



4th Annual
Alabaster Scholastic

Chess Tournament Report
 3 MAR 2012

Thompson Intermediate School * Alabaster, AL

The Thompson Intermediate School - Warrior Chess Club hosted the 4th Annual Alabaster Scholastic on Saturday, March 3rd. It was a cool, rainy day. For the kids, it was a great time to be inside playing chess.

The children represented public and private schools from Shelby County and the metro Birmingham area schools. They played some competitive chess games.

We are truly thankful that Thompson Intermediate School (Dr. Ke'Andrea Jones - Principal and Mrs. Susan Mitchell - GRC/Chess Coordinator) hosted to the Alabaster Scholastic again. Their continuous support for chess in Alabaster is greatly appreciated. And, Thanks to Mrs. Jennifer Nolen and her volunteers for running the concession.

The 2012 Alabaster Scholastic Team Winners:

Elementary (K-4; Not Rated) Section:

Team – 1st Place: Caesar Chess at Thompson Intermediate School

Players: Travis Hopper-Haas, Kaleb Martin, Shelby Rollo, Jack Lowery, and Mykah Nolen. Coach: Caesar Lawrence

Team – 2nd Place: Thompson Intermediate School – Warrior Chess Club

Players: Bryanna Brown, Nikki Standlee and Emilio Guerrero. Coach: Susan Mitchell

On April 14th, we will be playing chess at the 4th Annual Pushing Pawns Scholastic chess tournament – to be held at Helena Intermediate School. For more information about chess events in the Birmingham area, send an email to: CaesarChess@yahoo.com.

Final Standings. ALABASTER SCHOLASTIC: OPEN (K-12; Rated)

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Tot	Prize
1	Jonathan Raspberry	14678910	1020	1117	AL	W3	U---	W5	W4	D2	3.5	1st
2	Wesley Brown	14667450	1233	1229	AL	W5	W4	U---	D3	D1	3.0	2nd
3	Logan Mercer	13948871	1327	1292	AL	L1	W5	W4	D2	U---	2.5	3rd
4	Manish Nagaraj	14634052	529	530	AL	U---	L2	L3	L1	W5	1.0	Gold
5	Neil Furman	14767436	unr.	130	AL	L2	L3	L1	U---	L4	0.0	Silver

Final Standings. ALABASTER SCHOLASTIC: MIDDLE (K-8; Not Rated)

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Tot	Prize
1	Brooks Lovoy		unr.	1063	AL	W9	L5	W7	W6	W2	W4	5.0	1st
2	Isaac Barnett		unr.	1025	AL	W4	D6	W8	W3	L1	W5	4.5	2nd
3	James Shi		unr.	870	AL	W7	W8	W6	L2	L4	W9	4.0	3rd
4	Deven Rivera		unr.	846	AL	L2	D10	W9	W5	W3	L1	3.5	Gold
5	Christopher Cheng		unr.	797	AL	L6	W1	W10	L4	W7	L2	3.0	Silver
6	Michael Cocoris		unr.	825	AL	W5	D2	L3	L1	W10	H---	3.0	Bronze
7	Jackson Nolen		unr.	689	AL	L3	W9	L1	W8	L5	W10	3.0	Bronze
8	Gavin Baker		unr.	515	AL	W10	L3	L2	L7	D9	B---	2.5	
9	Chandler Olivier		unr.	501	AL	L1	L7	L4	W10	D8	L3	1.5	
10	Tyrese Boddie		unr.	350	AL	L8	D4	L5	L9	L6	L7	0.5	

Final Standings. ALABASTER SCHOLASTIC: ELEMENTARY (K-4; Not Rated)

#	Name	ID	Rtng	Post	St	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Rd 5	Rd 6	Tot	Prize
1	Sijing Wu		unr.	1150	AL	W7	W3	W6	W2	W5	W8	6.0	1st
2	Bryan Zhao		unr.	1150	AL	W13	W12	W11	L1	W7	W3	5.0	2nd
3	Travis Hopper-Haas		unr.	1015	AL	W9	L1	W10	W12	W6	L2	4.0	3rd
4	Bryanna Brown		unr.	753	AL	L10	L8	W14	W9	W13	W6	4.0	Gold
5	Kaleb Martin		unr.	774	AL	D11	L9	W13	W10	L1	W12	3.5	Silver

6	Nikki Standlee		unr.	855	AL	W8	W10	L1	W7	L3	L4	3.0	Bronze
7	Ben Gulledge		unr.	818	AL	L1	W14	W9	L6	L2	W11	3.0	Bronze
8	Shelby Rollo		unr.	727	AL	L6	W4	L12	W11	W14	L1	3.0	Bronze
9	Jack Lowery		unr.	660	AL	L3	W5	L7	L4	D10	W13	2.5	
10	Jakob Hill		unr.	662	AL	W4	L6	L3	L5	D9	W14	2.5	
11	Nathan Lusco		unr.	668	AL	D5	W13	L2	L8	W12	L7	2.5	
12	Harper Bowling		unr.	618	AL	W14	L2	W8	L3	L11	L5	2.0	
13	Mykah Nolen		unr.	409	AL	L2	L11	L5	W14	L4	L9	1.0	
14	Emilio Guerrero		unr.	350	AL	L12	L7	L4	L13	L8	L10	0.0	

Chief Tournament Director: Caesar Lawrence

Assistant Tournament Directors: Susan Mitchell, Jennifer Nolen and Wesley Brown

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Attendance: 29 Players (5 in Rated Section and 24 in Not Rated Sections)

USCF Rating Report: <http://www.uschess.org/msa/XtblMain.php?201203032352>