

# Cambridgeshire Chess League

The new chess season began last Saturday with our A-team still fired-up from the heartache of finishing runners-up for a second consecutive season, missing the title by just half a point. We got off to a cracking start with 5-1 demolitions of Haslingfield and Milton Road either side of an awkward and nervy encounter between our A and B teams. Predictably, we sit in second place in the table and are in serious danger of becoming the Jimmy Whites of the Cambridgeshire schools chess scene! Our next match is against King's Cambridge and a win is crucial to give us a serious chance of getting our hands on the elusive CCC trophy.

Well done to all our players: Amer Amen, Josh Worden, Barney Turner, Ryan Stubbs, William Marshman, Rayyan Ali, George Clarke, Dillon Kang, Sam Burnell, Miles Kirby, Zack Worden, Sergio Arcidiacono, Daniel Myhill, Harry Campos Bell, James Barber, Matthew Young, Qiao Wan, Tani Kasperkiewicz, Henry Kirby, Arjun Naik Kurade, Alberto Martinez Gomez, Algie Nunes-Carvalho, Ewan Smith, Ada Oguz & Parker Thomas.

Rank	School	Played	Points
1	King's Cambridge A	3	18
2	St Faith's A	3	16
3	King's Ely	3	14.5
4	St Matthew's	3	13.5
5	Milton School	3	12
6	St Paul's	3	11.5
7	Perse Prep A	3	11
=	King's Cambridge B	3	11
=	Milton Road	3	11
=	Steiner School	3	11
11	King's Cambridge D	3	10.5
=	Girls' Chess Initiative A	3	10.5
13	CIS	3	9
=	Ely St Mary's	3	9
=	Little Thetford	3	9
=	St Faith's C	3	9
17	Harston & Newton	3	8
18	St Faith's B	3	8
19	St Faith's D	3	7.5
=	King's Cambridge C	3	7.5
21	Cherry Hinton A	3	7
=	Kimbolton	3	7
23	Sancton Wood	3	6
24	Girls' Chess Initiative B	3	5.5
25	Haslingfield	3	5
=	Stephen Perse	3	5
27	Cherry Hinton B	3	4.5
28	Perse Prep B	3	3.5
29	Melbourn	3	2
30	St Bede's	3	0

### Round 1 results

Cherry Hinton A	6	Melbourn	0
Milton Road	5.5	Cherry Hinton B	0.5
CIS	2	Milton School	4
Perse Prep B	0	Ely St Mary's	6
Girls' Chess Initiative A	3	Perse Prep A	3
Sancton Wood	3.5	Girls' Chess Initiative B	2.5
Harston & Newton	4	St Bede's	0
St Faith's A	5	Haslingfield	1
Kimbolton	1	St Faith's B	5
St Faith's C	0	King's Cambridge A	6
King's Cambridge B	6	St Faith's D	0
St Matthew's	6	King's Cambridge C	0
King's Cambridge D	2	St Paul's	4
Steiner School	0.5	King's Ely	5.5
Little Thetford	5	Stephen Perse	1

### Round 2 results

King's Cambridge A	6	Cherry Hinton A	0
Ely St Mary's	1	King's Cambridge B	5
King's Ely	3	St Matthew's	3
Little Thetford	1.5	Milton Road	4.5
St Faith's B	0	St Faith's A	6
Milton School	2	Harston & Newton	4
St Paul's	3.5	Sancton Wood	2.5
Girls' Chess Initiative B	0	Girls' Chess Initiative A	6
Perse Prep A	3	CIS	2
Haslingfield	1	King's Cambridge D	5
Stephen Perse	3	Kimbolton	3
Cherry Hinton B	0	Steiner School	6
King's Cambridge C	6	St Bede's	0
Melbourn	0	St Faith's C	6
St Faith's D	4.5	Perse Prep B	1.5

### Round 3 results

King's Cambridge B	0	King's Cambridge A	6
St Faith's A	5	Milton Road	1
Girls' Chess Initiative A	1.5	St Matthew's	4.5
Harston & Newton	0	King's Ely	6
Ely St Mary's	2	St Paul's	4
King's Cambridge D	3.5	Little Thetford	2.5
Steiner School	4.5	King's Cambridge C	1.5
Cherry Hinton A	1	Perse Prep A	5
Sancton Wood	0	Milton School	6
St Faith's C	3	St Faith's B	3
Kimbolton	3	St Faith's D	3
CIS	5	Stephen Perse	1
Haslingfield	3	Girls' Chess Initiative B	3
Perse Prep B	2	Cherry Hinton B	4
St Bede's	0	Melbourn	2