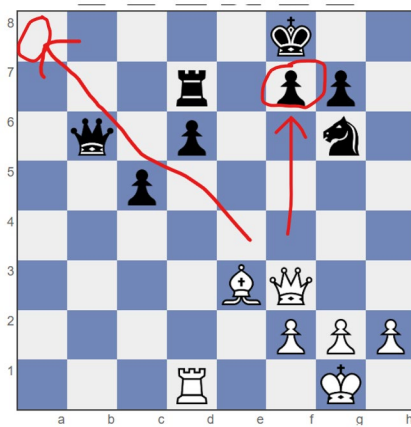


Prairie Chess Club Newsletter: Week 4 Summary

Dear Chess Club Families:

Checks, Captures and Threats

This week we went over Checks, Captures and Threats. A phrase we want to keep in mind every time we make a move.



(checks)

Checks

- All the possible checks.

Captures

- All the possible captures.

Threats

- All the possible threats.

Chess Kids Status

Let me know if issues exist with the ChessKids accounts come up! As a reminder, PrairieChessClub.org in the ChessKids section. This is a free resource which will supplement weekly chess club meetings. We eventually are planning on giving out prizes for the most puzzles attempted! We're also looking into getting more gold member accounts.

Schedule Change Announcements

Parent teacher conferences is next coming up on **November 12** and unfortunately that is on a Tuesday. Chess club will not happen that week at the Elementary or Middle School. We are looking into having an online chess kids' tournament.

Chess Tournaments

Let There Be Light VI - Saturday, November 2, 2024

<https://www.iowa-chess.org/tournaments-new> - Upcoming Chess Tournaments

Thanks, Josh!