

Evangel April Open

Twenty-four players competed in the Evangel April Open at Evangel Church in Montgomery on April 27. The event was directed by Doug Strout of Evangel Chess Club.

Congratulations to the winners:

OPEN

Champion: Joe Jurjevich

2nd place (and 1st A/B): Gordon Randall and Andrew Morris

U1600: Christopher Trees and Arish Virani

RESERVE

Co-champions: Wendell Whitaker and Scott Clayton

3rd place: Matt Guza

U1000: Bryan Johnson

Thanks to the house players in each section:

OPEN: IM David Ross

RESERVE: Harishankar Sivakumaran

Thanks to all the players for supporting the event and traveling to Montgomery to compete.

Upcoming events include the Evangel Grand Prix on July 20 and the Evangel Team Challenge on August 17. Evangel Chess Club meets 5-7PM on Sundays, except for upcoming club holidays on Mother's Day, Father's Day and Memorial weekend.

Also, Montgomery has the Chris Bond Memorial on August 10. See alabamachess.com for flyers for Montgomery events.