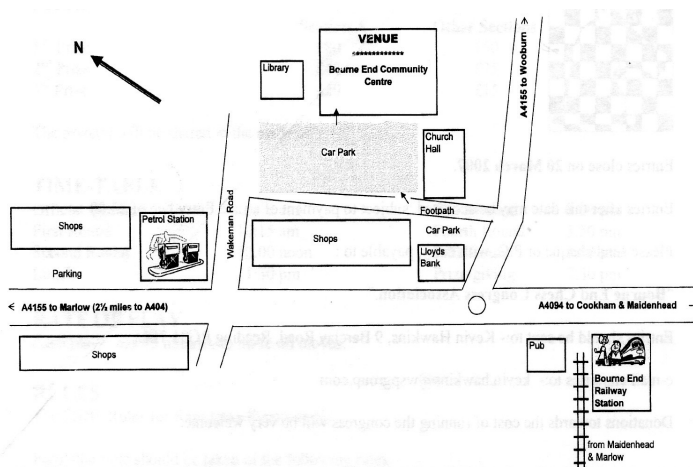


Location



Easily accessed via A404 from M4 or M40

The Centre has disabled access

Snacks, rolls and hot drinks will be on sale between rounds and the Community Association Bar will be open during licensed hours

Data will be stored for the duration of the Congress. Please tick if you wish data be kept for future contact

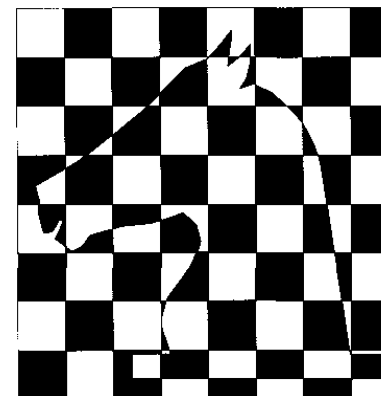
Next Congress is on Sunday 28th. March 2010

35TH. BOURNE END ONE DAY CHESS CONGRESS

at the Bourne End Community Centre

Wakeman Road, Bourne End, Buckinghamshire. SL8 5SX

Sunday 5th April 2009



A one day rapid play tournament for players of all strengths

Tournament will be divided into sections
of approximately equal playing strengths

PRIZES

	Section A	Other Sections
1 st Prize	£80	£50
2 nd Prize	£40	£25
3 rd Prize	£20	£15

The prize(s) will be shared in the event of a tie.

TIME-TABLE

Official Opening 10:00 am	Third Round 2:00 pm
First Round 10:15 am	Fourth Round 3:50 pm
Second Round 12:00 noon	Fifth Round 5:40pm
Lunch 1:30 pm	Prize-giving 7:30 pm

RATE OF PLAY

Each player has 45 minutes to make all moves.

RULES

The FIDE Rules for Rapid play Events apply.

Particular note should be taken of the following rules.

- If a player makes an illegal move the board is re-set and two minutes is added to his opponent's time, if a player makes three illegal moves he forfeits the game. A move is completed when the clock is pressed.
- Checkmate ends the game without the clock being stopped. No claims can be made after checkmate.
- If a player notes that the flag on the clock of his opponent has fallen, the player may claim a win provided his own flag has not fallen and he is able to win by legal moves. Flag-falls should not be pointed out by anyone other than the players in the game in question. If a player points out that both flags are down the game is drawn.
- During the last two minutes on a player's clock, if he believes that 'his opponent is making no progress towards a win by normal means, he may claim a draw. If not agreed, he may summon the controller who may declare the game drawn or instruct that the game continues with two minutes added to the opponent's time. The controller may declare a draw at any time thereafter. A player may not claim a draw after his flag has fallen except as stated in c).
- For any query requiring the controller, clocks may be stopped.
- There is no requirement to record moves, but a completed score sheet may be necessary to validate any claim for either a win or a draw under a) or d) above. By entering the Congress players undertake to play in all 5 rounds, players withdrawing after the first round may not be eligible to play in future congresses.

Competitors are requested not to play or analyse in the Tournament Hall.

Please reposition pieces and reset clocks once games are finished.

Entries close on Wednesday 1st. April 2009.

Entries after this date may be accepted, subject to payment of a Late Entry Fee of £3.00

**Please send cheque or P.O. with entry, payable to :
"Bourne End Chess Congress Association."**

**Entries should be sent to:- David Langford, 17 Goddington Road, Bourne End , Bucks.
SL8 5TT**

e-mail enquiries to:- bebchess@yahoo.co.uk

Donations towards the cost of running the congress will be very welcome

ENTRY FORM

Name.....

Address

Telephone Number.....

E-mail Address.....

BCF Direct Membership Number.....

Quick play Grading..... Normal play grading or approximate strength.....

Club or School.....

Entry Fee**£13 (or £12.50 if BCF Direct Member)**

Late Entry Fee (see above)

Donation

TOTAL

**Acknowledgements and receipts will only be sent if a stamped addressed envelope,
is enclosed with entry.**

DATA PROTECTION- see overleaf

