

THE FRAMINGHAM CHESS CLUB

A USCF AND MACA AFFILIATE

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS AUTUMN 1986

September 2, 5 (Tuesday, Friday): TEAM MATCH AGAINST THE BILLERICA CHESS CLUB. First round in Framingham Tuesday, second round in Billerica Friday.

September 9, 16, 23, 30 (Tuesdays): FRAMINGHAM SEPTEMBER SECTIONAL SWISS. 4-SS in two sections: Open and Under-1700. TL: 40/90, 15/30, SD/30. EF: FCC members \$8; others \$12. Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$20 each section; 1st Under 1850/1500 \$15.

September 16 (Tuesday): UNRATED INTRODUCTORY TOURNAMENT. 3-SS, TL SD/30. Entry restricted to rated under 1200 or unrated. EF: FCC members \$3; others \$4. Plaque or USCF membership to 1st.

October 7 (Tuesday): 1) TEAM MATCH TBA. 2) ACCELERATED QUADS. 3-RR in 4-player sections, TL SD/30. Unrated. Free entry.

October 14, 21, 28; November 4 (Tuesday): FRAMINGHAM OCTOBER TRISECTIONAL SWISS. 4-SS in three sections: Open, Under-1850, Under-1500. TL: 40/90, 15/30, SD/30. EF: FCC members \$8; others \$12. Prizes: \$40-20-15 each section.

November 11 (Tuesday): MATERIAL HANDICAP SPEED TOURNAMENT. RR-format, TL 5 min/game. Higher-rated players will give material handicap proportional to rating difference. EF: \$1; all entries returned as prizes.

November 18, 25; December 2, 9, 16, 23 (Tuesdays): MARK BOND CLASSIC. New England's first weeknight Grand-Prix tournament. 6-SS, TL 40/90, 15/30. EF: FCC members \$10; others \$15. Prizes: \$150-100-50; \$35 each to 1st Under 2000/Under 1750/Under 1500. 5 Grand Prix points available.

December 2 (Tuesday): UNRATED INTRODUCTORY TOURNAMENT. See September 16 for details.

December 27 (Saturday): FRAMINGHAM NEW YEAR'S SWISS. 4-SS, TL 40/1. See announcements in Chess Life and Chess Horizons for details.

December 30 (Tuesday): WILD CARD SWISS. 3-SS, TL SD/30. Players will select opening variations randomly from a deck of cards. EF \$2; all entries returned as prizes.

ALL EVENTS: Register by 7:15; rounds at 7:30. $\frac{1}{2}$ -point byes available in Swisses in all but the last two rounds. Abbreviations: SS=Swiss System; RR=Round-robin; EF=entry fee; SD=sudden death time control; TL=time limit. The Framingham Chess Club, one of the largest and most active in New England, meets every Tuesday night at 7:30 at 11 Beech Street, Framingham. For more information, contact Warren Pinches at 617-353-1889 or Jack Martin at 617-358-4869.

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