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 I apologise for the late arrival of this issue, it is due to pressure of work.  
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## • • • TOURNAMENT RESULTS • • •

### BRITISH LIGHTNING AT NORWICH:

As usual, the Lightning Competition was held on the eve of the British Congress.  
 The winner was Matthew Cocke. There were other good results from: P. Shepperson, F. Roads, J-P Kenton, B. Beaton, A. Duarte, S. Shiu, and S. Barthropp.

### BRITISH CONGRESS AT NORWICH:

The main tournament also was won by Matthew Cocke with 6/6.  
 Other prize winners with 5/6 were: Geoff Kaniuk (2k London), Oliver Riordan (12k Cambridge) and Robert Finking (21k York).  
 Yet more prize winners with 4½/6 were: Mike Lynn (3k Coventry) and Jago Krusel (6k Norwich).  
 Peter Yim qualified for the 1993 Candidates' Tournament.  
 The Terry Stacey Trophy for most wins above the bar in British Tournaments was won by Des Cann.  
 Francis Roads was second.  
 Keith Osborne organised the congress which was attended by 80 players.

### CANDIDATES TOURNAMENT:

The winner was Shutai Zhang with 5½/6.  
 There were four other places available for the Challenger's League, and these were taken by:  
 Bob Bagot 5/6, Quentin Mills 5/6, John Rickard 5/6, and Mark Hall 4/6.  
 The reserves is Harold Lee.

### WEST WALES AT BARNMOUTH:

20 players attended this new tournament, which was won by Matthew Macfadyen.  
 Other winners with 3/3 were Wayne Walters (7k Wanstead) and Martin Harris (13k Barmouth).  
 Additional prizes went to Paul Smith (best shodan), Francis Roads (special case !),  
 and Tony Atkins (driving furthest on the day of the tournament).  
 Paul Smith, Pat Myers, Nick Wedd and Jo Hampton qualified for the 1994 Candidates' Tournament.

### BRACKWELL:

This tournament attracted 66 entrants, and was won by Quentin Mills (3d) with 3/3.  
 Prizes for three wins also went to: J. Beaton (7k Furze Platt), A. Ketley (16k Cheltenham), M. Trent (18k), L. Spratt (21k Furze Platt), and P. Hyman (27k Brakenhale).  
 Qualifiers for the 1994 Candidates' Tournament were Messrs. Dawson, Ellis, Hendrie, Thornton, Drake, Kaniuk, and Williams.  
 Prize winners in the 13 x 13 competition were D. Molloy (16k Brighton) and D. Tyrrell (17k Brighton).

### SCOTTISH OPEN AT EDINBURGH:

44 players attended this tournament, which was organised by David Keeble.  
 The overall winner was Francis Roads with 5/6. He becomes the first holder of the Scottish Open Go Trophy.  
 Other winners with 4/6 were: D. Sequiera (Edinburgh), Xue Yue Huang, M. Reiss (N. London) and C. Gathercole (Edinburgh).  
 Wanstead won the team prize.

### CHALLENGERS LEAGUE:

The league results were as follows:

	Zhang	Rix	Shaw	Cann	Hall	Mills	Rickard	Bagot	
1. Shutai Zhang	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	= 7
2/3 Alex Rix	0	-	?	1	1	1	1	1	= 5?
2/3 Edmund Shaw	0	?	-	1	1	1	1	1	= 5?
4. Des Cann	0	0	0	-	0	1	1	1	= 3
5= Mark Hall	0	0	0	1	-	0	0	1	= 2
5= Quentin Mills	0	0	0	0	1	-	0	1	= 2
5= John Rickard	0	0	0	0	1	1	-	0	= 2
8. Bob Bagot	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	-	= 1

The game between Edmund Shaw and Alex Rix was unresolved at the time of going to press, but it does not affect the outcome in that Shutai Zhang is the Challenger and the top four players will retain their places in next year's league.

### WORLD AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIPS:

Forty representatives from around the world competed in Japan for the title of World Amateur Champion.  
 The winner was Sun Yiguo from China. He was followed by Seo Soon-Joo from Korea, and Hirata Hironori from Japan. Fourth equal were Ronald Schlemper from the Netherlands and Chou Chun Hsun, a thirteen year old from Chinese Taipei. Piers Shepperson came 21st. Tony Atkins was the European Team Captain.

## • • • NEWS FROM ABROAD • • • (EGP=Fujitsu European Grand Prix Event)

For further details of the overseas events, contact Tony Atkins or myself.

### PLZEN: (EGP)

1st was Vladimir Danek (6d CZ) and 2nd was Ms Zhao Pei (5d CHI).

### COPENHAGEN: (EGP)

1st was Viktor Bogdanov (6d RUS) and 2nd was Vladimir Danek (6d CZ).

### VIENNA: (EGP)

1st was Lee Hyuk (5d KOR) and 2nd was Leon Match (5d SLO).

### BLIED: (EGP)

1st was Shen Gruang-ji (6d CHI). Tony Goddard (5d GB) came 8th.

### ING CUP IN AMSTERDAM:

1st was Shen Gruang-ji (6d CHI). Piers Shepperson (5d GB) came 9th.

### ING OPEN TOURNAMENT:

The Cup tournament is by invitation only for Europe's top players. This open side-tournament was won by Ms Zhao Pei (5d CHI) followed by Viktor Bogdanov (6d RUS) and Rudi Verhagen (4d NL).

### FUJITSU EUROPEAN GRANDS PRIX:

The list of tournaments for the 92/93 season is:

Brussels (31 Oct-1 Nov), Gothenburg (14-15 Nov), Zurich (5-6 Dec), London (31 Dec-3 Jan),  
 Plzen (CS) (5-7 Feb), Copenhagen (13-14 Feb), Vienna (12-14 Mar), Bled (SLO) (2-4 Apr), Paris (10-12 Apr),  
 Budapest (30 Apr-2 May), Milan (15-16 May), Amsterdam (20-23 May), Hamburg (29-31 May), Helsinki (19-21  
 Jun), Warsaw (25-27 Jun), Volga Boat (12-18 Jul), European Go Congress @ Prague (24 Jul-7 Aug).  
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## OTHER EUROPEAN MATCHES:

Amsterdam Rapid Tournament (16 Aug) and Obayashi Cup @ Amsterdam (4-5 Sep).

## Here is the latest from our Japan Correspondent (Brian Chandler):

Japan: Otake took the Judan title 3-1 from Takemiya, winning the fourth game on 15th April. Meanwhile, Otake is clearly leading the Meijin League with a 5-0 score. Yamashiro Hiroshi held on to his lead and became the Honinbo challenger, but Cho, defending the title, won the first game of the final on 7-8th May.

Korea: Lee Chang-ho (Korea) leads Cho Chikun (Japan/Korea) 2-0 in the final of the Dong-Yang Securities Cup. The first two games were played in Cheju on April 22nd and 24th; the rest will follow in Seoul in June.

International: The last three games of the best-of-five final of the Ing Cup were played in Singapore, ending on 20th May with a 3-2 victory for Suh Bongsoo (Korea) over Otake Hideo (Japan). "Rocky" Awaji Shuzo held on to win the last two games (beating Ma Xiao-chun and Nie Wei-ping) of the annual Japan-China "Super" Go challenge, a sort of team elimination match. There was still one (Otake) of the Japanese team of seven left as backstop.

## • • • FORTHCOMING EVENTS • • •

Generally UK tournaments do not require entry on an entry form. If you do not have one, phone up for details.

### THE HITACHI 37th EUROPEAN GO CONGRESS: 24 July - 7 August:

To be held in Prague at the Charles University.

The programme includes the Open European Go Championship, the European Computer Go Championship, the General Meeting of the EGF, and various side events. Entry can be for either or both weeks of the main tournament, and/or the weekend tournament on the middle weekend.

Entries after 9th July will be surcharged ten percent.

Contact: Jana Hricova, U druzstva Zivot 14, 140 00 PRAHA 4, Czech Republic, Tel. (+422)6430460.

### AMERICAN GO CONGRESS:

7-15 August:

To be held at South Hadley, Massachusetts. Contact: Micah Feldman, Tel. 413-783-3282.

### ISLE OF MAN GO CONGRESS:

15-20 August:

There are several different options for combining go playing with holiday making in various proportions. Also side events and outings. An under 11 tournament is planned.

For more details contact John Atherton, 116 Ballabrookie Drive, Douglas, Tel. 0624-611655.

### 19th NORTHERN GO TOURNAMENT: (BGP)

4-5 September:

This year the tournament is part of the Fujitsu EGF Grand-Prix d'Europe de Go.

Location: Allen Hall, Wilmslow Road, Manchester, (near to the usual Ashburne Hall). Registration by 10:00.

6 round MacMahon. Time limits 60 minutes plus overtime.

Fees: adult £10, under 18 £5. Not member of Go Association +£3. Lunches and accomodation are extra.

Closing date is 28th August. Late entries, if accepted, will be subject to a late entry fee of £5.

Contact: John Smith, 21 Gwynant Place, Wilmslow Road, Manchester M20 9AE, Tel. 061-445-5012.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Note \* = provisional. May change, so check nearer to the time.

European @ Prague (24 Jul-7 Aug), Isle of Man (15-20 Aug), Northern (EGP) (4-5 Sep), Milton Keynes (18 Sep), Shrewsbury (3 Oct), Wessex (24 Oct), Birmingham \*(21 Nov), W. Surrey Handicap (5 Dec).

\*\*\* Please let me know about any changes or additions, or if provisional dates become firm. \*\*\*

## • • • NEWS • • •

The Council has approved the following promotions: Phil Achard to 1 dan, Michael Charles to 2 dan, William Connolly and Simon Shiu to 3 dan, and Matthew Cocks to 4 dan.

Miss Feng Yun, the Chinese 7 dan professional who came to Canterbury last year, will be in the country from 17th June to 10th August (except, I believe, for the period of the European Congress). She will be holding teaching sessions at the CLGC on Friday evenings and Saturday afternoons. She will also be teaching at Shutai Zhang's club on Wednesday evenings.

Nick Wedd has taken on the job of "Computer Coordinator". He can supply shareware software and advise on buying.

Here's a plea from the Council. They are two members short. They meet in the Home Counties every two months on a Sunday afternoon. No other responsibilities are necessary. Contact Alex Rix.

Youth players wishing to attend the European Congress at Prague can apply for travel grants from the unspent East Europe Fund. Also poor/young players can get free entry to the Congress. Contact T. Mark Hall for details.

If a club is in need of financial support for room hire, equipment, etc., it can apply to T. Mark Hall.

The annual Battersea Park match will be held on July 3rd, and the London Team match on September 19th.

Latest from the Thames Valley Go League (are there any other Go Leagues?) is Reading lead with wins over Bracknell, West Surrey, Furze Platt & Maidenhead.

Manchester Club are meeting at a new venue: Town Hall Tavern, Tib Lane, Manchester.

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