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Natoskak 2014

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Fra Dansk Militære Skakkomite har vi modtaget nedenstående pressemeddelelse om de netop overståede Nato Skakmesterskaber i Canada:

Det blev et reduceret militært skak hold, Danmark stillede med i Quebec, til dette års Nato skakmesterskaber. Trods de øgede omkostninger til flybillet stillede Danmark op med de nødvendige 4 spiller + spillende holdleder (normalt 6 spillere) for at forsvare sølvmedaljen fra 2013.

De Canadiske værter har virkelig lagt sig i selen for at det 25. officielle Mesterskab skulle blive en oplevelse for alle.

11 nationer og 76 spillere var mødt til dette års begivenhed. Værterne havde henlagt turneringen til den militærhistoriske plet i Quebec City, the Citadelle, hvor alle var indkvarteret og selve turneringen blev afviklet i den gamle sportshal. Citadellet bliver i dag ikke brugt til indkvartering, men i anledningen af skakturneringen, var der åbnet for denne mulighed. Et fantastisk sted, der dagligt bliver besøgt af 800-1000 turister.

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Det danske hold startede i fuldt firspring i første runde og hev sejre hjem på alle brætter, men måtte ned på jorden i tirsdagens 2 runder hvor det blev til 3,5 point til holdets allerede opnåede 4 point fra dagen før.

Onsdagen bød på 4. runder og sightseeing i Quebec City hvor vores Guide fortalte om byens militærhistorie. En flot by og en flot afslutning på dagen i en af byens ældste restauranter.

Torsdag bød igen på to runder og efter dagens først runde var vi pænt placeret på 3. pladsen med kun 1 point efter favoritterne Tyskland, der var blevet overhalet af Polen.

Dagens sidste runde skulle blive Waterloo for det danske hold med kun et halvt point i runden og placeret på en sur 5. plads.

Fredagens 7 rundes 2 point viste sig ikke at være nok og USA fik en fortjent placering med sin 3. plads 1. point foran Danmark.

Tyskland og Polen kæmpede hele ugen om at være bedst og Polens 3 bedste spillere havde inden sidste runde ikke afgivet hele point, men det blev skæbnesvangert for det polske hold, da deres Damien Graczyk tabte i et afgørende parti mod Lorenz Drabke, der samtidig blev Natomester i den individuelle turnering.

Holdplacering

1. Tyskland 21,5p

2. Polen, 20,0 p
3. USA 17,5 p
4. Danmark 16,5 p

Danske resultater

Finn Pedersen 5,0 P

Jan Mose Nielsen 4,5 P

Stefan Hansen 4,0 P

Gert Aagaard 3,0 P

Finn Stuhr 2,5 P

Fredagen afsluttes med lynskak om eftermiddagen og afslutningsbanketten afvikledes i festsalen i selveste Parlamentet i Quebec City.

Næste års Nato skakmesterskaber finder sted i Amsterdam 5.-10. juli i et marinehistorisk sted. Så endnu en oplevelse venter de danske soldater.

I the International Military Chess Committee vedtog man at ære, tjenestegørende og hjemsendte veteraner der har været i mission for sit land, ved at deltage i Nato skakmesterskaberne. Kriterierne for deltagelse vil nu blive sat ned på tryk og vil være glædende for 2016.

Danmark vil som altid gerne være i front når nye ting skal prøves af og Dansk Militære Skakkomite vil derfor inviterer 2 veteraner til at deltage i turneringen i Amsterdam i 2015.

Danmark har fra 1978-1988 huset de uofficielle Mesterskaber der fandt sted i Ålborg, med en enkelt turnering i 1985, lagt i Sønderborg. 1989 åbnede man det første officielle mesterskab i Hammelburg, Tyskland. Danmark har været vært for de officielle mesterskaber i 1996(7) i Viborg, 2003(14) i Høvelte og 2010(21) i Køge.

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The Danish team, top from left Stefan Hansen, Esbjerg, playing team leader Finn Stuhr, Køge and Finn Pedersen, Skolerne.
Front from left Jan Mose Nielsen, Taastrup and Gert Aagaard, Kolding

The Danish team started in full jump in the first round and lifted victories home on all boards, but had to go down to earth in Tuesday's 2 rounds where it became 3.5 points to the team already achieved 4 points from the day before.

Wednesday featured 4th rounds and sightseeing in Quebec City where our Guide told about the city's military history. A nice city and a nice end to the day in one of the city's oldest restaurants.

Thursday again offered two rounds and after the first round of the day we were nicely placed in 3rd place with only 1 point behind the favorites Germany, who had been overtaken by Poland.

The last round of the day was to be Waterloo for the Danish team with only half a point in the round and placed in a sour 5th place.

Friday's 7 rounds 2 points proved not to be enough and the USA got a deserved place with its 3rd place 1st point ahead of Denmark.

Germany and Poland fought all week to be the best and Poland's 3 best players had not given full points before the last round, but it was fateful for the Polish team when their Damien Graczyk lost in a decisive game against Lorenz Drabke, who also became NATO Champion in the individual tournament.

Team placement

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3. USA 17.5p
4. Denmark 16.5p

Danish results

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Friday ends with lightning chess in the afternoon and the closing banquet was held in the banquet hall of the Parliament itself in Quebec City.

Next year's NATO Chess Championships will take place in Amsterdam 5-10. July in a marine historic site. So another experience awaits the Danish soldiers.

The International Military Chess Committee decided to honor, serve and repatriate veterans who have been on missions for their country, by participating in the NATO Chess

Championships. The criteria for participation will now be put down to print and will be gratifying for 2016.

As always, Denmark wants to be at the forefront when new things are to be tried out and the Danish Military Chess Committee will therefore invite 2 veterans to participate in the tournament in Amsterdam in 2015.

From 1978-1988, Denmark has hosted the unofficial Championships that took place in Ålborg, with a single tournament in 1985, held in Sønderborg. In 1989, the first official championship opened in Hammelburg, Germany. Denmark has hosted the official championships in 1996 (7) in Viborg, 2003 (14) in Høvelte and 2010 (21) in Køge.

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