

## PAWNS at YORK

Three members of the Jesmond Pawns Chess Team played in the Minor Section of the YORK CHESS CONGRESS played on the second weekend in January.

Chris Wilson (13) scored 3/5 and, playing at an average grade of 121, won the prize for the best Junior player. Both aged only 10, William Wilkinson scored 1½/5 and Anthony Lai 1/5. Here is a game from each of them – all against grown-up opponents.

### Christopher Wilson – Michael Horne Sicilian Defence

1. e4 c5 2. Nf3 Nc6 3. d4 cxd4 4. Nxd4 Nxd4 5. Qxd4 e6 6. Nc3 Ne7 7. Be3 Nc6 8. Qd3 a6 9. O-O-O b5 10. f4 Nb4 11. Qd4 Bb7 12. Qb6 Qxb6 13. Bxb6 d5 14. a3 Nc6 15. exd5 exd5 16. Nxd5 Rc8 17. Nc7 Ke7 18. Nd5 Ke8 19. g3 Nb8 20. Bh3 Bxd5 21. Rxd5 Rc6 22. Re1  
Black resigns [1:0]

### Frank Tanner – Anthony Lai Colle System

1. d4 Nf6 2. Bf4 d5 3. Nf3 Nc6 4. e3 a6 5. Bd3 Bg4 6. Nbd2 e6 7. h3 Bh5 8. g4 Bg6 9. Bxg6 hxg6 10. Ne5 Nxe5 11. dxe5 Ne4 12. Nxe4 dxe4 13. Qd4 Qxd4 14. exd4 O-O-O 15. Rd1 f6 16. Ke2 f5 17. c3 c5 18. gxf5 gxf5 19. Rdg1 cxd4 20. cxd4 Rxd4 21. Rg6 Kd7 22. Be3 Rd5 23. f4 Rh6 24. Rxh6 gxh6 25. Rg1 b5 26. a3 a5 27. Bd2 a4 28. Bc3 Rd3 29. Rd1 Rxd1 30. Kxd1 Kc6 31. Ke2 Kd5 32. Bd2 Kc4 33. Bc3 Bc5 34. Ba5 Kb3 35. Bc3 Bxa3 36. Kf1 White resigns [0:1]

### Roger Hall – William Wilkinson Sicilian Defence

1. e4 c5 2. f4 d6 3. Nf3 Nc6 4. f5 Nf6 5. Ng5 h6 6. Nxf7 Kxf7 7. Bc4 Ke8 8. Bd3 Ne5 9. Bb5 Bd7 10. Qe2 Bxb5 11. Qxb5 Qd7 12. Qe2 Qc6 13. d3 d5 14. exd5 Qxd5 15. Nc3 Qd6 16. Bf4 Nxd3 17. Qxd3 Qxf4 18. Qb5 Nd7 19. Rd1 Qc7 20. Nd5 Qe5 21. Kf2 a6 22. Nf6 gxf6 23. Qxd7 Kf7 24. Rhe1 Qxh2 25. Qe6 Kg7 26. Qe4 Rg8 27. Rh1 Qe5 28. Qg4 Kh7 29. Qh4 Qxf5 30. Kg1 Qxc2 31. Qh3 Qxd1 32. Kf2 Qd2 33. Kg1 Qxg2 34. Qxg2 Rxg2 35. Kxg2 Rd8 36. Kf3 Rd2 37. Rg1 Rxb2 38. Rg4 Rxa2 39. Kg3 b5 40. Kh4 Ra4 41. Re4 Rxe4 42. Kh5 Re5 43. Kh4 Rg5 44. Kh3 Kg6 45. Kh4 Kf5 46. Kh3 Kf4 47. Kh2 Kf3 48. Kh1 Kf2  
White resigns [1:0]