

Ryan Farell Sweeps Angelfish Open

Ryan Farell defeats Expert Adonis Turner in the final round for a perfect 4-0-0 finish at the first ever Angelfish Open. Ryan is an all star chess player for the well known Knight's Quest Team. Among his many accomplishments, Ryan was the K-12 Champion in 2009 & 2010 and represented Oklahoma at the National Denker Championship in both years.

Before the tournament, Ryan told us his goal was to achieve an Expert's rating by the end of the Scholastic year. Our rating calculation's after the Angelfish have his goal within 29 points. His tournament plans include the Tulsa Spring Open & State Junior Championship in May. Another sweep could push his rating over the top. One more great tournament finish in his senior year and the Ryan becomes the second inductee into the OSCO Hall of Fame.

Enjoy the round four deciding game. Ryan is officially the first Big Fish and has the trophy to prove it. More fish tournaments are in the future.

Turner,Adonis (2040) – Farell,Ryan (1928) [B34]

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1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 g6 3.d4 Bg7 4.Nc3 cxd4 5.Nxd4 Nc6 6.Be3 Nf6 7.Nxc6 [7.Bc4 0-0 8.Bb3 d6 9.f3 is another popular line with the Scholastic juniors.] **7...bxc6 8.e5 Ng8 9.Bd4** [Δ 9.f4 is an alternative line Ryan prepared for just before the OSCO Championship.] **9...f6 10.exf6 Nxf6 11.g4N** [RR 11.Bc4 d5 12.Be2 0-0 13.0-0 g5 14.Qd2 g4 15.f3 Qd6 16.Qe3 g3 17.f4 gxh2+ 18.Kh1 Ng4 19.Bxg4 Bxd4 20.Qxd4 Bxg4 21.Rae1 Rf5 22.Qe3 Raf8 23.Qxe7 Qxe7 24.Rxe7 Rxf4 25.Rxf4 Rxf4 Benko,P–Gasztonyi,E/Budapest 1957/EXT 2000/1/2-1/2 (43); RR 11.Be2 Qa5 (RR 11...0-0 12.h4 Qa5 13.h5 e5 14.Be3 d5 15.Bd2 Qb6 16.Na4 Qd4 17.c3 Qe4 18.f3 Qf5 19.h6 Bh8 20.Qb3 e4 21.0-0-0 exf3 22.Bxf3 Ba6 23.Nc5 Bc4 24.Qa4 Rab8 25.b3 Bb5 26.Qh4 Levy,D (2350)–Ree,H (2480)/Lugano 1968/MCD/1/2-1/2) 12.a3 (RR 12.0-0 0-0 13.a3 d6 14.f4 Qc7 15.Qd2 Bf5 16.Rae1 Rab8 17.b3 Qa5 18.Bd3 Rb7 19.Bxf5 Qxf5 20.h3 Qa5 21.Qd3 Qxa3 22.Qc4+ Rf7 23.Qxc6 Qb4 24.Bxf6 Bxf6 25.Nd5 Qd4+ 1/2-1/2 Boey,J (2390)–Ree,H (2480)/Lugano 1968/MCD) 12...e5 13.b4 Qc7 14.Bc5 d5 15.0-0 Kf7 16.f4 exf4 17.Qd2 g5 18.h4 h6 19.Rae1 Re8 20.hxg5 hxg5 21.Bh5+ Nxh5 22.Rxe8 Kxe8 23.Re1+ Kd8 24.Nxd5 cxd5 25.Qxd5+ Qd7 Ardeleanu,A (2407)–Kacheishvili,G (2587)/Dresden 2007/CBM 118/1-0] **11...0-0= 12.g5 Nh5 13.Bxg7 Nxc6** Ryan holds an advantage based on pawn structure, the open b file and a strong pawn duo in the center. **14.Qd4 e5 15.Qd2** [Δ 15.Qc5] **15...d5** **16.0-0-0 Qb6 17.f3 Rb8 18.b3 Qb4 19.Bg2 Bf5 20.Nb1 Qh4 21.Rde1 Rbe8 22.Re2 Nh5+ 23.Nc3 Nf4 24.Rf2 Qxg5 25.Ne2 Nxe2+** [Δ 25...Qf6 26.Nxf4 exf4 27.Kb1 \uparrow] **26.Rxe2 Qxd2+ 27.Kxd2 Kf7 28.Rhe1 Kf6 29.f4 e4 30.c4 Rd8 31.cxd5 cxd5 32.Rc1 Rc8 33.Rce1 Rc7 34.Ke3 Rfc8 35.Kd4 Rc3 36.Rd2 Ke6 37.Bf1 Rc2 38.Ree2 Rxd2+ 39.Rxd2 Rc1 40.Be2 Kd6 41.Bd1 Bh3 42.Be2 h5 43.Bd1 0-1**

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