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ARBITERS & ORGANISERS COMMISSION



Provincial Arbiter Norm Report

Surname	Van der Berg	Name	Jay
Date of Birth	25/07/1998	Chessa ID	1980149135
Name of Event	JMC Trinityhouse Little Falls	Host Region	GJM
Date	28/02/2026	Venue	TrinityHouse Little Falls
Type of Event	Individual Swiss 55/55 +5sipm	Number of Players	194
Number of Rounds	5	Number of Region	4

Report by Chief Arbiter

These should refer to the Arbiter's knowledge of the Laws and of the pairing Rules used, objectivity, ability to cope with any incidents that arose, and consideration for the protection of players from disturbance and distraction.

Jay showed a good knowledge of the Laws of Chess, and displayed a good grasp of pairing rules. He was of great assistance in dealing with younger players ensuring they understood the rules and played according to the Laws.

He ensured that the venue was silent and conducive to all players (experienced and inexperienced players) focussing on their matches. He further dealt well with some complex matters involving younger players.

Recommendation

The performance of the arbiter was of the required standard for a Provincial Arbiter.

Name	Julian Botha	Title	FA
Region	GJM	Date	9/3/2026
Signature			

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