

April 22, 1968
Annual Dues = \$1.00

IDAHO CHESS REPORT

2316 Regan Ave.
Boise, Idaho 83702

PLAY IN THE IDAHO OPEN

At Boise ~~EMC~~, Saturday and Sunday, May 4-5 (1104 Idaho St. - Boise)

Register 9:00 am Saturday, play starts at 10:00 am. The tournament will be over by 5:00 Sunday to allow for travel. Leave home Friday noon and be back Sunday evening!

Five round swiss - Harkness pairings - 50/2 time limit

Two separate playing classes: *Both USCF rated - players must belong to a USCF (10)*

Class A - open to any player. Entry fee \$6.00, less \$1.00 to members of Idaho Chess Assn. ((non-members join with fee payment). Winner becomes Idaho Open Champion and, this year, the highest placing Idaho player becomes 1968 Idaho State Champion. Prizes = 1st, trophy plus 50% of prize fund; 2nd/25%; 3rd/15%; 4th/10%.

Class B - restricted to players with USCF or Northwest rating of under 1800 (USCF used if available, NW used as secondary), or unrated. Entry fee \$4.50, less \$1.00 to members. Prizes = trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

TOURNAMENT RESULTS ELLIS WINS WESTERN IDAHO OPEN!

Nampa's A.B. Ellis won his first major Idaho tournament by taking the 1967 Western Idaho Open, played in Boise December 9, with a perfect 4-0 score. Dick Vandenburg was 2nd, 3½-1 and Max Wennstrom was 3rd, 3-1. A total of 15 players took part. Fourth place, C.E. Harris, had a chance at the title in the last round, after drawing Vandenburg in round three, but Ellis carried the day.

Player	Rating	1	2	3	4	Score	Solkt	
1. A.B. Ellis, Nampa	1811	W1	W6	W5	W4	4-0	+	CANYON COUNTY BEATS BOISE
2. Dick Vandenburg, Boise	2021	W13	W3	D4	W6	3½-1½	+	
3. Max Wennstrom, Boise	1737	W7	L2	W11	W8	3-1	+	Canyon County won the annual match series with the Boise Chess Club by a total score of 7-6.
4. C.E. Harris, Caldwell	1743	W14	W12	D2	L1	2½-1½	7½	+
5. Ted Hartwell, Twin F.	1864	D10	W14	L1	W11	2½-1½	6½	+
6. Eugene Cowan, Briggs	1723	W8	L1	W7	L2	2-2	11½	+
7. Harold Collins, Cald.	---	L3	W10	L6	W12	2-2	7½	+
8. Ralph James, Caldwell	---	L6	W13	W12	L3	2-2	7	+
9. Fred Wagner, Boise	---	L12	L11	W14	W10	2-2	3½	+
10. Vic Waterman, Nampa	1588	D5	L7	W13	L9	1½-2½	+	Boise won the first round 4-2 but Canyon County came back to win 5-2.
11. Ezra Brumbach, Parma	---	L1	W9	L3	L5	1-4	11½	+
12. Norman Lee, Boise	1606	W9	L4	L8	L7	1-4	8½	+
13. George Rasor, Boise	1530	L2	L8	L10	L5	1-4	7	+
14. Paul Anstey, Caldwell	---	L4	L5	L9	---	---	+	The first match was played in Boise on Dec. 18 and the second was in Nampa on January 18.
15. Kenneth James, Twin F.	---	---	---	---	L13	0-4	+	Cross table results are as follows:
		Canyon County		Boise				
1. A.B. Ellis	0	Dick Vandenburg	1	1. A.B. Ellis	0	Dick Vandenburg	1	
2. C.E. Harris	0	Max Wennstrom	1	2. Jerry Stanke	1	Max Wennstrom	0	
3. Harold Collins	0	Fred Wagner	1	3. C.E. Harris	1	Fred Wagner	0	
4. Jerry Stanke	1	George Rasor	0	4. Ezra Brumbach	1	Allen Dougal	0	
5. Ezra Brumbach	1	Dave Reid	0	5. Ralph James	1	Nick Skirnants	0	
6. D.J. King	0	Allen Dougal	1	6. Paul Anstey	0	George Rasor	1	
	2		4	7. Vic Waterman	1	M.W. Wright	0	
					5		2	

CHAPPAUIS WINS 1968 SALT LAKE OPEN

Gaston Chappuis won his first four games and went on to annex the 1968 Salt Lake City Open title. After five rounds, Eugene Kucera was leading, having beaten Chappuis in round five, but he was edged in the last round by second place, Hans Marrow. Kucera placed third. Play took place at regular club meetings.

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	Score	Tie Break
1. Gaston Chappuis	W5	W10	W1	W6	L3	W7	5-1	19
2. Hans Marrow	W16	W15	L1	W12	W4	W13	5-1	13.5
3. Eugene Kucera	W14	D8	W3	W5	W1	L2	4½-1½	15.75
4. Dick Heibut	L6	W11	W14	W9	L2	W10	4-2	11
5. Alan Tave	L1	W17	W10	W3	W15	W6	4-2	8.5
6. John Reed	W4	D2	W12	L1	W3	L5	3½-2½	12.25
7. Don Arlow	L3	D7	W13	W15	W14	L1	3½-2½	5.5
8. Farrell Clark	W7	D12	L1	W11	L6	D13	3-3	9.25
9. Al Freeman	D11	W7	W13	L4	L10	W16	3-3	6.75
10. Charles Jstelauer	W17	L1	L5	W16	W9	L4	3-3	6.5
11. Gerd Freeman	D9	L1	W15	L3	D12	W14	2½-3	6
12. Fred Decker	W18	D3	L6	L1	D11	W15	2½-3	5
13. Desmond Hansen	L15	W16	L7	L10	W13	L1	2½-3	3.5
14. Norval Turner	L1	W18	L1	W17	L7	W11	2-4	1
15. Vic Jorgensen	W13	L1	W11	L1	L1	L1	1-5	1.5
16. David Powell	L2	L11	L1	L10	W17	L10	0-6	1
17. Pat Willigan	L10	L5	W18	L11	L15	D1	1-5	1
18. Erik Heibut	L12	L11	L11	W14	L14	D1	1-5	2.5

Dick Vandenburg, Editor