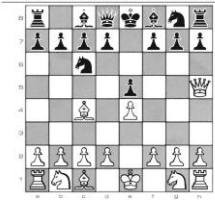


Pushing Pawns Scholastic



4th Annual
Pushing Pawns Scholastic
Chess Tournament Report
April 14, 2012
Helena Intermediate School * Helena, AL

Helena Intermediate played host to the Pushing Pawns Scholastic chess tournament. Thirty one children from schools in Shelby, Jefferson and St. Clair counties participated.

We are truly thankful and grateful that Helena Intermediate (Dr. Wayne Williams, Principal) played host to the Pushing Pawns Scholastic. Many "Thanks" goes to Ms. Kay Dummier, Comm Ed Manager, too. Her support of our efforts to teach and promote chess is greatly appreciated. "Thanks to You All" – students, parents and coaches.

The 2012 Pushing Pawns Scholastic Individual Winners:

Open (K-12; Rated):

- 1st: Charles Troutman III (Trinity School - Atlanta, GA) – with 3.5 points
- Eric He (Vestavia Hills Elementary Liberty Park) – with 3.5 points
- John Lawrence (Advent Episcopal) – with 3.5 points
- 4th: Isaac Barnett (Thompson Middle) – with 2.5 points
- 5th: Harvey He (Liberty Park Middle) – with 2 points

Middle (K-8; Not Rated):

- 1st: Sijing Wu (Bluff Park Elementary) – with 5 points
- 2nd: Brooks Lovoy (Helena Intermediate) - with 4 points
- 3rd: Bruce Gentry (Sun Valley Elementary) - with 3.5 points
- 4th: Deven Rivera (Phillips Academy) – with 3 points
- 5th: Christopher Cheng (Gwin Elementary) – with 3 points
- 6th: Austin Tomlinson (Home Schooled) – with 3 points

Elementary (K-4; Not Rated):

- 1st: Tyler Graydon (Helena Intermediate) – with 5 points
- 2nd: Rochelle Wu (Bluff Park Elementary) - with 4 points
- 3rd: Harper Bowling (Helena Intermediate) – with 3 points
- 4th: Richard Oehrlein (Helena Intermediate) – with 3 points
- 5th: Tucker Lovoy (Helena Intermediate) – with 3 points
- 6th: Nathan Lusco (Oak Mtn Intermediate) – with 3 points
- 7th: Bryanna Brown (Thompson Intermediate) – with 3 points.

The 2012 Pushing Pawns Scholastic Team Winners:

Middle (K-8; Not Rated):

1st Place Team - Sun Valley Elementary School (Team B)
Players: Bruce Gentry, Tylar Wright and Cameron Humes.
Coach: Brad Fournier

2nd Place Team - Sun Valley Elementary School (Team A)
Players: Denzel Quates, Kelsey Ball and Kenneth McAphee.
Coach: Brad Fournier

Elementary (K-4; Not Rated):

1st Place Team - Helena Intermediate School

Players: Tyler Graydon, Harper Bowling, Richard Oehrlein, Tucker Lovoy, and Ben Gullledge. Coach: Caesar Lawrence

2nd Place Team - Sun Valley Elementary School

Players: Brylan Williams, Justin Barron, John Collins, Zy'Keria Roseman, and Shaniya Plump. Coach: Brad Fournier

Our next tournament, Summer Scholastic on May 19th at Sun Valley Elementary.

Chief Tournament Director: Caesar Lawrence

Assistant Tournament Directors: Brad Fournier, Andrew Rozsa, Cindy Lovoy, Patrick and Tanya Lusco, Terry Barnett, Janet Gullledge, and Kay Dummier.

Sponsor: Caesar Chess: www.CaesarChess.com

Attendance: 31 Players – [Tournament Final Standings](#)

USCF Rating Report: <http://www.uschess.org/msa/XtblMain.php?201204147632>