

MID-TN NOV. OPEN

1. M.C. Wright	2007	W7	W4	D3	W5	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	
2. Curt Jones	1718	W9	L5	W11	W3	3-1	
3. Joe C. Jones	1837	W11	W6	D1	L2	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
4. Joe Roberdeau	1637	W10	L1	W9	D6	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	10
5. Trevor L. Cook	1409	BYE	W2	D12	L1	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
6. Roy T. Farr	1650	W15	L3	W8	D4	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	7
7. Gordon A. Smead II	1556	L1	W10	D13	D11	2-2	9
8. Haul G. Froster	1441	D12	D13	D1	BYE	2-2	6 $\frac{1}{2}$:4
9. Marcus E. Stinson	1434	L2	BYE	L4	W14	2-2	6 $\frac{1}{2}$:3 $\frac{1}{2}$
10. Bruce R. Burns	UNR	L4	L7	W14	W15	2-2	6
11. Al H. Williams	1492	L3	W15	L2	D7	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$	8
12. Brooks Egerton	1724	D8	D14	D5	withdrew	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	5
13. Jerry Wheeler	1547	D14	D8	D7	withdrew	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
14. Lewin I. Brown	NEW	D13	D12	L10	L9	1-3	8
15. Ronald Robertson	NEW	L6	L11	BYE	L10	1-3	6

The recent Mid-TN Nov. Open was the strongest of the tournaments held thus far in Smyrna. The average USCF rating was 1632. Three unrateds were also in attendance. Taking first place was Nashville expert M.C. Wright; taking second was Curt Jones, also of Nashville.

The upset of the tournament occurred in rd. 2 with Trevor Cook(1409) defeating Curt Jones(1718). It is to Curt's credit that he was able to go on to second place after this defeat. Perhaps the most critical game in deciding the outcome of the tournament was Curt's final rd. victory over his father, Joe Jones. This left M.C. Wright in first place all by himself even after giving up a draw to Mr. Jones in rd. 3.

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