Bedford Chess Club

EACU Team Championships Report 2014/15 Season

On the 1st March Alex, Mike, Gerry and Peter H. played the EACU team championships at Bury St. Edmunds. We entered the aggregate 600-point section in contrast to last year where we entered the Open Section and ended up rather bruised. There were two teams from Milton Keynes, and a team each from Cambridge and Sudbury. The feedback was that it was an enjoyable event and everyone scored.

It was a slightly complex structure of mini-matches and was rather tight, but after the dust settled, Bedford were champions and had won £50.

The event seems to be well supported and I expect it will take place again. I don't want to be considered for captain next year as I don't have time at the weekends to play very much and I can't see that improving next season.

Individual results

Alex Taylor	1/2 - 1/2	Timothy Woods	146	MK A
Mike Botteley	0 - 1	Graham Borrowdale	181	MK A
Peter Housden	1 - 0	Nick Sampays	92	Cambridge City
Gerry Nolan	1 - 0	Gert De Block	137	Cambridge City
Mike Botteley	1 - 0	Andrew Donnelly	145	Sudbury
Alex Taylor	0 - 1	Robert Sanders	181	Sudbury
Gerry Nolan	1 - 0	Piotr Jurewicz	u/g	MK B
Peter Housden	0 - 1	Richard Keane	111	MK B

Overall results

	MP	GP
Bedford	4	4½
Sudbury	3	4
Milton Keynes B	3	4
Milton Keynes A	3	4
Cambridge City	3	3½

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