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Chess Coach Biography

Brett Tindall

Current Chess Titles

- ♟ FIDE Master of Chess (FM)
- ♟ FIDE Trainer Title (Internationally Qualified Chess Coach)
- ♟ National Arbiter

Previous Chess Achievement

- ♟ NSW Chess Champion 2010
- ♟ Australian Under 12 Champion
- ♟ Australian Under 14 Champion
- ♟ Runner up in the Australian Junior (Under 18) Championship 1995
- ♟ NSW Junior Chess (Under 18) Champion 1995
- ♟ City of Sydney Junior (Under 18) Champion
- ♟ Australian representative at World Junior (Under 18) Championships
- ♟ Australian representative at World Junior (Under 20) Championships (placed =27th)
- ♟ Australian representative at Asian Junior (Under 20) Championships
- ♟ Equal 3rd in NSW Open Championship 2000
- ♟ =1st City of Sydney Champion 1998
- ♟ Member of Sydney's team at the World Cities' Teams Championship
- ♟ =2nd Doeberl Cup Open Division 2001
- ♟ =3rd Doeberl Cup Open Division 2002
- ♟ =1st ANU Open 1996

Chess Coaching Experience

- ♟ 26 years' experience as a chess coach
- ♟ 22 years' experience teaching chess in schools
- ♟ NSW squad coach at the Australian Junior Championships 2000-2007, 2010-2013
- ♟ National Director of Junior Coaching for the Australian Chess Federation 2000-2002
- ♟ Director of the chess coaching company "Sydney Academy of Chess" established in 1998 Only chess coach in Australia to have completed the FIDE Chess Training Seminar Course (2003)
- ♟ NSW advanced and primary age training coordinator 2000-2002
- ♟ One of Australia's coaches at the World Junior Chess Championships in Greece 2003 and 2004 Coached 12 school teams which qualified to represent NSW at the Australian Primary and Secondary Schools Championships
- ♟ Coach/Trainer of International Master Max Illingworth from 2003-2007 (Max is currently ranked 3rd in Australia, NSW Champion in 2011 & 2012 and is a Grandmaster)
- ♟ Some of Brett's previous students held national or state titles – U/12 Australian Champion & U/18 NSW Girls Champion