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Bartlett Library takes second place in annual interlibrary chess tournament



The Bartlett Public Library District's Chess Team took second place in the Interlibrary Chess Tournament held on July 28, 2018 at the Bloomingdale Public Library.

This year's tournament was extremely competitive as only half a point separated the first place from second place — the Carol Stream Public Library and Bartlett.



Bartlett Library's Raj Parikh and Isaac Johnson went undefeated in all six of their matches, while Shubh Vaghani was victorious in five matches and took one draw.

First-time participants Tristan Combs, Raiyan Hasan, William Sias, TJ Sias and Vihan Patel rounded out the group and showed amazing promise as future stars of the team.

The team is coached by Bartlett Librarians Sandra Sasal and Brian Erlich.

(Photo—Top Left: Raj Parikh and Raiyan Hasan warm up before a match; Top Right: Shubh Vaghani contemplates his next move; Bottom: Raiyan Hasan, William Sias, Tristan Combs, and TJ Sias pose for a quick photo with the trophy.)

The Bartlett Public Library District offers chess clubs for both youth and adults. Please visit www.bartlettlibrary.org or call 630.837.2855 for a current schedule, as well as more information and a complete listing of scheduled programs.

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