Down Memory Lane

Nottinghamshire Chess Congress- 1982

Held at County Hall, West Brigford.

A total of 425 players contested the Congress. The Premier event had a reduced entry of only 35 due to the Philips and Drew tournament being held in London at the same time.

1st            G. Lawton (Leics) 5.5/6        £250
2nd equal   S Brown ( Hull)                 4.5/6    £109 each
            M Hebden (Leics)
            J Treasurer (King’s Lynn)
5th equal   K Arkell (Birmingham)  4/6
            A Byron (Leics)
            P Hempson (Sheffield)
            S Small (Bromsgove)

East Midlands Under 21 Champion - A Byron
Ease Midlands Under 18 Champion - G Waddingham

Major prize Winners

1st equal     K Morrison (Sutton-in-Ashfield) 5/6  £86.25 each
            C McSheehy (London)
            N Lowther (Doncaster)
            S Small (Bromsgove)
5th equal      S Foster (Nottingham)  4/5
            R Bowley (Leics)
            M Lambert (Nottingham)
            G Paley (Derby)

Grading Prize 140 and below. M Barnes (Nottingham) 4/6

Intermediate (Capacity entry of 131 players)

1st      D Glossop (Sheffield)  5/5
2nd equal D Auty (Nottingham) 4.5/5
            N Howe (Hull)
4th equal 5 players including G Gibson (Hucknall) and T Ormsby (Nottingham) 4/5

East Midlands Under 14 Champion N Brown (Nottingham) 3.5/5

Minor Prize Winners. Capacity entry of 180 players, including 33 under 12s

1st K Howe (Hull)  6/6
2nd equal  P Gascoigne (Hucknall) 5.5/6
            M Simmons (Rotherham)

East Midlands joint under 12 champions - K Eagles (Derby), S Eagles (Derby), J Parker (Wellingborough), R Tozer (Peterborough) 4/6