

## **FM/WFM and CM/WCM titles based on Olympiad results**

The regulations now award titles of FM/WFM in the Olympiad for players achieving at least 66 2/3 percent result based on at least 9 games, and titles of CM/WCM for players achieving at least 50 percent result based on at least 7 games. This is proposed to be applied retroactively to the earlier Olympiads.

## **FM/CM titles based on ratings**

There has been some confusion concerning the FM/WFM and CM/WCM titles. FM/WFM titles required earlier title results and a sufficient rating based on a certain minimum number of games. Later a certain minimum rating based on a certain minimum number of games. In 2002 the number of games requirement was removed. It was not clearly decided that this will apply retroactively. When CM/WCM title was established, it was not clear whether it was meant to be applied retroactively.

Proposal:

These titles are awarded based on published periodical rating lists as follows:

A player who has had a rating 2300 (women 2100) is awarded FM (WFM) title, no requirement concerning number of games.

FM/WFM title can be awarded based on an interim rating during the rating period since 1.7.2006, if there is reliable information available.

A player who has had a rating 2200 (women 2000) is awarded CM (WCM) title, no requirement concerning number of games.

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