

Springfield Illinois Chess Club News Letter

October 5, 1994

- 1) There will be NO chess club meeting on Wednesday, October 26, 1994. The weekly chess club meetings will resume on Wednesday, November 2, 1994.
- 2) Elections for chess club officers will be held on Wednesday, December 7, 1994.
- 3) Club officer nominations will be held on Wednesday, November 16, 1994.

The following posts will be open for nomination:

President	(incumbent -- Leonard Ferguson)
Vice President	(incumbent -- Dave Mote )
Treasurer	(incumbent -- Dave Bononi )
Secretary	(incumbent -- Thomas Knoedler )
Publicity Officer	(incumbent -- Larry Shroth )

- 4) Chess club members will be voting on whether to raise club dues on November 30, 1994. The proposed increase of dues from the present \$ 5.00 to \$10.00 would permit the club to hold more frequent tournaments and to upgrade and expand member services.
- 5) Several members have requested rated club tournaments to be held on a regular basis. Contact Tom Knoedler if you are interested.
- 6) There is a strong likelihood that Barnes & Noble will have a bookshelf at the Baumgardner Memorial Open November 12 and 13.
- 7) Volunteers are needed for the following activities:
  - a) Chess lessons and chess news on the Access 4 cable channel
  - b) USCF Tournament Directors and Tournament Aides -- the more tournament directors we have, the more local tournaments we can hold (and with a dues increase, the club can pay each director a suitable honorarium)