

PROBLEM OF THE WEEK #10 – FEBRUARY 17, 2021

THE POSITION:

○ is David B
score: 1
pip: 69

7 point match

pip: 104
score: 0

● is KellyRae

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● to play 52

THE TOURNAMENT AND THE PLAYERS:

For this week's problem, I've taken another position from our weekly online tournament. This position comes from this Monday's weekly tournament (February 15, 2021). I ("KellyRae") am playing the Black checkers in the main tournament against David "David B" Beyda, who is playing the White checkers.

THE GAME SITUATION:

It's the second game of a 7-point match, with David leading 1-0. I found a double earlier in the game, so David is holding the cube at a two-level. I am on roll, with a very strong position, and I've rolled 52 – I have several possible plays to choose from.

THE QUESTION:

So, what's Black's best play here?