

8x8 Ratings**The British 8x8 Rating List** *maintained by David Haigh*

Current British players' ratings after the 2003 Christmas Friendly
Tournament

	games	rating		games	rating
1 Garry Edmead	318	1922	21 Martin Fancy	23	1250
2 Imre Leader	591	1871	22 Ben Pridmore	104	1237
3 Michael Handel	449	1813	23 Iain Forsyth	465	1225
4 Graham Brightwell	812	1734	24 Stephen Rowe	119	1222
5 Ian Turner	531	1599	25 Andy Aspden	17	1209
6 Guy Plowman	412	1577	26 Julian Bache	10	1193
7 Jeremy Das	292	1553	27 Yvette Campbell	22	1143
8 Geoff Hubbard	278	1552	28 Richard Brand	30	1132
9 Iain Barrass	528	1540	29 Chin Lee Lim	10	1125
10 Phil Marson	732	1448	30 Margaret Plowman	36	1114
11 Aubrey de Grey	679	1445	31 Alexander Baron	38	1109
12 Mark Wormley	532	1429	32 Mac Bannister	37	1087
13 Martin Hamer	8	1379	33 David Haigh	512	1083
14 Matthew Selby	246	1376	34 Neil Jerzynek	8	1074
15 Chris Welty	24	1365	35 Adelaide Carpenter	211	1003
16 Roy Arnold	873	1303	36 Gareth Morinan	5	1000
17 Beng Tan	13	1279	37 Alex Wilkinson	8	945
18 Jeremy Dyer	45	1274	38 Robert Lloyd	6	929
19 Tony Wilkinson	8	1261	39 Dale Gantry	7	810
20 Julian Richens	85	1257	40 Twenty-five Minutes	24	60

The Foreign 8x8 Rating List *maintained by David Haigh*

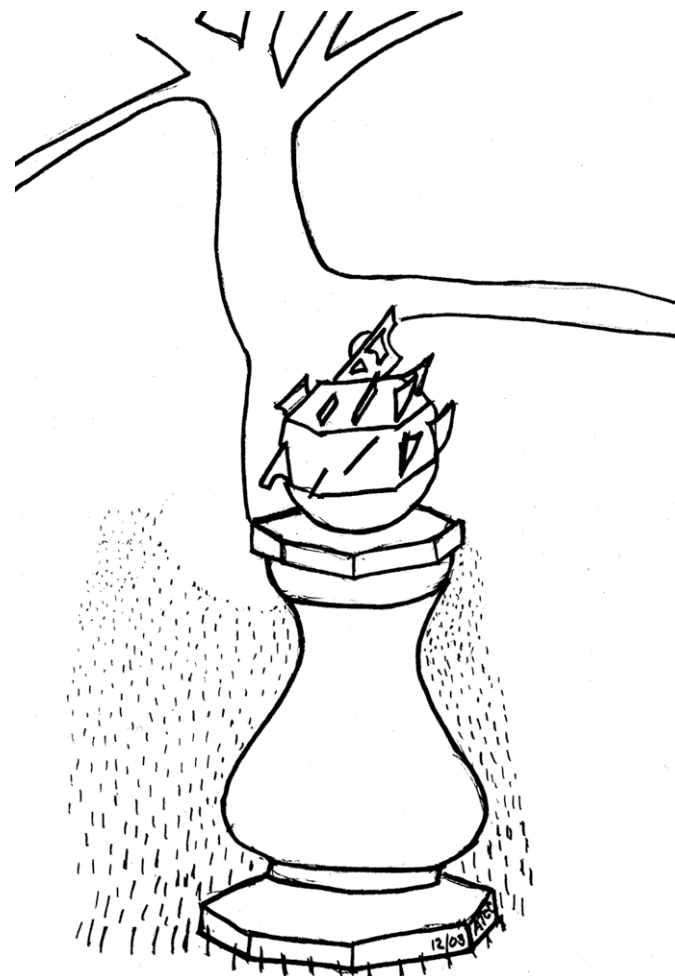
Current foreign players' ratings after the 2003 MSO European
Championship Tournament

1 Marc Tastet	1983	8 Stanley Ooi	1548	15 Solrun Stokke	1339
2 S. Nicolet	1813	9 E. Vecchi	1526	16 Tomas Ohlsson	1318
3 E. Lazard	1766	10 P. Stanzione	1522	17 C. van Brunschot	1317
4 Martin Eng	1726	11 J. Berner	1438	18 J. Aagaard-Hansen	1278
5 A. Hoehne	1724	12 V. Stenberg	1393	19 Erik Kroon	1162
6 A. Cordy	1626	13 C. Dauba	1389	20 C. Gardebrink	1094
7 T. Kashiwabara	1564	14 Robin Tomei	1356	21 M.-C. Torri	833

It's a Matter of Time(ing)

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Aubrey says: The new distributor of Othello in the UK, Character Games, is proving to be every bit as much of an improvement over Mattel as we had hoped. Their schedule for manufacturing new sets slipped a little, with the result that sets were available for the Christmas period only in two major chains (Woolworths and Toys 'R' Us), but they should be much more widely available very soon. Also, as mentioned in various places in this newsletter, Character have put their money where their mouth is in terms of supporting tournaments, by providing the BOF with **£1000** to use as prize money for events between August 2003 and July 2004. I am confident that this will be repeated for the following year.

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10x10 Ratings

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British players' ratings after the 2003 MSO World Championship

		games	rating
1	Graham Brightwell	10	1752
2	Michael Handel	9	1737
3	Ian Turner	15	1612
4	Jeremy Dyer	9	1450
5	Jeremy Das	13	1407
6	Dennis Owen	7	1368
7	Geoff Hubbard	23	1362
8	John Horton	12	1326
9	Alexander Baron	10	1264
10	Josiah Lutton	6	1245
11	Kali Turner	4	1237
12	Paul Smith	3	1174
13	Ronnie Cohen	7	1139
14	Ben Pridmore	12	1134
15	David Kotin	7	1099
16	Ezra Lutton	5	1064
17	Chin Lee Lim	5	1014
18	Rajit Gholap	5	944
19	Julian Bache	5	882

Foreign players' ratings after the 2003 MSO World Championship

		games	rating	country
1	Makoto Suekuni	6	1861	Japan
2	Stéphane Nicolet	13	1806	France
3	Tim Krzywonos	12	1686	Canada
4	Jan Kristian Haugland	9	1682	Norway
5	Goran Andersson	7	1588	Sweden
6	Osamu Omedera	5	1556	Japan
7	Solrun Stokke	7	1551	Norway
8	Marc Tastet	11	1507	France
9	Kim Kwan Soo	13	1492	Korea
10	Jakub Tesinsky	6	1426	Czech Republic
11	Benjamin Koenig	6	1356	USA
12	Marc Corio	10	1290	Canada
13	Werner Dupont	3	1139	Belgium
14	Csabas Bogнар	7	1062	Hungary