Press Report from 2025-04-01 to 2025-05-17

SCL Div 1

SCL Div 1 Wed 2nd Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Basingstoke A	V	Chandlers Ford A	Rating
1 (B)	2291 (2289)	Jones, Steven A	1 - 0	Cave, Iwan	2224 (2225)
2 (W)	2006 (2011)	Pentakota, Rajasekhar	1 - 0	Tarrant-Edwards, Philip	1791 (1776)
3 (B)	1807 (1805)	Negargar, Mo	0 - 1	Purkiss, William	1806 (1819)
4 (W)	1785 (1784)	Morley, Ralph	½ - ½	Eales, Peter J	1625 (1617)
5 (B)	1745 (1768)	Chilton, James I	1 - 0	Lineker-Miller, Stephen	1632 (1635)
Average	1927		3½ - 1½		1816

Last update James Chilton Wed 2nd Apr 2025 23:09. Reported by James Chilton Wed 2nd Apr 2025 23:09. Verified By

A tough, tight match, with exciting time scrambles on boards 2 and 4 to conclude. Thanks to Chandler's Ford for making the journey, good luck to our players Harry, Ralph, and Megan at university (Megan may well be playing for Southampton University next season!), and commiserations to Ringwood on relegation after such a tight Division 1 campaign.

SCL Div 2

SCL Div 2 Wed 14th May 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Hamble A	V	Winchester A	Rating
1 (B)	1860 (1848)	Du Toit, Reenen J	0 - 1	Downie, Anthony George	1888 (1888)
2 (W)	1593 (1670)	Bennett, Milan	1 - 0	Beer, Doug	1773 (1784)
3 (B)	1228 (1228)	Jerome, David	0 - 1	Piecha, Lukasz Marek	1819 (1832)
4 (W)	1271 (1271)	Cochran, Brian V	0 - 1	Lawrence, Simon	1658 (1671)
5 (B)	0000 ()	Default	0(def) - 0(def)	Default	0000 ()
Average	1191		1 - 3		1428

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Thankyou for the match and getting a team together. Well played Milan. A good win against a strong player.

SCL Div 2 Tue 8th Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Chandlers Ford B	V	Fareham B	Rating
1 (B)	1806 (1819)	Purkiss, William	½ - ½	Coburn, Joseph A	1839 (1829)
2 (W)	1803 (1792)	Holmes, David J	0 - 1	McBurnie, Jack	1762 (1764)
3 (B)	1760 (1736)	Stuart, Graham	½ - ½	Elliott, Dave J	1691 (1666)
4 (W)	1753 (1772)	Jones, Eric M	1 - 0	Syed, Ashraf	1618 (1640)
5 (B)	1729 (1763)	Westbrook, Christian	1 - 0	Rooney, Louis	1542 (1551)
Average	1771		3 - 2		1691

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00:01. Verified By

A close match which went down to the final game, which saw Christian bring home the win for Chandler's Ford.
SCL Div 2 Thu 10th Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Salisbury A	V	Hamble A	Rating
1 (B)	1804 (1804)	Binns, Anthony	0 - 1	Wilson, Jaimie	2124 (2121)
2 (W)	1796 (1796)	Redmill, Simon M	0 - 1	Northcott, Paul	2040 (2049)
3 (B)	1627 (1627)	Turner, Keith	½ - ½	Newbury, Martin L	1866 (1864)
4 (W)	1538 (1538)	Aron, Daniel Andrei	1 - 0	Buckley, Martin GS	1837 (1848)
5 (B)	1458 (1381)	Diaper, Ollie	0 - 1	Bennett, Milan	1593 (1670)
Average	1645		1½ - 3½		1892

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Result not accepted by Hamble ref Martin Hamble in accordance with League rules.

SCL Div 3

SCL Div 3 Wed 9th Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Basingstoke C	V	Basingstoke B	Rating
1 (B)	1752 (1736)	Knight, Colin B	0 - 1	Negargar, Mo	1807 (1805)
2 (W)	1500 (1468)	Long, David	0 - 1	Morley, Ralph	1785 (1784)
3 (B)	1471 (1483)	Cross, Tony	0 - 1	Birch, Megan	1748 (1728)
4 (W)	1373 (1386)	Matthews, Adam	1 - 0	Birch, Andrew	1490 (1480)
5 (B)	0000 (1423)	Toombs, David	0 - 1	Andrews, Michael D	1432 (1442)
Average	1220		1 - 4		1653

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Board 5 for Basingstoke C was David Toombes, a new player with estimated grade 1400
SCL Div 3 Wed 2nd Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Hamble B	V	Basingstoke B	Rating
1 (B)	1705 (1701)	Pearson, Simon RM	½ - ½	Birch, Megan	1748 (1728)
2 (W)	1670 (1645)	Pinto, Phil B	0 - 1	Yeung, Jia-Arn	1571 (1669)
3 (B)	1466 (1457)	Smith, Rick F	0 - 1	Birch, Andrew	1490 (1480)
4 (W)	1344 (1337)	Gates, Simon	0 - 1	Dhall, Ojas	1455 (1459)
5 (B)	1236 (1228)	Jerome, David	0 - 1	Ware, Philip J	1450 (1455)
Average	1485		½ - 4½		1543

Last update David Jerome Tue 8th Apr 2025 11:23. Reported by Andrew Birch Wed 2nd Apr 2025 23:49. Verified By David Jerome Tue 8th Apr 2025 11:23

SCL Div 3 Thu 24th Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Draw

Board	Rating	Salisbury B	V	Hamble B	Rating
1 (B)	1735 (1738)	Wright, Richard J	½ - ½	Buckley, Martin GS	1850 (1848)
2 (W)	1692 (1667)	Symons, John B	0 - 1	Newbury, Martin L	1883 (1864)
3 (B)	1608 (1627)	Turner, Keith	1 - 0	Pearson, Simon RM	1705 (1701)
4 (W)	1617 (1494)	Dowson, David	0 - 1	Bennett, Milan	1603 (1670)
5 (B)	1526 (1529)	Ford, Graeme	1 - 0	Jerome, David	1236 (1228)
Average	1636		2½ - 2½		1656

Last update Keith Turner Fri 25th Apr 2025 08:55. Reported by Keith Turner Fri 25th Apr 2025 08:55. Verified By

SCL Div 3 Tue 22nd Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Southampton B	V	Basingstoke B	Rating
1 (B)	1756 (1733)	Lynn, Thomas	0 - 1	Smith, Harry	1819 (1835)
2 (W)	1713 (1733)	Agostinelli, David R	1 - 0	Birch, Megan	1748 (1728)
3 (B)	1658 (1659)	Chapman, Timothy J	½ - ½	Yeung, Jia-Arn	1571 (1669)
4 (W)	1636 (1649)	Ediss, Darren	1 - 0	Birch, Andrew	1490 (1480)
5 (B)	1634 (1642)	Sawers, Kevin	1 - 0	Dhall, Ojas	1455 (1459)
Average	1680		3½ - 1½		1617

Last update Andrew Birch Tue 22nd Apr 2025 23:53. Reported by Andrew Birch Tue 22nd Apr 2025 23:53. Verified By

A well-deserved win for Southampton-B.

SCL Div 3 Wed 12th Mar 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Hamble B	V	Southampton University B	Rating
1 (W)	1887 (1848)	Buckley, Martin GS	½ - ½	Goodlad, Daniel	1813 (1834)
2 (B)	1469 (1457)	Smith, Rick F	0 - 1	Ha, Joshua	1796 (1791)
3 (W)	1489 (1699)	Howell, Gareth	1 - 0	Scott, Ryan	1732 (1746)
4 (B)	1330 (1337)	Gates, Simon	0 - 1	Sopocko, Austin	1633 (1667)
5 (W)	1238 (1228)	Jerome, David	0 - 1	Williamson, Oliver	1580 (1584)
Average	1483		1½ - 3½		1711

Last update David Jerome Tue 8th Apr 2025 11:25. Reported by Austin Sopocko Sat 15th Mar 2025 14:51. Verified By David Jerome Tue 8th Apr 2025 11:25

SCL Div 3 Wed 16th Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Basingstoke C	V	Hamble B	Rating
1 (B)	1752 (1736)	Knight, Colin B	0 - 1	Buckley, Martin GS	1850 (1848)
2 (W)	1691 (1706)	Thurstans, Richard	1 - 0	Newbury, Martin L	1883 (1864)
3 (B)	1606 (1599)	Shaddick, John	0 - 1	Pearson, Simon RM	1705 (1701)
4 (W)	1582 (1579)	Truelove, Ayala	1 - 0(def)	Default	0000 ()
5 (B)	1500 (1468)	Long, David	1 - 0(def)	Default	0000 ()
Average	1627		3 - 2		1088

Last update David Long Wed 16th Apr 2025 23:11. Reported by David Long Wed 16th Apr 2025 23:11. Verified By

Unfortunately, traffic problems prevented Hamble's board 4 and 5 players from getting to the match and they conceded these boards.

SCL Div 4

SCL Div 4 Tue 1st Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Andover B	V	Basingstoke D	Rating
1 (B)	1668 (1579)	Prynne, Josh	1 - 0(def)	Default	0000 ()
2 (W)	1484 (1499)	Morris, Nicholas	1 - 0	Yeung, Jia-Arn	1571 (1669)
3 (B)	1468 (1470)	Stonham, Gavin	1 - 0	Long, David	1500 (1468)
4 (W)	1294 (1303)	Dinkele, Andrew	0 - 1	Cross, Tony	1471 (1483)
Average	1479		3 - 1		1136

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SCL Div 4 Thu 3rd Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Salisbury C	V	Winchester B	Rating
1 (B)	1617 (1494)	Dowson, David	½ - ½	Horler, Harry	1820 (1790)
2 (W)	1529 (1538)	Aron, Daniel Andrei	0 - 1	Cleave, Bob A	1582 (1585)
3 (B)	1323 (1317)	Tyrie, Ed	0 - 1	Virtanen, Oskari	1491 (1497)
4 (W)	1313 (1307)	Barrett, Mark A	0 - 1	Dawson, Bracken	1449 (1455)
Average	1446		½ - 3½		1586

Last update Graham Stuart Mon 7th Apr 2025 08:13. Reported by Graham Stuart Mon 7th Apr 2025 08:13. Verified By

Salisbury board 1 was David Dowson currently listed under Linton ecf code 183696B, He will shortly be rejoining the ECF. Michael Pope - Salisbury

SCL Div 5

SCL Div 5 Wed 9th Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Basingstoke E	V	Chandlers Ford E	Rating
1 (B)	1582 (1579)	Truelove, Ayala	½ - ½	Murphy, Sam J	1496 (1485)
2 (W)	1571 (1669)	Yeung, Jia-Arn	1 - 0	Weaver, Alan	1259 (1243)
3 (B)	1504 (1451)	Hayward, Thomas	1 - 0	Strachan, Rob	1240 (1244)
4 (W)	1332 (1337)	Guerrero, Dan	1 - 0	Parish, Geoff	1185 (1197)
Average	1498		3½ - ½		1295

Last update Dan Guerrero Wed 9th Apr 2025 23:33. Reported by Dan Guerrero Wed 9th Apr 2025 23:33. Verified By

SCL Rob Cup

SCL Rob Cup Wed 30th Apr 2025 00:00 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Hamble A	V	Ringwood A	Rating
1 (B)	2124 (2121)	Wilson, Jaimie	0 - 1	Anderson, Peter W	2114 (2124)
2 (W)	2040 (2049)	Northcott, Paul	1 - 0	Weatherlake, John P	1963 (1945)
3 (B)	1891 (1882)	Puchades, Richard V	0 - 1	Clancy, Martin J	1807 (1813)
4 (W)	1866 (1864)	Newbury, Martin L	½ - ½	Willetts, Graham J	1786 (1777)
5 (B)	1837 (1848)	Buckley, Martin GS	1 - 0(def)	Default	0000 ()
Average	1952		2½ - 2½		1534

Last update Graham Stuart Thu 1st May 2025 08:03. Reported by Graham Stuart Thu 1st May 2025 08:03. Verified By

A tough match as expected.

Ringwood was unable to provide a Board 5 for which we apologise.

First game to finish was board 4 where Martin had pressure but Graham defended well. Next was my win on board 3. In the end my opponent blundered a piece having defended a difficult position well until that point.

There was quite a gap before the next game to finish. In that gap, Martin B. and I concluded that with an equal score, Hamble would need to get 1.5 of the two remaining points to win. That looked possible when board 2 went Hamble's way. However, Peter eventually edged Jamie in the last game to finish, drawing the match.

The Robertson cup first method of deciding an equal match is lowest board count on the won games - Hamble board count is 7 and Ringwood's 4, so it looks like Ringwood progresses to the final.

It was good to visit the Hamble chess club after a lot of years! Thanks to them generally for a good evening of chess and Martin B. in particular for making me aware of local roadworks.

Finally, good luck to Hamble in division 1 next year, where they are replacing Ringwood :-)

SCL Rob Cup Mon 19th May 2025 19:30 Winner: Unknown

Board	Rating	Ringwood A	V	Southampton A	Rating
1 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
2 (W)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
3 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
4 (W)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
5 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
			0 - 0		

Last update Fraser McLeod Tue 6th May 2025 12:54. Reported by . Verified By

SCL Rob Plate

SCL Rob Plate Tue 29th Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Chandlers Ford B	V	Winchester A	Rating
1 (B)	1941 (1915)	Staniforth, Matthew	0 - 1	Piecha, Lukasz Marek	1819 (1832)
2 (W)	1791 (1776)	Tarrant-Edwards, Philip	0 - 1	Beer, Doug	1773 (1784)
3 (B)	1760 (1736)	Stuart, Graham	0 - 1	Lawrence, Simon	1658 (1671)
4 (W)	1753 (1772)	Jones, Eric M	1 - 0	White, Michael J	1619 (1613)
5 (B)	1729 (1763)	Westbrook, Christian	1 - 0	Cleave, Bob A	1582 (1585)
Average	1795		2 - 3		1691

Last update Graham Stuart Tue 29th Apr 2025 23:27. Reported by Graham Stuart Tue 29th Apr 2025 23:27. Verified By

A very close match which came down to a time scramble on board 3 in which Simon came out on top. Well played to Winchester and good luck in the final.

SCL Rob Plate Thu 12th Jun 2025 19:30 Winner: Unknown

Board	Rating	Andover A	V	Winchester A	Rating
1 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
2 (W)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
3 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
4 (W)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
5 (B)	()	Unknown		Unknown	()
			0 - 0		

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SCL Clarke Cup - Div 4 & 5

SCL Clarke Cup - Div 4 & 5 Tue 15th Apr 2025 19:30 Winner: Home

Board	Rating	Fareham C	V	Chandlers Ford C	Rating
1 (B)	1784 (1798)	Philidor, Thomas	1 - 0	Westbrook, Christian	1729 (1763)
2 (W)	1897 (1820)	Perelli-Harris, Caeden	0 - 1	Lineker-Miller, Stephen	1632 (1635)
3 (B)	1762 (1764)	McBurnie, Jack	1 - 0	Murphy, Sam J	1496 (1485)
4 (W)	1516 (1517)	Boiko, Denys	0 - 1	Meredith, Richard J	1470 (1496)
Average	1740		2 - 2		1582

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Semi finals to be played by 1st May 2025, but hopefully before to allow plenty of time for Final.

SCL Clarke Cup - Div 4 & 5 Tue 15th Apr 2025 23:01 Winner: Away

Board	Rating	Andover B	V	Basingstoke D	Rating
1 (B)	1668 (1579)	Prynne, Josh	0 - 1	Truelove, Ayala	1582 (1579)
2 (W)	1484 (1499)	Morris, Nicholas	½ - ½	Yeung, Jia-Arn	1571 (1669)
3 (B)	1468 (1470)	Stonham, Gavin	0 - 1	Long, David	1500 (1468)
4 (W)	1294 (1303)	Dinkele, Andrew	1 - 0	Hayward, Thomas	1504 (1451)
Average	1479		1½ - 2½		1540

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Semi finals to be played by 1st May 2025, but hopefully before to allow plenty of time for Final.

SCL Clarke Cup - Div 4 & 5 Tue 20th May 2025 19:30 Winner: Unknown

Board	Rating	Fareham C	V	Basingstoke D	Rating
0 (B)	000 (000)				000 (000)
1 (W)	000 (000)				000 (000)
2 (B)	000 (000)				000 (000)
3 (W)	000 (000)				000 (000)
			0 - 0		

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To be played by the 29th May 2025