

## CALENDAR OF COMPUTER-CHESS EVENTS

For the benefit of readers wishing to enter programs in computer-chess competitions or to attend a tournament or conference, we list future events. Organizers are invited to send full details to the Editor for inclusion in the calendar.

### 1993

#### May 5-7, 10-12

The 1993 AEGON Man-Computer Tournament, to be held in The Hague, The Netherlands.  
Details: Cock de Gorter, Valkenboskade 607, 2563 JE The Hague, The Netherlands.  
[See also below on this page.]

#### July 1-2

The Advances in Computer Chess 7 conference, to be held in Maastricht, The Netherlands.  
Details: Jaap van den Herik, Department of Computer Science, University of Limburg, P.O. Box 616, 6200 MD Maastricht, The Netherlands.  
[See also page 174 of the September 1992 issue and page 65 of this issue.]

#### August 2-6

Uniform Platform Computer-Chess Tournament, to be held in London, UK.  
Details: Don Beal, Department of Computer Science, Queen Mary and Westfield College, Mile End Road, London E1 4NS, UK.  
[See also pages 173-174 of the September 1992 issue and page 64 of this issue.]

#### August 15-28

The 1<sup>st</sup> Mind Sports Olympiad, including the 5<sup>th</sup> Computer Olympiad. To be held in London, UK.  
Details: David Levy, 89, Constantine Road, London NW3 2LP, UK.

## THE 1993 AEGON MAN-COMPUTER TOURNAMENT

May 5-12, 1993  
The Hague / The Netherlands

*Cock de Gorter*

The 1993 AEGON man-computer tournament will take place May 5-12, 1993. On all competition days, playing times will be from 7.30 to 11.30 p.m. local time. The location of the tournament will be the AEGON headquarters, Mariahoeveplein 50, The Hague, The Netherlands.

This tournament is the 8<sup>th</sup> annual in its series sponsored by the AEGON-Insurance company. The year 1992 saw an overwhelming victory for man, although the computers were stronger than in 1991 and the human level remained roughly the same as in 1991.

The list of participants for the 1993 tournament shows at least four Grandmasters: Genna Sosonko, David Bronstein (winner 1992), Roberto Cifuentes Parada, and Dr. John Nunn. In addition, the Dutch International Masters Ligterink and Grooten will participate, as well as the woman candidates finalist Ioseliani. In 1991, 14 computers were playing, in 1992 20 computers. The participation of 30 computers in the 1993 tournament implies that 30 human players will participate as well. Our unique formula apparently appeals to many.

The list of computers reads: Rebell, Chessmachine Worldchampion Madrid, Chessmachine The King 2.0 Aggr., Tasc ChessSystem R30, Chessmachine The King AEGON, Chessmachine Schröder 3.0, Saitek Brute Force, Saitek Sparc, Saitek Risc 2500, Kallisto, Quest, Dappet, Schach 3.0, Goldbar, LChess, Genesis, M\_Chess Pro, Zarkov, Zarkov/AEGON, Socrates 2, Chess Genius, Cumulus 2, Nimzo, Check Check, Hiarc, Fritz2, Hitech, Zugzwang, 3-Hirn, and the Mephisto tournament machine.

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