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## Cashier's Report

by Thomas Amelang

Dear friends,

Until 01.10.2013, some members have not yet paid their dues.

According to § 2. 5 of the CiF Statutes, these members will have to leave our association. Their ongoing games will be forfeited and their membership cancelled.

## Announcement of the 9<sup>th</sup> Senior Championship

by Johan Baars

The scheduled start date of the 9<sup>th</sup> Senior Championship shall be 01.04.2014.

Eligible to play are all seniors born before 01.04.1954.

Only one entry per player is allowed.

The number of players in the preliminary sections and the promotion to the semifinal will be decided in dependence of the number of received entries.

The tournament will be played normally by post. However, players can agree upon an

email play and inform the Tournament Director thereabout.

Otherwise, the general CiF rules apply, especially the time regulations.

Entries should be sent not later than on 28.02.2014

to the Tournament Director:

Johan Baars,  
Banckspolder 60  
2134 ZK Hoofddorp  
Holland

or <mailto:johbaars@quicknet.nl>

or <mailto:tl-senior@chess-in-friendship.de>

## News from the Executive Committee

### New memberships:

The CiF Executive Committee welcomes the new members and wishes them joy in their games.

#2523	Nowak, Mathias	Germany
#2524	Helmund, Christina	Germany
#2525	Fleury, Flavio	Brazil
#2526	Privoznik, Lubos	Czechia
#2527	Traut, Gerhard	Germany
#2528	Dr. Marwitz, Ullrich	Germany

### Renewed membership:

#0104	Walker, John T.	England
#1722	West, Michael Anthony	England
#2486	Gülker, Lorenz	Germany

### Because of private reasons, the following members left CiF

#2504	Müller-Töpler, Michael	Germany
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### Deceased:

#1732	Paredes Prats, Jose	Spain
#2111	Kohlmann, Ursula	Germany
#2474	Dr. Bredow, Edgar	Germany

### Deleted memberships by EC:

#0009	Coope, Derek	Scotland
#0423	Phillips, Geoffrey	Wales
#0739	Houthuijzen, Arne	Holland
#1499	Peach, Jeremy	England
#2141	Hilton, Stephen	Scotland
#2429	Stevenson, Robert	England
#2218	Lazarkov, Petre	EJR Macedonia
#2433	Tortozza, Carlos A.	USA
#2514	Kempster, Alan	England

## Final of the 7<sup>th</sup> CiF Championship

Despite 12 still ongoing games, Hans-Peter Tödter has already won the 7<sup>th</sup> CiF Championship. The Tournament Director and the Executive Committee congratulate cordially Hans-Peter on his win of the 7<sup>th</sup> CiF Championship.

### Cordial congratulations to the winner of the 7th CiF Championship Hans-Peter Tödter from Germany

Group: ge7-001 = 7.GM Finale		TL: 120 Grey										
1. Tödter, Ha.	239		1/2	01	1/2	1 1/2	1/2	11	11	1	1 1/2	13
2. Büttner, Fr.	889	1/2		10	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1	11	11	11
3. Grey, Fr.	120	10	01		1 1/2	01	10	01	11	11	11	10 1/2
4. Wittig, Fr.	17	1/2	0	1/2		1/2	01	1/2	11	1	11	10
5. Sicker, Ro.	267	0 1/2	1/2	10	1/2		1/2	1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	11	10
6. Richter, Wo.	2259	1/2	1/2	01	10	1/2		1 1/2	1	11	11	9
7. Houdek, Vl.	1067	00	1/2	10	1/2	1/2	0 1/2		1 1/2	1	11	8 1/2
8. Stummerer, Al.	1139	00	1/2	00	00	0 1/2	0	0 1/2		1 1/2	11	3 1/2
9. Teles Frazao Ferre	2155	0	0	0	0 1/2	0	0		1	11	11	1 1/2
10. Svancara, Iv.	1419	0 1/2	00	00	00	00	00	0 1/2	0		11	1

ausgewerteter Partiebereich: von GM -11-0001 bis GM -11-0045

# Announcement of the Graham Curtis Memorial

by Alfred Stummerer

Dear CiF community,

On 25th November, 2012, I received from England the following sad news:

*I would like to let you know that on 17<sup>th</sup> November, Graham deceased in the hospital. After a short illness, he fell asleep there in peace.*

*With best regards*

*Margery Curtis*

I didn't want to believe that I should never get letters from the county of Surrey, and I needed some days to get familiar with this thought. With a big sorrow, I read the message about the death of my friend Graham. It only consoled me a little bit that Graham fell asleep in peace.

Graham was for me a real correspondence chess friend, who is not easy to find nowadays. He was an excellent chess player. Graham played imaginative and strong moves. Even after a win of material, one could not be sure to win. Because of his surprising and forced sequence of moves, one had to return very often his gained plus pawn.

Graham liked to write letters and his lines were always full of humanity, patience and harmony. Always I was looking forward to receiving letters from Ashted. In most cases, Graham and I wrote our letters and emails both in English and German, in order that we would have to occupy ourselves with the corresponding foreign language.

I can't assess whether Graham's humor was a typical English one, but often I smiled or even laughed loudly over his letters. Especially, Graham liked to exchange opinions on topics concerning the nature sciences, and his reports from his journeys were always a special experience to me.

The Section Leader of England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland, born on 5<sup>th</sup> June, 1937, joined „Chess in Friendship“ on 17<sup>th</sup> October, 1992, and played there more than 150 games. My encounters over the chess board with Graham Curtis finished draws. By our human encounters, Graham gave me more than he could receive from me ...

For time reasons, it has not been yet possible to honour our chessfriend Graham by a memorial tournament. On the first anniversary of the day of his passing, I would like to catch up what was omitted and to launch the following announcement.

## Graham Curtis Memorial

- Will be played in sections with 4 players, with two games played against one and the same opponent.
- The moves will be transmitted by letters, postcards or email (if the partner agrees).
- The CiF Tournament and Playing Rules will apply, especially the time regulations.
- The winners of the sections will promote to the final.
- No more than 2 entries per player are allowed.
- The start of the tournament is 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2014.
- Entries please directly to the Tournament Director:  
Alfred Stummerer.  
Eipeldauerstr.25/59/20  
1220 Wien  
Austria
- Deadline for entries is 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2013.

## Change of the Tournament Director of the CiF Cup

by Matthias Jurisch

For technical reasons, and with an immediate effect, Rolf Sicker withdrew as the Tournament Director of the CiF Cup. The Executive Committee expresses their cordial thanks to Rolf for his long-year and successful work. The administration takes over the GTL Matthias Jurisch. From now on, please send all reports of results, new entries, claims etc. concerning the CiF Cup to the following addresses:

By post: Matthias Jurisch, Drachenseestr. 18, 81373 München, Germany  
By email: <mailto:tl-cup@chess-in-friendship.de>

Also, please take into account the CiF Playing Rules, articles 2.2.1 – 2.2.6. The Playing Rules can be found on our homepage:  
<http://www.chess-in-friendship.de>

# Meeting of the CiF Executive Committee in Kassel

by Josef Mrkvička

On the occasion of the CiF Meeting in Kassel, the yearly meeting of the CiF Executive Committee took place on 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2013. All members of the Executive Committee – Thomas Amelang, Matthias Jurisch, Roland Markus, Wolfgang Mehlhorn and Josef Mrkvička – were present.

The meeting was chaired by the CiF President Josef Mrkvička and had the following agenda:

1. Opening
2. Check of the tasks from the last Minutes
3. Changes in the Tournament Rules
4. Financial issues
5. CiF software
6. CiF News
7. CiF postal tournaments
8. CiF email and server tournaments
9. CiF meeting 2014
10. CiF Jubilee Year 2013
11. CiF election year 2014
12. All other issues
13. Preparation of the next EC meeting

Here are the most important discussions and EC decisions:

- On proposal of Matthias Jurisch, the following amendment of the Tournament Rules was approved:  
„Article 4.3: By a withdrawal or death, the TD decides on the outcome of the games. The games which were interrupted because of illness or death and in which less than 15 moves were made will not be forfeited but cancelled. However, according to the article 3. 1, every player is entitled to make a claim against the cancellation. In this case, an evidence – e. g. the game score – is necessary to prove that at the time of interruption, the game position was clearly better for him.“
- Thomas Amelang reported on the status of the CiF finances. Some liabilities towards the Remote-Server have not yet been settled, however, the necessary reconciliations have not yet been presented.
- Because of programmer's delays, the work on the new CiF software gets stuck. However, the EC opines that no other programmer would be ready to do this work for the contracted remuneration, therefore for the time being, no other one will be searched for.
- There was a long and detailed discussion about the status of the CiF News which currently is not satisfactory. In the year 2013, only a special jubilee issue has been issued. The main reason of this situation is the work overload and the resulted lack of time of Thomas Amelang who is responsible for the News in the EC. The EC came to an unanimous conclusion that a new editor of the CiF News has to be found, otherwise the current situation hardly can be improved.
- For the postal Jubilee tournament, only 9 players submitted their entries, out of them 3 with double entries. This is by far less than our former expectations. Contrary to that, the server Jubilee tournament on Remote can be considered as a success.
- The EC decided on the definitive list of the CiF members who should receive a certificate of merit for their 30 years long incessant membership in CiF. Matthias Jurisch will be responsible for the distribution of these certificates.
- Thomas Amelang presented the ballpoint pens which were produced on the occasion of the CiF Jubilee.
- In the year 2014, the CiF meeting will be organized by Rolf Sicker from 02.10.2014 in the region of Hannover. Wolfgang Mehlhorn will discuss the details with the organizer.
- In line with the CiF Election Rules, the EC and ombudsman's elections will be announced in February, 2014. The decisive day of elections will be the 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2014.
- The next EC meeting will take place next to Halle (Saale) in June, 2014. Roland Markus will be responsible for the preparations on the spot.

## Cup Results

CP1-2006-0023 A	Günschmann	0 : 1	Stummerer	CP4-2010-0008 A	Houdek	½ : ½	Sicker
CP1-2006-0023 B	Stummerer	½ : ½	Günschmann	CP4-2011-0004 A	Knogler	1 : 0	Rytowa
CP1-2008-0013 B	Luffy	½ : ½	Günschmann	CP4-2011-0004 B	Rytowa	0 : 1	Knogler
CP1-2010-0012 B	Becker	½ : ½	Rytowa	CP4-2011-0015 A	Wittig	½ : ½	Hampe
CP1-2010-0019 A	Metschan	1 : 0	Masek	CP4-2012-0001 A	Dorschfeldt	1 : 0	Houdek
CP1-2010-0019 B	Masek	0 : 1	Metschan	CP4-2012-0001 B	Houdek	0 : 1	Dorschfeldt
CP1-2010-0020 A	Metschan	0 : 1	Visser	CP4-2012-0003 A	Wittig	½ : ½	Tödter
CP1-2010-0020 B	Visser	1 : 0	Metschan	CP4-2012-0003 B	Tödter	1 : 0	Wittig
CP1-2011-0002 A	Reichel	1 : 0	Mathiopoulos	CP4-2012-0004 A	Grey	½ : ½	Knogler
CP1-2011-0002 B	Mathiopoulos	0 : 1	Reichel	CP4-2012-0004 B	Knogler	1 : 0	Grey
CP1-2011-0003 A	Luffy	1 : 0	Mathiopoulos	CP4-2012-0005 A	Nogler	1 : 0	Hampe
CP1-2011-0003 B	Mathiopoulos	0 : 1	Luffy	CP4-2012-0005 B	Hampe	½ : ½	Nogler
CP1-2011-0004 A	Reichel	1 : 0	Hauswald	CP4-2012-0007 A	Knogler	1 : 0	Wittig
CP1-2011-0004 B	Hauswald	0 : 1	Reichel	CP4-2012-0007 B	Wittig	0 : 1	Knogler
CP1-2012-0001 B	Becker	0 : 1	Günschmann	CP5-2010-0008 A	Schwertel	0 : 1	Striepens
CP1-2012-0002 A	Bütow	1 : 0	Mathiopoulos	CP5-2010-0008 B	Striepens	1 : 0	Schwertel
CP1-2012-0002 B	Mathiopoulos	0 : 1	Bütow	CP5-2011-0001 A	Grey	1 : 0	Houdek
CP1-2012-0004 A	Sicker	1 : 0	Mathiopoulos	CP5-2011-0001 B	Houdek	1 : 0	Grey
CP1-2012-0004 B	Mathiopoulos	0 : 1	Sicker	CP5-2011-0006 A	Houdek	½ : ½	Wittig
CP1-2012-0009 A	Garland	0 : 1	Sicker	CP5-2011-0012 A	Nyvit	1 : 0	Houdek
CP1-2012-0009 B	Sicker	0 : 1	Garland	CP5-2011-0012 B	Houdek	0 : 1	Nyvit
CP2-2009-0009 A	Fiedler	0 : 1	Houdek	CP5-2012-0001 A	Günther	½ : ½	Svrsek
CP2-2011-0003 B	Büttner	½ : ½	Netik	CP5-2012-0001 B	Svrsek	½ : ½	Günther
CP2-2011-0004 A	Voveris	1 : 0	Wittig	CP5-2012-0002 A	Mrkvicka	½ : ½	Knogler
CP2-2011-0004 B	Wittig	½ : ½	Voveris	CP5-2012-0002 B	Knogler	½ : ½	Mrkvicka
CP2-2011-0007 A	Curtis	0 : 1	Becker	CP5-2012-0003 A	Wittig	½ : ½	Sicker
CP2-2011-0007 B	Becker	1 : 0	Curtis	CP5-2012-0003 B	Sicker	½ : ½	Wittig
CP2-2011-0008 A	Villegas Alfaro	Cancel	Sicker	CP5-2012-0009 A	Otspere	½ : ½	Svrsek
CP2-2011-0008 B	Sicker	Cancel	Villegas Alfaro	CP5-2012-0009 B	Svrsek	½ : ½	Otspere
CP2-2011-0010 A	Schallies	½ : ½	Bütow	CP6-2009-0009 A	Paredes Prats	0 : 1	Knogler
CP2-2011-0010 B	Bütow	1 : 0	Schallies	CP6-2009-0009 B	Knogler	½ : ½	Paredes Prats
CP2-2011-0012 A	Van der Horst	1 : 0	Metschan	CP6-2010-0004 B	Knogler	1 : 0	Tödter
CP2-2011-0012 B	Metschan	0 : 1	Van der Horst	CP6-2011-0005 A	Sicker	0 : 1	Tödter
CP2-2011-0013 A	Rytowa	0 : 1	Schallies	CP6-2011-0005 B	Tödter	1 : 0	Sicker
CP2-2011-0013 B	Schallies	1 : 0	Rytowa	CP6-2011-0009 A	Nyvit	½ : ½	Coda
CP2-2012-0001 A	Masek	0 : 1	Günschmann	CP6-2011-0009 B	Coda	1 : 0	Nyvit
CP2-2012-0001 B	Günschmann	1 : 0	Masek	CP6-2011-0011 A	Mandelkow	½ : ½	Dorschfeldt
CP2-2012-0008 A	Hampe	0 : 1	Yakovlev	CP6-2011-0011 B	Dorschfeldt	½ : ½	Mandelkow
CP2-2012-0008 B	Yakovlev	½ : ½	Hampe	CP6-2011-0012 A	Coda	1 : 0	Houdek
CP3-2009-0009 A	Luffy	½ : ½	Sicker	CP6-2011-0012 B	Houdek	½ : ½	Coda
CP3-2009-0009 B	Sicker	1 : 0	Luffy	CP6-2011-0013 A	Mrkvicka	½ : ½	Nyvit
CP3-2009-0013 A	Luffy	½ : ½	Paredes Prats	CP6-2011-0013 B	Nyvit	½ : ½	Mrkvicka
CP3-2009-0013 B	Paredes Prats	½ : ½	Luffy	CP6-2012-0001 A	Büttner	0 : 1	Dorschfeldt
CP3-2010-0003 A	Richter	1 : 0	Netik	CP6-2012-0001 B	Dorschfeldt	½ : ½	Büttner
CP3-2010-0003 B	Netik	0 : 1	Richter	CP6-2012-0002 A	Bilsel	0 : 1	Tödter
CP3-2010-0009 A	Schallies	0 : 1	Houdek	CP6-2012-0002 B	Tödter	0 : 1	Bilsel
CP3-2010-0009 B	Houdek	1 : 0	Schallies	CP6-2012-0004 A	Knogler	½ : ½	Sicker
CP3-2011-0001 A	Knogler	1 : 0	Kucharkowski	CP6-2012-0004 B	Sicker	½ : ½	Knogler
CP3-2011-0001 B	Kucharkowski	0 : 1	Knogler	CP7-2010-0002 A	Armengol M.	½ : ½	Mrkvicka
CP3-2011-0008 A	Knogler	1 : 0	Sicker	CP7-2010-0002 B	Mrkvicka	1 : 0	Armengol M.
CP3-2011-0008 B	Sicker	0 : 1	Knogler	CP7-2011-0004 A	Bärthel	½ : ½	Kühne
CP3-2011-0010 A	Paredes Prats	1 : 0	Hampe	CP7-2011-0004 B	Kühne	½ : ½	Bärthel
CP3-2011-0010 B	Hampe	½ : ½	Paredes Prats	CP7-2012-0003 A	Knogler	0 : 1	Coda
CP3-2011-0011 A	Svrsek	1 : 0	Knopp	CP7-2012-0003 B	Coda	½ : ½	Knogler
CP3-2011-0011 B	Knopp	0 : 1	Svrsek	CP8-2012-0001 A	Coda	½ : ½	Kühne
CP3-2011-0014 A	Tödter	1 : 0	Houdek	CP8-2012-0001 B	Kühne	½ : ½	Coda
CP3-2012-0001 A	Houdek	½ : ½	Kabisch	CP8-2012-0002 A	Büttner	½ : ½	Sicker
CP3-2012-0001 B	Kabisch	0 : 1	Houdek	CP8-2012-0002 B	Sicker	½ : ½	Büttner
CP3-2012-0011 A	Houdek	1 : 0	Voveris	CP9-2009-0002 A	Schulz	1 : 0	Hladecek
CP3-2012-0011 B	Voveris	0 : 1	Houdek	CP9-2009-0002 B	Hladecek	0 : 1	Schulz
CP3-2012-0012 A	Wittig	½ : ½	Büttner	CP9-2012-0001 A	Kühne	½ : ½	Mrkvicka
CP3-2012-0012 B	Büttner	1 : 0	Wittig	CP9-2012-0001 B	Mrkvicka	½ : ½	Kühne
CP3-2013-0001 A	Bütow	1 : 0	Hampe	CP9-2012-0003 A	Hladecek	0 : 1	Dorschfeldt
CP3-2013-0001 B	Hampe	½ : ½	Bütow	CP9-2012-0003 B	Dorschfeldt	1 : 0	Hladecek

# List of all Tournament Leaders at CiF

by GTD Matthias Jurisch

Tournament Type	Game Code	Tournament Leaders' Addresses
<u>Cup Competition</u> <a href="mailto:tl-cup@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-cup@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	CP1 - .. bis CP9 - ..	<b>NEW:</b> Matthias Jurisch
<u>Post Friendly Games</u> <a href="mailto:tl-ft@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-ft@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	FT - .. - .....	Matthias Jurisch, Drachenseestr. 18, 81373 München, Germany
<u>Email Friendly Games</u> <a href="mailto:tl-efg@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-efg@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	FT - .. - .....	Matthias Jurisch
<u>Email Tournaments</u> <a href="mailto:tl-email@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-email@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	XP - .. - .....	Roland Markus, Germany
<u>Championship</u> <a href="mailto:tl-gm@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-gm@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	GM - .. -	Frank Grey, Michaelkirchplatz 12 10179 Berlin, Germany
<u>Thematic Tournaments</u> <a href="mailto:tl-theme@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-theme@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	TT - .. - .....	Matthias Jurisch
<u>Senior Championships</u> <a href="mailto:tl-senior@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-senior@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	SM - .. - .....	Johan Baars, Banckspolder 60, 2134 ZK Hoofddorp, Holland
<u>Nostalgie Tournaments</u> <a href="mailto:tl-nostalgie@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:tl-nostalgie@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	TT - .. - .....	Alfred Stummerer, 1220 Wien Eipeldauerstr.25/59/20, Austria

## Function and Adresses of the Extended Board at CiF

by CiF-Executive Committee

Funktion	Anschrift
<u>Representative of Section Leaders</u> <a href="mailto:speaker-of-the-sl@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:speaker-of-the-sl@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	Johan Baars
<u>Director „New Member Program“</u> <a href="mailto:cif-director@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:cif-director@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	Sabahaddin Bilsel, Bagdad Cad. 347/12, Erenköy, 34728 Istanbul, Turkey
<u>CiF Chronicle</u> <a href="mailto:cif-chronik@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:cif-chronik@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	Gisela Henker, Nonnenstr. 5 a, 04229 Leipzig, Germany
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<u>Homepage &amp; Homepage-Daten by GTD</u> <a href="mailto:archiv@chess-in-friendship.de">mailto:archiv@chess-in-friendship.de</a>	Matthias Jurisch

## Rating Information

Dear friends,

Unfortunately, currently it is not possible to include into our rating calculations the results of games played on the Remote server, as we are receiving no data from server.

Therefore, only those players who have results of games played outside the server are displayed in our rating list. However, we continue trying to get the necessary data from the Remote server.

## Ratinglist as of 09.10.2013

			Rating	Games all	Games 1:0	Games 1/2	Games 0:1	Games open
1	Rainer Schulz	Germany	2565,30	244	155	41	43	5
2	Luigi Coda	Italy	2563,91	423	301	96	8	18
3	Jose Alberto Solis Gomez	Costa Rica	2549,24	355	217	62	66	10
4	Zdenek Nyvlt	Czechia	2544,57	237	144	54	17	22
5	Wolfgang Mehlhorn	Germany	2529,50	546	320	170	35	21
6	Roland Markus	Germany	2524,49	554	332	140	68	14
7	Johann Rau	Germany	2516,66	610	423	129	56	2
8	Norbert Woischke	Germany	2500,38	287	159	99	28	1
9	Dieter Hoch	Germany	2499,83	517	284	123	79	31
10	Roland Stiefel	Germany	2493,55	220	138	56	20	6
11	Josef Mrkvicka	Czechia	2492,61	925	506	302	92	25
12	Sergio Badolati	Brazil	2484,95	92	62	23	2	5
13	Frank Bendig	Germany	2482,01	169	105	41	11	12
14	Hans-Peter Tödter	Germany	2469,68	762	383	158	193	28
15	Hans Kahsnitz	Germany	2469,62	104	72	32	0	0
16	Eberhard Dorschfeldt	Germany	2464,17	312	165	97	38	12
17	Renald Knogler	Austria	2451,53	554	259	141	127	27
18	Fritz Büttner	Germany	2451,37	962	542	267	132	21
19	Jaime Armengol Mateo	Spain	2438,16	394	252	102	32	8
20	Karel Glaser	Czechia	2431,89	141	77	46	18	0
21	Villem Tammemägi	Estonia	2430,28	166	98	33	16	19
22	Klaus Günther	Germany	2426,76	347	156	85	74	32
23	Frank Grey	Germany	2426,01	400	205	84	81	30
24	Ralf Kühne	Germany	2424,10	226	103	90	24	9
25	Andras Verseghe-Nagy	Hungary	2422,78	276	171	62	30	13
26	Hans Schneider	Switzerland	2421,39	484	273	78	133	0
27	Alexandar Parushev	Bulgaria	2416,06	156	102	21	31	2
28	Fernando Albano Rivaes	Spain	2411,91	231	148	47	21	15
29	Rudolf Köhl	Germany	2407,15	153	84	28	39	2
30	Klaus-Dieter Stegmann	Germany	2395,19	125	61	31	33	0
31	Waldemar Kozlowski	Poland	2393,07	225	131	67	27	0
32	Jan Johannes	Netherlands	2392,66	275	148	51	67	9
33	Jorge Enrique Clarizza	Argentina	2392,42	431	302	76	42	11
34	Michail Schablinski	Belarus	2389,14	126	74	29	23	0
35	Peter Van der Horst	Netherlands	2382,45	290	161	73	46	10
36	Robert Cossmann	Luxembourg	2381,54	413	204	70	121	18
37	Wolfgang Richter	Germany	2380,94	134	63	31	14	26
38	Eugenijus Palezkis	Lithuania	2374,52	267	139	73	43	12
39	Ervin Liebert	Estonia	2373,31	160	96	32	23	9
40	Arturo Alfredo Lujambio	Argentina	2373,20	282	148	59	56	19
41	Radomir Svrsek	Czechia	2371,06	381	175	140	39	27
42	Hans-Dieter Mandelkow	Germany	2370,24	313	153	62	65	33
43	Nikolay G. Yakovlev	Russia	2366,92	100	50	37	7	6
44	Gerrit Hans Lambers	Netherlands	2366,53	72	53	12	7	0
45	Thomas Amelang	Germany	2360,09	302	189	67	38	8
46	Jens Kucharkowski	Germany	2359,96	90	43	17	10	20
47	Sebastian Cozza	Costa Rica	2357,45	42	30	9	3	0
48	Benedikt Stripens	Germany	2354,21	153	71	47	23	12
49	Frank Wittig	Germany	2350,53	1824	772	672	347	33
50	Artur Zaremba	Poland	2349,99	141	74	58	9	0
51	Gustavo Paz y Barriga	Peru	2341,05	119	69	23	25	2
52	Torben Erik Carlsen	Brazil	2329,00	180	77	21	66	16
53	Klaus Bärthel	Germany	2326,05	90	64	18	6	2
54	Vladimir Houdek	Czechia	2325,96	1397	630	430	228	109
55	Sabahaddin Bilsel	Turkey	2324,92	449	170	130	119	30
56	Sándor Szilágyi	Hungary	2321,87	176	125	27	24	0
57	Georg Werkmeister	Germany	2320,97	50	21	16	9	4
58	Rolf Sicker	Germany	2320,91	1458	679	435	280	64
59	Wim Kruimer	Netherlands	2320,03	342	146	82	96	18
60	Reinhard Wolfram	Germany	2319,08	678	294	94	270	20
61	Josef Hlousek	Czechia	2318,51	343	182	85	73	3
62	Armel Fernandez Ballon	Peru	2318,30	92	38	31	9	14
63	Vaclav Sojka	Czechia	2315,26	416	257	85	70	4
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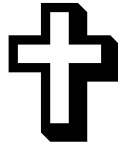
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66	Jorge Andre Pregun	Brazil	2308,44	67	32	14	14	7
67	Raul Perez Hernandez	Venezuela	2307,83	282	152	51	45	34
68	Gottfried Schwertel	Germany	2306,84	1071	636	227	180	28
69	Holger Lassahn	Germany	2303,41	114	76	18	20	0
70	Jan Bärthel	Switzerland	2302,14	20	16	4	0	0
71	Matthias Jurisch	Germany	2302,11	208	93	65	50	0
72	Norberto Luzuriaga	Argentina	2301,40	29	15	10	2	2
73	Jelle Visser	Netherlands	2299,26	56	20	9	11	16
74	Schimun Nogler	Switzerland	2298,96	126	87	15	22	2
75	Frank Jörges	Germany	2297,80	334	157	122	48	7
76	Narvydas Malzinskas	Lithuania	2294,08	146	89	26	21	10
77	Gediminas Voveris	Lithuania	2290,44	122	62	29	24	7
78	Andreas Gnüchtel	Germany	2288,95	332	162	63	99	8
79	Reinhard Wegelin	Switzerland	2282,48	408	253	89	54	12
80	Jenö Luffy	Romania	2281,58	290	168	27	71	24
81	Ingo Bütow	Germany	2280,86	106	34	23	41	8
82	Andres Sevilla	Costa Rica	2279,48	36	19	9	6	2
83	Francis Maynard S.	Costa Rica	2268,98	100	76	7	11	6
84	Hans-Dieter Wassilieff	Germany	2268,57	183	103	31	45	4
85	Jose Roberto Morau	Brazil	2267,95	47	26	9	8	4
86	Stefan Reichel	Germany	2262,50	346	135	44	116	51
87	Emil Tedeski	Bulgaria	2261,00	130	100	5	21	4
88	Antonio Souza	Brazil	2260,84	76	48	1	22	5
89	Rudolf Rütter	Germany	2255,63	263	130	80	53	0
90	Malik Mohandoussaid	Algeria	2251,01	105	65	10	22	8
91	Zdenek Gall	Czechia	2248,28	232	110	75	47	0
92	Mario Augusto Vaz Jr.	Brazil	2247,56	59	31	18	7	3
93	Jorge E. Uzcategui Breisse	Venezuela	2247,19	98	46	26	25	1
94	Helmuth Metschan	Germany	2247,17	175	58	14	71	32
95	Helmut Klausner	Germany	2245,35	324	127	79	115	3
96	Gerardo Axel Cuttica	Argentina	2237,27	33	14	7	11	1
97	Jorge E. Deforel	Argentina	2236,42	399	224	63	110	2
98	Algimantas Kaminskas	Lithuania	2235,01	158	106	17	29	6
99	Felipe Alcides Sotela Vargas	Costa Rica	2233,12	38	24	6	4	4
100	Fritz Hampe	Germany	2230,88	209	81	61	65	2
101	Hilda Noemi Abdala	Argentina	2222,10	66	46	5	11	4
102	Josef Netik	Czechia	2214,79	241	103	68	66	4
103	Juan Carlos Malasquez	Peru	2213,85	74	31	20	23	0
104	Hans-Jürgen Schallies	Germany	2213,40	390	195	81	104	10
105	Udo Vetter	Germany	2213,28	380	116	92	158	14
106	Dr. Claudio Javier Goncalves	Argentina	2212,67	129	60	40	29	0
107	Stefan Matthiesen	Germany	2208,26	177	88	28	57	4
108	Aivar Kauge	Estonia	2207,33	204	115	37	46	6
109	Rolf Thorhauer	Germany	2206,28	86	33	24	7	22
110	Lev-Ran Yehuda	Israel	2206,20	118	50	47	21	0
111	Luis Antonio Teles Frazao Ferreira	Portugal	2203,84	81	24	14	21	22
112	Julian Yopez	Peru	2201,31	20	10	9	0	1
113	Helmut Pröll	Austria	2199,41	160	54	28	62	16
114	Urmas Otspere	Estonia	2198,11	136	65	21	48	2
115	Angel Pablo Guido	Argentina	2198,04	81	44	14	23	0
116	Leon Erjavac	Croatia	2194,11	232	102	76	52	2
117	Alfred Stummerer	Austria	2193,27	447	161	101	120	65
118	Jürg Burkhalter	Switzerland	2192,63	99	44	35	14	6
119	Johan Baars	Netherlands	2191,99	392	141	90	149	12
120	Hans-Jürgen Förster	Germany	2191,61	126	54	20	49	3
121	Luis Marcos Balcazar Novoa	Peru	2189,74	26	12	7	7	0
122	Leonardo Gadelha da Paz	Brazil	2184,96	50	17	13	14	6
123	Gerhard Mertes Dr.	Germany	2183,67	90	31	15	43	1
124	Reinhard Fiedler	Germany	2182,89	543	182	66	293	2
125	Luis Alfredo Otarola Lopez	Costa Rica	2178,79	202	108	23	67	4
126	Juan G. Montalvo	Puerto Rico	2177,51	42	20	4	18	0
127	Miroslav Salat	Slovakia	2176,75	128	50	26	45	7
128	Johanny Gerado Lara Salas	Costa Rica	2176,55	47	28	2	13	4
129	Martin Günschmann	Germany	2176,43	357	108	37	189	23
130	Yoan Francisco Cuevas Pérez	Cuba	2171,31	32	17	4	5	6



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131	Wolfgang Fehr	Germany	2170,08	49	24	14	9	2
132	Jens Becker	Germany	2169,28	195	47	36	86	26
133	Ernesto Merighi	Brazil	2166,73	40	22	8	10	0
134	Dr. Manuel Vega Palma	Cuba	2163,49	31	22	5	4	0
135	Ricardo Fernandes de Camargo	Brazil	2162,95	33	20	1	12	0
136	Carlos Alberto Mairal	Argentina	2160,82	38	26	9	1	2
137	E. Norman Garland	Australia	2157,93	82	29	25	27	1
138	Ekkehard Erler	Germany	2156,69	256	118	54	72	12
139	Wellington S. de Albuquerque Jr.	Brazil	2155,18	27	15	4	3	5
140	Teodoro Jose Zuzek	Argentina	2152,10	122	58	28	36	0
141	Carlo de Grandi	Greece	2150,91	162	65	32	61	4
142	Wolfgang Ruhland	Germany	2150,71	44	29	9	6	0
143	Antonin Cervenka	Czechia	2149,79	270	117	42	105	6
144	Dr. Jose Alberto Mendez Elizondo	Costa Rica	2146,40	24	12	4	2	6
145	Merike Rytowa	Estonia	2145,64	84	46	19	17	2
146	Andreas Knopp	Germany	2143,83	140	64	12	62	2
147	Reinier Diaz Millán	Cuba	2142,71	60	23	6	30	1
148	Bab Wilders	Netherlands	2140,95	52	14	8	28	2
149	Leo Kraly	FYR Macedonia	2140,25	104	37	8	51	8
150	Wolfgang Grimm	Germany	2130,11	169	52	16	95	6
151	Astrid Amelang	Germany	2128,91	50	24	14	12	0
152	Rolf Pekrone	Germany	2127,50	491	165	165	154	7
153	Mario Valverde Lopez	Costa Rica	2123,36	743	341	133	252	17
154	Peter Wölfelschneider	Germany	2121,72	186	90	32	64	0
155	Gerard De Ridder	Netherlands	2120,92	21	19	1	0	1
156	Krzysztof Klemens Zygulski	Poland	2120,90	46	28	4	12	2
157	Manuel Andres Karpinsky Aguirre	Costa Rica	2119,61	76	46	5	16	9
158	Enrique Ferreiro Garcia	Cuba	2119,27	12	5	2	2	3
159	Roland Kabisch	Germany	2118,44	60	18	16	18	8
160	Peter Flögel	Germany	2116,58	146	49	24	71	2
161	Angel Hugo Bericat	Argentina	2115,21	26	16	0	7	3
162	Tony Sims	Australia	2115,09	40	25	6	7	2
163	Sandor Balogh	Hungary	2114,91	51	26	7	14	4
164	Robert Fontenrose	U.S.A.	2111,14	28	6	6	6	10
165	Janos Papai	Hungary	2110,69	18	7	5	0	6
166	Ricardo Alberto Flores Cisternas	Chile	2107,71	22	7	5	9	1
167	Dirk Tabbert	Germany	2107,13	119	52	19	48	0
168	Nestor Abel Santa Cruz	Argentina	2106,63	63	19	9	35	0
169	Veronika Thorhauer	Germany	2106,27	42	27	3	12	0
170	Mike Bertram	U.S.A.	2103,05	58	17	9	30	2
171	Fernando Villegas Alfaro	Costa Rica	2100,78	69	40	4	23	2
172	Wilhelm Mielke	Germany	2098,45	174	71	15	87	1
173	Gisela Henker	Germany	2096,81	122	57	25	37	3
174	Arturo Oswaldo Ruiz Symmes	Chile	2095,64	165	61	23	76	5
175	Einar Laane	Estonia	2095,37	27	20	4	3	0
176	Hans-Joachim Glatzel	Germany	2093,18	9	7	1	0	1
177	Kirsten Dorn	Germany	2088,27	51	19	9	15	8
178	Edilberto Zárate	Colombia	2081,12	125	38	7	77	3
179	Helfried Hauswald	Germany	2078,55	335	136	21	165	13
180	Dana Pfluger	Germany	2075,42	228	108	29	91	0
181	Guillermo Santana Penate	Cuba	2075,29	15	10	4	0	1
182	Lusia Pinto	Brazil	2068,91	26	16	1	9	0
183	Zbigniew Wawrowski	Poland	2063,61	75	42	9	22	2
184	Laudelino Joaquim Santana Filho	Brazil	2063,34	20	11	0	9	0
185	John T. Walker	England	2063,29	204	68	24	109	3
186	Roland Schmidt	Germany	2058,97	130	27	12	84	7
187	Günter Henker	Germany	2057,69	42	22	5	7	8
188	Raimo Vollstädt	Germany	2057,59	34	24	2	8	0
189	Luciano Salerno	Italy	2056,15	110	32	13	61	4
190	Karl Buckwar	Germany	2054,78	170	48	34	75	13
191	Wolfgang Matteg	Germany	2054,65	104	43	21	40	0
192	Daniel Javier Rogovsky	Argentina	2052,46	34	15	6	13	0
193	Siegfried Schöne	Germany	2050,38	111	23	8	59	21
194	Mario S. Soares	Brazil	2047,13	138	38	12	84	4
195	Dimce Siljanovski	FYR Macedonia	2041,98	29	7	4	18	0

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198	Stefan Gnüchtel	Germany	2025,80	46	22	12	10	2
199	Gerhard Ahrens	Germany	2025,46	76	24	11	33	8
200	A. Raul Ramirez	Argentina	2022,85	117	41	9	62	5
201	Radomir Svrsek jun.	Czechia	2022,58	6	4	2	0	0
202	Jan Jurco	Slovakia	2020,57	66	21	19	26	0
203	Alfredo Cilloniz	Peru	2018,45	13	5	0	8	0
204	Jose Manuel Contreras Alarcon	Chile	2017,44	18	10	0	8	0
205	Radu Stroe	Romania	2017,10	173	74	7	88	4
206	Filip Mrkvicka	Czechia	2016,82	51	16	4	31	0
207	Silke Kilzer	Romania	2013,34	34	8	1	19	6
208	Sidney David Alves	Brazil	2010,05	31	10	6	11	4
209	Antonio Bezerra Cavalcanti	Brazil	2008,62	34	14	2	14	4
210	Hector Eduardo Lopez Martin	Argentina	2005,52	248	91	34	121	2
211	Jose Antonio Carrion Lava	Peru	2002,81	8	8	0	0	0
212	Oscar Petters	Peru	1994,51	16	6	1	9	0
213	Milton Goncalves Sanchez	Brazil	1989,86	14	7	1	1	5
214	Ricardo Nelson Parkes Navea	Chile	1988,86	10	4	2	4	0
215	Pedro Alcantara de Mello	Brazil	1986,91	58	16	2	34	6
216	Detlev Bieninda	Germany	1985,71	126	59	24	41	2
217	Dirk Bielefeld	Germany	1984,80	29	10	5	12	2
218	Edgardo Atilio Ramini	Uruguay	1980,48	169	44	10	107	8
219	Dieter Steinbach	Germany	1979,09	133	25	15	86	7
220	José Briceno	Venezuela	1976,59	58	16	0	42	0
221	Carlos Gustavo Garcia Munoz	Guatemala	1972,05	112	34	11	67	0
222	Jose Ignacio Soza de la Carrera	Chile	1970,09	7	3	1	3	0
223	Carlos Eduardo Camacho	Brazil	1969,82	14	7	5	0	2
224	Jörg Schaar	Germany	1958,05	18	4	2	12	0
225	Moussa Diouf	Ivory Coast	1954,16	42	5	0	35	2
226	Ute Rolf	Germany	1951,18	10	4	0	0	6
227	Jose Rafael Valdivia Valdivia	Cuba	1949,51	72	30	3	33	6
228	Valdir Maas Bonow	Brazil	1947,69	40	13	2	23	2
229	Ivacir Helbing	Brazil	1946,09	21	11	0	7	3
230	Yasset de Paz Gonzalez	Cuba	1945,98	20	5	3	4	8
231	Noel Rodriguez Alfonso	Cuba	1945,97	15	4	5	4	2
232	Oon Soon Tee	Singapore	1944,45	60	18	3	35	4
233	Fabio Bianchi de Moura	Brazil	1932,70	28	9	2	15	2
234	Istvan Hornyak	Hungary	1930,92	46	13	8	25	0
235	Timothy A. Rutledge	U.S.A.	1930,31	82	24	6	50	2
236	Pedro D'arc Rocha dos Santos	Brazil	1924,66	75	27	5	37	6
237	Cesar Fuertes	Argentina	1916,94	66	25	4	37	0
238	Onelio Michel Delgado Dominguez	Cuba	1916,22	25	8	0	16	1
239	Rainer Willneff	Germany	1914,76	292	147	55	90	0
240	Erivaldo Leali Pegoraro	Brazil	1914,68	12	5	0	2	5
241	Jörg von der Burg	Germany	1910,90	12	1	4	7	0
242	Manuel Thorhauer	Germany	1907,67	10	6	0	4	0
243	Nicolas White	Argentina	1907,58	8	2	2	2	2
244	Michael Anthony West	England	1904,23	123	27	11	81	4
245	Saso Nikolovski	FYR Macedonia	1903,70	8	2	0	6	0
246	Robert Szilagyl	Hungary	1893,21	2	1	1	0	0
247	Uwe Degner	Germany	1892,43	160	40	5	113	2
248	Joannes Paulus de Lima Santos	Brazil	1891,83	10	4	0	2	4
249	Osmani Padron Suco	Cuba	1890,31	10	4	2	0	4
250	Marcela Babe	Brazil	1889,14	9	2	0	6	1
251	Vicente Majo da Maia	Brazil	1882,00	6	3	0	0	3
252	Gerd Rösch	Germany	1870,16	4	3	0	1	0
253	Jaime Ayala Leon	Cuba	1869,40	4	2	0	2	0
254	Osiris Bonato	Brazil	1865,12	26	3	1	17	5
255	Reginaldo Soares Guimaraes	Brazil	1862,26	20	3	0	12	5
256	Louis L. Frank	U.S.A.	1861,07	98	23	2	68	5
257	Sebastian Erler	Germany	1859,42	8	3	0	5	0
258	Michael Vasquez Otazú	Peru	1858,83	19	4	2	13	0
259	Mauro Esmanhotto	Brazil	1852,21	6	2	0	0	4
260	Bruno Rogani	Brazil	1848,57	5	1	1	2	1

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261	Eduardo Riverol Perez	Cuba	1848,08	20	4	0	16	0
262	Ramiro Ramirez Jimenez	Costa Rica	1844,50	48	9	1	38	0
263	Antonio Martinez Sese	Cuba	1841,61	6	4	0	0	2
264	Gerfried Hoffmann	Germany	1831,25	270	88	34	148	0
265	Fernando H. Fernandes Viveros	Brazil	1826,54	12	2	0	5	5
266	Rafael Zakowicz	Brazil	1823,96	6	1	0	0	5
267	Irair de Jesus	Brazil	1814,10	12	2	0	6	4
268	Cecilio V. Hernandez Figuerado	Cuba	1813,79	4	0	1	1	2
269	Waldir Reccanello	Brazil	1810,13	107	19	1	82	5
270	Ricardo Mario Cassinelli	Peru	1809,00	2	0	0	1	1
271	Jorge Olivier Sandi Blanco	Costa Rica	1808,00	4	0	0	2	2
272	Ivan Gilberto Santiago Collazo	Venezuela	1808,00	4	0	0	2	2
273	Eduardo Zolenzdevski Jakstys	Brazil	1803,70	8	0	0	6	2
274	Sylmar Stefano Verutti	Brazil	1800,74	18	5	0	13	0
275	Wagner Mangold	Brazil	1799,09	34	2	3	29	0
276	Marco Antonio Castilho	Brazil	1796,68	6	0	0	6	0
277	Alexander Mathiopoulos	Greece	1792,92	24	0	0	18	6
278	Marllon Marques Cotrim	Brazil	1792,68	18	2	0	16	0
279	Niek Van der Maat	Netherlands	1789,24	18	2	0	12	4
280	Claudio Cabrera	Chile	1787,74	16	0	0	16	0
281	Dr. Luis Carlos Vega Sigel	Costa Rica	1752,01	70	6	0	64	0
282	Julio Cesar Pizza Basso	Brazil	1736,27	22	2	0	20	0
		Average	2146,37					



## **Ursula Kohlmann**

★ 09.11.1934 † Spring 2013

In the Spring 2013, we received the sad news that Ursula passed away.

On behalf of the EC  
Josef Mrkvička

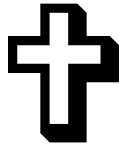


## **Dr. Edgar Bredow**

★ 05.07.1937 † Summer 2013

In the Summer 2013, we received the sad news that our German member Edgar passed away.

On behalf of the EC  
Josef Mrkvička



## František Mašek

★ 22.12.1929 † November 2012

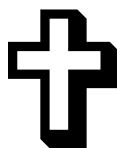


František joined CiF in 1997 and until he deceased, he remained true to the classical correspondence chess by letters and cards. He had a good command of many foreign languages and liked to write long letters to his correspondence chess friends, with who he avidly discussed not only about chess, but also about a lot of other topics.

František was a very sociable person who liked to visit the CiF meetings and the local traditional meetings of the Czech section in Prague. His last CiF meeting was in Plzen in 2008. Then, his deadly illness (lung cancer) did not allow him any big activities any longer.

Requiescat in pace.

On behalf of the EC  
Josef Mrkvička  
Section Leader of Czechia



## Graham Curtis

★ 05.06.1937 † 17.11.2012



Our English CiF friend Graham joined CiF in 1992. Many of you knew him from various CiF meetings which he liked to participate in with his charming wife Margery. Despite the long journeys, he always looked forward to going there.

Graham was not only a charming person and an apassionate correspondence chess player, but also very active in the CiF administration. Until his very last day, he took care of the section Great Britain as the Section Leader. He also helped us very much as a proof-reader of Sabahaddin's and my English texts for the English versions of the CiF News. At his rather elevated age, he even started studying the German language, so that he could perform better this proof-reading!

Dear Graham, the CiF Executive Commitee thanks you for your work for CiF, and that you so often enriched our meetings with your participation.

Rest in peace.

On behalf of the EC  
Josef Mrkvička  
CiF President



## José Paredes Prats

★ 05.09.1934 † 24.09.2013



We learned about the death of our Spanish correspondence chess friend José Paredes Prats from his son-in-law Jaime Armengol Mateo during the CiF meeting in Kassel.

José (Josep in Catalan) joined CiF in 1993. The participants of the CiF jubilee meeting 2003 in Oelde know him in person, as he took part in this meeting together with his wife. Some years later, I could meet him again during my private visit in Barcelona. On this occasion, he presented me with a nice book on the history of chess in Catalonia.

On the chess board, José was a hard nut to crack for all his opponents. I played more games with him and can confirm that. My two open games with him which we unfortunately never will bring to the end stood very equal. He even was an International Master of ICCF.

He also fought hard with his pancreas cancer and after a chemotherapy, he looked rather optimistic towards the future. However, he was unable to find a defence against the next stroke of his illness.

On behalf of the EC  
Josef Mrkvička  
CiF President