

Cavendish Chess Club – Second Team Report 2009/10

Hi,

The dust has settled and Cavendish 2 have been relegated despite valiant efforts in adjourned games by Michael, Danny, Stewart and Tony. Another half point would have secured our survival.

Even when we unavoidably lost Geoff, Simon and Howard to the 1st team, we had a squad of 14 regular players who gave the team tremendous support for the whole season. Our problem has been that we have been consistently outgraded on the top boards and have not managed to score heavily enough lower down to compensate. Against Wimbledon for example we scored 1.5 from the top 6 and lost 5.5-6.5. Against Kings Head we scored 1/6 on the top boards and lost 7-5.

9 players played 8 or more games and Danny and Syd should receive awards for the great feat of playing in every match. Plus or even scores were achieved by Michael (5.5/8), Bertie, Stewart, Geoff and myself. I attach the full results (below) but you are advised to take a stiff brandy before opening.

I'd like to thank everyone again for making it such an easy team to captain and a special thanks to Matt Piper who did his utmost to avoid barring any of our squad. It should be even easier next year and I would be very happy to hand over to anyone who is prepared to volunteer. I am confident that we will have a very successful 2010/2011 season in Div Two.

Have a great summer and see you at the AGM.

Barry Green

(results on next page)

	Cav	Ric	WG	Ath	Str	If	Ath	Dru	Wim	Hac	KH	Tot	Games
D Wright	0.5	0.5	0	0	0	0.5	1	0	0	0	0.5	3	11
Z Harari	0	0	0.5	1		0	0	0		0	0	1.5	9
D Flower	0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0	0	0	0.5	0		1	3	10
C Turner	0.5	0	0.5						0.5	0	0	1.5	6
M Brown	0.5	1	0.5	1		0			0.5	1	1	5.5	8
J Farrand	0.5		0	0	0	0	0	0	0.5		0.5	1.5	9
P Gregory	0	0	0	0.5		0	0.5		0.5	1	0	2.5	9
B Green	0.5	0.5		1	1		0.5	0	1	1	1	6.5	9
S Reuben					0.5			0.5	1	1	0	3	5
S Kalinsky	0.5	0.5	0.5	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0.5	5	11
P Yerbury			0.5		0	0.5						1	3
H Waterman			0		0.5		0					0.5	3
T Milnes		0.5	0	0.5				0	0	0.5		1.5	6
A Scrimgour		0.5	0	1		0.5	0.5	0.5		0.5	0	3.5	8
G Hollis		x		1	1			0	0.5			2.5	4
B Barlow	0	0.5		1	0.5				0	1	0.5	3.5	7
R Harman	0.5				0							0.5	2
S Nurmoh'd		0.5			0		0					0.5	3
S Roe						0	0.5	0				0.5	3
P Griffiths												0	0
R Velasco										0.5		0.5	1
R Hull												0	1
M Green	0											0	1
B Fraser							0					0	1
D White								0				0	1
Match score	3.5	5	3	7.5	3.5	3.5	4	1.5	5.5	7.5	5		