

## White Horse Open

22 Players 7 Rounds  
Completed 10 Sep 95

This event proved to be a clear victory for Robert Jamieson with most of the interest centred on an intense fight for second place.

Score	Player	Aug95	Tour	Rtg
		Ratg	Perf	Chge
7/7	R Jamieson	2288	****	11
5	V Kildisas	1837	1751	-1
	D Flude	1716	1867	17
4.5	A Chng	1792	1718	-1
	P Hyland	1750	1626	-8
4	T Stanning	1435	1472	4
	M Sucevic	1391	1401	2
	V Vesely	1122	1420	63
3.5	G Saw	1712	1500	-15
	M Klugman	1616	1795	11
	G Cook	1580	1416	-13
	G Comopoulos	1544	1476	1
	M Mollard	1464	1352	-20
	S Chow	1155p	1353	0
3	J Klopogge	1370	1278	-14
	L Nemeth	1242p	1119	0
	J Nemeth	880p	1462	0
2	S Lawson	1432	1193	-33
	E Glennie	1196p	0	0
	D Jay	1156p	0	0
1	A Slingsby	1272p	0	0
	L Bui	0	0	0

## Victorian Country Championship

19 Players 5 Rounds  
Completed 8 Oct 95

Bendigo champion Alex Davies took out this year's event ahead of Dr Stewart Booth (Sea Lake) and Ballarat's Patrick Cook. The event was again held at Maryborough and provides one of the rare opportunities for Victorian country players to meet. The reserve section prize was shared by David Schepisi, Nick Garrow and Ken Czuczman. An interesting new country player on this year's cross-table is a G Bekker. Photos taken during the event indicate a strong resemblance to one Gary D Bekker. (Perhaps Gary's twin country cousin !?)

Score	Player	Aug95	Tour	Rtg
		Ratg	Perf	Chge
4.5	A Davies	1887	2096	19
4	S Booth	2142	1938	-4
	P Cook	1589	1839	23
3.5	M Bruere	1904	1914	3
3	B VanRiel	1737	1692	-2
	K Perrin	1564	1561	2
	D Schepisi	1537	1653	7
	N Garrow	1451	1616	15

	K Czuczman	1437	1499	5
2	P Saver	1582	1466	-14
	N Barrow	1578	1504	-13
	L Healey	1545	1361	-17
	P Wendrich	1472	1238	-19
	G Bekker	1425	1350	-5
	D Cariss	1418	1278	-8
	J Daivis	1307	1506	16
	S Milton	1136p	0	0
1	J Males	1089	0	-7
	J Frangakis	0	1161	0

## Waverley Winter Cup

The 1995 Waverley Winter Cup was a nine round tournament that was very convincingly won by Simon Rutherford, just prior to his dazzling performance in the Australian Masters. Rutherford's main challengers were McDonald, Low, Cordover and Chow. Low withdrew after two rounds due to school commitments and Rutherford comfortably defeated the other three.

Joseph Chow was looking good to finish in second place after swindling Cordover and also beating McDonald. However a last round loss to Geoff Cook allowed McDonald and Cordover to overtake him. Cordover defeated Low early on and then drew with McDonald. His loss in the penultimate round to Chow was a big disappointment. McDonald had chances against Cordover but failed to find the win in the rook ending. His younger brother, Julian, showed it to him after the game!!

Score	Player	Aug95	Tour	Rtg
		Ratg	Perf	Chge
9.0	S Rutherford	2005	0	26
6.5	J McDonald	1836	1703	-5
6.5	D Cordover	1724	1809	21
6.0	J Chow	1738	1737	4
5.5	G Saw	1712	1601	-2
5.5	G Cook	1580	1589	3
5.5	B Borojevic	1495	1379	-15
5.0	M Desouza	1563	1463	-7
5.0	M Chow	1545	1624	19
5.0	G Baltatgis	1347	1552	37
5.0	D Blom	1190	1213	4
4.5	M Sucevic	1391	1396	-5
4.0	S Sharman	1311	1478	0
4.0	J Nemeth	1020	1217	15
4.0	J McDonald	915	1211	0
3.5	L Nemeth	1223	1175	0
3.5	J Carnell	1203	1249	5
3.5	H Gross	1192	1176	-4
3.5	D Lau	995	1067	6
2.5	E Glennie	1167	933	-40
2.0	S Low	1891	1551	-19
1.5	T Blom	975	865	-19
1.0	P Drew	1049	876	0

1.0	J Atkinson	0	764	0
0.5	C Abrahams	1280	1146	-7
0.5	A Patrick	953	1220	0

## Waverley Club Championships

The Waverley Club Championships and Reserves are nearly completed. There are 11 players competing for the title of Club Champion and 14 in the Reserves section. Top seed Rutherford was the favourite, but has not had a good a start as he would have wished. He lost with white against Michael Chow in the 2nd round.

Starting so far is Michael Chow who has wins over Geoff Saw, Joel McDonald, Adrian Turner and Simon Rutherford! He is equal first with two games to go.

Adrian Turner has taken a turn for the better. The "drawing master" has scored two wins already!! One against J.Chow and the other against Cordover! But in the process he has lost three and drawn two.

Rutherford seems to be struggling. His main challenge is Michael Chow who needs to beat Holt and Baltatgis to finish equal first. Rutherford on the other hand has to defeat Potter and Cook. I would still put my money on Rutherford.

### Progress Scores:

6.5/8	Rutherford, M.Chow
6.0	Potter
5.0	Holt
4.5	Cook
3.5	Saw
3.0	Cordover, Turner
1.5	Chow, J., McDonald
0.0	Baltatgis

The Reserves will be a tie for 1st place between Gary Bekker and Matthew Desouza. Both should finish on 8/9.

## Winter Interclub

### FINALS REPORT

The A Grade final for the Mayston Cup saw the first win by new club Elwood who won the bottom two boards then clinched the title when Johansen overpressed in his attempts to beat Sandler.

### A GRADE

White Horse	1.5-2.5	Elwood
D Johansen	=	L Sandler
R Jamieson	1-0	I Goldenberg
R Thomas	0-1	C Depasquale