

Tamworth & District Chess Club

News

Winter Tournament

There are 5 entries for the winter tournament, which will be an all-play-all. Anyone else wishing to enter please let me know as soon as possible, as currently one player in each round will have a bye.

The first round is due to be played on 12th October, with John playing Peter O, Pat playing David and Chris having the bye. That date is the only Club night in October, as we have matches on 5th, 19th and 24th of the month. (posted 18/9)

Season starts with a win

Our Cannock League Division 2 campaign got off to a winning start last Thursday (14th Sept) with a 3-1 victory at Lichfield. There were wins for Simon, Pat and Peter O. (posted 18/9)

Club nights

At the recent AGM, it was decided that the club nights would be held on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Occasionally this may change to accommodate league matches, though as far as possible we will try to arrange these for other nights. Full details of dates of league matches and club nights are on the Fixtures page.

Gradings

The July 2017 gradings have now been published. The gradings for club members are:

Phil Briggs	179 (previously 177)
Simon Walton	146 (142)
Peter McConnell	134 (136)
Pat Kelly	124 (126)
Peter Oliver	112 (111)
John Howlett	108 (122)
Chris Harrington	88 (89)
David Smith	57 (54)

Forthcoming Fixtures

The league season opens on 14th September with an away match at Lichfield. The first home match is against Rugeley on 5th October, which means that club night is postponed to the following week (12th October).