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Dear Chessfriends,

The 70th ICCF Jubilee World Elite section C has come to an end.
The section started 15.03.2021 and finished on 18.07.2022.

The tournament was held in a sporty atmosphere, though one player were withdrawn from the tournament shortly after the tournament started - Ivan Panitevsky (23.06.2021 - accepted withdrawal due to serious illness). Unfortunately, this very rare situation seriously disrupted the tournament's results.

The best solution was to replace player, but it was technically not possible.

The games were not allowed to go to the adjudication because neither was finished and the average number of moves was below 26. The games were therefore cancelled.

However, under the ICCF Rules, his opponents were given a full point to the final score. This additional point, although it counts towards the final result, does not count towards the rating or the norms for titles.

This year, Dennis M. Doren, Rules Commissioner, submitted congress proposal "2022-033A Recording Cancelled Games in Silli Events" to list a draw on the crosstable instead of the currently listed win for each relevant opponent, as the more typical game outcome is a draw. It will come into effect from the next year, if most delegates support it.

You can see the completed cross table at: <https://www.iccf.com/event?id=87633>

The tournament table below shows the results with additional tie-breaking, so it is more precise.

#	Fed	ID	Tit	Player	R	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Score	TB1	TB2	TB3	TB4	TB5	TB6
1		510571	GM	Fleetwood, Daniel M.	2564	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	64	70	70	860	0	2550
2		160164	GM	Cruzado Dueñas, Carlos	2552	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	64	70	70	860	0	2554
3		83967	GM	Broß, Horst	2575	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	64	70	70	860	0	2567
4		511269	GM	Ham, Stephen E.	2579	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	64	70	70	860	0	2579
5		371502		Offringa, Tjaart	2584	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	63	69	69	876	0	2536
6		440537	SIM	Gusan, Boris	2554	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	63	69	69	876	0	2550
7		85725	GM	Bauer, Robert	2563	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	63	69	69	876	0	2558
8		141422	GM	Efendiyeu, Enver Mikhailovich	2579	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	63	69	69	876	0	2577
9		130999	GM	Straka, Zdeněk	2541	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	62	68	68	890	0	2519
10		280330	SIM	Sasikiran, Krishnan	2547	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	-C	6,5	62	68	68	890	0	2540
11		80696	GM	Weizsäcker, Robert K. Frhr. von	2550	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	62	68	68	890	0	2554
12		70303	GM	Oliveira, João Carlos de	2566	½	½	½	½	½	-C	½	½	½	½	½	½	6,5	62	68	68	890	0	2568
13		900144	SIM	Loinjak, Siniša	2570	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	65	72	78	828	0	2564
14		510360	GM	Ostriker, Jon	2552	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	854	0	2537
15		141671	SIM	Shpakovsky, Aleksandr Nikolaevich	2545	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	854	0	2539
16		143159		Korzun, Viktor Valerievich	2565	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	854	0	2564
17		80774	GM	Müller, Gerhard (Osnabrück)	2575	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	854	0	2576
18		511491	GM	Murray, Tim	2561	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	852	0	2560
19		10464	GM	Muck, Christian	2581	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	6	64	70	76	852	0	2583
20		142127	SIM	Panitevsky, Ivan Anatolevich	2547	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	-C	0	65	72	78	828	0	2530

TB1=Buchholz cut 2
TB2=Buchholz cut 1
TB3=Buchholz
TB4=Buchholz 2nd stage
TB5=number of wins
TB6=the lower rating at the end of the tournament (RL2022/3)

The fight for the victory was very fierce (no win, but the opponents of the withdrawn player got a full point to the final score) and the tie-break was decisive for the places.

Winner is **Daniel M. Fleetwood**.

Congratulations!

Also, occasional medals and certificates will be awarded to the top 3 players (tie-break applies):

- 1st place - Daniel M. Fleetwood
- 2nd place - Carlos Cruzado Dueñas
- 3rd place - Horst Broß

They will be produced by Uwe Staroske, Qualifications and Ratings Commissioner, and presented at the next ICCF Congress 2023, unless otherwise decided.

According to the tournament regulations *“the total prize fund for this event is 1 000 EUR. Cash prizes of 600 EUR, 300 EUR and 100 EUR will be awarded to the top 3 players provided they obtain a positive result (>50%). Tie-breaks will not be applied in respect of these cash prizes and instead those players scoring equal points will equally share any prize money due.”*

In view of the above, the first 12 players will receive cash prizes in the amount of 83,33 EUR each:

- Daniel M. Fleetwood, Carlos Cruzado Dueñas, Horst Broß, Stephen E. Ham, Tjaart Offringa, Boris Gusan, Robert Bauer, Enver Efendiyev, Zdeněk Straka, Krishnan Sasikiran, Robert K. Fhr. Von Weizsäcker, João Carlos de Oliveira

Gordon M. Anderson, the Finance Director, will arrange the payment.

The following special qualification provisions have been achieved in the 70th ICCF Jubilee World Elite section C (required result above 50%):

- Daniel M. Fleetwood - qualified for a World Championship final;
- Carlos Cruzado Dueñas, Horst Broß, Stephen E. Ham, Tjaart Offringa - qualified for a World Championship Candidates (upon payment of the entry fee).

Title norms fulfilled:

- CCM: Tjaart Offringa,
- IM: Tjaart Offringa, Viktor Korzun
- SIM: Tjaart Offringa, Viktor Korzun

Thank you to all of you for participating in the ICCF Platinum Anniversary celebration and TD (IA) Wojciech Krzyżanowski (POL) for running the tournament.

Best regards,
Mariusz Wojnar, TO