

BC Tournaments

1951 Canadian Closed

1951 Canadian Championship 24th August - 1st September 1951

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	
1 Paul Vaitonis (ON)	*	=	1	=	1	1	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.5
2 Frank Ross Anderson (ON)	=	*	0	1	1	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.0
3 Feodor Parfenovich Bohatirchuk (ON)	0	1	*	1	0	1	1	1	=	1	=	1	1	9.0
4 Daniel Abraham Yanofsky (MB)	=	0	0	*	1	=	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	8.0
5 Nathan Joseph Divinsky (MB)	0	0	1	0	*	1	=	=	1	1	=	1	0	6.5
6 Maurice Fox (PQ)	0	=	0	=	0	*	1	=	1	1	=	0	1	6.0
7 Miervaldis Jursevskis (BC)	=	0	0	0	=	0	*	0	1	1	1	1	1	6.0
8 Frank J. Yerhoff (SK)	0	0	0	0	=	=	1	*	0	=	=	1	1	5.0
9 Jack M. Taylor (BC)	0	0	=	0	0	0	0	1	*	=	1	1	1	5.0
10 Rea B. Hayes (SK)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	=	=	*	1	0	1	4.0
11 Walter Holowach (AB)	0	0	=	0	=	=	0	0	0	*	1	1		4.0
12 Howard Ridout (ON)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	*	1		3.0
13 Charles Frederick Millar (BC)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	*		1.0

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1957 Canadian Championship

From a copy of the tournament bulletin provided courtesy of Brian Potter

1957 Canadian Championship 23-31 August

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	
1 Vaitonis, Paul (ON)	*	1	=	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8.5
2 Fuster, Geza (ON)	0	*	1	=	1	1	1	1	=	1	7.0
3 Jursevskis, Miervaldis (BC)	=	0	*	1	=	=	1	1	1	1	6.5
4 Anderson, Frank (ON)	0	=	0	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	6.5
5 Joyner, Lionel B. (PQ)	0	0	=	0	*	1	1	1	1	1	5.5
6 Potter, Brian (BC)	0	0	=	0	0	*	0	1	1	1	3.5
7 Ridout, Howard (BC)	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	0	=	1	2.5
8 Taylor, Jack (BC)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	=	1	2.5
9 May, Frank (BC)	0	=	0	0	0	0	=	=	*	0	1.5
10 Ackermann, Gustav (BC)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*		1.0

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BC Championships

1953

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1 Jack Taylor	*	.	=	5.0
2 Tauno Saila	.	*	0	.	5.0
3 Howard Ridout	=	.	*	.	.	0	.	.	4.5
4 Maurice Pratt	.	.	.	*	1	.	.	.	4.5
5 Miervaldis Jursevskis	.	.	.	0	*	.	.	.	4.0
6 Charles F. Millar	.	.	1	.	.	*	.	.	
7 John G. Prentice	.	1	.	.	.	.	*	.
8 Axel Carlson	*	

TD John A. McCharles

The playoff match between Taylor and Saila was tied 1.0-1.0

1954

1 Miervaldis Jursevskis	8.0-2.0
2 Leo M. Duval	7.0
3 Jack Taylor	7.0
4 George Zerkowitz	7.0
5 Howard Ridout	6.5
6 John G. Prentice	5.0
7 Frank May	4.0
8 Axel Carlson	3.5
9 Charles F. Millar	3.5
10 G. Kowalewski	2.5
11 E.B. Nelson	1.0

Vancouver Chess Club (1173 West Broadway), 16-19 April 1954

1955

1 Miervaldis Jursevskis 8.5-0.5
 2 George Zerkowitz 7.5
 3 Leo M. Duval 6.0
 4 Jack Taylor 6.0
 5 Howard Ridout
 6 W.E. Frank Fillery
 7 Axel Carlson
 8 S. Prokop
 9 M.W. Brown
 10 E. Nelson

1957

	1	2	3	4	5	6	
1 Miervaldis Jursevskis	.	=10	.	.	+ 2	+ 8	5.5
2 Howard Ridout	.	.	.	.	- 1	+ 5	5.0
3 Gustav Ackermann	4-2		W5				
4 Brian A. Potter	3=-2=						
5 Maurice Pratt	3=-2=		L3				L2
6 Axel Carlson	3-3						
7 Jack M.V. Patty	3-3						
8 Jack M. Taylor	3-3						L1
9 Knut Ludvigsen	2=-3=						
10 Alfred Schulz	2=-3=		D1				
11 Tibor Varga	2=-3=						
12 Jan Prins	2-4						
13 David M. Shiu	2-4						
14 John Kegel	0-6						

(6 round swiss) TD John A. McCharles

50 moves in 2= hours

19-22 April (rounds 1+2, 3, 4+5, 6)

1958 4-7 April 1958

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1 Elod Macskasy	*	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	6.0
2 Jack Patty	1	*	0	0	1	1	1	1	5.0
3 Howard Ridout	0	1	*	=	0	1	1	1	4.5
4 Joseph Kaltenecker	0	1	=	*	1	0	1	1	4.5
5 Gustav Ackermann	0	0	1	0	*	1	1	1	4.0
6 Fred Schulz	0	0	0	1	0	*	1	1	3.0
7 Jan Prins	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	1	1.0
8 William Chornobay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	0.0

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Ed Percy Trophy

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Canadian Chess

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Howard Ridout

5th place 1945 Canadian Correspondence Championship

Canadian Correspondence Chess Association

Founded 1921

Organizes postal chess and chess by e-mail

Chess has been played in Canada since at least 1759. There is a chess set from General Wolfe's ship in the National War Museum in Ottawa.

Organized chess in Canada began in 1872 with the formation of the Canadian Chess Association. In 1932, the organization was transformed into the Canadian Chess Federation, which was renamed the Chess Federation of Canada (CFC) in 1945.

Correspondence chess has thrived in Canada since the 19th century; the Canadian Correspondence Chess Association was founded in 1921.

Chess in the schools has increased since the formation of Chess'n Math Association in 1985.

The Canadian style in chess "involves non-committal preservation of options, often connected with a slow development of the pieces," according to Lawrence Day. This style was developed in the 1960s by Duncan Suttles and influenced a generation of Canadian chess players.

<http://www.ncf.carleton.ca/~bw998/canchess.html#SOURCES>

Canada ch Vancouver 1951

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3		
1 Vaitonis,Paul	*	½	1	½	1	1	½	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.5/12	
2 Anderson, Frank	½	*	0	1	1	½	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.0/12	
3 Bohatirchuk, Fedor	0	1	*	½	0	1	1	1	½	1	½	1	1	8.5/12	44.25
4 Yanofsky, Abe	½	0	½	*	1	½	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	8.5/12	43.00
5 Divinsky, Nathan	0	0	1	0	*	1	½	½	1	1	½	½	0	6.0/12	32.75
6 Fox, Maurice	0	½	0	½	0	*	1	½	1	1	½	0	1	6.0/12	29.75
7 Jursevskis, Walter	½	0	0	0	½	0	*	0	1	1	1	1	1	6.0/12	25.75
8 Yerhoff, Frank	0	0	0	0	½	½	1	*	0	½	½	1	1	5.0/12	20.50
9 Taylor, John M	0	0	½	0	0	0	0	1	*	½	1	1	1	5.0/12	19.75
10 Hayes, D	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	½	½	*	1	0	1	4.0/12	18.50
11 Holowach, Walter	0	0	½	0	½	½	0	½	0	0	*	1	1	4.0/12	17.25
12 Ridout, Howard	0	0	0	0	½	1	0	0	0	1	0	*	1	3.5/12	
13 Millar, Charles F	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	1.0/12	

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CAN ch Vancouver 1957

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0		
1 Vaitonis,Paul	*	1	½	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8.5/9	
2 Fuster, Geza	0	*	1	½	1	1	1	1	½	1	7.0/9	
3 Jursevskis, Miervaldis	½	0	*	1	½	½	1	1	1	1	6.5/9	22.75
4 Anderson, Frank	0	½	0	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	6.5/9	20.00
5 Joyner, Lionel	0	0	½	0	*	1	1	1	1	1	5.5/9	
6 Potter, Brian	0	0	½	0	0	*	0	1	1	1	3.5/9	
7 Ridout, Howard	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	0	½	1	2.5/9	5.25
8 Taylor, Jack	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	½	1	2.5/9	4.25
9 May, Frank	0	½	0	0	0	0	½	½	*	0	1.5/9	
10 Ackermann, Gustav	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	1.0/9	

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