Observer report for <<4° TORNEO OPEN MESTRE>>

Observer: Martin Scheichenbauer

Date: 17-01-2010

Place: Osteria Geremia

Website or other source(s) of information: Information has been easily accessible for participants, e-mail communication has been working very well

Participants: 52 player in the beginning, 49 Italians, 2 Austrians and 1 French player.

One player could not finish the games so a substitute took over

Playing schedule: 4 rounds á 90 minutes

Location: The place of the tournament has been nice just a little more light would have been nice. We had lunch in the same room where the tournament took place. That has been very ok, just the restaurtant people should know the players are already hungry when the games are finished and do not like to wait for longer than 30 minutes to get something to eat. The quality of the lunch has been very good.

Equipment: Tables, chairs and tiles have been ok.

Refereeing: There was a non-playing referee, who had nothing to do. \odot

Complaints: Zero

Information / **communication during the tournament:**

A timer has been visible very well and the results have been available within a short time as print outs.

Sessions: no comment

Catering: Lunch in the same restaurant, water has been available for all and all the time

Prices: I had to leave the tournament after the last game quickly so I can not talk about that

Conclusion: A nice tournament

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