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MARK HATHAWAY CAPTURES TITLE

Mark Hathaway of Huntington won the state title with a remarkable 5.5-.5 performance. Mark won his first five games, then sewed up the title with a last round draw with Donald Griffith of St Albans. This was Mark's third year in the winner's circle, but the first time he has had the title all to himself.

Donald Griffith and John W. Malutich of Salem shared second with records of 5-1. Although, Donald is normally at or near the top, this appears to have been a break-through tournament for John W.! John was also the top junior player in the event.

Byron Funkhouser of Clarksburg was tops in the "B" class at 4.5-1.5. Second place in "B" with records of 4-2 was shared by Joe Meadows (Beckley), Dave Olsen (Charleston), and Jon Karraker (Morgantown).

Mike Baker of Clarksburg and Jim Kirkpatrick of Beverly scored 3.5-2.5 to head "C" class. Shih-Houng Young of Morgantown, Terry Wassell (Morgantown), and Walt Rueckert (Elkins) tied for third in "C" at 2.5-2.5.

Joe Montgomery of Clarksburg was first in class "D" at 3.5-2.5. Elias Stewart of Morgantown at 3-3 finished second and third place went

to David Hundley of Beckley with a 2.5-3.5 record.

The top scholastic player was Jason Young of Morgantown.

Jim Walker of Charleston won both the 5 and 10-minute chess events.

This year's tournament was held at the Hampton Inn in Buchannon, West Virginia September 1-3, 2001 and drew 40 players. Mike Baker directed the event.

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ROUND 1

Jon Karraker - Joe Puzzuole (A12)

1.c4 ♘f6 2.g3 c6 3.b3 d5 4.♙b2
♙f5 5.♙g2 e6 6.d3 ♘bd7 7.♘f3
♙d6 8.O-O h6 9.♘bd2 ♖c7
10.♙e1 ♙g4 11.h3 ♙h5 12.e4 de
13.♘e4 ♘e4 14.de ♘e5 15.g4
♙g6 16.♘e5 ♙e5 17.♙e5 ♖e5
18.♖e2 O-O-O 19.♖e3 ♘b8 20.f4
♖d4 21.♖d4 ♙d4 22.♙ad1 ♙hd8
23.♙d4 ♙d4 24.f5 ef 25.ef ♙h7
26.♙e7 ♙d1 27.♘h2 ♘c8

(Almost imperceptibly White has achieved an impressive position. Black's ♙ is trapped and in danger.)

28.♙f7 28.♙e8+ ♙d8 ♙d7
29.♙d7 ♘d7 30.♘g3 ♘d6 31.♘f4
♙g8

(31... ♘c5 32. ♘e5 ♘b4 33. ♘e6
♙g8+ 33. ♘e7 ♘a3 34. ♘f8 ♙c4
35. bc4 ♘a2 36. ♘g7 +-)

32.h4 ♙f7 33.g5 hg 34.hg ♙h5
35.♙f3 ♙f3 36.♘f3 ♘e5 37.♘g4
c5 38.g6 b6 39.♘g5 a5 40.f6 gf
41.♘h6 [1:0]

Terry Wassell - James Walker (C01)

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.ed ed 4.♙d3
♘c6 5.c3 ♙d6 6.♘f3 ♙g4 7.O-O
♘ge7 8.♘bd2 h6

[8...O-O 9.♙h7 ♘h7 10.♘g5 ♘g8
11.♖g4±/+-]

9.♙e1 O-O 10.♖c2 ♙h5 11.♘e5
♘e5 12.de ♙c5 13.♘b3 ♙b6
14.♙e3 ♙g6 15.♙g6

[The exchange of ♙'s can wait. ♘
15.♙ad1]

15...♘g6 16.♙b6 ab 17.e6 ♖g5
18.♙e3 ♘f4 19.♙g3 ♖f6 20.ef
♙f7 21.♘d4 ♙e8 22.♖d2

[♘ 22.♙f3 although 22...c5

23.♘b3 ♙e7 is still ♠]

22...c5 23.♘b3 ♘e2 24.♘h1 ♘g3
[0:1]

Mark Hathaway - John R. Malutich
(B07)

1.e4 d6 2.d4 ♘f6 3.♘c3 g6 4.♙e3
(Sveshnikov Variation. the idea is to trade Black's King ♙ and to prevent ... c5.)

4...♙g7 5.♖d2 ♙g8

("This incomprehensible move wasn't a fingerfehler. He intentionally played it.")

6.h3 ♙d7

("White is almost able to win by e4-e5. I chose not to go that route yet.")

7.♘f3 ♙c8 8.O-O-O ♘fd7 9.♙c4
a6 10.♙f7 ♘f7 11.♘g5 ♘e8
[11...♘f6 12.e5 de 13.de ♘e5
14.♘ce4 ♘f5 15.g4 ♘g4 16.hg
♘g4 17.♖e2 ♘f5 18.♖f3 ♘e5
19.♖f4#]

12.♘e6 ♘b6 13.♘d8

Mark converted his huge material advantage to a win in 8 more moves.
[1:0]

Round 2

Byron Funkhouser - Donald Griffith
(B78)

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 ♘c6 3.d4 cd 4.♘d4
♘f6 5.♘c3 d6 6.♙c4 ♙d7 7.♙e3
g6 8.f3 ♙g7 9.♖d2 O-O 10.O-O-O
♙c8 11.♙b3 ♘e5 12.h4 ♘c4
13.♙c4 ♙c4 14.g4 ♖a5 15.♘b3
♖c7 16.♙h6 ♙h6 17.♖h6 ♙c3
18.bc ♙c8 19.h5 ♖c3 20.♙d2 ♖f3
If the ♘ at b3 can be induced to

move or capture, ♖a1++. 20. . . ♙e6 is met by 21. ♜b1. However, it is not clear how White meets 20. . . a5.

(a) 21. ♜b1 a4

(a1) 22. ♗d4 a3

(a2) 22. ♗c1 ♙c6 (Δ ♙b6+) 23. ♙d3 ♖b4+ 24. ♜a1 ♙c2

(b) 21. a4 ♙a4

(c) 22. hg6 a4

(c1) 22. gh7+ Kh8 23. ♙dh2

(23. g5 ab3 Δ ♖a1 or ba2-

a1=♖) ab3 24. ab3 ♙a8 25.

♜d1 ♙a1+ 26. ♜e2 ♖c2+

27. ♜e3 ♖c3+ 28. ♜f4 (28.

♜e2 ♙a2+ 29. ♜d1 ♖b3+

30. ♜c1 ♖c3+ 31. ♜d1

♙a4+) ♖e5+ 29. ♜e3 ♗d5+

30. ♜e2 ♙a2+ 31. ♜d1 ♖a1+

32. ♖c1 ♗e3+ 33. ♜e1

♖c1++

(c2) 22. gf7+ Kf7 and there is

still no clear way forward for

White while Black retains all

his threats.

21. hg fg 22. e5 de 23. ♙d7 ♙c2

24. ♜c2 ♖c6 25. ♜b2 ♖d7 26. g5

♗h5 27. ♙h5

[27. ♙f1 Δ ♙f8++

(a) 27. . . ♖d8 28. ♗c5

♖d2+ (28. . . ♖d4+ 29. ♜b1)

29. ♜b1 ♖b4+ 30. ♗b3

♖e4+ 31. ♜a1 ♗f6 32. gf6

+ -

(b) 27. . . ♖c8 28. ♗c5 ♖d8

29. ♗d7 ♗f6 30. gf6 + -]

27....gh 28.g6 hg 29. ♖g6 ♜f8

30. ♖h6 ♜g8 31. ♖g6 ♜f8 32. ♖h6

White could try 32. ♖h5 Δ ♖e3-e3

but I'm not sure he can hope for

more than a draw in the end.

[½:½]

Jason Young - David Saville (B80)

1. e4 c5 2. ♗f3 d6 3. d4 cd 4. ♗d4

♗f6 5. ♗c3 e6 6. ♙e3 a6 7. ♙d3 b5

8. a3 ♙b7 9. f3 ♗bd7 10. ♖d2 ♙c8

11. ♗de2 d5 12. ed ♗d5 13. ♗d5

♙d5 14. ♗c3 ♗f6 15. ♗d5 ♖d5

16. O-O ♙c5 17. ♙c5 ♖c5 18. ♜h1

O-O 19. ♙ac1 ♙fd8 20. ♖e2 ♖d4

21. b3 ♗d5 22. ♖e4 ♖e4 23. ♙e4

♗e3 24. ♙fe1 ♙c3 25. ♙d3 ♗d5

26. g3 g6 27. ♜g2 ♙dc8 28. ♜f2

♗e7 29. ♙e4 ♗f5 30. ♙b7

White has hung tough and made no

obvious mistakes. Notwithstanding

this state of affairs, I feel Black has

made progress. Δ 30. ♙cd1 getting

out of the pin on the c- file, keeping

the ♗ off d4 and d6 and threatening

♙d7.

30.... ♙c2 31. ♙c2 ♙c2 32. ♙e2

♙e2 33. ♜e2 a5 34. ♜d3 ♗d6

35. ♙c6 e5 36. f4 f6 37. ♙d5 ♜f8

38. fe fe 39. ♜e3 ♜e7 40. ♜d3 ♜f6

41. ♜e3 ♜f5 42. ♙g8 ♗e8 43. ♙f7

[43. ♙h7 ♗f6 44. ♙g6 ♜g6 is

hopeless for White.]

43.... ♗f6 44. h3 h5 45. b4 ab 46. ab

g5 47. ♜f3 e4 48. ♜e3 h4 49. g4

♜e5 50. ♙b3 ♗d5 51. ♜e2 ♜d4

52. ♙c2

[52. ♙d5 ♜d5 53. ♜e3 ♜e5 - +]

52.... ♗b4 53. ♙b1 ♗d3 54. ♜d2

♗f4 [0:1]

Marc Abraham - Mark Hathaway

(D43)

1. d4 ♗f6 2. c4 e6

"I was considering the Benoni

defense and decided against a

Benko Gambit because I was the

higher rated player and felt it

unnecessary The Kings Indian

defense . . . isn't to my taste these days. "

3. ♖f3 d5

Mark decides against the Benoni although he indicates that it is perfectly o. k. with White's K♖ blocking the f- pawn. - JER

4. ♗g5 h6 5. ♗f6 ♖f6 6.e3 c6
7. ♗c3 ♗d7 8. ♖c1

"Not terribly useful as the c- file won't come open. "

8... ♖d8 9.cd ed 10. ♗d3 ♗d6
11.O-O ♗f6 12.h3

[12. ♗e5 ♗e5 13.de ♗g4]

12...O-O 13.a3

[13. ♗e5 ♗e5 14.de ♗d7 15.f4
♗c5 16. ♗b1 ♖b6]

13... ♖e8

Securing both e4 and e5 and fixing the pawn structure in the center. This permits Black to consider specific offensive plans.)

14.b4 a5 15. ♖b3 ab 16.ab b5

"This fixes White's ♖ and blocks all White's queen- side, at the cost of weakening ♖c6. Black's ♗c8- d7 is the only other move Black might need to secure the queen- side. Then play should shift to the king- side. "

17. ♗b1 ♖e7 18. ♗a2 ♗d7 19. ♗e1 ♖a4
20. ♗d3 ♗e4 21. ♖fd1 ♖g5
22. ♗f1 ♖h4

Tying the ♗d3 to the f2 square and threatening ♗h3. Black may need to bring his K♖ into play for the attack to be successful.

23. ♗c3 ♖b4 !

White forgets that the ♗ at d3 is overworked.

24. ♖a2 ♗c3 25. ♖c3 ♖a4 26. ♖c2
(△ ♗b2 threatening ♗a4 and ♖h7
++)

g6 27. ♖c1

["I though he had to "break out" at

this critical juncture. " 27. ♖c6 ♖c4
(27... ♗c6 28. ♖c6 ♖d8 (28... ♖e7
29. ♖d5 (29. ♖b5 ♖d4 30.ed ♖e2
31. ♗g1 ♖d1 32. ♗e1 ♖e1 33. ♖f1
♖f1#) 29. ♖b5) 28. ♖c4 bc]

27... ♖a6 28. ♖b2 ♖e7 29. ♗c5
♗c5 30. ♖c5 ♖d6 31. ♗g1 ♖a4
32. ♗d3 ♖ea8 33. ♖e2 ♖a1
34. ♖b2 ♖c1 35. ♖c1 ♖a3 36. ♖c2
♖a4 37. ♖b1

[37. ♗g6 ♖c4-+]

37... ♗g7 38. ♗h2

"Innocent as this move seems it allows Black a nifty maneuver, designed to help the invasion, but without allowing any counter play via ♖c2- c5- e7. "

38... ♖f8 39. ♖c1 ♖b8 40. ♗g1
♖a7

Getting to the a-file without leaving c5 unguarded.

41. ♖d1 ♖a2 42. ♖b1 ♖a3 43.e4
♗e6 44. ♖c1

(△ 44.ed5)

♖b2 45. ♖a1 ♖a1 46. ♖a1 ♖d2
47. ♖a3 b4 [0:1]

48. ♖b3 de4-+

John Roush - Mike Malutich (C02)

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.e5 c5 4.c3 ♗c6
5. ♗f3 ♖b6 6. ♗e2 cd 7.cd ♗h6
8. ♗c3 ♗f5 9. ♗a4 ♖a5 10. ♗d2
♗b4 11. ♗c3 ♗d7 12.a3 ♗c3
13. ♗c3 ♖b6 14. ♗a4 ♖d8 15.O-O
O-O 16. ♖c1 ♖a5 17. ♗c5 ♗c8
18. ♖d3 ♖b8 19.g4!? ♗fe7 20.b4
♖d8 21. ♖e3 ♗d7 22. ♗d3 b6
23. ♗d7 ♖d7 24. ♗h7 !?/?! ♗h7
25. ♗g5 ♗g6 26.h4 f5 27.h5 ♗h6
28. ♗e6 ♗h7 29. ♗f8 [1:0]

At the time I thought Black's resignation was premature but that White had a significant edge. I still agree with the first assessment, but

seriously question the second! After 29. . . ♖f8 neither 30. g5 f4! nor 30. e6 ♗d6 31. f3 ♘d8 looks very inviting for White.

Gary Cummings - David Olson (B92)

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.♘d4 ♘f6 5.♘c3 a6 6.♙e2 e5 7.♘b3 ♙e7 8.♙e3 ♙e6 9.O-O O-O 10.f4 ef 11.♙f4 ♘c6 12.♗d3 ♘e5 13.♗g3 ♘g6 14.♙e3 ♖c8 15.h3 ♖c3 16.bc ♘e4 17.♗f3 f5

[Also interesting is 17...♘c3 18.♙d3 b5 △ ...♙f6 and ♘ or ♙ to e5 ∞]

18.♙d4 ♘e5 19.♙e5 de 20.♖ad1 ♗c7 21.c4 ♙c4 22.♙c4 ♗c4 23.♖d7 ♙c5 24.♘c5 ♗c5 25.♙h2 ♗c2 26.♗b3 ♗b3 27.ab ♘c5 28.♖c7 ♘b3 29.♖b1 ♘d4 30.♖bb7 ♘e6 31.♖e7 ♖f6 32.♖b6 ♘g5 33.♖b8 ♖f8 34.♖f8 ♙f8 35.♖e5 g6 36.♖a5 ♘f7 37.♖a6 ♙g7 38.♙g3 ♙f8 39.♙f4 ♙e7 40.♖c6 ♙d7 41.♖c2 ♙e6 42.♖e2 ♙f6 43.h4 [½:½]

ROUND 3

John W. Malutich - John Roush (A65)

1.d4 e6 2.c4 ♘f6 3.♘c3 c5 4.d5 ed 5.cd d6 6.e4 g6 7.♙d3 a6 8.♘ge2 b5 9:O-O ♙g7 10.♘g3 O-O 11.f4 ♖e8 12.♗f3 ♙g4 13.♗f2 c4 14.♙c2 ♙d7 15.h3

[15.e5!? de 16.f5 with a strong attack - ♖♖]

15....b4 16.♘ce2 ♙b5 17.♙d2 b3 18.♙b1

[18.ab cb 19.♙b3 ♙e2 20.♗e2 (20.♘e2 ♘e4 △ ...f5∞) 20....♗b6

21.♗e3 ♗e3 22.♙e3 ♘e4∞]
18....ba 19.♖a2 ♘bd7 20.♙c3 h5 21.♗f3 h4 22.♘h1 ♗e7 23.♘f2 [23.♘d4!?]]

23....♘d5 24.♙g7 ♙g7 25.♘c3 ♘c3 26.♗c3 ♗f6 27.e5 de 28.♘g4 ♗b6! 29.♙h1 ♗d4 30.♗d4 ed 31.f5 ♘e5 32.fg ♘g6 33.♙h2 d3 34.♘f2 ♖e2 35.♘d1 ♙c6 36.♖f2 ♖f2 37.♘f2 ♙b5 38.♘e4 ♖e8 39.♘c3 ♖e1 40.♖a5 d2 41.♙c2 ♘f4 42.b3 ♖c1 43.bc ♖c2 44.cb ♖c3 45.ba d1♗ 46.♖g5 ♙f6 47.♖g4 ♗g4 [0:1]

Mark Hathaway - Joe Meadows (C11)

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.♘c3 ♘f6 4.e5 ♘fd7 5.f4 c5 6.♘f3 ♘c6 7.♙e3 a6 8.♗d2

Preparing O-O-O and/or ♗f2 to force resolution of the tension in the center.

cd 9.♘d4 ♘d4 10.♙d4 ♙c5 11.O-O-O b5

"Black takes aim at ♘c1 and has yet to "declare" where his ♙ will be. White must play carefully to avoid assuming where the action will occur."

12.h4 ♗a5 13.♙b1 ♙b7

White would like to discover an attack on the ♗ with ♘b5 or ♘e4 with ♘d6+ in the offing. He must eliminate the ♙ at c5 first. Timing is of utmost importance.

14.♖h3 ♖c8

Overlooking the aforementioned threat. ♞ 14. . . b4 forcing ♘c-e2 15.♙c5 ♘c5

[15...♖c5 16.♘b5 (16.♘e4 ♗d2 17.♘d6 ♙e7 18.♖d2) 16....♖b5 "Defends ♗a5!" 17.♙b5 ♗b5 18.♖b3 ♗c6 19.♗b4 ♙c8 20.♖c3

♖a8 21.♗d6]
 16.♜b5 ♖d2 17.♜d6 ♜d7 18.♞d2
 ♞b8 19.♞d4
 Preparing to trap the ♜ at c5 by
 guarding the a4 square.
 f6 20.♞c3 [1:0]

ROUND 4

Byron Funkhouser - Jon Karraker
 (D05)

1.e3 c5 2.b3 ♜c6 3.♙b2 d5 4.♜f3
 e6 5.d4
 [5.♙b5 △ ♙c6, ♜e5, and f4]
 5...♜f6 6.♜bd2 cd 7.♜d4 ♜d4
 8.♙d4 ♙e7 9.♙d3 ♙d7 10.O-O
 ♙c6 11.♗e2 ♗d7
 [11...♗d6!? △ ...e5]
 12.♞fd1 O-O 13.♙b2 b6 14.e4 d4
 15.e5 ♜e8 16.♜f3 ♙f3 17.♗f3
 f5??
 (△ 17...♞d8 ∞.)
 18.♗a8 [1:0]

John Roush - David Saville (B80)

1.e4 c5 2.♜f3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.♜d4
 ♜f6 5.♜c3 e6 6.♙e3 a6 7.f3 b5
 8.♗d2 ♙b7 9.O-O-O ♜bd7 10.g4
 ♜b6 11.g5 ♜fd7 12.a3 ♞c8
 13.♜b3 ♜e5 14.♜a5 ♙a8 15.♗f2
 ♜bc4 16.♜c4 ♜c4 17.♙c4 ♞c4
 18.♞d3 ♙e7 19.h4 O-O 20.♞hd1
 ♗b8 21.♙a7 ♗c7 22.♙b6 ♗b8
 23.♙a5
 (Directed against the threat of
 ...b4, with or without a preliminary
 ...a5.)
 ♞fc8 24.♙b4 ♞4c6 25.e5 a5
 26.ed ♙g5 27.hg ab 28.ab ♞c4
 29.d7 ♞d8 30.♞d4 ♗e5 31.f4
 [31.♞c4 bc 32.♗b6 ♗g5 guarding
 the ♞ at d8.]
 31...♗f5 32.♞c4 bc 33.♗d4

[33.♗b6 ♗f4 34.♜b1 ♗g5 again
 holding ♞ at d8.]

33...♙f3?! 34.♞d2 ♙d5 35.♗b6
 [1:0]

(With the ♞ at d2 35...♗f4 is no
 longer with check. If 35...♞d7
 36.♗b8+ ♞d8 37.♗d8 ++)

Gary Cummings - Dave Hill (B72)

1.e4 c5 2.♜f3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.♜d4
 ♜f6 5.♜c3 g6 6.♙e2 ♙g7 7.♙e3
 O-O 8.O-O ♙d7 9.a4 a6 10.a5 ♜c6
 11.♜b3 ♗c8 12.♜a4 ♗e8 13.♜b6
 ♞b8 14.f3 ♙e6 15.♜d4 ♜d4
 16.♙d4 ♗c6 17.♞a3!?
 (Is this an example of thinking
 outside the box?)
 ♜h5 18.♙g7 ♜g7 19.♞c3 ♗e8
 20.♗d4 f5 21.♙c4 ♗f7?! 22.♜d7
 ♙c4 23.♗c4 ♗c4 24.♞c4 ♞bc8
 25.♞b4 ♞fe8 26.♞b7 ♜f7 27.c3
 ♜e6 28.ef gf 29.♞d1 ♞c6 30.♞d5
 ♜g6 31.♜b8 ♞c5 32.♞c5 ♜c5
 33.♞b6 ♜a4 34.♜a6 ♜b6 35.ab
 e5 36.b7 e4 37.fe fe 38.b8 ♗b8
 39.♜b8 ♜f5 40.♜f2 ♜e5 41.♜e3
 White converted his advantage in a
 few moves. [1:0]

David Comer – John W. Malutich
 (C19)

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.♜c3 ♙b4 4.e5
 c5 5.a3 ♙c3 6.bc ♜c6 7.♜f3 ♜ge7
 8.♙d3 ♗a5 9.♙d2 c4 10.♙e2 ♙d7
 11.O-O O-O-O 12.♜g5 ♞df8 13.f4
 f6 14.♜h3 fe 15.fe ♞f1 16.♙f1 ♞f8
 17.♙e2 h6 18.♙g4 g5 19.♜f2 a6
 20.♙h5 ♗b6 21.♜g4 ♜f5 22.♙g6
 ♜fe7 23.♙h7 ♞f7 24.♜f6 ♜e5 !
 (The point of the mysterious
 20...♗b6 is revealed!)
 25.♜d7 ♜d7 26.♙g6 ♜g6 27.♗h5
 e5 28.♗h6 ed 29.♙g5 dc 30.♙e3

d4 31. ♖f2 ♗f6 32. ♗g3 ♘f4
33. ♗f4 ♗f4 34. ♗f4 ♗f4 35. ♗f1?
♗f1 36. ♘f1 d3! 37. cd c2! [0:1]

James Walker - Mark Hathaway
(D02)

1. d4 ♘f6 2. ♘f3 c5 3. c3
(Here Jim is guilty of an act of
extreme cowardice.-JER ♘ 3.d5-
JER)

♗c7 4.g3

(Preparing ♗f4, but at a cost. The
♗ will be less secure without a line
of retreat to g3 or h2.)

4...g6 5. ♗g2 ♗g7 6.O-O O-O
7. ♗f4 d6 8. ♗e1 ♘bd7

(Probably a theoretical novelty.
Previously Mark indicated he had
played ♘a6, but felt the text was
better.)

9.d5

(This is inconsistent with the theme
of domination of the dark squares
and surrenders the initiative to
Black.)

9...b5

(Perhaps ♘ 9...♗b8 10.e4 ♘g4)
10.e4 ♘g4 11. ♗e2

[11.e5 ♘ge5 12. ♘e5 ♘e5 13. ♗e5
♗e5 14. ♗e5 de 15.d6 ♗b8 16.de
♗e8 17. ♗a8 (17. ♗d5 suggested
by Fritz, the software program. ♗f5
♘ ...♗g4 preventing a later ♗ad1
18. ♗a8 ♗a8 19. ♗a8 ♗a8
20. ♘a3=)]

11....♗b8 12. ♘d4

(♘, but ♗ nevertheless.)

cd 13. ♗g4 dc 14. ♘c3 b4 15. ♘d1
♘e5 16. ♗e2 ♗d7 17.a4

(Perhaps ♘ ♗e5)

ba 18. ♗a3 ♘c4 19. ♗a2 a5
20. ♗c2 ♗fc8 21. ♗f1

[21.b3 ♘e5 22. ♗c7 ♗c7 23. ♗a5
(Fritz 23. ♗e5 ♗e5 24. ♗a5 ♗c1

25. ♗a3 ♗b2 26. ♗a2 ♗c3 27. ♗f1
♗b5 28. ♘c3 ♗f1 29. ♗f1 ♗c3
30. ♗c4) 23...♘d3 24. ♗e3 ♘f4
25.gf ♗c1 26. ♗d3 Fritz suggests
26. ♗f3 ♗b5 27. ♗d2 ♗c3]

21....a4 22. ♗g5 ♘e5

"My opponent said, "Wicked!"

23. ♗e2 ♗g4 24. ♗e3 ♘f3 25. ♘g2
♘e1 26. ♗e1 ♗c2 27. ♘e3 ♗e4
28. ♘g1 ♗f3 29. ♗d2 ♘f8 30.h4♘
♗b4 31. ♗b4 ♗b4 32. ♗h3 ♗c1
33. ♗f1 ♗b2 34.h5 a3 35.h6 ♗c5
36. ♘h2 ♘e8 37.g4 ♗d5 38. ♘d5
♗d5 39. ♗g2 ♗g5 [0:1]

Jim Kirkpatrick - Donald Griffith
(B70)

1. ♘f3 c5 2.e4 d6 3.d4 cd 4. ♘d4
♘f6 5. ♘c3 g6 6. ♗g5 ♗g7 7. ♗f6
♗f6 8. ♘d5 ♗g7 9. ♗b5 ♗d7
10. ♗d7 ♗d7 11.O-O O-O 12.c3
♘c6 13.f4 e6 14. ♘e3 d5 15.e5 f6
16.ef ♗f6 17. ♘f3 ♗ad8 18. ♘g4
♗c7 19. ♘f6 ♗f6 20. ♘g5 h6
21. ♘h3 ♗b6 22. ♗f2 ♗df8 23. ♗e2
e5! 24.fe ♘e5 25. ♗e5 ♗f2 26. ♘f2
♗f2 27. ♘h1 [0:1]

27...♗f1+ 28. ♗f1 ♗f1++

ROUND 5

Donald Griffith - James Walker
(B01)

1.e4 d5 2.ed ♗d5 3. ♘c3 ♗a5 4.d4
e5 5.de ♗b4 6. ♗d2 ♗e5 7. ♗e2
♘c6 8. ♘f3 ♗e2 9. ♗e2 ♗f5
10.O-O-O O-O-O 11. ♗c4 f6
12. ♗he1 ♘ge7 13. ♘e4 ♗d2
14. ♗d2 ♗d2 15. ♘ed2 ♘g6 16.g3
♘d7 17. ♗b5 ♘d6 18. ♗c6 bc
19. ♘d4 ♗d7 20.c4 ♗e8 21. ♘e4
♘e5 22. ♘f3 ♘f5 23. ♘d4 ♘e5
24. ♘b3 ♘f5 25.f3 ♘e5 26. ♘d4
♘g6 27. ♘c5 ♘c4 28. ♗e8 ♗e8

29.  c6 c5 30.  c5  f7 31. b3
  e3 32.  d2  d5 33.  b5 a5
 34.  a6 c6 35.  d4  e8 36.  d3 f5
 37. a3 f4 38. g4

This is an archetypal struggle. No one is more willing to defend a difficult position than Jim and no one more willing to milk one than Donald.

 g5 39.  e6  h4 40.  g7  d7
 41.  b8  f6 42.  d7  d7 43.  e6
  h3 44.  f4  h2 45.  e6  g3
 46.  e4  f6 47.  e5  e8 48.  g5
 h6 49.  f7  f3 50.  h6  e3
 51.  f5  d3

[51... f3 52.g5  g4 53.g6  g5
 54.g7 would be funny to everyone but Jim.]

52.  d4  c3 53.  c6  b3 54.  a5
  a3 55.g5  b4 56.  b7  g7
 57.g6  b5 58.  d6  c6 59.  f5
  h5 60.  g3  g7 61.  f6  e8
 62.  f7  d7 63.  e4  d8 64.  e6
  c7 65.  f6  e8 66.  f7  d7
 67.  f6  f6 68.  f6  e8 [1:0]

Mark Hathaway - John Roush (B85)
 1.e4 c5 2.  f3 e6 3.d4 cd 4.  d4
  f6 5.  c3 d6 6.  e2  e7 7.O-O
 O-O 8.f4  c6 9.  h1 a6 10.a4  c7
 ("Black might be ready for a   trade and . . . e6- e5, so I now retreat the   and keep black bottled- up, especially on the queen- side. this is a big part of the strategy.)

11.  b3 b6 12.  e3  b8 13.  d3
  b4

(   b7)

14.e5

(Opening lines for a king-side attack and perhaps a novelty.)

de 15.fe  fd5

(As Mark notes, I (JER) almost played 15. . .  e5?? (16.  f4).

Given the final outcome that course, while painful, would have saved us both time and trouble!- JER)

16.  d5 ed

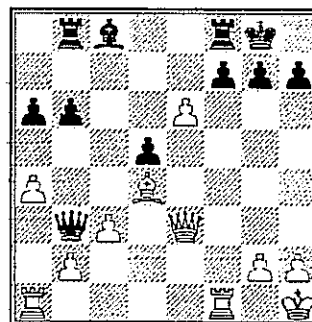
(Mark suggests ...  d5 as possibly better, but notes the difficulty in making such a judgment. I concur. - JER)

17.  d4  d3 18.  d3  c5

(Perhaps   ...  e6)

19.c3  d4 20.  d4  c4 21.  e3
  b3

(Mark did not adorn this move with a "?" in the notes to the game he sent me (JER). I'm not sure whether he was sparing my feelings or whether there is no better move for Black. The only try I see is to surrender a   with 21. . . Be6 22.  b6  b3 23.  a7  b7 24.  f2  c8. Of course to resort to such a desperate expedient, I would have to have foreseen White's next move and its consequences, which I did not!)
 22.e6!



("This beautiful "impossible" move prepares  e3-e5 which would threaten  b8 or  g7++. There's only one (somewhat satisfactory) defensive move. ")

22....f6

(22. . .  e6 23.  e5 f6 24.  e6+
 +-; 22. . . fe6 23.  f8+  f8 24.
  f4+ +-)

23.e7  e8 24.  g3

(Perhaps ♖ f6)
♖b7

"He might have preferred ♗e6, but he discovered I have a mating attack which has only one defense. Observe the game continuation.)
25. ♗f6 g6 26. ♖ae1 ♗c4 27. ♗g5 d4

(Permitting the ♗ to retreat to f7 and defend. A ♗ at e6 would have blocked this line of retreat.

28. ♗h6

(♖ ♗d4)

♗f7 29. ♗d4 ♖ee7

("A terrific defensive move I'd not seen. It doesn't spoil White's position, but it does slow things down. White has to reassess things and create a new plan. And, this had to be done under the gun of the clock. Naturally, the first thing was to make safe moves to get to time control while not letting Black gain anything significant. " 30. ♖e7 ♗f1+ 31. ♗g1 ♖e7 --+ or 30. ♖f7 ♖e1 31. ♗g1 ♖f7--+ - JER)

30. h3 ♗f5 31. ♗h4 b5 32. ab ab
33. ♗g1 ♖bd7 34. ♗g3 ♖d8

(This makes it easy, but I don't see a way to hold the game or even a way to make it particularly difficult.-JER)
35. ♖e7 ♗e7 36. ♖f5 [1:0]

David Saville - Byron Funkhouser
(E97)

1. d4 ♗f6 2. c4 g6 3. ♗c3 ♗g7 4. e4 d6 5. ♗e2 O-O 6. ♗f3 e5 7. O-O ♗c6 8. d5 ♗e7 9. b4 ♗h5 10. ♖e1 f5 11. ♗g5 ♗f6 12. ♗f3 f4 13. ♗b2 h6 14. ♗e6 ♗e6 15. de h5 16. ♖c1 ♗h6 17. ♖c2 ♗e8 18. c5 ♖f6 19. ♖d2 ♖e6 20. ♗b3 ♗d7 21. ♗b5 ♗f7 22. cd cd 23. ♗d6! ♗f6 [23... ♗d6 24. ♖ed1 ♗ec8 25. ♗e5

♗f8 26. ♗d6 ♗d6 27. e5 ♖d8 28. ed ♗d6 29. ♖d6 ♗d6 30. ♖d6 ♖dd6 31. ♗d5+-]

24. ♗e8 ♗e8 25. ♖ed1 ♗c8
26. ♖d8 ♗f7 27. ♖1d7 ♖e7
28. ♗e5 ♗e5 29. ♗c3 ♗e6 30. ♗c4 ♗f6 31. ♗d4 ♗e6 32. ♖d6 ♗d6
33. ♖d6++ [1-0] Nicely played!

ROUND 6

John Roush - Markle Butcher (D26)

1. e4 c6 2. d4 d5 3. ed cd 4. c4 dc
5. ♗c4 e6 6. ♗f3 ♗f6 7. ♗c3 ♗c6
8. O-O ♗d6 9. a3 a6 10. ♗g5 h6
11. ♗h4 g5 12. ♗g3 ♗g3 13. hg
♗c7 14. ♖e1 b5 15. ♗a2 ♗b7
16. d5!? O-O-O!? 17. dc ♖d1 18. cb
♗b7 19. ♖ad1 ♗g4 20. ♗e4 ♖d8
21. ♖d8 ♗d8 22. b4 ♗b6 23. ♗c5
a5 24. ♗b3 ab 25. ab ♗f6 ??

(This is an extremely unfortunate square for the ♗.)

26. ♗d7 ♗c6 27. ♗f6 ♗f6 28. ♗e5
[1:0]

John W. Malutich - David Saville
(D50)

1. d4 ♗f6 2. c4 e6 3. ♗c3 ♗b4
4. ♗g5 d5 5. a3 ♗c3 6. bc ♗bd7
7. cd ed 8. ♗f3 O-O 9. e3 c6 10. ♗f6
♗f6 11. c4 ♗g4 12. cd ♗d5 13. ♗e2
♖fe8 14. O-O ♗e4 15. ♗c2 ♖e7
16. ♗c4 ♗h5 17. ♗e5 ♗d6 18. ♗g4
♗g4 19. ♗e2 ♗g5 20. ♗f3 ♖e6
21. ♖fc1 ♖f6 22. ♗c5 ♗g6 23. ♗h5
♗h6 24. ♗f3 ♗g6 25. ♗h5 ♗h6
26. ♗f3 ♖f5 27. ♗c2 ♗g5 28. ♗e4
♗e4 29. ♗e4 ♗f6 30. f3 ♖b5
31. ♖ab1 ♖b1 32. ♖b1 b6 33. ♖c1
♖c8 34. ♗d3 ♗e7 35. d5 c5 36. e4
♖d8 37. ♖d1 ♗d6 38. ♗a6 ♗d7
39. a4 g6 40. ♖c1 ♗e7 41. a5 ba
42. ♗c6 ♗d6 43. ♗d6 ♖d6 44. ♖c5

♘f8 45.♙a5 a6 46.♘f2 ♘e7
 47.♘e3 ♙b6 48.♙a2 f6 49.♘d3
 ♘d6 50.♘c3 ♘e5 51.♙b2 ♙d6
 52.♘b4 f5 53.♘c5 fe?? 54.f4 [1:0]

Donald Griffith - Mark Hathaway
(B82)

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 d6 3.d4 cd 4.♘d4
 ♘f6 5.♘c3 ♘c6 6.f4
 (Black plans to go after White's ♘.
 He had expected 6.♙g5 at this
 juncture.)

e6 7.♙e3 a6 8.♙e2 ♗c7 9.a4 ♘d4
 10.♗d4 e5 11.♗b6
 [Perhaps ♖ is 11.♗d3 ef 12.♙f4
 ♗b6 13.O-O-O ♙e6 14.♙d6 ♙d8
 15.e5]

11....♗b6 12.♙b6 ef 13.O-O ♙e6
 14.♙f4 ♙e7 15.♙d1 ♙c8
 (Preventing ♙c7 and eyeing the
 c♙.)

16.♙f2 O-O 17.♙f3 ♘d7 18.♙d4
 ♘e5 19.♘d5 ♙d5 20.ed ♙f6
 21.♙e4 ♙fe8 22.c3 ♙c7 23.h3
 ♘d7 24.♙e2 ♙d4 25.♙d4 f5

("A nifty move which prevents ♙h7+
 and forces the ♙ into retreat. From
 here on White's ♙ isn't very
 good.⊕) 26.♙f3 ♘e5 27.♘f2 ♙ec8
 28.♙ed2 g5 29.♙d1 ♙f8 30.♙c2
 ♙fc8 31.♙e2 [½:½]

("Black could find no plan which
 would break through the light
 squares and he must be careful not
 to overextend. In any event a draw
 secured the tournament victory!
 Griffith offered the draw. This
 sealed my third consecutive
 championship title and my first
 untied. It was also a much better
 third day for me than last year's
 tournament. That was a relief and a
 great personal accomplishment.)

J Young - David Comer (C57)

1.e4 e5 2.♘f3 ♘c6 3.♙c4 ♘f6
 4.♘g5 d5 5.ed ♘d5

(Permitting the infamous Fried Liver
 Attack. Whether this is a good or
 bad thing theoretically is more than I
 can say!

6.♘f7 ♘f7 7.♗f3 ♘e6 8.♘c3
 ♘ce7 9.O-O c6 10.♙e1 ♘d6 11.d4
 ♘c3 12.de ♘c7 13.bc ♙f5 14.♙g5
 ♙c2 15.♙ac1 ♙a4 16.♙e4 h6
 17.♙d4 ♗b8 18.♙f4 ♘b6 19.e6
 ♗e8 20.♙d7 ♙b5 21.♙e3 ♘a6
 22.♙b5 cb 23.♗b7 ♘a5 24.♙b1
 ♗b8 25.♙b5 ♘a4 26.♙d4
 [26.♗a6#].

26....♘a3 27.♙b3 ♘a2 28.♙d2
 [1:0]

Gary Cummings - Walt Rueckert
(B17)

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.♘c3 de 4.♘e4
 ♘d7 5.♙c4 ♘gf6 6.♘g5 e6 7.♘e2
 h6 8.♘f3 b5 9.♙b3 ♙b7 10.O-O c5
 11.♙e6!? fe 12.♘f4 ♘f7 13.♙e1
 ♙f3 14.♗f3 ♗b6? 15.♗a8 cd
 16.♙d2 e5 17.♘d5 ♘d5 18.♗d5.
 ♗e6 19.♗b5 ♙d6 20.♗b3 ♗b3
 21.ab ♙c5 22.b4 ♙b6 23.♙a3

(Here we have another example of
 the now familiar "Cummings ♙
 Hop".)

♙c8 24.♙f3 ♘g8 25.c3 a5 26.ba
 ♙a5 27.h3 ♘h7 28.♙a1 dc 29.bc
 e4 30.♙f7 ♘e5 31.♙f5 [1:0]

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1	HATHAWAY, MARK S	WV 2068*	2085*	W--40	W--17	W---9	W---6	W---4	D---2	5.5
2	GRIFFITH, DONALD	WV 2040*	2047*	W--31	D---5	W--10	W--14	W---6	D---1	5.0
3	MALUTICH, JOHN WA	WV 1650*	1704*	W--37	W--33	L---4	W--29	X----	W---7	5.0
4	ROUSH, JOHN EVERE	WV 2028*	2027*	D--23	W--39	W---3	W---7	L---1	W--13	4.5
5	FUNKHOUSER, BYRON	WV 1684*	1740*	W--26	D---2	W--23	W---8	L---7	W--15	4.5
6	WALKER, JAMES H	WV 2037*	2029*	W--21	W--13	W---8	L---1	L---2	W--17	4.0
7	SAVILLE, DAVID P	WV 2007*	2000*	W--25	W--18	W--15	L---4	W---5	L---3	4.0
8	KARRAKER, JON	WV 1764*	1766*	W--19	W--35	L---6	L---5	W--29	W--18	4.0
9	MEADOWS, JOE B	WV 1707*	1714*	W--32	W--20	L---1	D--21	W--14	D--10	4.0
10	OLSON, DAVID J	WV 1627*	1662*	W--16	D--11	L---2	W--32	W--12	D---9	4.0
11	CUMMINGS, GARY D	WV 1779*	1756*	W--34	D--10	L--14	W--31	L--15	W--23	3.5
12	FULLER, JAMES A	WV 1735*	1710*	W--27	L--15	D--31	W--22	L--10	W--21	3.5
13	BUTCHER, MARKLE W	WV 1647*	1657*	W--24	L---6	W--27	D--15	W--21	L---4	3.5
14	KIRKPATRICK, JAME	WV 1584*	1600*	W--30	H----	W--11	L---2	L---9	W--24	3.5
15	BAKER, JOSEPH MIC	WV 1502*	1574*	W--38	W--12	L---7	D--13	W--11	L---5	3.5
16	MONTGOMERY, JOSEP	WV 1262*	1327*	L--10	D--22	L--32	W--38	W--27	W--28	3.5
17	ABRAHAM, MARC	WV 1671*	1660*	W--28	L---1	L--19	W--26	W--20	L---6	3.0
18	YOUNG, JASON	WV 1592*	1581*	W--29	L---7	W--20	L--19	W--28	L---8	3.0
19	PUZZUOLE, JOSEPH	WV 1396	1506	L---8	W--36	W--17	W--18	F----	U----	3.0
20	STEWART, ELIAS	WV 1374*	1437*	W--39	L---9	L--18	W--27	L--17	W--26	3.0
21	WASELL, TERRY	WV 1554*	1566*	L---6	W--28	W--33	D---9	L--13	L--12	2.5
22	YOUNG, SHIH HOUNG	WV 1498*	1465*	L--33	D--16	W--37	L--12	L--25	W--29	2.5
23	RUECKERT, WALTER	WV 1482*	1502*	D---4	W--40	L---5	H----	H----	L--11	2.5
24	HUNDLEY, DAVID WA	WV 1297*	1303*	L--13	L--34	H----	W--37	W--32	L--14	2.5
25	LA BUE, THOMAS	WV 1480*	1449*	L---7	L--29	W--38	L--28	W--22	U----	2.0
26	OLSON, JAMES D	WV 1428*	1395*	L---5	L--31	W--30	L--17	W--36	L--20	2.0
27	JORDAN, ROBERT A	WV 1372*	1340*	L--12	W--30	L--13	L--20	L--16	W--36	2.0
28	STONE, GILBERT L	WV 1358*	1346*	L--17	L--21	W--36	W--25	L--18	L--16	2.0
29	COMER, DAVID J	WV 1223*	1238*	L--18	W--25	X----	L---3	L---8	L--22	2.0
30	WASELL, JAMES T	WV 1060*	1057*	L--14	L--27	L--26	L--36	B----	W--32	2.0
31	HILL, DAVID M	WV 1489*	1503*	L---2	W--26	D--12	L--11	U----	U----	1.5
32	KARRAKER, JAMIE	WV 1356*	1304*	L---9	D--38	W--16	L--10	L--24	L--30	1.5
33	LUCAS, KENNETH C	WV 1715*	1687*	W--22	L---3	L--21	U----	U----	U----	1.0
34	MALUTICH, STEPHEN	WV 1634*	1627*	L--11	W--24	U----	U----	U----	U----	1.0
35	DAVIS, JEREMY S	WV 1605*	1597*	W--36	L---8	F----	U----	U----	U----	1.0
36	LUBMAN, JACOB H	WV 1045*	1044*	L--35	L--19	L--28	W--30	L--26	L--27	1.0
37	MOORE, TIMOTHY MA	WV 729	729	L--3	B----	L--22	L--24	F----	U----	1.0
38	HARSH, GREGORY KA	WV 0	1098	L--15	D--32	L--25	L--16	F----	U----	0.5
39	MALUTICH, MICHAEL	WV 1729*	1702*	L--20	L---4	U----	U----	U----	U----	0.0
40	MALUTICH, JOHN RO	WV 1500*	1481*	L---1	L--23	U----	U----	U----	U----	0.0

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1	WALKER, JAMES H	WV 2091*	2095*	W--12	W---7	W---8	W---3	4.0
2	FULLER, JAMES A	WV 1854*	1837*	L---9	W--16	W--14	W---8	3.0
3	CUMMINGS, GARY D	WV 1751*	1790*	W--11	W---4	W---9	L---1	3.0
4	SAVILLE, DAVID P	WV 2077*	2059*	W--13	L---3	W---7	D---5	2.5
5	FUNKHOUSER, BYRON	WV 1774*	1765*	W--14	L---8	W--13	D---4	2.5
6	STONE, GILBERT L	WV 1358/10	1364	D--16	L---9	W--10	W--13	2.5
7	YOUNG, JASON	WV 1548*	1561*	W--10	L---1	L---4	W---9	2.0
8	LA BUE, THOMAS	WV 1482*	1512*	W--15	W---5	L---1	L---2	2.0
9	MONTGOMERY, JOSEP	WV 1394*	1446*	W---2	W---6	L---3	L---7	2.0
10	KARRAKER, JAMIE	WV 1152*	1217*	L---7	W--12	L---6	W--14	2.0
11	WASELL, TERRY	WV 1661*	1620*	L---3	L--13	W--15	D--12	1.5
12	KENNEDY, DAVID I	WV 1350	1341	L---1	L--10	W--16	D--11	1.5
13	YOUNG, SHIH HOUNG	WV 1378	1384*	L---4	W--11	L---5	L---6	1.0
14	STEWART, ELIAS	WV 1212*	1197*	L---5	W--15	L---2	L--10	1.0
15	TINGLER, ERNEST R	WV 953	973	L---8	L--14	L--11	W--16	1.0
16	LUBMAN, JACOB H	WV 1045	1021	D---6	L---2	L--12	L--15	0.5

Fuller and Roush top field at 2001 Parkersburg Homecoming

Jimmy Fuller of Charleston and John Roush of Ripley tied for first at the 2001 Parkersburg Homecoming tournament. They drew their individual game in round 3 and each won the rest of their games.

A non-rated tournament was held concurrently. Jim Dotson of Parkersburg swept that tournament going undefeated! Mark Lemon of Elizabeth finished second.

The events were ably organized and directed by Pat Kelly, formerly of Parkersburg. (A few years back he moved across THE RIVER (!?) and it is now rumored that he secretly wears a red and gray OSU T-Shirt the day after each tournament.)

Here is a sampling of a few games from the event:

ROUND 1

James Walker - Chuck Waugh (D55)

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.♘c3 ♙e7 4.♘f3 ♘f6
 5.♙g5 h6 6.♙f6 ♙f6 7.cd ed 8.e3 O-O
 9.♙d3 c6 10.♖c2 ♘a6
 [♟ 10...♘d7 ♠ ♙e8, ♙f6-e7-d6, and ♘f6]
 11.a3 ♘c7 12.h3 ♙d7 13.O-O ♙e8
 14.b4 b5?! 15.a4 a6 16.♘d2 ♖e7
 17.♙ab1 ♘e6 18.♙fc1 g6 19.♘b3 ♖f8
 20.♘e2 ♙d8 21.♘c5 ♘c5 22.dc ♙c7
 [♟ 22...♙f6 to chop the ♘ when it reaches d4]
 23.♙a1 ♖g7 24.♘d4 ♙e5 25.♖c3 ♖f6
 26.f4!? ♙d4 27.♖d4 ♖d4 28.ed ♙e3
 29.♙d1 ♙ae8 30.ab ab 31.♙a7 ♙e1
 32.♙e1 ♙e1 33.♙f2 ♙e7 34.f5 ♙g7
 35.♙b5 ♙f6 36.♙d7 ♙d7 37.♙c6 ♙c7
 38.b5 ♙c8
 [38...♙f5 39.b6 ♙c8 (39...♙c6

40.b7+-) 40.♙d5+-]
 39.fg fg 40.♙d5 ♙d8 41.c6 ♙e7
 [41...♙d5 42.c7 and the ♘ can not be
 stopped from promoting to a ♖]
 42.c7 ♙c8 43.b6 [1:0]
 43...♙d7 44.♙e6 ♙e6 45.b7 +-

Jason Young - John Roush (B80)

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 e6 3.d4 cd 4.♘d4 ♘f6
 5.♘c3 d6 6.♙e3 ♘c6 7.♙d3 ♙e7 8.h3
 a6 9.♘b3 b5 10.a3 ♙b7 11.f4 O-O
 12.♖e2 ♙c8 13.♖f2 e5 14.f5 d5
 (Thematic but possibly premature)
 15.♘d5 ♘d5 16.ed ♖d5 17.O-O-O
 (♠ f5 and ♙h7 discovering an attack on
 the ♖ at f6)
 18.♙e2 ♖f7 19.♙f3 ♙fd8 20.♙b6 ♙d1
 21.♙d1 ♘d8 22.♙b7 ♘b7 23.♖f3 ♘d6
 24.♘d2 ♖e8 25.♖d5 ♙f8 26.♙c5 ♘f5
 27.♘e4 ♖c6 28.♙e7 ♙e7 29.♖c6 ♙c6
 30.♙d3 ♘d4 31.c3 ♘b3 32.♙c2 ♘c5
 33.♘c5 ♙c5 34.♙d2 ♙e6 35.♙e3 ♙d5
 36.♙d5 ♙d5 37.b3 a5 38.g3 f5 39.♙d3
 g5 40.c4 bc 41.bc ♙c5 42.♙c3 a4
 43.♙d3 h5 44.♙c3 e4 45.♙d2 ♙c4
 Black nursed his material edge to a win
 on move 60 [0:1]

ROUND 2

John Roush - Byron Funkhouser (B22)

1.e4 c5 2.♘f3 ♘c6 3.c3 e6 4.d4 d5 5.ed
 ed 6.♙e2 ♙d6 7.O-O ♘ge7 8.♘bd2
 [♟ 8.dc]
 8....cd 9.♘d4 ♘d4 10.cd O-O 11.♘f3
 ♖b6 12.b3 ♙f5 13.♙b2 ♙ac8 14.♙d3
 ♙b4 ?!
 (Black actually had slightly the better of
 it to this point. His pieces were better
 suited to the ♠- structure. Surely simply
 14. . . ♙d3 is lightly ♖. With the text
 Black starts drifting aimlessly although it

takes a real blunder later on to actually get him in trouble.

15. ♖e5 ♗e6 16. ♖c1 ♖c1 17. ♗c1 ♖c8
18. ♗b1 g6 19. ♖c1 ♖c1 20. ♗c1 ♗c6
21. ♗c6 bc 22. a3 ♗f8 23. ♗c3 a5 24. g3
♗g4 25. ♗c2 ♗g7 26. ♗e3 ♗b8 27. ♗c3
♗f8 28. ♗b2 ♗g7 29. ♗e7 ♗f8 30. ♗e1
♗b5 31. a4 ♗b6 32. ♗e8 ♗b4 33. ♗e3
c5? 34. dc ♗c5 35. ♗e5 f6 36. ♗c3 ♗b6
37. ♗f6 ♗f6 38. ♗f6 ♗f7 39. ♗c3 ♗b4
40. ♗b4 ab 41. ♗f1 ♗e6 42. ♗e1 ♗e5
43. ♗d2 ♗d4 44. a5 ♗c8 45. ♗d3 ♗e6
[1:0]

ROUND 3

James Walker - Mike Taylor (D05)

1. d4 e6 2. ♗f3 ♗f6 3. e3 d5 4. ♗d3 c5
5. c3 ♗c6 6. ♗bd2 ♗d7 7. ♗e5 cd 8. ed
♗e5 9. de ♗g8 10. O-O ♗e7 11. ♖e1
♗g6 12. ♗f3 ♗c5 13. ♗e2

(Apparently Jim has been reading the "overprotection" section of Nimzovitch's "My System" again.)

13. ... ♗c6. 14. b4 ♗e7 15. ♗d2 b6
16. ♗d4 ♗b7 17. ♗b5 ♗f8 18. ♗d3 a6
19. ♗h5 ♖g8

(The threat was ♗g6 and after fg6 then ♗e6)

20. ♗h7 ♖h8 21. ♗g6 fg 22. ♗e6 ♗f7
23. ♗d8 ♖ad8 24. ♗e3 ♖c8 25. e6 ♗f8
[25... ♗e6 26. ♗g5 ♗d7 27. ♖e7 ♗c6
28. ♗g6+-]

26. ♗d4 g5 27. ♖e3 ♗d6 28. e7 ♗e7
29. ♗g7 [1:0]

ROUND 4

Robert Canary - Byron Funkhouser (E92)

1. d4 ♗f6 2. ♗f3 g6 3. c4 ♗g7 4. ♗c3
O-O 5. e4 d6 6. ♗e2 e5 7. de de 8. ♗d8
♖d8 9. ♗g5 ♖e8 10. O-O-O c6 11. ♗e5
♗e4 12. ♗e4 ♗e5 13. ♗d6 ♗d6
14. ♖d6 ♗d7 15. ♗e3 ♗f8 16. ♖hd1 a6
17. ♗f3 ♗e6 18. b3 f5 19. ♗c2 ♗f7
20. g3 ♖e6 21. ♖6d2 ♖c8 22. ♗c3

♖ee8 23. h4 h5 24. ♗b6 ♗e6 25. ♖d6
♗f7 26. ♗e3 ♖e7 27. ♗h6 ♗h7 28. ♖e1
♖ce8 29. ♗f4 ♗f6 30. ♗g5 ♖d7 31. c5
♖d6 32. cd ♗d7 33. ♗e7 ♗b6 34. ♗d4
♗c8 35. ♗c5 ♗e7 36. de ♖e7 37. ♗g2
♗e8 38. f4 ♗d8 39. ♖d1 ♗c7 40. ♖e1
b6 41. ♗d4 c5 42. ♗c3 ♖e8 [½:½]

John Roush - James Walker (A24)

1. c4 ♗f6 2. g3 g6 3. ♗g2 ♗g7 4. ♗c3
O-O 5. e4 d6 6. ♗ge2 e5

(I believe the system with 6...c5 is better, but I suspect its a matter of taste.)

7. O-O ♗e6 8. d3 ♗d7

(♖ ♗e8 △ meeting f4 with ...f5)

9. f4 ♗h3 10. f5 ♗g2 11. ♗g2 c6
12. ♗g5 h6 13. ♗f6 ♗f6 14. ♗g1 ♗a6
15. ♗h3 ♗c7 16. ♗g4 ♗g7 17. ♗f2 a6
18. a4 a5 19. ♖ad1 ♖a6 20. ♗h3 h5
21. g4 ♖h8 ?!

[♖ 21...hg4 22. ♗g4 ± (22. ♗g4?! ♖h8)]

22. g5! gf

[a] 22... ♗g5 23. f6 ♗f6 24. ♗d7+-

][b] 22... ♗d8 23. f6 ♗g8 24. ♗d7+-

][c] ♖ 22... ♗d8 23. gf ♗f6+-]

23. gf ♗f6 24. ef ♖g8 25. ♗h1 d5
26. ♗h5 [1:0]

MESSAGE FROM EDITOR

You may be asking yourself why this bulletin is coming out in January 2002 when the latest material in it dates from October 2001. There is a logical explanation. I was abducted by aliens. (Yes, I know, but that's my story and I'm sticking to it.) A couple of notes:

- **Annotations** - All notes to all games *except* Mark Hathaway's games from the state championship are by the editor. The notes to Mark's games in quotations are his notes. Those to his games not in quotation marks but otherwise unattributed are *based* on his notes. Those attributed to "JER" are the editor's comments. Confusing, huh?
- **Next issue** - I was originally aiming for late February 2002. However, unless more material comes in, it will be in early May after the Action Chamnionshin

2001 Parkersburg Homecoming

1	ROUSH, JOHN EVERE	WV 2021*	2028*	W---6	W---4	D---2	W---5	3.5
2	FULLER, JAMES A.	WV 1705*	1735*	W---9	W--11	D---1	W---7	3.5
3	CANARY, ROBERT	WV 1762*	1752*	L---7	W---8	W---6	D---4	2.5
4	FUNKHOUSER, BYRON	WV 1674*	1684*	W--12	L---1	W---7	D---3	2.5
5	WALKER, JAMES H	WV 2059*	2037*	W---8	L---7	W--10	L---1	2.0
6	YOUNG, JASON	WV 1603*	1596*	L---1	W--12	L---3	W--11	2.0
7	WASELL, TERRY	WV 1485*	1554*	W---3	W---5	L---4	L---2	2.0
8	WAUGH, CHARLES T	WV 1516*	1513*	L---5	L---3	W--11	D---9	1.5
9	YOUNG, SHIH HOUNG	WV 1512*	1498*	L---2	L--10	W--12	D---8	1.5
10	TAYLOR, MICHAEL A	OH 1702*	1680*	L--11	W---9	L---5	U----	1.0
11	MONTGOMERY, JOSEP	WV 1232*	1262*	W--10	L---2	L---8	L---6	1.0
12	WASELL, JAMES T	WV 1068*	1060*	L---4	L---6	L---9	B----	1.0

UPCOMING EVENTS!

February 2, 2002: Harrison Co. February Open Sections: Open and Scholastic (K-2, K-5, K-12)

Open: 4/SS; G/75 (G/70 w/5-sec delay) EF: \$20 \$\$: b/entries; WV Grand Prix Check-in: 8:30-9am Rounds: 9:15-11:45-2:15-4:45

Scholastic: 4/SS (5-SS for K-5); G/30 (G/15 for K-2) EF: \$10; \$\$ trophies

Check-in: 9:-9:30am Round 1: 10am **Both: No entries at site! Payment may be made at site.**

All registration by 1/30 via mail or through the HCC website: <http://sites.netscape.net/hcchess/homepage>

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March 2, 2002: Harrison Co. March Open

Sections: Open and Scholastic (K-2, K-5, K-12) **Open:** 4/SS; G/75 (G/70 w/5-sec delay)

EF: \$20 \$\$: b/entries; WV Grand Prix Check-in: 8:30-9am Rounds: 9:15-11:45-2:15-4:45

Scholastic: 4/SS (5-SS for K-5); G/30 (G/15 for K-2) EF: \$10; \$\$ trophies Check-in: 9:-9:30am Round 1: 10am

Both: No entries at site! Payment may be made at site. All registration by 2/27 via mail or through the HCC

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March 23-24 34th ANNUAL WV SCHOLASTIC CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS

See page 16 for details

Apr. 14. West Virginia Action Championship. 6SS, G/30. Cedar Lakes Conference Center (near Ripley, WV).

EF: \$20/\$18 Jr. at site, \$2 less rec'd by by 4/10/02. WVCA memb. required (OSA). \$100, Trophy to top WV resident; Trophy to top Jr WV resident; B,C,U1400/Unr. ea. \$40, Award to top WV resident in B,C,U1400/Unr.

Reg: 8:30-9:45, Rds: 10-11:15-1-2:15-3:30-5:30. Ent: John Roush, HC 80 Box 258, Ripley, WV 25271. NS,NC

Directions: Get off at Exit 132(Ripley-Fairplain) on I-77. Go North on Rt. 21 for a very short distance.

Turn right on to Cedar Lakes Road and travel approximately 3 miles.

2001 US AMATEUR SOUTH

1	NEWSOM, GARY D	NC 1991*	2035*	W--19	W--13	W---9	W---8	D---4	4.5
2	GRIFFITH, DONALD	WV 2038*	2040*	W--16	W--15	L---3	W--17	W--11	4.0
3	WALKER, JAMES H	WV 2000*	2025*	W--17	W---4	W---2	L---5	W---9	4.0
4	DICKERSON, LEONAR	TN 2072*	2073*	W--27	L---3	W---6	W--15	D---1	3.5
5	COLE, DAVID A	MO 2055*	2056*	W--21	W--30	L---8	W---3	D---7	3.5
6	MC CARTNEY, PATRI	NC 1989*	1988*	W--29	D--14	L---4	W--24	W--18	3.5
7	ROSEN, MATT	OH 1967*	1960*	L--12	W--18	W--19	W--23	D---5	3.5
8	HAYES, JOHN R	OH 2031*	2035*	W--24	W--12	W---5	L---1	U----	3.0
9	SAVILLE, DAVID P	WV 2018*	2007*	W--23	W--26	L---1	W--10	L---3	3.0
10	ANDREAS, PETER CA	OH 1804*	1818*	H----	W--22	D--14	L---9	W--23	3.0
11	CANARY, ROBERT	WV 1742*	1762*	W--32	H----	H----	W--14	L---2	3.0
12	YOUNG, JASON	WV 1521*	1644*	W---7	L---8	W--30	L--13	W--20	3.0
13	BATH, JOHN S	OH 2106*	2092*	W--20	L---1	D--24	W--12	U----	2.5
14	ROUSH, JOHN EVERE	WV 2073*	2047*	W--28	D---6	D--10	L--11	D--17	2.5
15	KAVALEC, JOSEPH	OH 1800*	1800*	W--31	L---2	W--29	L---4	D--19	2.5
16	SUMNER, BRIAN	VA 1720*	1712*	L---2	W--31	H----	L--18	W--29	2.5
17	ABRAHAM, MARC	WV 1660*	1676*	L---3	W--25	W--32	L---2	D--14	2.5
18	GUGLIELMI, JACQUE	NC 1645*	1670*	H----	L---7	W--22	W--16	L---6	2.5
19	MALUTICH, MICHAEL	WV 1563*	1596*	L---1	W--21	L---7	W--32	D--15	2.5
20	FULLER, JAMES A	WV 1729*	1703*	L--13	L--24	W--25	W--31	L--12	2.0
21	MAO, MARLON	VA 1669*	1655*	L---5	L--19	H----	W--27	D--26	2.0
22	OLSON, DAVID J	WV 1636*	1627*	H----	L--10	L--18	W--28	D--24	2.0
23	MORRIS, GARY L	NC 1607*	1618*	L---9	W--27	W--26	L---7	L--10	2.0
24	MALUTICH, JOHN WA	WV 1508*	1565*	L---8	W--20	D--13	L---6	D--22	2.0
25	HIVICK, K W	VA 1503*	1494*	L--30	L--17	L--20	B----	W--31	2.0
26	BASS, TOMMY N	NC 1271*	1296*	B----	L---9	L--23	D--29	D--21	2.0
27	KARRAKER, JON	WV 1779*	1740*	L---4	L--23	D--28	L--21	W--32	1.5
28	BUTCHER, MARKLE W	WV 1684*	1647*	L--14	L--29	D--27	L--22	B----	1.5
29	MALUTICH, JOHN RO	WV 1498*	1499*	L---6	W--28	L--15	D--26	L--16	1.5
30	MC HALE, MICHAEL	NC 1774*	1757*	W--25	L---5	L--12	U----	U----	1.0
31	LA BUE, THOMAS	WV 1497*	1460*	L--15	L--16	B----	L--20	L--25	1.0
32	HUNDLEY, DAVID WA	WV 1314*	1297*	L--11	B----	L--17	L--19	L--27	1.0

2001 US Amateur South (Reserve)

1	BARBERA, RICHARD	OH 1747*	1754*	W--23	W--29	W--12	W--19	D---3	4.5
2	STIDHAM, BRIAN MA	TN 1582*	1600*	W--25	W--31	D--22	W--17	W---8	4.5
3	DAVIS, JEREMY S	WV 1536*	1596*	W--44	W--30	W---6	W---7	D---1	4.5
4	HARGROVE, WILLIAM	NC 1523*	1519*	D--24	W--26	D--20	W--16	W--19	4.0
5	MALONE, ZACHARY P	OH 1375*	1460*	L---8	W--37	W--29	W--20	W--12	4.0
6	KOBALKA, ANDREW	OH 1107*	1300*	B----	W--11	L---3	W--15	W--18	4.0
7	LOGAN, TOBIN	NC 1632*	1619*	D--26	W--21	W--13	L---3	W--22	3.5
8	GEORGE, BRUCE B	VA 1559*	1556*	W---5	D--18	W--35	W--22	L---2	3.5
9	YOUNG, SHIH HOUNG	WV 1477*	1459*	L--19	W--33	D--23	W--25	W--21	3.5
10	DREYLING, EDWARD	IN 1694*	1655*	W--14	L--22	L--17	W--41	W--30	3.0
11	CRISCI, ANGELO P	VA 1599*	1570*	W--45	L---6	H----	W--23	D--17	3.0
12	COWLES, RICHARD A	NC 1565*	1549*	W--32	W--36	L---1	W--30	L---5	3.0
13	HUNT, HENRY B	WV 1447*	1450*	D--35	W--24	L---7	D--14	W--29	3.0
14	HEIMANN, MARK A	PA 1438*	1445*	L--10	W--34	H----	D--13	W--31	3.0
15	OLSON, JAMES D	WV 1363*	1328*	L--36	W--32	W--44	L---6	W--35	3.0
16	WEAVER, JOSEPH C	WV 1321/24	1316*	L--17	W--45	W--38	L---4	W--34	3.0
17	RAY, PATRICK J	VA 1255*	1375*	W--16	D--20	W--10	L---2	D--11	3.0
18	BARBARA, RICHARD	PA 1248*	1303*	W--41	D---8	H----	W--27	L---6	3.0
19	COMER, DAVID J	WV 1015/18	1237/2	W---9	W--28	W--27	L---1	L---4	3.0
20	WASSELL, TERRY	WV 1348*	1345*	W--34	D--17	D---4	L---5	D--24	2.5
21	GRIMSLEY, GEORGE	FL 1297*	1295*	H----	L---7	W--36	W--39	L---9	2.5

22	KARRAKER, JAMIE	WV 1294*	1352*	W--40	W--10	D---2	L---8	L---7	2.5
23	NEWTON, JARED	VA 1220*	1249*	L---1	W--40	D---9	L--11	W--39	2.5
24	HEIMANN, ALEXANDE	PA 1193*	1224*	D---4	L--13	H----	W--36	D--20	2.5
25	STARK, NATHAN	WV 1165*	1184*	L---2	D--41	W--26	L---9	W--38	2.5
26	WASSELL, JAMES T	WV 1126*	1141*	D---7	L---4	L--25	W--42	W--41	2.5
27	WAUGH, CHARLES T	WV 1564*	1516*	W--39	W--38	L--19	L--18	U----	2.0
28	HONAKER, G L	VA 1519/18	1440	W--33	L--19	L--30	D--38	D--32	2.0
29	DURBIN, RICKY	KY 1474*	1438*	W--43	L---1	L---5	W--33	L--13	2.0
30	MALONE, WILLIAM J	OH 1440*	1432*	W--42	L---3	W--28	L--12	L--10	2.0
31	SOTIRHOS, JERRY	CA 1270*	1243*	W--37	L---2	D--39	D--35	L--14	2.0
32	BARBARA, MATTHEW	PA 1141*	1152*	L--12	L--15	H----	W--45	D--28	2.0
33	ROSEN, JEFFREY H	OH 1118*	1111*	L--28	L---9	W--37	L--29	W--43	2.0
34	PERKS, EVAN S	OH 1068*	1056*	L--20	L--14	W--43	W--44	L--16	2.0
35	HIVICK, KEVIN	VA 1067*	1125*	D--13	W--46	L---8	D--31	L--15	2.0
36	DREYLING, AURORA	IN 909*	981*	W--15	L--12	L--21	L--24	W--42	2.0
37	MOROTTI, ROBERT	CA 789/15	859	L--31	L---5	L--33	W--40	W--44	2.0
38	BURKHOLDER, BENJA	OH 1117*	1121*	W--46	L--27	L--16	D--28	L--25	1.5
39	BUCK, ARTHUR C	WV 1114/17	1099	L--27	W--42	D--31	L--21	L--23	1.5
40	BARBARA, JOSHUA	PA 994*	968*	L--22	L--23	H----	L--37	W--45	1.5
41	DAVIDSON, LUKE Z	OH 913*	960*	L--18	D--25	W--46	L--10	L--26	1.5
42	KARRAKER, KATRINA	WV 835*	799*	L--30	L--39	B----	L--26	L--36	1.0
43	DREYLING, LAUREN	IN 705*	666*	L--29	L--44	L--34	B----	L--33	1.0
44	MOORE, TIMOTHY MA	WV 0	729	L---3	W--43	L--15	L--34	L--37	1.0
45	SALMON, BILL W	WV 1002*	953*	L--11	L--16	H----	L--32	L--40	0.5
46	CASTO, AARON M	WV 1441/04	1120	L--38	L--35	L--41	U----	U----	0.0

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HARRISON COUNTY CHESS CLUB OCTOBER CHESS-FEST

On October 6, 2001 another of the series of multiple section event took place at Nutter Fort, West Virginia. Robert Jordan, mastermind and evil genius of the series, directed and organized the event.

• OPEN SECTION

Charleston's own Jim Walker won this section with a perfect 4-0 score. Byron Funkhouser finished second, losing only to Jim to finish 3-1.

The under 1500 prize was shared by Kevin Sivaneri of Morgantown, Kevin Berthoud of Pittsburgh, PA, and David Comer of Point Pleasant.

The under 1200 prize went to Glen Haynes of Parkersburg. Special underdog awards were awarded to Jason Young of Morgantown (Gold) and Jacob Lubman of Morgantown.

• K-12 SECTION

Mark and Alexander Heimann of Pittsburg, PA were cochampions of this section. Both won their first three games and drew each other in the last round.

The top team in this section was Bridgeport Middle. Cheat Lake Middle finished second.

• K-5 SECTION

T. Walker Guffey of Morgantown captured first place in this section with a 5-0 record. John Rosso of Pittsburgh took second with a 4-1 record on tie-break over Sean Coffers, Stuart Christie, and Jacob Nixon.

Boyce Middle School from Pennsylvania was top team in this section. Norwood elementary captured second place.

• K-2 SECTION

Johnny Vallelonga of Bridgeport was Champion of the K-2 section with a 4-0 record. Akhil Venkatesh of Pittsburgh, PA finished clear second with a 3-0 record.

The first place award for top team in this section was won by Heritage Christian. Norwood Elementary took second place.

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MEM ID	PLR#	NAME	ST	PreRate	PstRate	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
11477526	1	WALKER, JAMES H	WV	2029*	2035*	W---5	W---4	W---2	W---9	4.0
11018742	2	FUNKHOUSER, BYRON	WV	1740*	1747*	W---6	W---7	L---1	W---4	3.0
12669114	3	YOUNG, JASON	WV	1574*	1566*	W---8	D---9	L---4	W---7	2.5
12801615	4	YOUNG, SHIH HOUNG	WV	1561*	1569*	W--11	L---1	W---3	L---2	2.0
12646779	5	SIVANERI, KEVIN	WV	1427*	1409*	L---1	W--11	L---7	W--10	2.0
12619013	6	BERTHOUD, KEVIN	PA	1327*	1333*	L---2	W---8	L---9	W--11	2.0
12634792	7	COMER, DAVID J	WV	1238*	1284*	W--10	L---2	W---5	L---3	2.0
12562857	8	HAYNES, GLENN	WV	1143*	1145*	L---3	L---6	W--10	B----	2.0
12448721	9	BAKER, JOSEPH MIC	WV	1574*	1578*	U----	D---3	W---6	L---1	1.5
12808295	10	COWLEY, RICHARD W	WV	1095/20	1056/23	L---7	B----	L---8	L---5	1.0
12730096	11	LUBMAN, JACOB H	WV	1061*	1044*	L---4	L---5	B----	L---6	1.0

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K-12 SECTION

MEM ID	PLR#	NAME	ST	PreRate	PstRate	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
12802899	1	HEIMANN, MARK A	PA	1536*	1541*	W--15	W---8	W---5	D---2	3.5
12801477	2	HEIMANN, ALEXANDE	PA	1533*	1537*	W--12	W--10	W---9	D---1	3.5
12729445	3	GUFFEY, ERIC J	WV	1161*	1153*	W--13	L---6	W--12	W---8	3.0
12805757	4	COWLEY, BENJAMIN	WV	1118*	1119*	W--14	L---9	W---6	W--11	3.0
12728995	5	LEONARD, CORY M	WV	1098*	1130*	W--16	W--11	L---1	W---9	3.0
12761358	6	RENGASAMY, MANIVE	WV	912*	1006*	W--20	W---3	L---4	W--10	3.0
12836976	7	CHEN, DONG L	WV	1347/00	870/04	L--11	W--13	L--10	W--15	2.0
12716722	8	VINCENT, DERRICK	WV	992*	994*	W--17	L---1	W--15	L---3	2.0
12706713	9	SIVANERI, VICTOR	WV	923*	950*	W--19	W---4	L---2	L---5	2.0
12720464	10	STROVERS, DARRELL	WV	911*	917*	W--18	L---2	W---7	L---6	2.0
12824226	11	MC CLURE, CHAD H	WV	850/10	880/14	W---7	L---5	W--14	L---4	2.0
12732053	12	BUTLER, RYAN E	WV	808*	821*	L---2	W--19	L---3	W--17	2.0
12780303	13	FYLE, BRAD D	WV	725*	729*	L---3	L---7	W--16	W--18	2.0
12734956	14	YOUNG, JENNY	WV	695*	711*	L---4	W--18	L--11	W--16	2.0
12730087	15	MC CLURE, IAN	WV	840*	799*	L---1	W--20	L---8	L---7	1.0
12767670	16	SOHAIL, FARAZ	WV	523/09	528/13	L---5	W--17	L--13	L--14	1.0
12818381	17	WHITACRE, DAVID J	WV	0	508/04	L---8	L--16	W--19	L--12	1.0
12845606	18	STRADER, ISAAC	WV	0	455/04	L--10	L--14	W--20	L--13	1.0
12845620	19	WARNE, ANDREW J	WV	0	417/04	L---9	L--12	L--17	W--20	1.0
12845615	20	FORD, DANIELLE	WV	0	129/04	L---6	L--15	L--18	L--19	0.0

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K-5 SECTION

MEM ID	PLR#	NAME	ST	PreRate	PstRate	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
12729446	1	GUFFEY, T WALKER	WV	1023*	1123*	W--24	W--27	W---5	W---6	W---4	5.0
12767679	2	COFFERS, SEAN R	WV	1008*	1004*	W--12	L---5	W--23	W--21	W--10	4.0
12799879	3	CHRISTIE, STUART	WV	967*	963*	W--23	L--10	W--11	W--20	W---9	4.0
12728439	4	NIXON, JACOB L	WV	935*	965*	W--18	W--19	W--21	W---7	L---1	4.0
12772747	5	ROSSO, JOHN S	PA	923*	971*	W--25	W---2	L---1	W--13	W--16	4.0
12713502	6	BERTHOUD, KENT	PA	1023*	1017*	W--11	W--16	W--10	L---1	D---7	3.5
12810601	7	THEWES, RICHARD P	PA	840*	896*	W--17	W--20	W---9	L---4	D---6	3.5
12828522	8	PIQUEIRA, JOSEPH	PA	905/24	861*	W--14	L---9	L--12	W--18	W--17	3.0
12795558	9	GUFFEY, KEEGAN G	WV	881*	882*	W--15	W---8	L---7	W--12	L---3	3.0
12784395	10	STUTLER, JON WILL	WV	721*	767*	W--30	W---3	L---6	W--26	L---2	3.0
12812667	11	DANIEL, NORA	WV	526/20	574/25	L---6	W--28	L---3	W--31	W--21	3.0
12812374	12	THOMAS, KELVIN M	WV	533*	679*	L---2	W--25	W---8	L---9	W--19	3.0
12788405	13	GUPTA, NIKHAL	WV	449/05	545/10	L--21	W--32	W--19	L---5	W--22	3.0
12772503	14	NUZUM, CASEY	WV	396*	598*	L---8	W--15	W--22	L--16	W--20	3.0
12845618	15	MOORE, PATRICK D	WV	0	614/05	L---9	L--14	W--31	W--23	W--27	3.0
12761355	16	RENGASAMY, MATHI	WV	746*	732*	W--26	L---6	D--17	W--14	L---5	2.5
12814930	17	MC GARY, SHAUN	WV	459/23	502*	L---7	W--31	D--16	W--29	L---8	2.5
12779849	18	MC KIBBEN, HEATHE	WV	0	501/05	L---4	D--29	W--33	L---8	W--26	2.5
12811018	19	GRZONKA, ROBERT D	WV	741*	669*	W--33	L---4	L--13	W--30	L--12	2.0
12737004	20	SIVANERI, MONA D	WV	631*	606*	W--31	L---7	W--24	L---3	L--14	2.0
12843190	21	VENKATESH, NIKHIL	PA	572/08	597/13	W--13	W--22	L---4	L---2	L--11	2.0
12783869	22	KELLY, SIARA	WV	549/08	468/13	W--32	L--21	L--14	W--28	L--13	2.0
12783868	23	CONNOLLY, SAMANTH	WV	522/09	519/14	L---3	W--30	L---2	L--15	W--29	2.0
12739987	24	PUMFHREY, DANNY	WV	457*	463*	L---1	W--33	L--20	U-----	W--30	2.0
12827288	25	GRAY, CASSANDRA	WV	272/13	265/17	L---5	L--12	B-----	L--27	W--32	2.0
12811738	26	SUTTON, JACOB M	WV	211/05	283/09	L--16	B-----	W--27	L--10	L--18	2.0
12831529	27	SOHAIL, OMAR A	WV	0	385/05	W--29	L---1	L--26	W--25	L--15	2.0
12764033	28	SCHAEUVRONT, JEREM	WV	153*	113*	B-----	L--11	L--29	L--23	D--33	1.5
12845607	29	BAKER, AARON W	WV	0	266/05	L--27	D--18	W--28	L--17	L--23	1.5
12845605	30	POPE, ANDREW J	WV	0	261/05	L--10	L--23	W--32	L--19	L--24	1.0
12845617	31	LAUZAU, ASHLEY	WV	0	128/04	L--20	L--17	L--15	L--11	B-----	1.0
12845609	32	NICHOLSON, ASHLEY	WV	0	100/05	L--22	L--13	L--30	W--33	L--25	1.0
12845616	33	LAUZAU, ALISHA	WV	0	100/05	L--19	L--24	L--18	L--32	D--28	0.5

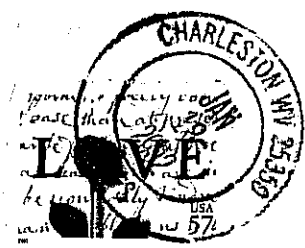


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