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The 1965 A.G.M. was held at Southampton Chess Club (to whom grateful thanks) on the 4th May and all the officers of the season now ending (with the exception of our President, who these days always passes on his office to another) were returned for a further year.

Seventeen members turned up (compared with 15 last year), so that the experiment of holding this Meeting on a week-night can presumably be described as a limited success.

On the whole, I was much happier with this A.G.M. than I was over the rather dismal 1964 affair. A good deal of useful business was carried out and I feel that I can best convey this to you by setting out the actual resolutions in full:-

1. That Rule 9 be deleted in toto and that there shall be substituted therefore the following:-

"9. The Annual subscription shall be 15/- for a Vice-President and 10/- for a Private Member.

The Annual Affiliation Fee for Clubs shall be 2/6 for each registered member over 18 years of age on 1st. September of the commencement of the season in question, and 1/3 for each registered member under 18 years of age on that date, plus in both instances such fee as it shall be agreed to pay over to the S.C.C.U. and to the B.C.F. in respect of each registered player".

2. That a free copy of any County Bulletin or Newsletter shall be sent to each Vice-President and to the Secretary of each Affiliated Club, but that such publications shall be supplied to other individuals only on payment of a subscription of 5/- p.a.
3. That, in future, the Acceptance postcards sent out by the Match Captain shall not have postage prepaid by the County.
4. That no prize money shall be payable in future in the Individual Championship Tournament.
5. That the contribution to Junior Fares shall be paid over in one sum at the end of the season.
6. That, in the event of a Club having failed to pay its previous season's Affiliation Fees, the Secretary shall refuse to accept further Registrations of players from such Club until all arrears have been paid to the Treasurer.
7. That all applications for entry into the County Competitions shall be accompanied by the entry fee, and that no team or individual shall be eligible to take part in a competition if previous seasons' fees remain unpaid.
8. That the Committee make every endeavour to arrange that the 1965/66 Individual Championship Tournament shall be played as a Week-end Congress (preferably in Bournemouth) generally in accordance with the detailed recommendations put forward by Mr. L.E. Vine.
9. That the Winner and Runner-up of the Individual Championship Tournament shall in future have the right (should they so wish) to play first and second boards respectively in all County Matches.

Incidentally, I received a sharp rebuke in a letter from a member who said that I was all wrong in painting such a gloomy picture. What I should say in these Bulletins and my Report is that things are fine, and then everyone will brighten up and wish to support the County. In this case, may I say that we have an enthusiastic and increasing membership, a large proportion of which fought out the Individual Championship. All Hampshire League Matches were played in a keen and friendly atmosphere, we won all our County Matches the Bank Balance has never been better and everything in the garden is lovely.

Not all posts were filled at the A.G.M. and the Committee are looking for a volunteer to act as Publicity Officer and Bulletin Editor. Not a particularly onerous job but one needing Typewriting and Duplicating facilities. Any offers?

### COUNTY MATCH RESULTS

Adjudications -

#### 6th February - Hampshire v Kent

Bd. 1 M.V. Lambshire 1, M. MacDonald Ross 0  
Final scores 7-13 and 13-37

#### 27th February - Hampshire v Oxfordshire

Bd. 6 E.W. Chandler 0, M.F. Collins 1  
Final score 7½-12½

### HAMPSHIRE LEAGUE

The A.G.M. decided that the Trophy should be shared between Fareham and Portsmouth. No news of the one outstanding match (Young Bournemouth v Gosport).

Results:-

<u>Portsmouth</u>	<u>Andover</u>	<u>Southampton</u>	<u>Ventnor</u>		
Dr. A.J. Pointon 1	S.L. Russell 0	A.C. Barton 1	Dr. J. Kizely 0		
Cdr. A.J. Peters ½	E.J. Smith ½	J.H. Gardener 1	J. Yearby 0		
W. Makar 1	C. Leach 0	G.L. Pritchard 1	E. Daws 0		
R.C. Pink 1	G. Wewiora 0	M. Askeil (*) 0	B. Dodd 1		
A. Hurdle 1	R. Willy 0	R. Moseley (*) 0	D. Cooper 1		
	4½	½	3		2
	=	=	=		=
<u>Ventnor</u>	<u>Gosport</u>	<u>Fareham</u>	<u>Portsmouth</u>		
Dr. J. Kizely 1	D.A. Bloxsom 0	W.H. Pratten 0	Dr. A.J. Pointon 1		
P.M. Hodgson 1	W.J. Eaton 0	T.J. de Buriatte ½	A.J. Peters ½		
E. Daws ½	R.C. Clark ½	R. Holland ½	W. Makar ½		
J. Yearby 1	B. Gale 0	A.F. Garner 1	A. Hurdle 0		
D. Cooper 0	G. Read 1	A.J. Evans 0	R.C. Pink 1		
	3½	1½	2		3
	=	=	=		=
<u>Gosport</u>	<u>Fareham</u>	<u>Salisbury</u>	<u>Andover</u>		
D.A. Bloxsom ½	R. Holland ½	W. Watson 1	C.H. Henshaw 0		
W.J. Eaton ½	A.F. Garner ½	D. Rowsell 1	E. Smith 0		
R.C. Clark 0	A.J. Evans 1	P. Hopkins 0	S.L. Russell 1		
E. Taylor 0	J.E.C. Grant 1	W. Bale 1	C. Leach 0		
D. Baird ½	F. Johnson ½	B. Barrass 0	R. Willey 1		
	1½	3½	3		2
	=	=	=		=
<u>Andover</u>	<u>Bmth. Knights</u>	<u>Gosport</u>	<u>Southampton</u>		
C.H. Henshaw 0	E.W. Chandler 1	G.P. Britton 0	P.L. Marshall 1		
S.L. Russell 0	M.A. Cartwright 1	W.J. Eaton 0	A.C. Barton 1		
E. Smith ½	E. Taylor ½	D.A. Bloxsom 1	C. Newby 0		
C. Leach 1	G. Bennett 0	R.C. Clark 0	G.L. Pritchard 1		
R. Willey ½	P.A. Bytheway ½	A.T. Bell 1	M. Askeil (*) 0		
	2	3	2		3
	=	=	=		=

(\*) indicates unregistered player

Portsmouth 5, Southampton 0  
(By default)

Young Bournemouth 5, Southampton 0  
(By default)

Ventnor 5, Young Bournemouth 0  
(By default)

Salisbury 5, Young Bournemouth 0  
(By default)

#### Penalties and Score Adjustments - Unregistered players

Knights v Salisbury ( $4\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ ) becomes Knights  $3\frac{1}{2}$ , Salisbury  $1\frac{1}{2}$   
(Knights incur 2 penalty points)

Gosport v Salisbury ( $1\frac{1}{2}-3\frac{1}{2}$ ) becomes Gosport  $\frac{1}{2}$ , Salisbury  $4\frac{1}{2}$   
(Gosport incur 2 penalty points)

Southampton v Andover ( $4\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}$ ) becomes Southampton  $3\frac{1}{2}$ , Andover  $1\frac{1}{2}$   
(Southampton incur 2 penalty points)

Southampton v Knights ( $2\frac{1}{2}-2\frac{1}{2}$ ) becomes Southampton 2, Knights 3  
(Southampton incur 2 penalty points)

Southampton v Ventnor (3-2) score already adjusted  
(Southampton incur 2 penalty points)

Gosport v Southampton (2-3) - score already adjusted  
(Southampton incur 2 penalty points)

TABLE

	<u>P</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Pen</u>	<u>P</u>
Fareham	8	6	1	$27\frac{1}{2}$	0	13
Portsmouth	8	6	1	$27\frac{1}{2}$	0	13
Bournemouth Knights	8	5	2	23	2	10
Salisbury	8	4	0	$20\frac{1}{2}$	0	8
Ventnor	8	2	2	$17\frac{1}{2}$	0	6
Andover	8	2	0	17	0	4
Young Bournemouth	7	2	0	12	0	4
Southampton	8	4	0	17	8	0
Gosport	7	1	0	13	2	0

#### INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Final scores and placings:-

	<u>T</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>V</u>	<u>Deb</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>Score</u>
M.W.J. Thompson	-	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}$
A.M. Edmonds	0	-	1	1	0	1	3
L.E. Vine	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	-	1	0	1	$2\frac{1}{2}$
T.J. de Buriatte	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	-	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	2
Miss G. Moore	0	1	1	0	-	0	2
J.F. Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	-	2

#### S.C.C.U. Under 18 Junior Championship

Our team finished in fifth place out of 9 teams and scored 5 points from 12 games. This is a creditable performance in light of the strength of the opposition.

The way our Juniors are coming along more than compensates for the sorrow I feel over our Seniors - that is why I was pleased that the A.G.M. rejected a proposal to reduce the County contribution to Junior Fares from 50% to 25%.

Our Junior Organiser has in mind several friendly matches against other Counties - all those wishing to participate in these activities should keep in touch with Mr. Eaton.

Individual scores in the Junior Championship were:-

	<u>Hants.</u>		<u>Opponents</u>	
1.	P.J. Patience (Southampton)	0	W.R. Hartson (Middlesex)	1
2.	H. Lyons (Itchen G.S.)	0	R. France (Hertfordshire)	1
3.	D.H. Lewis (Itchen G.S.)	$\frac{1}{2}$	L. Prescott (Berkshire)	$\frac{1}{2}$

4.	J.D. Howkins (St. Johns)	1	P.S. Kitcher (Sussex)	0
5.	C. Sillence (Itchen G.S.)	$\frac{1}{2}$	J.R. Coxwell (Essex)	$\frac{1}{2}$
6.	P.E. Welch (Bournemouth)	1	H.T. Jones (Kent)	0
7.	L. Allen (Southampton)	0	T.W. Pelling (Surrey)	1
8.	D. Baird (Gosport Grammar)	1	J.R. Burton (Oxfordshire)	0
9.	G. Read (Gosport Grammar)	1	A.H. Williams (Herts)	0
10.	D. Brickell (Gosport Grammar)	0	J.L. Garniner (Middlesex)	1
11.	N. Renshaw (Gosport Grammar)	0	R.J.B. Cravin (Sussex)	1
12.	C. Jeffcott (Chandlers Ford)	0	C.J. Palme (Berkshire)	1

### GRADING

Our Grading Officer tells me that we now have recorded results of over 500 players in Hampshire and he hopes to be in a position to publish an up-to-date list in September.

### INTER-LEAGUE MATCH

Bournemouth League won this Annual contest for the first time for a number of years when they met Southampton League on 8th May. I popped in during the course of the match and was much impressed by the excellent facilities at the British American Tobacco Company's premises - quite the best for a 50 board match that I have encountered so far.

I was personally glad to see Bournemouth win - it will be a considerable encouragement to those in that area.

Full scores as under:-

Bd.	Southampton		Bournemouth		Bd.	Southampton		Bournemouth	
1.	M.V. Lambshire	1	E.W. Chandler	0	26.	A.C. Stow	1	W.G. Poulton	0
2.	P.M. Collins	1	Dr. P. Merrett	0	27.	C.J.G. Payne	0	P. Errington	1
3.	L.C. Walters	1	R.T. Kimber	0	28.	D.R.H. Jones	0	R.A.G. Marples	1
4.	A.C. Barton	1	M.J. Roth	0	29.	T.H. Mumford	0	C.B. Orton	1
5.	P.J. Patience	0	A. White	1	30.	M.F. Dyer	$\frac{1}{2}$	C.L. Dando	$\frac{1}{2}$
6.	P.L. Marshall	$\frac{1}{2}$	S.J. Leigh	$\frac{1}{2}$	31.	J.R.A. Smith	1	D.J. Gooch	0
7.	R.J.M. Compton	1	D.D. Marples	0	32.	W.J. Webb	$\frac{1}{2}$	A. Hope	$\frac{1}{2}$
8.	G.L. Pritchard	0	L.J. Mills	1	33.	F.D. Balchin	0	A.A. Harding	1
9.	J.G. Shepherd	0	J.E. Crewe	1	34.	M. Ebert	0	C.J. Ridyard	1
10.	L.E. Vine	1	D.E. Papworth	0	35.	A. Cooke	1	R. Errington	0
11.	K. Robinson	Adj	M.E.R. Minvalla	Adj	36.	G. Baverstock	0	M. Pryce	1
12.	J.E.C. Hobbs	$\frac{1}{2}$	G.H. Bennett	$\frac{1}{2}$	37.	N. Purkis	1	G.W. Atkins	0
13.	C.J. McSheehy	0	M.A. Cartwright	1	38.	C. Taylor	$\frac{1}{2}$	P.J. Cherrett	$\frac{1}{2}$
14.	B.S. Reed	0	J.E.A. Butchart	1	39.	F. Pragnell	$\frac{1}{2}$	P.A. Bytheway	$\frac{1}{2}$
15.	L.L. Parsons	1	A. Cornwell	0	40.	G.H. Jeffcott	0	A.T.M. Carter	1
16.	L. Allen	0	H.H.W. Pitcher	1	41.	J. Warner	$\frac{1}{2}$	H. Nelson	$\frac{1}{2}$
17.	K.J. Evans	1	F.S. Elsey	0	42.	M.G. Askell	0	J.F. Aylen	1
18.	D. Blunden	$\frac{1}{2}$	E.A. Taylor	$\frac{1}{2}$	43.	Miss C. Bauchop	1	R.A. Sheppard	0
19.	J.M. Popiel	$\frac{1}{2}$	J. Graham	$\frac{1}{2}$	44.	I. Legorburu	$\frac{1}{2}$	L.G. Machon	$\frac{1}{2}$
20.	Miss G. Moore	0	H.N. Dulson	1	45.	B. Josephy	0	Miss M. Tozer	1
21.	R. Derricott	$\frac{1}{2}$	B.E. Davis	$\frac{1}{2}$	46.	Miss T. Sinclair	0	J.E. Harris	1
22.	H.A. Carre	0	S. Errington	1	47.	D. Kwan	0	Mrs. C.I. Guppy	1
23.	E.W. Engert	1	E.W. Seagroatt	0	48.	Miss L. Crook	0	G.P. Hemming	1
24.	M. Stutchbury	$\frac{1}{2}$	S.H.C. Lucas	$\frac{1}{2}$	49.	M.H. Wilson	0	A.M. Pitcher	1
25.	F.O. Dyer	$\frac{1}{2}$	H.E.J. Stay	$\frac{1}{2}$	50.	A. Wallis	1	H.C. Real	0

Southampton  $21\frac{1}{2}$  - Bournemouth  $27\frac{1}{2}$

### COMMITTEE

Talking of Bournemouth, I was delighted to receive Mr. E.W. Chandler's agreement to being co-opted onto the Committee for the coming season.

It is of paramount importance that Bournemouth take a more active part in County administration - most of the dissatisfaction that is expressed is that quarter stems from misunderstanding the Committee intentions. The full Committee will therefore be:-

W.H. Pratten (Chairman)

Myself as Hon. Sec., A.F. Garner, W.J. Eaton, H.L. Parsons, A.C. Barton, J.E. Crewe, E.W. Chandler, S.L. Russell

(4 from Portsmouth area, 2 from Southampton, 2 from Bournemouth, and 1

from 'rest of Hampshire').

BULLETINS

This is the last Bulletin of the current season (sorry that we only had 5 instead of the promised 6).

It is also the last that will be produced by me. I think it is well worth continuing, although a number who completed the Questionnaire said that they were not really interested. Odd that any Chessplayer can be disinterested in what happens to other Chessplayers.

I trust that Hampshire players will have an enjoyable 'off-season' and come back refreshed and determined to make 1965/66 a more successful season than the one now ending.

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