

## Kevin Bonham



Monster of the deep

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39,275



### **Castle 2000 thread**

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Hi ritchi,

Just a note to let you know I have removed your Castle 2000 thread and why - you didn't do anything wrong and weren't to know but there is actually a sensitive issue involved with this chess variant.

Castle 2000 (0-0-0-0) was invented by Ljupco Steriev aka Jan Lubek (and numerous other aliases), a Chicago-based pest poster on a wide range of chess and other internet forums. Steriev was banned from this forum for threatening site staff in December 2015. Since being banned he has harassed and threatened many people in Australian chess over our response to him, even going so far as to make death threats and false accusations about us to police.

I do not want any more material associated with him appearing on the forum in case it leads to more of this behaviour from him, so I have removed the thread.

Cheers, Kevin  
moderator/admin, [chesschat.org](http://chesschat.org)