



Chess Chatter

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The **Port Huron Chess Club** meets Thursdays, except holidays, from 6:30-10:00 PM, at Palmer Park Recreation Center, 2829 Armour Street, (NE corner of Garfield Street and Gratiot Ave...1 mile North of the Blue Water Bridge) Port Huron, Michigan. Everyone is welcome. All equipment provided. Website: <http://porthuronchessclub.volasite.com>

“Into the Valley of Death Rode the 600”er, make that 4!

A featured article by newly retired Bill Wingrove.

Many people have heard of the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse. In the Biblical book of *Revelation*, they set out to create destruction and death throughout the world at the end of the first century A.D.

In the last weekend of September, **Alan Gregg, Lon Rutkofske, Dave Boucher** and yours truly, **Bill Wingrove** set out to create destruction and death at the Michigan Senior Open in Flint. The tournament was held in a senior center on the east side of Flint. We were off in separate rooms so that the tournament conditions were excellent. **Jeff Aldrich** did a fine job of running the tournament. There were about 30 players in the tournament which featured an open and a reserve section. Sometimes the four of us were destructors, sometimes destructees.

Alan prayed to the chessic gods, “Oh that I wouldst play ‘proper chess’ and chess that is not ‘crap’.” Sure enough, he had a win and three draws. Lon prayed to the chessic gods, “Oh that I couldst only beat my nemesis **Greg Bailey**,” and the chess gods said, “Um...okay.” Lon had a win, a draw and two losses. He executed fierce wrath upon Bailey. Lon played Allen in the second round and their game had a grandmaster quality to it; they agreed to a draw in 10 or 12 moves. I prayed to the chessic gods, “Oh chessic gods, I have not played a weekend tournament in 30 years. Please do not let me make a jerk out of myself.” I had two losses but drew a 1900 and a 2100 rated player. In the reserve section, Dave prayed, “Oh chessic gods, even though I have a one point bye and one point beating an unrated player, lettest me win a trophy.” The chessic gods said, “What?! Are you, nuts?”

On the way home, Lon, Dave and I stopped at an eating emporium. There were lutes, lyres, leg of lamb, beef from young calves, dancing girls and

virgins. Except we had an older male waiter. The name of the emporium was “Lucky’s,” which shows we still have a lot to learn about chess. (See the **Member Games** section for Games from the MI Senior)

Pastor to retire after 19 years at church

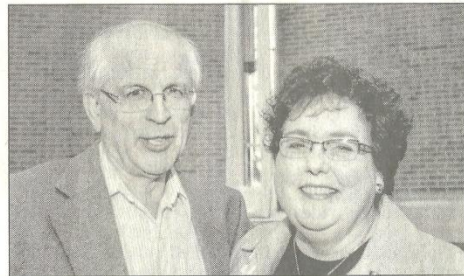
By Beth LeBlanc
Times Herald

FORT GRATIOT — After 19 years at Lakeshore Presbyterian Church, Rev. Bill Wingrove is retiring as pastor — but he’s maintaining ties to the clergy.

Wingrove’s wife, Jane Rathman, is the pastor at St. Matthew’s United Church of Christ in Adair.

And his daughter, Rebecca Wingrove, is finishing her studies at Ecumenical Theological Seminary in downtown Detroit.

“She’s just finishing up as I leave here,” Wingrove said. “It’s exciting to see her starting out. She’s full of all this ener-



The Rev. Bill Wingrove with his wife, the Rev. Jane Rathman. Wingrove will retire Saturday after 19 years as pastor at Lakeshore Presbyterian. TIMES HERALD

gy.”

Wingrove said he looks forward to retirement, but he is sad to leave behind the close relationships he developed at the Fort Gratiot church.

“I was there when people needed somebody to be there,” he said.

Don Smith, a member of the church since the 1970s and a member of the management committee,

said Wingrove has always been theologically sound and knowledgeable about the Bible.

“It’s just remarkable,” Smith said. “His interpretations are profound.”

Smith said improvements Wingrove made to the church include new pews, a new organ, stained glass windows, a new roof and a senior housing center behind the church.

Last year, Lakeshore celebrated its 60th anniversary.

Smith said more than 70 people will attend a retirement luncheon Saturday for Wingrove.

“He’s just been a solid spiritual leader,” Smith said. “He just does a mar-

velous job for his parish.”

Kelly Pittman will serve as interim pastor at Lakeshore Presbyterian Church after Wingrove’s last day.

“We have an ongoing committee who will pick a permanent pastor somewhere down the line,” Smith said.

Wingrove is confident he’s leaving the church in good hands.

“There’s a core group of people who are very committed to Lakeshore and very committed to putting time and energy into the church,” he said.

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Livingston County CC challenges PHCC to a Match.

Mike Nikitin and **Ken Lamdin** of the Livingston County Chess Club have proposed a match between our two clubs. Taking the lead from **Matt Trujillo** of Brighton, Mike is president of the Livingston County Chess Club and provided several dates for the PHCC to consider for a match. It looks like **Monday, November 25th, 2013** will be our first choice. Thusfar we have the following members interested in participating: **Lon Rutkofske, Alan Gregg, Stew Wilkinson, Bill Wingrove, Tom Broyles, Nathan Hartwig, and Cody Trombley**, but we are hoping to gather a few more interested players now that we have established a tentative date.

Our club is currently 0-2 against the west side raiders, and are eager to save face. Please let me know as soon as possible if you are interested, so I can get the ball rolling. I suspect we will use the same format as our previous two encounters: Two games at G/30 time controls. I am hoping that we can continue to count on All the King’s Men in Warren as our competition site, but that has not been confirmed as yet, since Matt was the contact person who made these arrangements with proprietor, **Dr. Ed Mandell**.

Return of Jedi Gregg Marks the End of the Wilkinson Supremacy!

It appears that Alan Gregg hasn’t lost a step in capturing his first tournament title following his return from a vacation in the UK and a respectable showing in the 2013 British Senior Championships. It appears that Stew Wilkinson’s

brief reign as PHCC's "Top Gun" is over for the time being, now that the "cat" has put in his appearance. As for Lon...well, he is but a distant memory!! Things seem to be back to normal, as what seems to have become a constant here at the PHCC with Gregg-Wilkinson match-ups ending in mostly draws. Stew seems to be content with this arrangement and certainly Alan has not balked at that status quo either.

We "also-rans" at the lower end of the ratings food chain appear to be the ones that provide the majority of the fireworks in club tournament play, battling each other, continually jockeying for a place in the winner's circle. The good news is that there has been solid interest in tournament play. Low entry fees have resulted in spirited competition which seems to be paying off when our members attend state and national tournaments. **Matt Morabito** relishes thumping a Canadian expert or two now and again at the London Chess Club and in the Canadian Open, not to mention his recent excursion to participate in the UP Championships (For which we await a full report). **Avery Jones** has played in the National Open in Las Vegas and the World Open in Washington DC, not to mention his appearance at the Michigan Open (Your editor still awaits a full report on his harrowing exploits!). **Noel Bedy**, a regular at many PHCC and Michigan tournaments, recently tried his hand at this year's MI Open. **Nathan Hartwig** won top junior honors in the 2013 Michigan Amateur and has been able to attend several PHCC events of late elevating his rating to a healthy 1653.

We look forward to having some of this elite crew contribute games to our *Member Games* section of **Chess Chatter** so we may have an opportunity to share in their trials and tribulations.

September G/10 Round Robin -- Standings

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Tot	Prize
1	Alan Gregg		1962	D2	W4	W3	W5	U---	3.5	15.00
2	Stewart Wilkinson		1911	D1	U---	W4	D3	W5	3.0	10.00
3	Lonnie Rutkofske		1829	U---	W5	L1	D2	W4	2.5	
4	G. Avery Jones		1590	W5	L1	L2	U---	L3	1.0	
5	Noel Bedy		1543	L4	L3	U---	L1	L2	0.0	

September 2013 DRR Speed Tournament -- Standings

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Tot	Prize
1	Alan Gregg		1970	#3	\$4	W2	\$5	W6	7.5	15.00
2	Lonnie Rutkofske		1832	\$6	\$5	W1	W3	W4	7.0	10.00
3	Stewart Wilkinson		1915	D1	\$6	W4	W2	\$5	6.5	
4	Nathan Hartwig		1770	\$5	L1	W3	\$6	W2	6.0	
5	Gerrit Beneker		1550	L4	L2	\$6	L1	L3	2.0	
6	Adam Nowiski		1363	L2	L3	L5	L4	W1	1.0	

Three Tie for PHCC Speed Champion Title!

Alan Gregg, Stew Wilkinson, and Lon Rutkofske failed to overpower each other in the 2013 PHCC Speed Championship tournament held on October 17th. Featuring a disappointingly low turnout, the 5 person field battled each other down to the wire with the eventual winners trading wins and draws to secure a three way tie. Probably the most notable thing about the tournament was the return of **Cody Trombley** to club play and the fact that **Gerrit Beneker** is healthy and back into the swing of tournament competition. See the crosstable below for results.



Alan Gregg



Lon Rutkofske



Stew Wilkinson

2013 PHCC Speed Championships -- Wall Chart

#	Name/Rtng/ID	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5
1	Alan Gregg 1965	2	4	3	5	----
		1.0	3.0	4.0	6.0	6.0
2	Stewart Wilkinson 1904	1	----	4	3	5
		1.0	1.0	3.0	4.0	6.0
3	Lonnie Rutkofske 1848	----	5	1	2	4
		0.0	2.0	3.0	4.0	6.0
4	Gerrit Beneker 1534	5	1	2	----	3
		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
5	Cody Trombley 1278	4	3	----	1	2
		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

Hartwig does well at the 2013 MI Amateur

2013 Michigan Amateur Championships

Crosstables and Pictures

Amateur Championship (U2000)

No.	Name	Rating	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Score
1	Peter Chen	1981	W37	W9	W16	W6	W4	5.0
2	Zachary Smith	1752	W35	D3	W26	W25	W5	4.5
3	Arthur Huerta	1448	W42	D2	W23	W8	D13	4.0
4	Thomas Triplett	1858	W39	D23	W11	W14	L1	3.5
5	Stanley Jarosz Jr	1930	W15	W30	D8	W29	L2	3.5
6	Ronald Williams	1888	W31	W10	W32	L1	D12	3.5
7	Jacob Crandell	1399	W13	L14	W22	D9	W30	3.5
8	Ricky Warnicke	1756	W33	W12	D5	L3	W29	3.5
9	Jacob Brasseur	1626	W47	L1	W33	D7	W25	3.5
10	Nathan Hartwig	1623	W43	L6	W24	W17	D15	3.5
11	Brandon O'Neil	1708	W19	W24	L4	D20	W28	3.5
12	Lily Zhou	1519	W49	L8	W36	W16	D6	3.5
13	Michael Smith	1942	L7	W50	W31	W27	D3	3.5
14	Bryan Wilson Jr	1665	W36	W7	½	L4	W23	3.5
15	Jeannie Zhang	1377	L5	W48	W34	W32	D10	3.5
16	Frederick Lahr	1800	W17	W27	L1	L12	W33	3.0
17	Nicholas Konovalenko	1284	L16	W52	W18	L10	W32	3.0
18	Michael Skidmore	1800	L24	W19	L17	W41	W35	3.0
19	Akash Narayanan	1177	L11	L18	W42	W31	W37	3.0
20	Michael Pappas	1423	W38	L32	W47	D11	D21	3.0
21	James Huerta	1656	D40	L26	W38	W45	D20	3.0
22	Jack Li	875	W53	L28	L7	W51	W40	3.0
23	Vijay Sriram	1466	W34	D4	L3	W26	L14	2.5
24	Aiden Song	1259	W18	L11	L10	W34	D27	2.5
25	Robert Ellis	1064	D26	W45	W28	L2	L9	2.5
26	Don Schmitz	Unr	D25	W21	L2	L23	W41	2.5
27	James Karakos	1554	W52	L16	W35	L13	D24	2.5
28	Soumya Kulkarni	1549	½	W22	L25	W44	L11	2.5
29	Surya Parasuraman	1557	D41	W40	W44	L5	L8	2.5
30	David Sundeen	1613	W48	L5	½	W40	L7	2.5
31	James Lemon	1327	L6	W43	L13	L19	W46	2.0
32	Chris Schmidt	1755	WF	W20	L6	L15	L17	2.0
33	James O'Neil	1248	L8	W49	L9	W36	L16	2.0
34	Joshua Song	833	L23	W39	L15	L24	W47	2.0
35	Adam Gaisinsky	1204	L2	W42	L27	W38	L18	2.0
36	Jade Ge	1121	L14	W53	L12	L33	W48	2.0
37	Sasha Konovalenko	1406	L1	L47	W48	W43	L19	2.0
38	Justin Wu	815	L20	Bye	L21	L35	W50	2.0
39	Ed Mandell	1288	L4	L34	W49	W47	---	2.0
40	Connor Linn	1049	D21	L29	W51	L30	L22	1.5
41	Jared Ge	916	D29	L44	W46	L18	L26	1.5
42	Ben Li	819	L3	L35	L19	Bye	D43	1.5
43	Stefano Lee	943	L10	L31	W53	L37	D42	1.5
44	John Ryskamp	1237	½	W41	L29	L28	---	1.5
45	Jonah Lowery	1415	½	L25	W50	L21	---	1.5
46	Walter Linn	648	½	---	L41	W50	L31	1.5
47	Arnav Nadgir	1009	L9	W37	L20	L39	L34	1.0
48	Justin Song	936	L30	L15	L37	W49	L36	1.0
49	Nathan Ouyang	865	L12	L33	L39	L48	W51	1.0
50	Saket Kulkarni	885	½	L13	L45	L46	L38	0.5
51	Alexander Boyd	764	½	---	L40	L22	L49	0.5
52	Rishi Shetty	906	L27	L17	½	---	---	0.5
53	John Brauker	1543	L22	L36	L43	---	---	0.0



Champion: Peter Chen



2nd Place: Zachary Smith
3rd Place: Arthur Huerta



1st U1800: Jacob Crandell
2nd U1800: Ricky Warnicke



2nd U1600: Jeannie Zhang
1st U1600: Lily Zhou



2nd U1400: Akash Narayanan
1st U1400: N. Konovalenko



1st U1200: Jack Li
2nd U1200: Robert Ellis



1st U1000: Joshua Song



Top Senior: Mike Skidmore



Top Junior: Nathan Hartwig

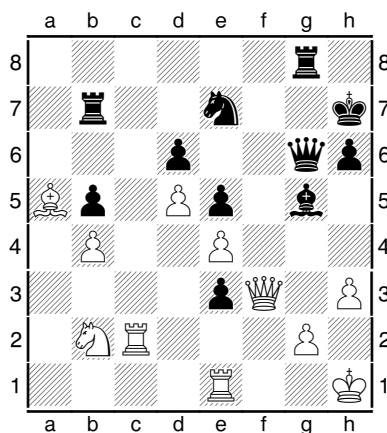
Members' Games

Please send me what you consider your best games, annotated or not, so that I might be able to showcase them. The following games represent contests that have been available at the time of this printing. Email them to me or give them to me personally, if you wish. Majority of analyses is done by Fritz 12, unless otherwise indicated.

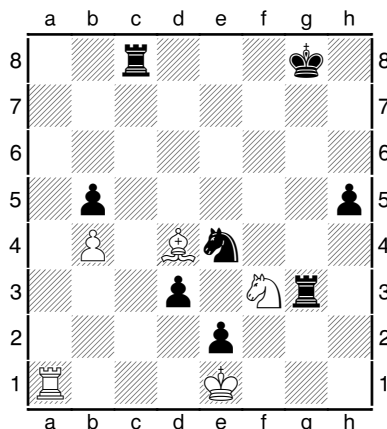
Bailey, Gregory (1996) - Rutkofske, Lonnie (1802) [A40] Modern Defense

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (1), 28.09.2013

1.Nf3 e6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.d4 Ne7 5.e4 0-0 6.Be2 d6 7.Qc2 Nd7 8.Be3 a6 9.0-0 b6 10.b4 Bb7 11.Rac1 Qe8 12.Rfd1 h6 13.Qd2 Kh7 14.Ne1 Rd8 15.Nd3 e5 16.d5 f5 17.f3 Bc8 18.Na4 Nf6 19.Nc3 f4 20.Bf2 g5 21.c5 b5 22.cxd6 cxd6 23.Bb6 Rd7 24.Nb2 Rb7 25.Ba5 Qg6 26.a4 g4 27.Kh1 Qh5 28.fxg4 Bxg4 29.Bxg4 Nxb4 30.h3 Ne3 31.Re1 Bf6 32.Ncd1 Rg8 33.Nxe3 fxe3 34.Qe2 Qg6 35.Qf3 Bg5 36.axb5 axb5 37.Rc2? Diagram



37...Nxd5 38.Nd1 Rf7 39.Qe2 Qxe4 40.Rd2 Nf4? 41.Qxe3 Qxe3 42.Nxe3 d5 43.Ng4 e4 44.Ne3 Nd3 45.Ree2 d4 46.Ng4 Bxd2 47.Rxd2 h5 48.Nh2 Nf2+ 49.Kg1 Nxb3+ 50.Kh1 Nf2+ 51.Kg1 e3 52.Ra2 Rfg7 53.Kf1 Rxb2 54.Nf3 d3 55.Bb6 e2+ 56.Ke1 Ne4 57.Bd4 Rc8 58.Ra7+ Kg8 59.Ra1 Rg3? Diagram

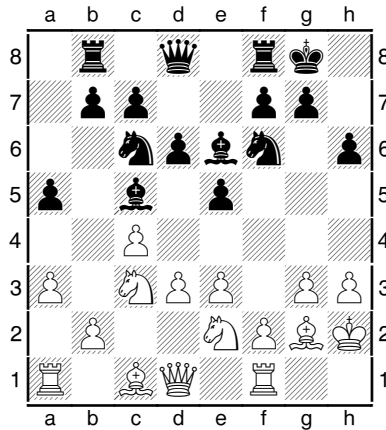


[59...Rf8! wins the N immediately!] **60.Ne5** [Best here is 61...Rc1+ 62.Rc1, d2+ queens! after 63.Ke2] **60...Rd8 61.Nxd3 Rxd3 62.Kxe2 R3xd4 63.Rg1+ Kh7 64.Ke3 Rxb4 65.Rh1 Kh6 66.Ra1 Rg8 67.Ra6+ Kg5 68.Kd3 h4 69.Ra1 Rd8+ 70.Ke3 Ng3 0-1**

Rutkofske,Lonnie (1802) - Gregg,Alan (2000) [A25] English Opening

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint Flint (2), 28.09.2013

1.c4 e5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.g3 Nc6 4.Bg2 Bc5 5.d3 h6 6.e3 0-0 7.Nge2 a6 8.0-0 Rb8 9.a3 a5 10.h3 d6 11.Kh2 Be6?! Diagram

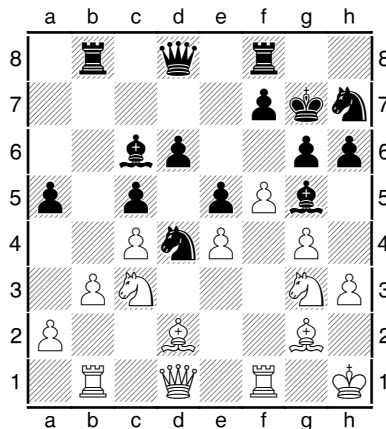


[It was only after my next move that Alan pointed out that 12.d4! wins a piece! But at this point I was only seeking a quick draw, since my previous game stretched into the second round and I was rather exhausted.] **12.f4** [Draw Agreed] **12...exf4** ½-½

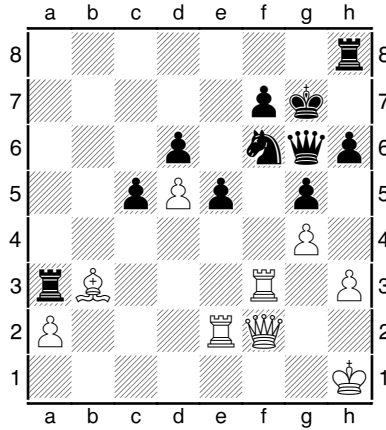
Rutkofske,Lonnie (1802) - Fischvogt,Eric (2223) [A36] Symmetrical English

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (3), 29.09.2013

1.c4 e6 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.g3 c5 4.Bg2 Nc6 5.e4 Be7 6.d3 0-0 7.Nge2 b6 8.0-0 Bb7 9.f4 d6 10.h3 a6 11.Qd2 Rb8 12.b3 Ba8 13.g4 h6 14.Ng3 Nh7 15.Nce2 Bf6 16.Rb1 g6 17.Kh2 b5 18.Bb2 e5 19.f5 Bg5 20.Qd1 bxc4 21.dxc4 Nd4 22.Bc3 Bc6 23.Bd2 a5 24.Nc3 Kg7 25.Kh1? Diagram



[25.Kg1 was probably better!] **25...Ra8 26.Nge2 Rh8 27.Ng1 Nf6 28.Rb2 Ra7 29.Qe1 Bxd2 30.Rxd2 g5 31.Bf3 a4 32.Bd1 axb3 33.Bxb3 Qa5 34.Qe3 Qb4 35.Nf3 Nxf3 36.Rxf3 Nxe4 37.f6+ Nxf6 38.Nd5 Bxd5 39.cxd5 Qe4 40.Qf2 Ra3 41.Re2 Qg6**
Diagram

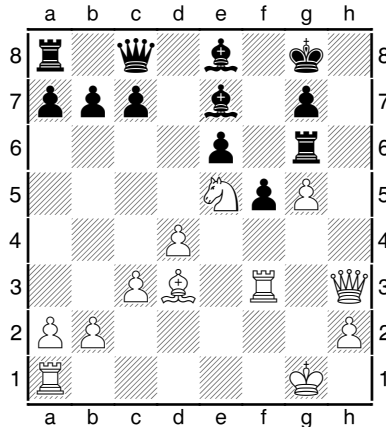


42.Rf5 h5 43.Qe3 hxc4 44.Rxc4 Rxc4+ 45.Qxc4 gxc4 46.Rxc4+ fxc4 47.Kh2 g5 48.Kg3 g4 49.Rf2 Kg6 0-1

Morris,Jewel (1700) - Rutkofske,Lonnie (1802) [C10] French Defense Winawer Var.

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (4), 29.09.2013

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 dxe4 4.Nxe4 h6 5.Nf3 Nf6 6.Bd3 Nbd7 7.Bf4 Nxe4 8.Bxe4 Bd6 9.Ne5 Nf6 10.Bd3 0-0 11.0-0 Nd5 12.Bd2 Nb4 13.Bxb4 Bxb4 14.c3 Be7 15.Qh5 f5 16.f4 Rf6 17.Rf3 Bd7 18.g4 Be8 19.Qh3 Qc8 20.g5 hxc5 21.fxc5 Rg6
Diagram



22.Rxf5!! exf5 23.Bc4+ Re6 24.Qxf5 Bd7 25.Nxd7 1-0

Gregg,Alan (2000) - Wingrove,William (1687) [A36] Symmetrical English

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (1), 28.09.2013

1.c4 c5 2.g3 g6 3.Nc3 Nc6 4.Bg2 Bg7 5.e3 d6 6.Nge2 e6 7.d4 cxd4 8.exd4 Nge7 9.0-0 0-0 10.Be3 a6 11.Qd2 Rb8 12.Bh6 b5 13.Bxc7 Kxc7 14.d5 exd5 15.cxb5 axb5 16.Nxd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 Ne5 18.Nf4 Bb7 19.b3 Qf6 20.Kg2 Rfd8 21.Rac1 Rd7 22.f3 Kg8 23.Rc2 Rc8 24.Bxb7 Rxc2 25.Qxc2 Rxb7 26.Qc8+ 1-0

Hahn,David (2000) - Gregg,Alan (2107) [A36] Symmetrical English

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (3), 29.09.2013

1.c4 c5 2.g3 g6 3.Bg2 Bg7 4.Nc3 Nc6 5.e4 Nd4 6.Nge2 d6 7.0-0 e6 8.d3 Ne7 9.Nxd4 cxd4 10.Ne2 0-0 11.b4 e5 12.Rb1 b6 13.f4 Rb8 14.a4 f5 15.fxe5 dxe5 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bxe7 Qxe7 18.Kh1 Bb7 19.Qd2 fxe4 20.Bxe4 Bxe4+ 21.dxe4 Rxf1+

22.Rxf1 Rf8 23.Rxf8+ Qxf8 24.Ng1 Qf1 25.c5 Qc4 26.cxb6 axb6 27.Nf3 Qf1+
28.Ng1 Qc4 ½-½

Gregg,Alan (2000) - Garrison,Ray (1869) [C48] 4 Knights Game

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (4), 29.09.2013

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Nc3 Nc6 4.Bb5 Nd4 5.0-0 Nxb5 6.Nxb5 d6 7.d4 Nxe4 8.dxe5
Bd7 9.Qe2 d5 10.Bf4 Bc5 11.e6 Bxb5 12.exf7+ Kxf7 13.Qxb5 Rf8 14.Ng5+ Nxf5
15.Bxf5 Qxf5 16.Qxc5 c6 17.c4 Rfe8 18.Rad1 Re2 19.Qb4 Qe7 20.Qb3 dxc4
21.Qxc4+ Kf8 22.Rd3 Re6 23.Re3 Re8 24.Rxe6 Qxe6 25.Qc5+ Re7 26.Qxa7 Qd6
27.Qa8+ Kf7 28.Qa4 Qd2 29.Qb3+ Kf8 30.g3 Rf7 31.Qa3+ Re7 32.f4 Ke8 33.Qc3
Qxc3 34.bxc3 ½-½

Bill had a 1 Point Bye for Round 2 but played the extra rated game below:

Wingrove,William (1661) - Lowery,Jonah (1366) [B54] Sicilian Defense

2013 MI Senior Championships(ExtraGame) Flint, 28.09.2013

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 e5 5.Nb5 h6 6.Be2 Nf6 7.N5c3 a6 8.Na3 b5
9.Ncb1 Bb7 10.f3 Nc6 11.Be3 Be7 12.0-0 0-0 13.c4 b4 14.Nc2 a5 15.Nd2 Qc7
16.Qe1 Nd7 17.Qg3 Kh8 18.Qf2 f5 19.exf5 Rxf5 20.Bd3 Rf7 21.Qg3 Nf8 22.f4 Bf6
23.Rab1 a4 24.Be4 Nd4 25.Bxd4 exd4 26.Nxb4 Bxe4 27.Nxe4 Be7 28.Rbc1 Nd7
29.Nd5 Qb7 30.Qf2 Nf6 31.Qxd4 Nxd5 32.Qxd5 Qa7+ 33.Kh1 Raf8 34.Nxd6 Bxd6
35.Qxd6 Rf6 36.Qe5 Rf5 37.Qe4 Qb8 38.Qe2 Rxf4 39.Rxf4 Rxf4 40.Re1 Qb4
41.Rc1 Qc5 42.h3 Rf2 43.Qe8+ Kh7 44.Qxa4 Rxb2 45.Rc2?? Rb1+ 46.Kh2 Qg1+
47.Kg3 Qe3+ 48.Kh2 Qg1+ 49.Kg3 Rb6 50.Qa3 Rg6+ 51.Kf3 Qd1+ 52.Re2 Rf6+
53.Kg3 Qxe2 54.Qb3 Qe5+ 0-1

Wingrove,William (1661) - Hahn,David (2107) [B07] Pirc Defense

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (3), 29.09.2013

1.e4 d6 2.d4 Nf6 3.Nc3 g6 4.Bd3 Bg7 5.Nge2 Nc6 6.f3 0-0 7.Be3 e5 8.d5 Nb4
9.Qd2 Nxd3+ 10.Qxd3 Ne8 11.g4 f5 12.gxf5 gxf5 13.0-0-0 f4 14.Bf2 Kh8 15.h4
Bf6 16.Rdg1 Bd7 17.Qd1 Qe7 18.Rg2 Qf7 19.Ng1 Be7 20.Nh3 Bxh3 21.Rxh3 a6
22.Qg1 Nf6 23.Qh1 Nh5 24.Rg4 Rg8 25.Rh2 Ng3 26.Qg2 h5 27.Rxg8+ Rxg8
28.Qh3 Bf6 29.Kd1 Qe7 30.Ke1 b5 31.a3 Qe8 32.Rg2 Qc8 33.Qxc8 Rxc8 34.Rh2
Rb8 35.b4 Ra8 36.Ne2 Nxe2 37.Kxe2 a5 38.Kd3 axb4 39.axb4 Ra4 40.c3 Ra2
41.c4 bxc4+ 42.Kxc4 Rc2+ 43.Kb5 Kg7 44.Ka6 Kf7 45.Kb7 Ke7 46.Bg1 Rxh2
47.Bxh2 ½-½

**Wingrove,William (1661) - Smith,Michael R (1975) [C01] French Defense-
Exchange Variation**

2013 MI Senior Championships Flint (4), 29.09.2013

1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.exd5 exd5 4.Nc3 c6 5.Nf3 Bd6 6.Be2 Ne7 7.0-0 Bg4 8.h3 Bh5
9.Re1 Nd7 10.Be3 Qc7 11.Qd3 Bg6 12.Qd2 0-0 13.Nh4 Rae8 14.Nxg6 Nxg6
15.Bf3 Nh4 16.Be2 Nf5 17.Bd3 Nxe3 18.fxe3 Nf6 19.e4 dxe4 20.Nxe4 Nxe4
21.Bxe4 f5 22.Bf3 Bg3 23.Re2 Qd7 24.Rd1 Rxe2 25.Bxe2 Re8 26.Bf3 ½-½

Boucher,David (1335) - Webb,Troy (Unr) [B53] Sicilian Defense

2013 MI Senior Championships ,Reserve Flint (4), 29.09.2013

1.e4 c5 2.d4 d6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Nc3 Bd7 5.e5 dxe5 6.dxe5 Ng4 7.Bc4 e6 8.0-0 Nc6
9.Bf4 Be7 10.Qe2 0-0 11.Rad1 Qc7 12.Bd3 Qd8 13.Nb5 Qc8 14.Nd6 Qc7 15.h3
Nh6 16.Bxh6 gxh6 17.Nh2 Kh8 18.Ng4 Rg8 19.Nxh6 Rg7 20.Qh5 Bxd6 21.exd6
Qb8 22.Nxf7+ Kg8 23.Nh6+ Kf8 24.Qf3+ Ke8 25.Qf6 Rxg2+ 26.Kxg2 Nd4 27.Qe7#
1-0

PHCC Rating Lists

The following list represents only current members of the Port Huron Chess Club. Current USCF ratings were used for members that had them, in order to establish the initial club rating list. The USCF rating format is used as the basis for calculating our club rating list. Members that had no USCF ratings are given a provisional rating based on their performances against regular club members who had USCF ratings. Club rated events will use these ratings for pairing purposes.

PHCC Rating List as of 10/20/13

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>
Bruziewicz, Andy	2118
Gregg, Alan	1956
Wilkinson, Stew	1883
Rutkofske, Lon	1836
Morabito, Matt	1780
Jones, G. Avery	1684
Wingrove, Bill	1680
Fiedler, Bob	1646
Hartwig, Nathan	1644
Bedy, Noel	1636
Beneker, Gerrit	1545
Kulkarni, Atul	1513
Scholfield, Chris	1503
Boucher, Dave	1463
Mariani, Gino	1321
Rob Brown	1300
Cody Trombley	1278
Archer, Kraig	1200
Carey, Jay	1000
Allen, Nathan	984
Nowiski, Adam	919
Kulkarni, Atharva	867

USCF Ratings as of 10/20/13

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>
Bruziewicz, Andy	2121
Gregg, Alan	1998
Wilkinson, Stew	1840
Rutkofske, Lon	1816
Morabito, Matt	1793
Fiedler, Robert	1713
Wingrove, Bill	1692
Hartwig, Nathan	1653
Jones, G. Avery	1588
Bedy, Noel	1556
Boucher, Dave	1313
Trombley, Cody	1278
Mariani, Gino	939P

PHCC Speed Rating List as of 10/20/13

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rating</u>
Bruziewicz, Andy	2248
Gregg, Alan	1960
Wilkinson, Stew	1909
Rutkofske, Lon	1864
Hartwig, Nathan	1784
Morabito, Matt	1701
Fiedler, Robert	1608
Jones, G. Avery	1590
Wingrove, Bill	1561
Scholfield, Chris	1552
Bedy, Noel	1519
Kulkarni, Atul	1513
Beneker, Gerrit	1500
Nowiski, Adam	1364
Mariani, Gino	1333
Trombley, Cody	1292
Carey, Jay	1000
Allen, Nathan	984
Kulkarni, Atharva	867
Archer, Kraig	750

Calendar of Events: Note the change for the First Thursday of Each Month.

First Thursday of Each Month - Chess Clinics– 6:30 to 7:00 PM - \$7.50 per person. From 7:00 until 10:00, Players wishing to play games with longer time controls up to G/90 can choose to play match games if they so desire. Participants will be paired randomly and colors will be selected by lot. PHCC club ratings will be used. Players should turn their game scores into Lon, so he can adjust ratings appropriately and showcase the games in *Chess Chatter*.

NO MEETING on Halloween – October 31st!

November 14th - **Duncan’s Turkey Gobbler Tournament “fun tournament”:** 6 rounds – featuring handicap speed, fixed positions, pre-selected openings, problem solving, G/15 events. EF\$ 5.00, prizes based on entries; Plaque for over-all champion: class prizes for each section (A fun event created by Bob Duncan in 1980.) ! A minimum of 4 participants will be necessary to hold the event. Please contact Lon via phone or email if you plan to register. Play begins at 7:00 PM.

NO MEETING on Thanksgiving – November 28th!

November 21st - **PHCC Rated Mini-Swiss** – G/30 EF: \$5.00 ...Prizes based on entries. A minimum of 4 participants will be necessary to hold the event. Please contact Lon via phone or email if you plan to register! A minimum of 4 participants will be necessary to hold the event. Please contact Lon via phone or email if you plan to register. Play begins at 7:00 PM.

NO Tournaments in December: 2014 PHCC Champs begin January 9th....register early.

Dues News:

While dues are not required for anyone interested in playing at the club, they are required for those competing in tournament play. Annual Dues are \$20.00 for adults and \$10.00 for those under 19. Dues funds are used to offset miscellaneous expenses not funded by the Recreation Department.

Expiring Memberships as of November 2013:

Bruziewicz, Andy

Beginning with the first meeting in October, the front doors will be locked at 7:00 for security reasons, and anyone arriving after that should come to the door on the NW side of the building to gain access.