

**Czech and Slovak Match 1998**

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– Day 1

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**1** Let  $P$  be an interior point of the parallelogram  $ABCD$ . Prove that  $\angle APB + \angle CPD = 180^\circ$  if and only if  $\angle PDC = \angle PBC$ .

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**2** A polynomial  $P(x)$  of degree  $n \geq 5$  with integer coefficients has  $n$  distinct integer roots, one of which is 0. Find all integer roots of the polynomial  $P(P(x))$ .

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**3** Let  $ABCDEF$  be a convex hexagon such that  $AB = BC, CD = DE, EF = FA$ . Prove that  $\frac{BC}{BE} + \frac{DE}{DA} + \frac{FA}{FC} \geq \frac{3}{2}$ . When does equality occur?

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– Day 2

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**4** Find all functions  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} - \{1\}$  satisfying  $f(n) + f(n+1) = f(n+2) + f(n+3) - 168$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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**5** In a triangle  $ABC$ ,  $T$  is the centroid and  $\angle TAB = \angle ACT$ . Find the maximum possible value of  $\sin \angle CAT + \sin \angle CBT$ .

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**6** In a summer camp there are  $n$  girls  $D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n$  and  $2n - 1$  boys  $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_{2n-1}$ . The girl  $D_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , knows only the boys  $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_{2i-1}$ . Let  $A(n, r)$  be the number of different ways in which  $r$  girls can dance with  $r$  boys forming  $r$  pairs, each girl with a boy she knows. Prove that  $A(n, r) = \binom{n}{r} \frac{r!}{(n-r)!}$ .

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