 Kf7). Rh1 Rxh1 36. Rxh1 Rxg5 37. Rh7+ Rg7). Bh5+ Kf6 39. Bg6 Rxh7 40. Bxh7 Bf4 . a4 Bd2 42. Ke2 Bc3 43. Ke3 Kg5 44. g6 Nd7 45. Bf7 Nf6 46. Be6 b6 47. Bc8 g4+ 48. Ke2 Bxd4 49. Bd7 Ne3 50. Be6 51. Kd2 Bc5 52. Ke2 d4 53. Bd7 Nxf5 -. Bc6 Nd6 55. Kd2 Kf4 56. Ke2 Nf5 57. 5 Ng3+ 58. Kd1 d3 59. Bc4 Bb4 60. Bb5 61. Bd3 Nf5 62. Bc2 e3 63. Bxf5 Kxf5 -. Ke2 Kf4 65. Kd1 Kf3 66. Kc2 e2 67. d3 d1=Q+ 68. Kc4 Qc2+ 69. Kb5 e1=Q). Ka6 Qee2+ 71. Kb7 Qce4+ 72. Kxb6 2e3+ 73. Kb5 Qd5+ 74. Ka6 Qc6# 0-1

Ari Dale – Lachlan Cameron

e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Nc6 5. Nf3 6 6. Bd3 Bd7 7. dxc5 Bxc5 8. O-O a5 9. 4 Qxb2 10. Nbd2 Qb6 11. Rb1 Qa7 12. Nge7 13. a4 Nb4 14. Nb3 Bxa4 15. Ra1 b3 16. Qxb3 a4 17. Qd1 Nxd3 18. Qxd3 g6 19. Bg3 Qa6 20. Rfc1 O-O 21. Nd4 c4 22. Rxc4 Rfd8 23. Qc3 Bxd4 24. Rxd4 d4 25. Qxd4 b5 26. h4 Ne7 27. Rd1 h6). Qd6 Nf5 29. Qa3 Nxg3 30. fxg3 Qb6+ 31. Kh2 b4 32. Qa2 b3 33. Qa3 Qb5 34. Re1 Rb8 0-1

4. David Cannon – Martin Jack

The new longest game of the tournament!

1. e4 c5 2. Nc3 d6 3. f4 Nf6 4. Nf3 a6 5. Be2 e6 6. d3 Nbd7 7. O-O Be7 8. Qe1 O-O 9. Qg3 Re8 10. e5 dxe5 11. fxe5 Nd5 12. Ne4 f5 13. Neg5 Nf8 14. Nh3 Ng6 15. Bg5 Bxg5 16. Nhxg5 b6 17. Rf2 Ne3 18. Ne1 f4 19. Rxf4 Nxf4 20. Qxf4 Nf5 21. g4 Nh6 22. Qe4 Bb7 23. Qxb7 Qxg5 24. Nf3 Qe3+ 25. Kf1 Nxg4 26. Ke1 Nxe5 27. Nxe5 Qxe5 28. Qxb6 Rab8 29. Qxa6 Qxb2 30. Rd1 Qc3+ 31. Rd2 Ra8 32. Qc6 Qa3 33. c4 Rac8 34. Qd6 Qc3 35. Bg4 Qf6 36. Rf2 Qe7 37. Qe5 Rc6 38. Bd1 Qd6 39. Qg5 Rf8 40. Rg2 g6 41. Bc2 Rf5 42. Qg4 Qf4 43. Qxf4 Rxf4 44. Bd1 Rd6 45. Rd2 Rfd4 46. Be2 e5 47. Bf3 Kg7 48. Bd5 Rf4 49. a4 Ra6 50. Ra2 Rff6 51. Ke2 Ra5 52. Bb7 Rb6 53. Bc8 Rd6 54. Ke3 Ra8 55. Bb7 Ra7 56. Bc8 Rd8 57. Bg4 Rda8 58. Bd1 Ra5 59. Ke4 Rd8 60. Bc2 Kf6 61. Rb2 Rd4+ 62. Ke3 Rd7 63. Rb5 Rxb5 64. cxb5 Rd4 65. b6 Rb4 66. a5 Ke7 67. d4 exd4+ 68. Ke4 Kd6 69. Bd3 c4 70. Kxd4 cxd3+ 71. Kxd3 Kc6 72. Kc3 Ra4 73. Kd3 Rxa5 74. Ke4 Kxb6 75. Kf4 Kc6 76. Kg4 Kd6 77. Kh4 h5 78. Kg3 g5 79. h3 Ra4 80. Kh2 Ra3 81. h4 g4 82. Kg2 Ke5 83. Kh2 Kf4 84. Kg2 Ra2+ 85. Kf1 g3 86. Kg1 Kf3 87. Kh1 Ra1# 0-1

5. Michael Kethro – Ethan Derwent

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4. e4 d6 5. f4 O-O 6. Nf3 c5 7. d5 e6 8. Be2 exd5 9. cxd5 Bg4 10. O-O Nbd7 11. Nd2 Bxe2 12. Qxe2 Re8 13. Nc4 Nb6 14. Nxb6 Qxb6 15. Re1 Nd7 16. Qf2 a6 17. Qc2 Qc7 18. a4 Rab8 19. a5 b5 20. axb6 Qxb6 21. Qa4 Bd4+ 22. Kh1 Qc7 23. Be3 Bxe3 24. Rxe3 Rxb2 25. Qxa6 Reb8 26. Ree1 c4 27. h3 Qc5 28. Na4 Qf2 29. Nxb2 Rxb2 30. Qc8+ Kg7 31. Rg1 Nc5 32. Qg4 Nxe4 33. Ra7 Qxa7 0-1

6. Punala Kiripitige – Callum Gray

1. d4 Nf6 2. c4 g6 3. Nc3 Bg7 4. e4 d6 5. f3 O-O 6. Be3 Nbd7 7. Nge2 c5 8. Qd2 a6 9. Nc1 Rb8 10. Bd3 Ne8 11. d5 Ne5 12. N1e2 b5 13. cxb5 c4 14. Bc2 axb5 15. Nd4 Bd7 16. O-O Qc8 17. a3 Nc7 18. h3 f6 19. f4 Nf7 20. f5 g5 21. Ne6 Bxe6 22. dxe6 Ne5 23. Nd5 Nxd5 24. exd5 g4 25. Bd4 gxh3 26. gxh3 Kh8 27. Kh1 Rg8 28. Bxe5 fxe5 29. Be4 Bf6 30. Rg1 Qc5 31. Rg4 Rg7 32. Rag1 Rbg8 33. Qe2 Qb6 34. Rxg7 Rxg7 35. Rxg7 Bxg7 (…Kxg7 with a very likely draw) 36. f6! with forced mate Qd8 37. Qh5 Qg8 38. f7 h6 39. fxg8=Q+ Kxg8 40. Qe8+ Bf8 41. Qf7+ Kh8 42. Qh7# 1-0 Well spotted Punala!

7. Ethan Lim – Joshua Devarajh

1. d4 d5 2. Nc3 Nf6 3. Nf3 Bf5 4. Bf4 e6 5 e3 Bd6 6. Bd3 Bxf4 7. exf4 Bg6 8. Bxg6 hxg6 9. O-O Nc6 10. Ne5 Nd7 11. Nxc6 bxc6 12. Qg4 Rb8 13. b3 c5 14. dxc5 Nxc5 15. Rfe1 Qf6 16. Nxd5 Qd8 17. Ne3 Kf8 1 Rad1 Qf6 19. Qf3 Nb7 20. g3 g5 21. Qc6 gxf4 22. Qxc7 Re8 23. Ng4 Qf5 24. Ne5 fxg3 25. fxg3 Qh5 26. Re2 Re7 27. Qc8+ Re8 28. Qxb7 f5 29. Rd7 Rh7 30. Rd4 g5 31. Nd7+ Kg7 32. Nc5+ Kg8 33. Qg2 Rc7 34. Nd7 {scoresheet errors from this point which we can't interpret.} 1-0

8. Jamie-Lee Guo – Peter Wallmueller

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Qb6 5. Nf3 Bd7 6. Bd3 cxd4 7. cxd4 Bb5 8. O-O Bxd3 9. Qxd3 Ne7 10. Nc3 Nf5 11. Bd2 Nc6 12. Na4 Qc7 13. Qb5 Be7 14. Nc5 Rb8 15. Rac1 Bxc5 16. Rxc5 O-O 17. Bb4 Nfxd4 18. Nxd4 Nxd4 19. Rxc7 Nxb5 20. Bxf8 Nxc7 21. Bd6 Na6 22. Bxb8 Nxb8 23. Rc1 Nc6 24. f4 Kf8 25. a3 Ke7 26. b4 Kd7 27. Rd1 Ne7 28. g4 g6 29. Kf2 h6 30. b5 b6 31 Ke3 Kd8 32. Rh1 Kd7 33. h4 Ke8 34. h5 gxh5 35. Rxh5 Ng8 36. g5 hxg5 37. Rh8 Kf8 38. fxg5 Kg7 39. Rh4 Kg6 40. Ra4 Kxg5 41. Rxa7 Nh6 42. Rb7 Kf5 43. Kd4 0

9. Mason Carter – Varun Mukhedkar

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. Nc3 dxe4 4. Nxe4 Bf5 Ng3 Bg6 6. Nf3 Nd7 7. Bc4 e6 8. O-O Ngf 9. Bf4 Nb6 10. Bd3 Bxd3 11. Qxd3 Bd6 12 Bxd6 Qxd6 13. Rad1 O-O 14. c4 Qb4 15. b3 Rad8 16. Ne4 Nxe4 17. Qxe4 h6 18. Rfe1 c5 19. dxc5 Rxd1 20. Rxd1 Qxc5 21. Qxb7 Qa3 22. h3 Qxa2 23. Rd2 Qxb3 24. Rc8 25. cxb6 Rc1+ 26. Kh2 Qxb6 27. Qxb axb6 28. Rb2 Rc6 29. Ne5 Rd6 30. Nc4 Rc 31. Rxb6 g5 32. Rb7 Kg7 33. Ne5 Rf8 34. Kg3 Kf6 35. Nd7+ 1-0

10. Stuart Nicholls – Oscar Brown

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 d6 4. d4 Bg4 5. d5 a6 6. dxc6 axb5 7. cxb7 Rb8 8. Qd5 Qd 9. a4 bxa4 10. Qa5 Rxb7 11. Rxa4 Qb5 12. Qxb5+ Rxb5 13. Ra8+ Ke7 14. Nc3 Rc5 1 Nd5+ Kd7 16. Rxf8 Rxc2 17. O-O Bxf3 18 gxf3 c6 19. Nc3 Ke7 20. Rb8 h5 21. Be3 f6 22. Kh1 Kf7 23. Rc1 Rxc1+ 24. Bxc1 g5 2

:8 c5 26. Nd5 Rh6 27. Rd8 Rg6 28. Rxd6
· 29. f4 exf4 30. Nxf4 Rg5 31. Nd3 Ke7
:. Rc6 Kd7 33. Rxc5 Rxc5 34. Nxc5+ Kd6
:. Nd3 Ne7 36. Kg2 f5 37. exf5 Nxf5 38.
· h4 39. Bg5 h3+ 40. Kf1 Nd4 41. Bf4+
d5 42. Ne5 Ke4 43. Be3 Kxe5 44. Bxd4+
xd4 45. Ke2 Kc4 46. b5 Kxb5 47. Ke3
:5 48. Kf4 Kd4 49. Kxg4 Ke4 50. Kxh3
f3 51. Kh4 Kxf2 52. Kg5 Kf3 53. h4 Ke4
·. h5 Ke5 55. Kg6 Ke6 56. h6 Ke7 57.
g7 Ke6 58. h7 Ke5 59. h8=Q Kd4 60. Qe8
d5 61. Qe7 Kc6 62. Qe5 Kd7 63. Qf6 Kc7
·. Qe6 Kb7 65. Qd6 Ka8 66. Qe7 Kb8 67.
f6 Ka8 68. Ke6 Kb8 69. Kd6 Ka8 70. Kc6
b8 71. Qb7# 1-0

1. William Gong – Harry ughes

d4 d5 2. c4 c6 3. cxd5 cxd5 4. Nc3 Bf5 5.
f3 Nc6 6. Bf4 e6 7. e3 Bb4 8. a3 Ba5 9. b4
:7 (9... Nxb4 10. axb4 Bxb4 11. Qa4+) 10.
xc7 Qxc7 11. Rc1 Qd7 12. Bd3 Bg6 13.
xg6 hxg6 14. Na4 b6 15. Qd3 Nxb4 16.
b3 Nc6 17. Qb5 Nge7 18. Ne5 Nxe5 19.
xd7+ Nxd7 20. Rc3 Rc8 21. Rxc8+ Nxc8
:. h3 Nd6 23. Kd2 Nc4+ 24. Ke2 Nxa3 25.
:1 Nc4 26. Nb2 b5 27. Nd3 Ke7 28. Ra1
29. Rb1 b4 30. Ra1 Rb8 31. Rb1 b3 32.
· a4 33. f3 b2 34. h4 a3 35. g4 a2 36. Rxb2
xb2+ 37. Kd1 a1=Q+ 38. Nc1 Nxe3+ 39.
e1 Qxc1# 0-1

2. Cameron Yung – Jack uccini

pawn up, white needs something like
:.Kg2 or Rf2 if he wants to stop the knight
c for perpetual.

e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. Bb5 d6 5.
· exd4 6. Nxd4 Bd7 7. Nxc6 Bxc6 8.
xc6+ bxc6 9. O-O Be7 10. Be3 Qd7 11.
e2 O-O 12. Rfd1 Qe6 13. Bf4 Rfe8 14.
e1 Rad8 15. Qa6 Nh5 16. Bd2 Bh4 17.
xa7 Qf6 18. Rf1 Rc8 19. a4 Bg5 20. f4
h6 21. g3 Qg6 22. Qb7 Nxg3! 23. hxg3
xg3+ 24. Kh1 Qh3+ 25. Kg1 Qg3+ 26.
h1 Qh3+ 27. Kg1 Qg3+ 1/2-1/2

3. Josh Walker – Finley Dale

e4 c6 2. d4 e5 3. dxe5 Qa5+ 4. Nc3 Qxe5
Nf3 Qc7 6. Bd3 Bb4 7. Bd2 Nf6 8. a3
xc3 9. Bxc3 O-O 10. O-O d6 11. Qd2 Bg4
:. Bxf6 gxf6 13. Qh6 Qc8 14. Qxf6 Nd7
:. Qg5+ Kh8 16. Qxg4 Rg8 17. Qf4 Rg7
:. Rfe1 Nc5 19. Qe3 Qh3 20. g3 Rag8 21.
f4 Ne6 22. Qh4 Qxh4 23. Nxh4 Ng5 24.
g2 1-0

14. Harry Briant – Alex MacAdam

1. e4 e5 2. Nc3 Nf6 3. f4 d6 4. Nf3 Nc6 5. Bc4 Be7 6. d4 exd4 7. Nxd4 Nxe4 8. Nxe4 d5 9. Bb5 dxe4 10. Nxc6 bxc6 11. Bxc6+ Bd7 12. Bxa8 Qxa8 13. Be3 f5 14. Qd4 Bf6 15. Qxa7 Qxa7 16. Bxa7 Bxb2 17. Rb1 Bc3+ 18. Kf2 O-O 19. Rb7 Ba5 20. Be3 Bc6 21. Ra7 Ra8 22. Rxa8+ Bxa8 23. Rd1 c6 24. Rd7 c5 25. Ra7 Bd5 26. Rxa5 Kf7 27. a4 Ke6 28. Rxc5 h6 29. a5 Bb7 30. Rb5 Bc6 31. Rb6 Kd7 32. Rxc6 Kxc6 33. a6 Kc7 34. a7 Kb7 35. h3 1-0

15. Sebastian Krasnicki – Noah Gong

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Bc5 4. c3 Nf6 5. d4 exd4 6. cxd4 Bb4+ 7. Nc3 Nxe4 8. O-O Bxc3 9. bxc3 d5 10. Bb5 O-O 11. Ne5 Nxe5 12. dxe5 Nxc3 13. Qf3 Nxb5 14. Qg3 f6 15. Bh6 Qe7 16. exf6 Qxf6 17. Rab1 c6 18. Qxg7+ Qxg7 19. Bxg7 Kxg7 20. a4 Nc3 0-1

16. Nicolaas Schroder – Sasha Parsons

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 d6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nf6 5. c3 a6 6. Bc4 e6 7. Be3 Nbd7 8. Bb3 Nc5 9. f3 Be7 10. a3 Qc7 11. Ba4+ Nxa4 12. Nxa4 Nd7 13. Nb3 b5 14. Nc3 Nb6 15. Nd2 Bf6 16. Qe2 Bxc3 17. bxc3 Na4 18. c4 O-O 19. Rc1 Bd7 20. O-O Rac8 21. cxb5 Bxb5 22. c4 Bd7 23. Rc2 Nc5 24. Rfc1 Qa5 25. Ra1 Rb8 26. Bd4 Nb3 27. Bc3 Qb6+ 28. Qf2 Qxf2+ 29. Kxf2 Nxa1 30. Bxa1 Rfc8 31. Rc3 d5 32. exd5 exd5 33. cxd5 Rxc3 34. Bxc3 Rb5 35. d6 Rd5 36. Ne4 f5 37. Ng3 Rxd6 38. Nh5 Rd3 39. Bxg7 Rxa3 40. Be5 Bb5 41. Ng3 Bd7 42. Nh5 Bc8 43. Nf6+ Kg7 44. Kg3 Ra2 45. Kh3 Kg6 46. g3 a5 47. g4 a4 48. Kg3 Rc2 49. h4 fxg4 50. fxg4 h6 51. h5+ Kf7 52. Kf4 Rf2+ 53. Ke3 Rxf6 54. Bxf6 Kxf6 55. Kd3 Kg5 56. Kc4 Kxg4 57. Kb4 Bd7 0-1

17. Rowan Willathgamuwa – Robert Jiang

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 exd4 4. Nxd4 Bc5 5. Be3 Qf6 6. Nxc6 Qxb2 7. Bxc5 Qxa1 8. Nb4 Qe5 9. Be3 Qxe4 10. Nd3 Nf6 11. Nd2 Qa4 12. Bc5 Qxa2 13. Qe2+ Qe6 14. Qxe6+ dxe6 15. g3 b6 16. Bg2 c6 17. Bxb6 axb6 18. Bxc6+ Bd7 19. Bxa8 O-O 20. Bg2 Rc8 21. c4 Bc6 22. Bxc6 Rxc6 23. O-O Rd6 24. Ra1 Kf8 25. Ra3 e5 26. f3 g5 27. Ne4 Nxe4 28. fxe4 Rd4 29. Nxe5 Rd1+ 30. Kg2 Rd2+ 31. Kh3 f6 32. Rd3 Re2 33. Ng4 Rxe4 34. Nxf6 g4+ 35. Nxg4 Rxc4 36. Rb3 Rc6 37. Rb5 h6 38. Ne5 Re6 39. Nd7+ Ke7 40. Nxb6 Kd6 41. Nc4+ Ke7 42. Re5 Kf6 43. Rxe6+ Kxe6 44. Kh4 Kf6 45. Ne5 Kxe5 4(Kh5 Kf5 47. Kxh6 Kg4 48. h4 Kxg3 49. h5 Kg4 50. Kg6 Kh4 51. h6 1-0

18. Cormac Lawrence – Peter Gregoric

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Nc3 Nf6 4. Bc4 Bc5 5. d3 d6 6. h3 h6 7. Nb1 Bd7 8. c3 Qe7 9. d4 exd4 10. cxd4 Nxd4 11. Nxd4 Qxe4+ 1: Qe2 Bxd4 13. Qxe4+ Nxe4 14. Nd2 Bxf2+ 15. Kf1 Ng3+ 16. Kxf2 Nxh1+ 17. Kg1 Ng 18. Bd5 Ne2+ 19. Kf1 Nxc1 20. Rxc1 O-O O 21. Bxf7 Rhf8 0-1

19. Max Ruan – Bill Chen

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bb5 a6 4. Ba4 Nf6 5 O-O Bc5 6. h3 O-O 7. c3 d5 8. exd5 Nxd5 9. Bxc6 bxc6 10. d4 exd4 11. cxd4 Ba7 12. Nc3 Be6 13. Qa4 Nxc3 14. bxc3 Bd5 15. Ne5 Qd6 16. Qxa6 (16. Ba3 c5 17. dxc5 (17. Bxc5 Bxc5 18. dxc5 Qxe5) 17... Qxe5 16... Bxd4 17. Ba3 Qxe5 18. cxd4 Rxa6 19 dxe5 Rxa3 20. Rfc1 Rxa2 21. Rxa2 Bxa2 22. Rxc6 Rc8 23. Kf1 Kf8 24. Ke2 Bd5 25 Rc3 Bxg2 26. Rg3 Bd5 27. Re3 Re8 28. Kd3 f6 29. Kd4 Bg2 30. Rg3 fxe5+ 0-1

20. Kevin Willathgamuwa – Liam Dowley

A mystery, why did black resign here? Sherlock suggests game 22 may be a clue.

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 d6 4. dxe5 dxe5 5 Qxd8+ Kxd8 6. Ng5 Ke8 7. Nc3 Nf6 8. Bd h6 9. Nf3 Nb4 10. Nxe5 Bd6 11. Nf3 1-0

21. Thomas Chrisoulakis – Shu Yu

1. e4 c5 2. c4 d6 3. d3 g6 4. Bg5 Bg7 5. Bc Nf6 6. b4 b6 7. g3 O-O 8. Bg2 Bg4 9. Nf3 Nc6 10. b5 Nd4 11. Na3 Qd7 12. h3 Bxf3 13. Bxf3 a6 14. Bg4 Nxg4 15. hxg4 Ne6 1(g5 Bxa1 17. Qxa1 Nd4 18. Qd1 axb5 19. Be3 Rxa3 20. Bxd4 cxd4 21. Rh4 bxc4 22. Qg4 Qxg4 23. Rxg4 b5 24. e5 dxe5 25. dxc4 bxc4 26. Ke2 c3 27. Rh4 Rxa2+ 28. Kd3 c2 29. Rh1 Rc8 30. Rc1 f5 31. g4 fxg4 32. Ke4 Kf8 33. Kd5 d3 34. Ke6 d2 35. Kc Rc3 36. Rxc2 d1=Q+ 37. Ke6 Rcxc2 38. Kxe5 Qd6+ 39. Ke4 Ra4+ 40. Ke3 Qd4# 0 1

22. Owen Dowley – Anurag Gillkum

1. e4 d5 2. exd5 Qxd5 3. Nc3 Qd6 4. Nf3 Nf6 5. Bc4 Bg4 6. O-O Nc6 7. h3 h5 8. Be

·O-O 9. b3 e6 10. d3 Be7 11. Ne4 Nxe4
. dxe4 Qxd1 13. Rxd1 1/2-1/2

3. Bradley Vince – Raman Law

e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 d6 4. Nc3 Nf6 5.
Bg4 6. Bg5 h6 7. Bh4 a6 8. Nd5 Be7 9.
xe7 Nxe7 10. Bxf6 gxf6 11. h3 Bxf3 12.
xf3 Ng6 13. g3 h5 14. h4 b5 15. Bb3 a5
. a3 a4 17. Ba2 Ne7 18. Qxf6 Rg8 19.
xf7+ Kd7 20. Be6+ Kc6 21. b4 Qf8 22.
xh5 Rg6 23. Bf5 Rf6 24. g4 Qh6 25. Qxh6
xh6 26. g5 Rh5 27. Bg4 Rh7 28. h5 Rf8
. O-O-O Rf4 30. f3 Rff7 31. g6 Rxf3 32.
h7 Rf8 33. Rhf1 Rxf1 34. h8=Q Rxd1+
. Kxd1 d5 36. h6 dxe4 37. dxe4 Ng6 38.
f6+ Kb7 39. Qxg6 c6 40. h7 Kb6 41.
=Q Kc7 42. Qf7+ Kd6 43. Qd8# 1-0

Under 12 Girls

Zalia Lai – Grace Shan

e4 c6 2. Nc3 d5 3. Nf3 Bg4 4. h3 Bh5 5.
Nf6 6. Bd3 e6 7. a3 Be7 8. Bf4 c5 9. Qd2
O 10. g4 Bg6 11. h4 h6 12. dxc5 Bxc5
. Ne5 Bh7 14. f3 Nbd7 15. Nxd7 Qxd7
. g5 Nh5 17. gxh6 g6 18. O-O-O Nxf4 19.
xf4 Rfe8 20. exd5 exd5 21. Bb5 Be3+ 22.
xe3 Qxb5 23. Qd4 Qd7 24. Qg7# 1-0

Yuvini Perera – Grace Alvares

1. e4 e5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. Bc4 Bc5 4. O-O Nf6 5. Nc3 d6 6. Ng5 O-O 7. d3 Bg4 8. Qe1 Nd4 9. h3 Bh5 10. Nb5 Nxc2 11. Qd2 Nxa1 12. d4 Bxd4 13. Nxd4 exd4 14. Qxd4 h6 15. e5 hxg5 16. exf6 Qxf6 17. Qe4 b6 18. Bd3 Bg6 19. Qc4 Bxd3 20. Qxd3 Rfe8 21. g3 Re7 22. h4 gxh4 23. gxh4 Qxh4 24. Qd5 Rae8 25. Rd1 Re1+ 26. Rxe1 Rxe1+ 27. Kg2 Rxc1 28. Qa8+ Kh7 29. Qxa7 Qg4+ 30. Kh2 Rg1 31. Qxc7 Qg2# 0-1

3. Hannah Derwent – Caitlin O'Rourke

A very sharp game where both players had winning chances but it was Hannah's attack that got through.

1. e4 e6 2. d4 d5 3. e5 c5 4. c3 Qb6 5. Nf3 Nc6 6. a3 Bd7 7. b4 c4 8. g3 Nge7 9. Bg2 Ng6 10. O-O Nce7 11. Nbd2 Qa6 12. Ng5 Ba4 13. Qf3 f5 14. g4 (14.exf6!) O-O-O 15. gxf5 exf5 16. Nf7 Qb6 17. Bh3 Bc2 18. Nxh8 Nxh8 19. a4 Kb8 20. a5 Qg6+ 21. Bg2 Nc8 22. Qf4 Be7 23. e6+ Bd6 24. Qe3 f4 25. Qh3 Bf5 26. Qh4 Be7 27. Qxf4+ Nd6 28. Ba3 Bg5 29. Qg3 Ka8 (29…Bxd2 is OK here and recovers the piece) 30. b5 Nxb5 31. Bc5 Nxc3 32. Qc7 Bh4 33. Ra3 Ne4 (33…Bh3! actually forces white to give up the queen) 34. a6 Bxf2+ 35. Rxf2 Rb8 36. axb7+ Rxb7 37. Rxa7+ Rxa7 38. Qxa7# 1-0

4. Kashish Christian – Savithri Narenthran

1. e4 e5 2. Bc4 Nf6 3. d3 c6 4. Nc3 d5 5. exd5 cxd5 6. Bb5+ Nc6 7. Nf3 a6 8. Bxc6+ bxc6 9. Nxe5 Qc7 10. Qe2 Be6 11. Bf4 Bd 12. d4 O-O 13. O-O Rfe8 14. Qd2 Ng4 15. Rae1 f6 16. Nd3 Bf5 17. Bxd6 Qxd6 18. Qf4 Qxf4 19. Nxf4 Bxc2 20. h3 Nh6 21. Re2 Rxe2 22. Nfxe2 Rb8 23. b3 Rb4 24. Rc1 Bg6 25. Na4 Bd3 26. Nf4 Rxd4 27. Nxd3 Rxd3 28. Rxc6 Rd2 29. Rxa6 Rxa2 30. Nc5 Rxa6 31. Nxa6 Nf5 32. g4 Nd4 33 Nc5 Kf7 34. Kf1 Ke7 35. f4 Kd6 36. b4 Nc 37. Nd3 d4 38. Ke2 Kd5 39. Kf3 g6 40. h4 f5 41. h5 Kc4 42. Ne5+ Nxe5+ 43. fxe5 fxg4+ 44. Kxg4 gxh5+ 45. Kxh5 d3 46. e6 d2 47. e7 d1=Q+ 48. Kh6 Qe2 49. e8=Q Qxe8 50. Kxh7 Kxb4 51. Kg7 Qe6 52. Kh7 Kc5 53. Kg7 Kd5 54. Kf8 Qd7 55. Kg8 Ke 56. Kh8 Kf6 57. Kg8 Qg7# 0-1

5. Helen Pretorius – Denise Lim

1. Nf3 Nc6 2. d4 d5 3. g3 Nf6 4. Bg2 e6 5. O-O Bd6 6. Nbd2 O-O 7. b3 Re8 8. Re1 e5 9. dxe5 Bxe5 10. Nxe5 Nxe5 11. Bb2 Qd6 12. e3 c6 13. Bxe5 Qxe5 14. Rb1 Bf5 15. Rc1 Rac8 16. Qf3 Bg4 17. Bh3 Bxf3 18. Bxc8 Rxc8 19. Nxf3 Qh5 20. Kg2 g5 21. Rh1 g4 22. Ng1 Kg7 23. Kf1 Ne4 24. Re1 Qf5 25. Re2 Nc3 26. Re1 Nxa2 27. h3 h5 28. Rh2 Nc3 29. h4 Ne4 30. Rg2 Nd2+ 31. Ke2 Nf3 32. c4 Nxe1 33. Kxe1 Qb1+ 34. Kd2 Qxb3 35. cxd5 Qxd5+ 36. Ke1 Qxg2 37. Ne2 Qd5 38. Nc3 Qd7 39. Nd5 Qxd5 40. Kf1 Rd8 41. Kg1 Qd1+ 42. Kg2 Rd2 4 e4 Qe2 44. Kh1 Qxf2 0-1

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