

**Calendar****December 6 Tuesday**

Summer Swiss Round 4  
7.45 PM start  
Tuesday coaching 6 till 7.30

**December 9 Friday**

Canterbury day nighter  
round 1

**December 10 Saturday**

Canterbury day nighter  
round 2, round 3

**December 11 Sunday**

Canterbury day nighter  
round 4, round 5

**December 12 Monday**

Canterbury day nighter  
round 6

**December 13 Tuesday**

club closed

**December 16 Friday**

losing points blitz  
7.45 start

**December 18 Sunday**

Sunday tournament  
12.30 start

**December 20 Tuesday**

Summer Swiss Round 5

**Then 2012**

A new beginning or is that  
2011 all over again

**Canterbury day nighter Final standings**

1	Dragicevic, Dom	2247	2215	5.5	20.5	Prize winners
2-3	Nemeth, John	2127	2098	5	18.0	1 <sup>st</sup> Dom Dragicevic \$600
	Tang, Jason	2008	2071	5	18.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> John Nemeth \$325
4-9	Matheson, Laur	2126	2191	4.5	17.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jason Tang \$325
	Lekkas, Frank Gp1	1965	1939	4.5	17.0	Group 1
	Wallis, Chris	2268	2314	4.5	16.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Frank Lekkas \$50
	Tan, Justin	2160	2120	4.5	16.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Tony Davis \$50
	Davis, Tony J Gp1	1942	1807	4.5	15.5	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Ari Dale \$50
	Dale, Ari Gp1	1977	1892	4.5	14.5	Group 2:
10-17	Zelesco, Karl Gp1	1976	1964	4	18.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Gus D'Onofrio \$75
	Hacche, David J	2060	2034	4	17.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Geoff Cook \$75
	Ly, Thai Gp1	2005	1998	4	15.0	Group 3:
	Stead, Kerry Gp1	2023	1981	4	15.0	1 <sup>st</sup> Franz Oswald \$100
	D'Onofrio, Gus Gp2	679	1601	4	15.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> David Cannon \$10
	Jager, Jesse	2193	2256	4	14.5	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jimmy Ying \$10
	Chmiel, Rad Gp1	1868	1736	4	13.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cameron Yung \$10
	Cook, Geoff Gp2	1775	1603	4	12.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> John Ni \$10
18-26	Dalton, Samuel	1999	2062	3.5	15.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ruben Nowak \$10
	Addamo, Michael Gp1	1915	1906	3.5	15.0	Group 4:
	Gibson, Kyle Gp2	1644	1675	3.5	13.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Kris Chan \$50
	Penrose, Justin	2042	2031	3.5	13.0	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Trist Krstevski \$50
	Loh, Zachary Gp1	1802	1846	3.5	12.5	= 1 <sup>st</sup> Carl Dingfelder \$50
	Lea, Tom Gp1		1798	3.5	12.5	Group 5:
	Flude, David Gp2	1789	1639	3.5	12.5	1 <sup>st</sup> Vishal Bhat \$100
	Chew Lee, Max Gp1	1664	1703	3.5	11.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bobby Yu \$10
	Oswald, Franz Gp3	1664	1493	3.5	10.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Kevin Ren \$10
27-39	Raine, Marcus	2038	2000	3	14.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Luis Chan \$10
	Bartnik, Robert Gp1	1922	1706	3	12.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Eliza Warren \$10
	Brown, Kevin Gp2	1729	1687	3	12.0	= 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dominic Lai \$10
	Sharman, Scot Gp2	2054	1654	3	12.0	Some comments
	Bekker, Gary Gp2	1825	1617	3	12.0	As our esteemed tournament organiser is just a little stressed right now I shall try and get a report from him for next week's issue. Meanwhile:
	Chan, Kris Gp4		979	3	11.0	I thought the tournament a great success it was a new venture for our clubs in this format perhaps tried in other places but not by us. I thought doing away with the drag of 3 rounds on the day worked well and having the last round on Monday night which I feared would lead to many forfeits gave us a good result with only one. The tournament was FIDE rated, ACF rated, and grand prix rated I might say at considerable expense, and we are sure grateful to our sponsors
	Cannon, David Gp3	1626	1390	3	10.5	<b>The Bendigo Bank</b>
	Ying, Jimmy Gp3	1679	1500	3	10.0	
	Yung, Cameron Gp3		1329	3	9.0	
	Ni, John Gp3		1314	3	9.0	
	Nowak, Ruben Gp3	1554	1252	3	9.0	
	Krstevski, Tr Gp4		1162	3	9.0	
	Dingfelder, C Gp4		812	3	6.0	
40-46	Kenmure, Ja Gp3	1750	1421	2.5	10.5	
	Espejo, Elvis Gp3	1648	1425	2.5	9.5	
	Chew, Jason Gp4		1162	2.5	9.0	
	Phuma, Orefile Gp4	1454	1175	2.5	8.5	
	Gray, Alan Gp4		1019	2.5	8.5	
	Dale, Finley Gp3	1641	1306	2.5	6.5	
	Bhat, Vishal Gp5		714	2.5	6.5	
47-56	Yuan, Daniel Gp3		1203	2	8.0	
	Chin, David Gp4		999	2	8.0	
	Millington, G Gp4		938	2	7.0	
	Yu, Bobby Gp5		594	2	7.0	
	Chin, Nicole Gp4		880	2	6.0	
	Ren, Kevin Gp5		739	2	6.0	
	Chan, Luis Gp5		738	2	6.0	
	Chew Lee, Ala Gp4		980	2	5.5	
	Warren, Eliza Gp5		789	2	5.0	
	Lai, Dominic Gp5		610	2	4.0	
57-61	Pearce, Oscar Gp5			1	5.0	
	Middleton, Jo Gp5		540	1	4.0	
	Loucas, Carl Gp5		759	1	3.0	
	Mendes, Amelia Gp5		157	1	2.0	
	Grech, Marc Gp5			1	1.0	
	Fletcher, Br Gp5			0	0.0	



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## Final Rookies and Queens Cup tournament December 18

Due to the Canterbury Day-nighter on the 2nd Sunday of December, the final Rookies and Queens cup tournament will be held December 18 the 3rd Sunday of the month Here are the usual and final 2011 details

**A tournament for Juniors and Seniors Junior Prizes :** First **\$40** plus Rookies Cup trophy. Second **\$25**.

Highest placed girl **\$25** plus Queen's Cup Trophies for 1st in min. 4 ratings groups.

**Trophies for equal placegetters decided on count back. medallions for those missing out in the count back**

Senior prizes: \$5 of each senior entry to go to the prize fund.

**Enter:** at the Club on Tuesdays or Fridays or by mail to 23 Chester Street Surrey Hills 3127 or Enter on the day by 12 at the

venue or go to the web site and pay on the day [www.boxhillchess.org.au/junior](http://www.boxhillchess.org.au/junior)  
**Tournament: Format and ratings**  
 7 round SWISS tournament. 15 min. per player

All games are rated on the ACF national rapid play ratings list.

**Perpetual Junior Trophies:**

Highest placed junior to hold the **Rookies Cup** until the next tournament.

Highest placed girl to hold **Queens cup** until then

**Payments:** Cash or cheque to Canterbury Juniors

**Entry fees: \$15** for members and students of our sponsors **\$20** for visitors

**Refreshments:** Available at reasonable prices

**Prize giving:** Around 5:00 pm

## Tuesday Summer swiss

Finally some news from this almost forgotten tournament. This is the cross table with one round to go and the final round will determine whether Fludey will win the grand prix or Chris Wallis

No	Name	Rtg	Total	1	2	3	4
1	Raine, Marcus	4		14:W	6:W	2:W	4:W
2	Bergmanis, Olgerts	3		20:W	7:W	1:L	6:W
3	Neymanis, Eric	3		27:W	0:	14:W	5:W
4	Grant, Max	2.5		15:W	12:D	22:W	1:L
5	Cerina, Igor	2		10:W	8:L	12:W	3:L
6	Grant, John	2		23:W	1:L	20:W	2:L
7	Guo, Zhi Lin	2		9:W	2:L	0:	15:W
8	Narenthran, Janaki	2		28:W	5:W	0:	0:
9	Han, Max	2		7:L	15:W	21:W	0:
10	Guo, Zhi Xin	2		5:L	28:W	0:	14:W
11	Ren, Kevin	2		0:	0:	28:W	21:W
12	Krstevski, Tristan	2		29:W	4:D	5:L	24:D
13	Cannon, Hugh	2		0:	0:	26:W	30:W
14	Flude, David A	1		1:L	21:W	3:L	10:L
15	Liu, Stephen	1		4:L	9:L	23:W	7:L
16	Krstevska, Tanya	1		22:W	0:	0:	0:
17	Croft, Roger	1		0:	0:	0:	22:W
18	Lawson, Shane	1		0:	0:	24:W	0:
19	Stanning, Trevor	1		0:	0:	0:	27:W
20	Lindstrom, Sebastian	1		2:L	23:D	6:L	23:D
21	Wong, Vincent	1		30:W	14:L	9:L	11:L
22	Lindstrom, Lars	1		16:L	26:W	4:L	17:L
23	Weeraratne, Ken	1		6:L	20:D	15:L	20:D
24	Guo, Steven	.5		0:	0:	18:L	12:D
25	Gray, Alan	.5		0:	0:	0:	26:D
26	Fletcher, Bruce	.5		0:	22:L	13:L	25:D
27	Fu, Chris	0		3:L	0:	0:	19:L
28	Han, Mike	0		8:L	10:L	11:L	0:
29	Khong, Victor	0		12:L	0:	0:	0:
30	Morrissey, James	0		21:L	0:	0:	13:L

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### Australian Junior Championships a message from Simon

2012 Australian Junior Chess Championships  
 If you are thinking of playing in the 2012 Australian Junior Chess Championships then you should register before the 1st January. We need to finalise the numbers by then so any registration after that date will incur a late fee. There are over 200 already registered

## Photo page

Round 1, 2, 3, and 4 Canterbury Day-nighter, Round 1 Australasian Masters



Laurence, Elvis,  
Michael, David,  
John Nemeth



Frank, Gus,  
Elizabeth, Rad,  
Amelia



Kevin, Tristan, Ja-  
son, Robert, Luis.



Spectators Peter,  
David, Thai  
players Alan, Jody,  
Gus, Zachary,  
Bruce



Chris, Ari, Alanna,  
Jesse, Justin



The Australasian Masters was running in parallel to the Canterbury day-nighter for a while anyway. Here are two pictures from round 1 Left Eddy Levi, and Michael Ginat. Right David Garner and Dusan Stojic



## 2011 Joice Raine Memorial Grand Prix Competition

Now that we are reaching the end of the competition we need to recap what has happened so far. The competition was instigated by club member Marcus Raine in memory of his mother the painter Joyce Raine. Marcus donated the following a prize fund of \$ 1600 split up as follows:

first	\$375
second	\$250
third	\$150
fourth	\$100
fifth	\$75
sixth	\$50
seventh	\$35
eighth	\$25
Rating group A U1600	
first	\$100
second	\$50
third	\$25
Rating group B U1200	
first	\$100
second	\$50
third	\$25
Rating group C U800	
first	\$100
second	\$50
third	\$25

The following tournaments were set as part of the circuit and were weighted as indicated

Participating tournaments	
Autumn Cup	weight 1.0
Club Championship	weight 1.4
Winter Swiss [Tuesday]	weight 0.8
Box Hill Open	weight 1.2
Box Hill Masters [Tuesday]	weight 1.0
Friday Grades	weight 0.8
Summer swiss [Tuesday]	weight 0.8
Canterb. Day nighter	weight 1.0
One tournament the Tuesday Summer swiss is yet to be completed	
The points scored on the results table are the	

points gained in each tournament plus or minus the weighting shown

The top 10 performers are shown on the table below and show you that participation and consistency are big factors in getting to the prize money

note here that Tristan and Steven also qualify for group A and B and David for Group A. Of the players in the top 10 only David [Flude] and Steven are playing in the Summer swiss still in progress but neither are doing all that well

2314	Wallis, Christopher	30.1
1639	Flude, David A	29.6
1703	Chew Lee, Max	25.3
1736	Chmiel, Rad	24.8
1892	Dale, Ari	24.5
1883	Kempen, Leon	22.3
1162	Krstevski, Tristan	21.4
1964	Zelesco, Karl	21.1
1390	Cannon, David	19.8
1097	Guo, Steven	19.7

I just found I had a bit more space than I thought, so here are the next 10. Only Eric can still improve his position in this group as he is playing in the Summer swiss

1706	Bartnik, Robert	19.6
1457	Gluzman, Sam	19.2
1741	Martinez, Octavio	18.7
1948	Chan, Michael	18.6
1365	Foo, Kit Ming	18.3
1572	Croft, Roger	18.1
2363	Cheng, Bobby	17.9
2126	Jordan, Bill	17.9
1218	Cannon, Jim	17.8
1072	Neymanis, Eric	17.8
2179	Schön, Eugene	17.6

### The Australasian Masters

With 4 rounds gone This tournament is running at a fair old clip and should be all over by this Sunday December 18. The result will be hard to predict as all players have already lost some points. The round 3 clash between Bobby Cheng and Stephen Solomon was pretty indicative of the evenness of the field. There was an unfortunate occurrence in round 1 which caused the substitution of Mirko Rujevic with Leonid Sandler and also caused an explosion of generally uninformed comment on both our chat boards. However I don't wish to get involved suffice to say I am hoping that we will be able to publish the arbiter's report here next week

1-3	Solomon, Stephen J	2384	2387	3
	Cheng, Bobby	2345	2363	3
	Stojic, Dusan	2287	2277	3
4	Morris, James	2364	2288	2.5
5	Sheng, Lee Wang	2248	2240	2
6-8	Sandler, Leonid	2279	2273	1.5
	Levi, Eddy L	2138	2129	1.5
	Ginat, Michael B	2190	2018	1.5
9	Garner, David J	2149	2077	1
10	Bashar, Omar Khaled	2010	1936	0

The IM norm is 7 and both Dusan and Bobby are in excellent position to achieve this. Solomon and Morris already have an international title





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