Kostas Prentos 60 Jubilee Tourney, 2026

The Chess Composition Committee of the Greek Chess Federation announces a composing tourney to celebrate the 60th birthday of Kostas Prentos (b. 28/08/1966).

Theme: Any type of retro problem (orthodox or fairy PG, classical retro, retractor, etc.) in which an original officer **A** (not a promoted piece) is captured by another officer **B** (not by a pawn); later, a pawn of the same side as the captured piece **A** promotes to a piece of the same type as **A**. There are no restrictions on the whereabouts of the thematic piece **A** before its capture (it may, or may not have moved, or captured). For problems in which the complete history is unknown (e.g., classical retros, retractors) an officer is considered to be original, if the contrary cannot be proved.

Send entries to the director Harry Fougiaxis (email: loyaldragon@gmail.com)

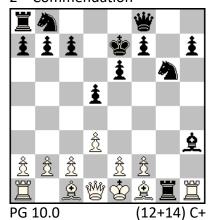
Deadline: 31/07/2026 Judge: Kostas Prentos

Examples:

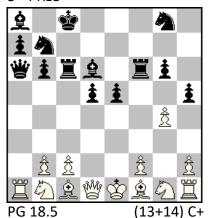
A. Éric Pichouron France-Echecs 2020



B. Kostas Prentos Champagne TT 2020-21 2nd Commendation



C. Reto Aschwanden Probleemblad 2019 3rd Prize



A (Pichouron): 1.e4 d5 2.Qg4 $B \times g4$ 3.e5 Kd7 4.e6+ Kc8 5.e×f7 e5 6.Sc3 Bd6 7.f8=Q h5 8.Qf3 h4 9.Qd1 $B \times d1$

B (Prentos): 1.h4 d5 2.Sh3 B×h3 3.h5 e6 4.h6 Se7 5.h×g7 Rg8 6.g×f8=S Rxg2 7.d3 Sg6 8.Sd2 Ke7 9.Sf3 Q×f8 10.Sg1 R×g1

C (Aschwanden): 1.d4 h5 2.Bh6 R×h6 3.d5 Rf6 4.d6 g6 5.d×c7 d5 6.e4 Qd6 7.Ba6 Q×a6 8.a4 b6 9.a5 Bb7 10.c8=B Sc6 11.Bh3 S×a5 12.g4 0-0-0 13.e5 Rdd6 14.e6 Rc6 15.e×f7 e5 16.Bf1 Bd6 17.f8=B Ba8 18.Bh6 Sb7 19.Bc1