

Kansas Open 2013 Report

This is brief report to be followed by a much more detailed report at a later date: Plains Chess. Especially more pictures.

The 2013 Kansas Open was held July 12th to July 14th at the Holiday Inn off East Kellogg in Wichita, KS. There were three tournaments: the Blitz, the Bughouse, and the Main tournament that was broken down into Open and Reserve sections. Attendance for this year's tournament was good. There were 36 players in the **Blitz**, 6 teams in the **Bughouse**, and 39 players in **Open** and 72 players in the **Reserve**. The 111 players for both Open and Reserve is the highest total since 121 participants in the 1991 Kansas Open in Overland Park according to Ralph Bowman.

The **Blitz** was won by Conrad Holt with a perfect score of 5 wins and no losses. There were many with 4 wins and 1 loss including Brian Yang, Thomas Braunlich, Tim Steiner, Abhishek Mallela, and Stanley Capps. First place Class B was a four way tie with Rick Hodges, Mohammadresa Hajiarbabi, Terry Wright, and Garland Heyen all having 3.0 points out of 5. Dinko Skerlev was first place Class C and below with 3.0 points.

For the Blitz there were three scholastic plaques handed out: Apramay Mishra had 3.5 points, Joshua Fernandes had 3.0 points, and Kiana Hajiarbabi had 2.0 points.

The **Open section** determines the new Kansas Champion. And, the new 2013 Kansas Champion and also overall champion for the Open section was Conrad Holt with 5 wins in 5 games. At 4.0 points and by himself was Missouri player Bob Holliman. Sharing Class A and below first place prizes in the Open section were Kansas player Jason Wawrzaszek and Oklahoma player Howard Zong with 3.5 points.

The Open section had a lot of out of state players with 8 players from Missouri, 7 players from Oklahoma, 5 players from Nebraska, 3 players from Russia, and 1 player from Nevada out of 39 total players in the Open section.

The **Reserve section** was a tie between Kansas players Kaustubh Nimkar and Peter Bradshaw at 4.5 points as a result of their last round draw against each other.

Winning the Reserve section class C first place was CJ Armenta at 4.0 points. For class D and below section there was a two way tie for first with class D player Gabriel Purdy and unrated player Marshal Lusk both scoring 4.0 points.

Scholastic plaques were also presented in the Reserve section. Joshua Fernandes was first at 3.5 points. He won on tiebreaks over Steven Burgoon who also had 3.5 points. In third place was Kyle Tran with 3.0 points.

The **Bughouse tourney** was held July 12th immediately following the Blitz. There were 6 teams. After the 5 round robin tourney there was a tie between the team of Ben Gradsky-Tony Dutiel and Conrad Holt-Abhishek Mallela, each having 1 loss out of 10 total games played. Then there was a three game playoff with the team of Holt-Mallela winning 2 games to 1.



Tourney director CJ Armenta with new Kansas Champion Conrad Holt

Dear friends,

The following is a link to view all 73 pictures taken on my camera at the 2013 Kansas Open. Double click on link. I think you can copy the pictures you like. There is also a slide show you can look at. Press ESC to end slide show.

Sincerely,
Laurence Coker

LINK FOR PICTURES FROM KANSAS OPEN

<https://picasaweb.google.com/108586918080555793271/2013KansasOpen?authkey=Gv1sRgCOOMsN-8rYSngwE#>

On the next few pages are crosstables from the Kansas Open: Blitz first, Open section, and then Reserve Section.

2013 KANSAS OPEN BLITZ -July 12, 2013 Wichita Kansas

Pair Num	Player Name USCF ID / Rtg (Pre->Post)	Total Pts	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5
1	CONRAD HOLT KS 12937909 / B: 2708 ->2711	5.0	W 20	W 11	W 4	W 2	W 5
2	THOMAS D BRAUNLICH OK 10386161 / B: 2201P10->2238P15	4.0	W 22	W 13	W 10	L 1	W 8
3	TIM C STEINER KS 12520946 / B: 2109P10->2101P15	4.0	W 15	L 9	W 18	W 16	W 10
4	ABHISHEK MALLELA MO 12888811 / B: 2062P10->2091P15	4.0	W 25	W 16	L 1	W 20	W 14
5	BRIAN YANG KS 12946778 / B: 1924P10->2076P15	4.0	W 27	W 12	W 9	W 8	L 1
6	STANLEY B CAPPS NE 12693770 / B: 2051P10->2071P15	4.0	W 19	W 14	L 8	W 9	W 11
7	APRAMAY MISHRA KS 14100400 / B: 1444P10->1609P15	3.5	L 11	D 19	W 31	W 30	W 18
8	JASON WAWRZASZEK KS 12685755 / B: 1983P10->1996P15	3.0	W 26	W 17	W 6	L 5	L 2
9	TONY R CHENG KS 13486296 / B: 1967P10->1972P15	3.0	W 28	W 3	L 5	L 6	W 22
10	HAROLD GENE LINDE KS 10406986 / B: 1963P10->1961P15	3.0	W 24	W 23	L 2	W 13	L 3
11	TODD IMADA NV 12565658 / B: 1932P10->1939P15	3.0	W 7	L 1	W 22	W 15	L 6
12	MOHAMMADREZA HAJIARBABI KS 14796427 / B: 1940P10->1894P15	3.0	W 29	L 5	W 17	L 18	W 26
13	TERRY L WRIGHT KS 12345700 / B: 1897P10->1874P15	3.0	W 33	L 2	W 24	L 10	W 25
14	RICK HODGES KS 12491989 / B: 1808P10->1819P15	3.0	W 32	L 6	W 25	W 21	L 4
15	DINKO SKERLEV KS 13481792 / B: 1601P10->1684P15	3.0	L 3	W 28	W 23	L 11	W 21
16	GARLAND W HEYEN KS 12002300 / B: 1626P10->1629P15	3.0	W 35	L 4	W 33	L 3	W 27
17	JOSHUA JUDE FERNANDES KS 14355803 / B: 1469P10->1621P15	3.0	W 21	L 8	L 12	W 33	W 20
18	JEFF ESKEW MO 12466783 / B: 1804P10->1764P15	2.5	D 30	W 34	L 3	W 12	L 7
19	JIM HILL NE 12577929 / B: 1544P10->1525P15	2.5	L 6	D 7	L 30	W 34	W 31
20	KIANA HAJIARBABI KS 14796433 / B: 1830P10->1783P15	2.0	L 1	W 26	W 34	L 4	L 17

21	KIM J JONES	2.0	L	17 W	30 W	27 L	14 L	15
KS	10371295 / B: 1891P10->1778P15							
22	RALPH E BOWMAN	2.0	L	2 W	32 L	11 W	24 L	9
KS	12421156 / B: 1500P10->1514P15							
23	MARSHAL GUY LUSK	2.0	W	31 L	10 L	15 L	26 W	33
KS	15180556 / B: Unrated->1391P5							
24	JEREMIAH BEYALE	2.0	L	10 W	31 L	13 L	22 W	30
KS	12838572 / B: 1320P10->1385P15							
25	DARYL R FOUARD	2.0	L	4 W	35 L	14 W	28 L	13
KS	12401335 / B: 1346P10->1365P15							
26	TODD W KONKEL	2.0	L	8 L	20 W	35 W	23 L	12
KS	14736261 / B: 1321P10->1359P15							
27	JONATHAN JAMES REIGENBORN	2.0	L	5 W	29 L	21 W	32 L	16
NE	14893598 / B: 1332P17->1338P22							
28	STEVEN EUGENE BURGOON	2.0	L	9 L	15 W	29 L	25 W	34
KS	14943587 / B: 1328P10->1311P15							
29	ADAM WELLER	2.0	L	12 L	27 L	28 W	35 W	32
KS	12731906 / B: 1087P10->1092P15							
30	WILLIAM BROWN	1.5	D	18 L	21 W	19 L	7 L	24
KS	14462201 / B: 1109P10->1215P15							
31	TOM L PHILLIPS	1.0	L	23 L	24 L	7 B	L	19
KS	12411318 / B: 1700P10->1526P14							
32	SHAHZRAD HAJIARBABI	1.0	L	14 L	22 B	L	27 L	29
KS	14796448 / B: 1079P10->1037P14							
33	MAVERICK LEE LANDES LEWIS	1.0	L	13 B	L	16 L	17 L	23
KS	14067673 / B: 851P10-> 847P14							
34	LILLIAN BROWN	1.0	B	L	18 L	20 L	19 L	28
KS	14462196 / B: 734P10-> 731P14							
35	SUSHRUTHA NAGARAJ	1.0	L	16 L	25 L	26 L	29 B	
KS	15198146 / B: Unrated-> 708P4							

2013 KANSAS OPEN- Open section- July 13 and 14, 2013 Wichita, Kansas

Pair Num	Player Name USCF ID / Rtg (Pre->Post)	Total Pts	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	
1	CONRAD HOLT	5.0	W	28 W	25 W	9 W	4 W	3
KS	12937909 / R: 2636 ->2640							
2	BOB HOLLIMAN	4.0	W	17 D	7 D	6 W	26 W	10
MO	10364833 / R: 2200 ->2206							
3	THOMAS D BRAUNLICH	3.5	D	26 W	29 W	12 W	15 L	1
OK	10386161 / R: 2201 ->2206							
4	TIM C STEINER	3.5	W	34 D	6 W	8 L	1 W	17
KS	12520946 / R: 2109 ->2120							

5	ABHISHEK MALLELA	3.5	L	18 W	34 D	17 W	27 W	13
MO	12888811 / R: 2062	->2060						
6	KENNY LIN	3.5	W	23 D	4 D	2 W	9 D	12
OK	12988656 / R: 1944	->2016						
7	JASON WAWRZASZEK	3.5	W	38 D	2 W	30 L	10 W	15
KS	12685755 / R: 1983	->2015						
8	HOWARD ZHONG	3.5	D	13 W	36 L	4 W	19 W	23
OK	13761257 / R: 1961	->1972						
9	RONALD LUTHER	3.0	W	32 W	14 L	1 L	6 W	26
MO	10365007 / R: 2212	->2205						
10	DMITRIY SOKOLENKO	3.0	L	30 W	33 W	13 W	7 L	2
NY	12634677 / R: 2200	->2187						
11	BENJAMIN M GRADSKY	3.0	D	15 D	19 W	32 D	12 H	
MO	12717265 / R: 2098	->2091						
12	THOMAS A PATTON	3.0	W	20 W	18 L	3 D	11 D	6
OK	10399491 / R: 2090	->2089						
13	NATALIYA M MAKALOVA	2.5	D	8 W	39 L	10 W	28 L	5
	15200441 / R: Unrated->2004P5							
14	TONY R CHENG	2.5	W	22 L	9 D	21 D	18 D	16
KS	13486296 / R: 1967	->1959						
15	MOHAMMADREZA HAJIARBABI	2.5	D	11 W	31 W	24 L	3 L	7
KS	14796427 / R: 1940	->1959						
16	DAVID W SCOTT	2.5	L	29 D	20 W	36 D	21 D	14
MO	12428134 / R: 1975	->1951						
17	RAYMOND LEE GRIFFIN	2.5	L	2 W	38 D	5 W	25 L	4
OK	12593443 / R: 1887	->1905						
18	KENT NELSON	2.5	W	5 L	12 D	25 D	14 H	
NE	10374812 / R: 1839	->1877						
19	RICK HODGES	2.5	H	D	11 D	27 L	8 W	31
KS	12491989 / R: 1808	->1842						
20	HONGBIAO ZENG	2.5	L	12 D	16 H	D	22 W	36
KS	14675658 / R: 1831	->1836						
21	ANDREW HUTTON PARKERSON	2.5	D	31 D	27 D	14 D	16 D	25
MO	13317378 / R: 1716	->1787						
22	JOHN GREGORY PRITCHARD	2.5	L	14 L	32 B	D	20 W	33
OK	13523493 / R: 1785	->1786						
23	DAVID SAYLER	2.5	L	6 B	W	28 D	24 L	8
MO	12616509 / R: 1656	->1705						
24	STANLEY B CAPPS	2.0	W	33 D	30 L	15 D	23 U	
NE	12693770 / R: 2051	->2029						
25	FRANK H SMITH	2.0	W	35 L	1 D	18 L	17 D	21
MO	12834366 / R: 1985	->1965						
26	JERRY SLOMINSKI	2.0	D	3 W	37 H	L	2 L	9
NE	12425882 / R: 1900	->1905						
27	TODD IMADA	2.0	D	37 D	21 D	19 L	5 H	
NV	12565658 / R: 1932	->1904						

28	STEPHEN M WHARRY	2.0	L	1 W	35 L	23 L	13 W	37
OK	11409318 / R: 1918	->1900						
29	JOHN J SCHULLER	2.0	W	16 L	3 U	W	32 U	
KS	12520660 / R: 1821	->1876						
30	TERRY L WRIGHT	1.5	W	10 D	24 L	7 U	U	
KS	12345700 / R: 1897	->1920						
31	HAROLD GENE LINDE	1.5	D	21 L	15 D	37 D	33 L	19
KS	10406986 / R: 1963	->1914						
32	JUDSON TEMPLE	1.5	L	9 W	22 L	11 L	29 D	34
OK	10330912 / R: 1884	->1866						
33	JACK RICHARD EASTON	1.5	L	24 L	10 W	35 D	31 L	22
KS	14510393 / R: 1860	->1844						
34	KIANA HAJIARBABI	1.5	L	4 L	5 D	38 D	37 D	32
KS	14796433 / R: 1830	->1802						
35	NORMAN STYERS	1.5	L	25 L	28 L	33 B	D	38
OK	12465558 / R: 1831	->1786						
36	NICK E SHEARER	1.5	D	39 L	8 L	16 W	38 L	20
KS	12418234 / R: 1611	->1624						
37	APRAMAY MISHRA	1.5	D	27 L	26 D	31 D	34 L	28
KS	14100400 / R: 1444	->1513						
38	SVETLANA B SHMOYS	1.0	L	7 L	17 D	34 L	36 D	35
	15200435 / R: Unrated->1578P5							
39	DANIEL L GOLLUB	0.5	D	36 L	13 U	U	U	
KS	10416841 / R: 1935	->1913						

2013 KANSAS OPEN- Reserve section- July 13 and 14, 2013 Wichita, KS

Pair Num	Player Name USCF ID / Rtg (Pre->Post)	Total Pts	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	
1	PETER A BRADSHAW	4.5	W	54 W	20 W	17 W	22 D	2
KS	12911486 / R: 1451	->1614						
2	KAUSTUBH SANJAY NIMKAR	4.5	W	65 W	21 W	23 W	18 D	1
KS	14100882 / R: 1457	->1612						
3	MARSHAL GUY LUSK	4.0	H	W	37 W	34 D	19 W	22
KS	15180556 / R: Unrated->1818P4							
4	TOM L PHILLIPS	4.0	W	45 D	12 W	25 W	8 D	5
KS	12411318 / R: 1700	->1710						
5	GEORGE R VERHAGE JR	4.0	W	16 D	24 W	15 W	12 D	4
KS	10368731 / R: 1666	->1684						
6	JESSE L ERE	4.0	B	W	43 L	8 W	27 W	24
KS	13216383 / R: 1680P10->1671P14							
7	CJ ARMENTA	4.0	L	26 W	52 W	39 W	28 W	23
MO	12650738 / R: 1544	->1555						
8	GABRIEL J PURDY	4.0	W	66 W	33 W	6 L	4 W	20
KS	13523534 / R: 1376	->1536						
9	JOHN TAIHEE LEE	4.0	W	47 L	22 W	60 W	17 W	19
KS	12858003 / R: 1352P11->1523P16							

10	LAURENCE COKER		3.5	L	44 W	61 W	48 W	29 D	13
KS	12174160 / R: 1676	->1647							
11	BRYAN LIU JIANG		3.5	W	32 D	15 L	12 W	56 W	26
KS	14097248 / R: 1612	->1600							
12	JOSHUA JUDE FERNANDES		3.5	W	60 D	4 W	11 L	5 W	37
KS	14355803 / R: 1469	->1526							
13	JAMES S CUMMINGS		3.5	W	61 W	30 H	D	26 D	10
OH	12554713 / R: 1493	->1512							
14	RALPH E BOWMAN		3.5	W	52 L	23 W	59 W	47 D	16
KS	12421156 / R: 1500	->1500							
15	STEVEN EUGENE BURGOON		3.5	W	50 D	11 L	5 W	34 W	33
KS	14943587 / R: 1328P19->1468P24								
16	JOE WOEHL		3.5	L	5 W	55 W	40 W	35 D	14
KS	20049776 / R: 1228	->1385							
17	ZACHARY LANDON SCHUH		3.0	W	31 W	42 L	1 L	9 W	44
KS	13760474 / R: 1728	->1694							
18	COLBY L STUCKMAN		3.0	W	39 W	56 W	28 L	2 U	
KS	12816559 / R: 1638	->1630							
19	DANIEL PHILLIP HERMAN		3.0	W	64 D	27 W	44 D	3 L	9
CO	14345456 / R: 1647	->1627							
20	GARLAND W HEYEN		3.0	W	38 L	1 W	58 W	31 L	8
KS	12002300 / R: 1626	->1600							
21	ERIK J NICKELS		3.0	W	48 L	2 L	26 W	59 W	45
OK	13210650 / R: 1629	->1593							
22	JASON D WINTERS		3.0	W	51 W	9 W	29 L	1 L	3
OK	12703383 / R: 1569	->1573							
23	KYLE TRAN		3.0	W	57 W	14 L	2 W	42 L	7
KS	15196360 / R: Unrated->1538P5								
24	SHEENA ZENG		3.0	W	69 D	5 H	W	51 L	6
KS	14640432 / R: 1478	->1483							
25	DEAN W BROWN		3.0	D	49 W	63 L	4 D	44 W	48
CO	10224098 / R: 1498	->1474							
26	HYUNG JU NAM		3.0	W	7 D	34 W	21 D	13 L	11
KS	14292541 / R: 1307	->1453							
27	DARYL R FOUARD		3.0	W	68 D	19 H	L	6 W	51
KS	12401335 / R: 1346	->1366							
28	JEREMIAH BEYALE		3.0	W	71 W	40 L	18 L	7 W	54
KS	12838572 / R: 1320P22->1346								
29	DUANE D JOHNSON		3.0	W	70 W	35 L	22 L	10 W	50
KS	12338320 / R: 1285	->1330							
30	TODD W KONKEL		3.0	W	72 L	13 L	47 W	52 W	49
KS	14736261 / R: 1321P23->1302								
31	REBECCA MICHELLE HERMAN		3.0	L	17 W	65 W	50 L	20 W	47
CO	14596051 / R: 1246	->1289							
32	ANDREI ELLIOTT		3.0	L	11 W	67 L	35 W	65 X	
KS	12971353 / R: 1143	->1146							
33	DINKO SKERLEV		2.5	W	58 L	8 D	38 W	57 L	15
KS	13481792 / R: 1601	->1549							

34	WILLIAM JUNJIE WANG	2.5	W	46 D	26 L	3 L	15 W	57
KS	14727424 / R: 1518	->1502						
35	NATHAN Q YU	2.5	W	59 L	29 W	32 L	16 D	39
OK	13026535 / R: 1553	->1491						
36	MELVIN PAUL FRITZE	2.5	D	63 D	49 H	W	38 U	
OK	12856077 / R: 1457	->1431						
37	WILLIAM BROWN	2.5	D	41 L	3 W	53 W	43 L	12
KS	14462201 / R: 1109	->1226						
38	KEVIN LOUIS KIRCHMER	2.5	L	20 W	66 D	33 L	36 W	56
KS	14942907 / R: 1153P16	->1217P21						
39	GAVIN DEAN KIRCHMER	2.5	L	18 W	69 L	7 W	61 D	35
KS	14942913 / R: 1175P16	->1196P21						
40	TEDDY G DOVER	2.0	W	62 L	28 L	16 W	46 U	
KS	12467959 / R: 1581	->1530						
41	JIM HILL	2.0	D	37 D	44 L	51 D	49 H	
NE	12577929 / R: 1544	->1471						
42	DUANE J TATE	2.0	W	53 L	17 W	46 L	23 F	
KS	13100901 / R: 1474	->1460						
43	LYLE TAYLOR	2.0	W	55 L	6 D	49 L	37 H	
KS	12959210 / R: 1442	->1390						
44	JAMES MASARU MYOSE	2.0	W	10 D	41 L	19 D	25 L	17
KS	14176213 / R: 1235	->1332						
45	SARA CARLISSA HERMAN	2.0	L	4 L	60 W	55 W	64 L	21
CO	14345441 / R: 1301	->1264						
46	FRANEEL D'SOUZA	2.0	L	34 W	70 L	42 L	40 W	65
OK	13562261 / R: 1285	->1259						
47	ANDREW W FEIST	2.0	L	9 W	64 W	30 L	14 L	31
KS	15200331 / R: Unrated	->1241P5						
48	JONATHAN JAMES REIGENBORN	2.0	L	21 W	54 L	10 W	60 L	25
NE	14893598 / R: 1214	->1215						
49	LEROY E ASHER	2.0	D	25 D	36 D	43 D	41 L	30
KS	12537402 / R: 1042	->1160						
50	SHAWN LARSON	2.0	L	15 W	62 L	31 W	58 L	29
KS	15200346 / R: Unrated	->1148P5						
51	ADAM WELLER	2.0	L	22 W	72 W	41 L	24 L	27
KS	12731906 / R: 1087P22	->1123						
52	CAROLINE LI JIANG	2.0	L	14 L	7 W	70 L	30 W	66
KS	14421840 / R: 1014	->1009						
53	SHIRLEY KAY HERMAN	2.0	L	42 D	57 L	37 W	63 D	62
CO	14812654 / R: 984	-> 999						
54	GABRIEL T KONKEL	2.0	L	1 L	48 W	68 W	62 L	28
KS	14685587 / R: 848P5	-> 914P10						
55	ETHAN BUI	2.0	L	43 L	16 L	45 X	W	64
KS	15061846 / R: 808P19	-> 863P23						
56	WEBB A MILLER	1.5	W	67 L	18 H	L	11 L	38
MO	12077090 / R: 1317	->1276						

