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Tournament Results

Grand Prix events: Hamburg was won by Yoo, and Warsaw by Bogdanov

Anglo-Japanese match: won by the British representatives by 25 games to 11

British Youth tournament: Under 16s won by Samuel Beaton, under 18s by Mathew Cocke (runner up Adam Shepherd), under 14s by Mark Simmons. The 13X13 tournament was won by Aiden Whitehall in the under 18s, James Goss in the under 16s, and Marco Leuzzi in the under 14s. The 13X13 continuous was won by Simon Rudd

Leicester: won by Adam Pirani with other prizes going to: T. Atkins, D.Gilder (qualifier), K.Pulverer, A.Eve, A.Shepherd, Wai Chan, Austin Dilks, Hugo Huggett. The team event was won by Mellior.

Challengers league: Won by Eddy Shaw. Shepperson, Pirani, and Roads retain their places for next year.

Thames Valley league: Won (by one point) by Bracknell, followed (in order) by Reading, West Surrey, Furze Platt and Brackenhale.

Forthcoming Events

The 1989 Northern Go congress: 2nd and 3rd September, to be held at Ashburne Hall, Old Hall Lane, Manchester. Contact: John Smith, 21 Gwynant Place, Wilmslow Rd., Manchester M20 9AE.

Meijin Sen: 14th and 15th September at the Montcalm Hotel, near Marble Arch in London. This is followed on the weekend (16th and 17th) by a sponsored tournament (by the Asahi Shimbun newspaper). Details and entry forms from Dave Ward, 58a Halliford St., Islington, London N1 3EQ. Tel.: 01-354-3285.

The first Milton Keynes tournament: 14th October - contact A. Grant, 34 Martingale Place, Downs Barn, Milton Keynes, Bucks. MK14 7QN. Tel.: (0908) 669883

Wessex: 29th October

Farnham handicap tournament: 9th and 10th December (9th teach-in, 10th tournament). Sponsored by Rex Thomson Partners. Contact Colin Williams, 70 Greenhill Way, Farnham, Surrey GU9 8TA. Tel.: (0252) 727306

1990 British: 6th - 8th April at the university of Salford. Accommodation available - contact Kevin Osborne (0617) 993743

News and general interest

The 1992 European Logo competition was won by A. Grant with 'Cross Cut'. The runner up was A. Franklin with 'Go caterpiller'. Special awards went to P. Timmins and H. Allen.

Due to the short notice it has not proved possible to raise a team in response to the invitation (mentioned in the last newsletter) from the USSR. We hope that further, more successful, contacts will be possible in the future.

I have received a letter from a BGA member interested in writing Go playing computer programs (ideally on Apple Macintosh, but possibly IBM PC). He requests that likeminded people contact him at the following address: James G. Cherill, 8 Aprilwood Close, Woodham, Weybridge, Surrey KT15 3SX. Tel.: (09323) 52388.

Next year's subscriptions and levies will be going up (note that these have been frozen for several years). Anyone joining before the end of 1989 for the 1990 year will be able to do so at this year's rates. Club secretaries and interested individual members please contact the treasurer for details (address below).

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