

Roving ChessNuts CHESS Teasers



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Roses for Moms, trophies and medals for their chess players

Each player at the 2017 Mother's Day Tournament at Greenfield Hall on May 14, received a rose to take home to Mom after their battles over the chess board.

Some of the players also took home chocolates or other candies which they had won as draw prizes

Paul Le was the winner of the grand draw prize, a

\$60 dining card, usable at a selection of restaurants.

There were also some chess draw prizes as well.

With its round-robin format, the tournament allowed for a large number of extra games to be played after the games for the trophies and awards.

"This allowed us to pit less experienced players a-

gainst the higher-rated players," said co-director Bruce Thomas, adding "This allows the lower rated player to hopefully learn from the challenge, and just perhaps score an upset."

Derek Thomas was the other director of the three-hour event which attracted about 40 players, school grades 1 to 8.

RESULTS OF MOTHER'S DAY TOURNAMENT'S 10 COMPETITIVE SECTIONS:

Section A: 1. Mark Ivanescu, 3.0; 2-3 Tied: James Windram and Paul Le, 1.5 each; 4. Alex Han.

Section B: 1. Alex Wang, 3.0; 2. Nathan Thunder, 2.0; 3. Garrick Johnson on tiebreak, 1.5; 4. Ethan Chin, 0.5.

Section C: 1. Eric Jin, 3.0; 2. Nick Pkhovelishvili, 2.0; 3. Max Pankewitz, 1.0; 4. Jacky Kuang.

Section D: 1. Max Serikov, 2.0; 2. Carter Brinkman, 1.0; 3. Terri Li.

Section E: 1. Matthew Ivanescu, 3.0; 2. Haywood Huang, 2.0; 3. Pranavan Mahendran, 1.0; 4. Anu Purevjamts.

Section F: 1. Dehai Yu on tiebreak, 3.5; 2-3 Tied: Tobi Li and Pranav Karthikeyan, 2.5 each; 4. Georgy Panayotov.

Section G: 1. Brianna Dayman, 3.0; 2. Viktor Merritt, 2.0; 3. Caleb Menard, 1.0; 4. Alex Qu.

Section H: 1. Matei Lupu, 3.0; Tied 2-3-4: Arthur Jiang, Eric Xu and Mark Jorgensen, 1.0 each

Section I: 1. Emerson Brinkman, 3.0; 2. Marina Lalic, 2.0; 3. Leo Wang, 1.0; 4. Owen Pankewitz.

Section J: 1. Armaan Patel, 2.5; 2. William Gao, 2.0; 3. Liam Cerbas, 1.5; 4. Wangxin Yu.



HAPPY HOLIDAY WEEKEND! Make sure to play some chess!

Saturday Knights classes at the Roving ChessNuts ARE being held, 9 and 10:15 a.m. The tentative Sunday fun tournament is CANCELLED