



4th Annual
Dancing Knights Scholastic
 Chess Tournament
 November 12th, 2011
 Valley Intermediate School * Pelham, AL

The 4th annual Dancing Knight Scholastic was held at Valley Intermediate School. We had 30 children/chess students to participate from many schools throughout the metro Birmingham area – Thompson Intermediate, Advent, Helena Intermediate, Valley Intermediate, Phillips Academy, Cherokee Bend, Paine Intermediate, Oak Mountain Intermediate, Hilltop Montessori, and Gwin Elementary.

We truly appreciate the sponsors – Shelby County Schools Community Education (Kay Dummier and Janet Gulledge, Managers), Valley Intermediate School (Dana Payne, Principal), and Paul and Dana Furman (Concession Managers) for their continuous support for chess. Thanks to you all!

Join us for the 2011 Magic City Classic chess tournament on December 17th at the Birmingham Bridge Club. Email us at: CaesarChess@yahoo.com. Follow us at: www.AlabamaChess.com – click on Calendar.

Final Standings: Dancing Knights Scholastic: Open (K-12)

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Tot	Prize
1	Jonathan Raspberry	14678910	901	979	AL	W2	L3	B---	W5	W4	4.0	1st
2	Samson Sands	14547360	1166	1149	AL	L1	W5	W3	W4	B---	4.0	2nd
3	Dustin Chumley	14342682	672	785	AL	W4	W1	L2	B---	L5	3.0	3rd
4	John Lawrence	13614880	1038	959	AL	L3	B---	W5	L2	L1	2.0	Gold
5	David Fox	14050212	656	676	AL	B---	L2	L4	L1	W3	2.0	Silver

Final Standings: Dancing Knights Scholastic: Middle (K-8)

#	Name	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Tot	Prize
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1	Neil Furman	unr.	1150	AL	W4	W3	W2	W5	W6	W7	6.0	1st
2	Skyler Bolton	unr.	1085	AL	W7	W5	L1	W4	D3	W10	4.5	2nd
3	Robin Raisch	unr.	1076	AL	W8	L1	W6	W7	D2	W5	4.5	3rd
4	Ryan Woods	unr.	754	AL	L1	W7	W10	L2	D8	W9	3.5	Gold
5	Helena Urban	unr.	817	AL	W6	L2	W8	L1	W9	L3	3.0	Silver
6	Nathan Gordon	unr.	703	AL	L5	W9	L3	W10	L1	W8	3.0	Bronze
7	Jackson Nolen	unr.	638	AL	L2	L4	W9	L3	W10	L1	2.0	
8	Preston Davis	unr.	463	AL	L3	W10	L5	L9	D4	L6	1.5	
9	Dylan Kirk	unr.	437	AL	D10	L6	L7	W8	L5	L4	1.5	
10	Ian King	unr.	350	AL	D9	L8	L4	L6	L7	L2	0.5	

Final Standings: Dancing Knights Scholastic: Elementary (K-4)

#	Name	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Tot	Prize
1	Christopher Chen	unr.	1100	AL	W13	L3	W6	W7	W9	W4	5.0	1st
2	AJ Sands	unr.	1034	AL	D9	W10	W8	L4	W3	W5	4.5	2nd
3	Harper Hall	unr.	1037	AL	W5	W1	L4	W8	L2	W7	4.0	3rd
4	Sam Smith	unr.	1002	AL	W11	W15	W3	W2	L5	L1	4.0	Gold
5	Aaron Chumley	unr.	947	AL	L3	W13	W11	W9	W4	L2	4.0	Silver
6	Daniel Kings	unr.	850	AL	L7	W14	L1	W10	W8	W12	4.0	Bronze
7	Miles Wadiche	unr.	782	AL	W6	L8	W12	L1	W14	L3	3.0	
8	Richard Oehrlein	unr.	733	AL	W14	W7	L2	L3	L6	B---	3.0	
9	Will Throckmorton	unr.	741	AL	D2	D12	W15	L5	L1	W13	3.0	
10	Thomas Damsgard	unr.	678	AL	D12	L2	W13	L6	D11	W14	3.0	
11	Kaleb Martin	unr.	622	AL	L4	B---	L5	D12	D10	W15	3.0	

12	Travis Hopper-Haas	unr.	575	AL	D10	D9	L7	D11	B---	L6	2.5	
13	Ollie Vance	unr.	459	AL	L1	L5	L10	B---	W15	L9	2.0	
14	Bryanna Brown	unr.	427	AL	L8	L6	B---	W15	L7	L10	2.0	
15	Tamarine Raisch	unr.	350	AL	X16	L4	L9	L14	L13	L11	1.0	
16	Caroline Simmons	unr.	350	AL	F15	U---	U---	U---	U---	U---	0.0	

Final Standings - Top Teams

Dancing Knights Scholastic: Middle (K-8) – 1st Place Team

Valley Intermediate School

Players: Neil Furman, Skyler Bolton, Dylan Kirk, and Ian King.

Coach: Caesar Lawrence

Dancing Knights Scholastic: Elementary (K-4) – 1st Place Team

Thompson Intermediate School

Players: Thomas Damsgard, Kaleb Martin, Travis Hopper-Haas, and Bryanna Brown.

Coach: Susan Mitchell and Caesar Lawrence

Chief Tournament Director (TD): Caesar Lawrence

Assistant TD: Mark Stribling, Paul Furman and Dana Furman

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Attendance: 30 Players

USCF Report: <http://www.uschess.org/msa/XtblMain.php?201111128301>