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Council Report

The majority of my time, since taking on this post, has been spent in support of event and congress organisers who have requested direct support in the creation of promotional material in helping market their events and in particular achieving the foundation of a web presence. A few of these are listed below

Congress Support

Website and Entry Forms for the Glasgow Congress.

Website for the Glasgow League.

Website and Entry form for the West of Scotland Congress, Junior Championships and Girls Championships.

Website for the Scottish Championship.

Website and promotional material for the Glorney and Faber, Junior International web content.



**Glorney and Faber
& Four Nations
Championships**

University of Strathclyde, Glasgow - July 22nd to 24th - 2009

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Welcome

The Glorney and Faber Cups are international chess team competitions for players aged under 18. The Glorney Cup was originally sponsored by Justin Busanathan, an C. Foster Glorney, and the Faber Cup by Faber Books, but they are now entirely financed by the leading national chess federations. Selection for the Glorney and Faber and Four Nations teams is regarded as a high point in the career of a junior chess player. It confirms their status as one of the top junior chess players in their country and gives them valuable experience against their counterparts in other European countries.

Congratulations to the players who have been selected to take part in the Glorney and Faber / Four Nations Championships taking place in Glasgow. The event is being organised this year by Chess Scotland and will be held in Glasgow's Strathclyde University.

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**116th Scottish '09
Chess Championship**

Edinburgh City Chambers - July 11th - 19th

WELCOME

The Scottish Championship is almost certainly the oldest continuously running chess event in the world. The first Championship was held in 1864 and this event was the 116th. This year's event which included an International Open lived up to it's billing with most of Scotland's top players competing but also entries from Grandmasters as far away as India.

For amateur chess players and interested parties alike there was the opportunity to see chess being played at the highest level and for the serious player the chance to take the first steps to becoming one of the world's elite players as the norms will be available.

The Championship received terrific support from The City of Edinburgh Council helping to celebrate Scotland's capital city in the Year of the Homecoming.

Results

WINNER IN EDINBURGH

ARUN PRASAD

There's daggers in men's smiles. -- Donalban, Macbeth, Act II, scene ii

Intrepid reporter Macaulay Peterson of ICC ChessFM provided sensational coverage of the event with highlights below -

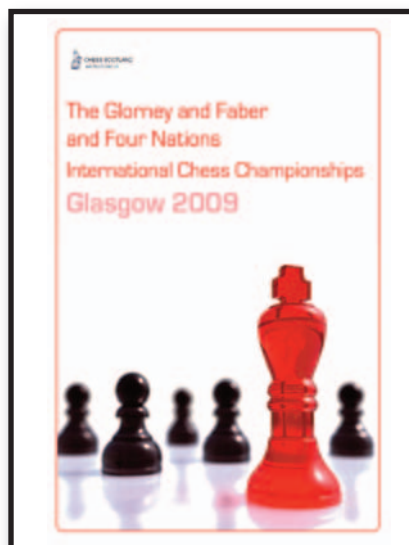
A small detour off the beaten path took ChessFM to Edinburgh for the Scottish Championship last week, for which we've just completed a trio of posts on the blog (www.Chess.fm/blog).

The latest is a video interview with the winner, GM Arun Prasad of Salem, India, who knocked off his round and compatriot, GM Magnus Carlsen, Panchanathan in the final round to earn the GBP £12,000.00 first prize.

Next, the highest scoring Best was an unlikely fellow, FM Ian Gledhill, the burly Scotsman, who nevertheless finished ahead of five Scottish GMs to earn the national title.

And a bonus audio interview with the young Scottish FM (Edinburgh) Kasperov, who started top first GM score in Edinburgh during a fantastic run that included wins over GMs Prasad, Panchanathan and Carlsen, and an exciting last round draw with GM Mark Hebden. Kasperov is Kasperov for turning down a Heiden draw offer in the middlegame and playing on, even though a draw would have sealed his norm.

All three were smiling, with no daggers spared.



**The Glorney and Faber
and Four Nations
International Chess Championships
Glasgow 2009**



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2009**



West of Scotland Congress

Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd May 2009

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