

## DURBAN CHESS CLUB ANNUAL REPORT

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2008

### Presentation of Prizes:

#### Moss Kolnik Memorial Swiss (January to March)

=1<sup>st</sup> Ashley Lewis & Peter Dankelmann 6½ out of 8.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Keith Rust 6 points.

#### Second Swiss Tournament (August to September)

1<sup>st</sup> Sure Mataramvura 5½ out of 7.  
=2<sup>nd</sup> Keith Rust, Jason Subke & Ashley Lewis 5 points.

#### Third Swiss Tournament (October to November)

=1<sup>st</sup> Ashley Lewis & Jason Subke 4½ out of 6.

#### Championship: A Section (March to June)

=1<sup>st</sup> Bongani Mgaga, Ashley Lewis & Keith Rust 6 out of 9.

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	
1	Mgaga, Bongani	*	½	1	1	1	0	½	0	1	1	6.0/9
2	Lewis, Ashley	½	*	½	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	6.0/9
3	Rust, Keith	0	½	*	½	½	1	1	1	½	1	6.0/9
4	Dankelmann, Peter	0	0	½	*	1	1	1	½	½	1	5.5/9
5	Ramsurupp, Pratish	0	0	½	0	*	1	1	1	1	1	5.5/9
6	Danisa, Cyril T	1	1	0	0	0	*	0	½	1	1	4.5/9
7	Paraskevopoulos, Aresti	½	1	0	0	0	1	*	0	½	1	4.0/9
8	Subke, Jason	1	0	0	½	0	½	1	*	0	1	4.0/9
9	Mataramvura, Sure	0	0	½	½	0	0	½	1	*	1	3.5/9
10	Ramsurupp, Ashish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	0.0/9

#### Candidates: B Section (March to June)

1<sup>st</sup> Desmond Rooplal 8 out of 9.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Paul Curry 6½ points.

#### Premier: C Section (March to June)

1<sup>st</sup> Sandile Xulu 7½ out of 9.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Nashlen Govindasamy 6 points.

#### Reserves: D Section (March to June)

1<sup>st</sup> Priyanka Govender 6½ out of 7.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jonathan Kupis 4½ points.

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### Highlights of other 2008 events:

#### Durban Open Swiss (March)

=1<sup>st</sup> Cyril Danisa & Jason Subke 6 out of 7.

#### UNITE KwaZulu-Natal Open (April)

=1<sup>st</sup> Danisa Cawdery & Pratish Ramsurup 7 out of 8.  
Cawdery won the Open & Ramsurup won the Closed title.

#### Set Openings Swiss (July)

1<sup>st</sup> Bongani Mgaga 7 out of 8.

#### Durban Open Swiss (September)

1<sup>st</sup> Lulama Qobo 6 out of 7.

#### Darryl Mhlongo Memorial Blitz (September)

1<sup>st</sup> Ashley Lewis

### South African Junior Teams

Congratulations go to the following junior members who were selected to play for South Africa during the year:

- Kurt Kin scored 4½ out of 9 in the Saint Lo Junior Open, France.
- Seshni Govindasamy scored 3 out of 9 in the San Agustin Open, Spain.
- Pratish Ramsurup scored 4½ out of 13 in the World Junior (under 20) championship, held in Gaziantep, Turkey.
- Sayen Naidu scored 4½ out of 8 for the RSA-A team at the World Youth (under 16) team championship, held in Mersin, Turkey.
- Sayen Naidu scored 4 out of 11 in the World Youth championship (under 16), held in Vung Tau, Vietnam.

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