

## ***Results from the Rockford Chess Challenge – Summer 2006***

94 students from 32 schools competed at the Rockford Chess Challenge on Saturday July 22nd hosted at St Mark's Lutheran Church.

### **First place individual winners**

Kindergarten	- Dylan Burton (Sacred Hearts Academy)
1st Grade	- David Pejic (Montessori Private )
2nd Grade	- Asia Keomanivong (King) <i>A perfect score!</i>
3rd Grade	- Elizabeth Weiss (Capron)
4th Grade	- Zachary Larsen (Community School)
5th Grade	- Nathan Krinickas (King)
6th Grade	- Justin McDonald (Hallstrom) (A 5 <sup>th</sup> grader playing up)
7th Grade (tie)	- Dylan Ballard (West) - Seth Brown (West)
8th Grade	- Kyle Rognstad (Immanual Lutheran)

### **Special Awards**

"Best Unrated Player" medals awarded to

Grade K:	Dylan Burton (Sacred Hearts Academy)
Grade 1:	Riley Brands (St Margaret's)
Grade 3:	Austin Warford (St James – Belvidere)
Grade 4:	Val Chapman (Christian Life)
Grade 6:	Sean Witherby (RESA)
Grade 7:	Sahand Nuhivand (Eisenhower)
Grade 8:	Jonathan Cummings (North Boone MS)

"Biggest Upset" medals awarded to:

Grade K:	Theresa Weiss (Capron)
Grade 1:	Brandon Peyton (Lutheran @ Gloria Dei)
Grade 2:	Austin Stadelman (King)
Grade 3:	Elizabeth Weiss (Capron)
Grade 4:	Haley Gustafson (Montessori)
Grade 5:	Ashlee Hanrahan (Loves Park Elementary)
Grade 6:	Ian Brown (Eisenhower)
Grade 7:	Mason Loos (West)
Grade 8:	Kyle Rognstad (Immanual Lutheran)

For more information about Rockford chess tournaments, check the web site <http://www.RockfordChess.Org>.