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TOURNAMENT RESULTS

SCHOOLS TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP:

Won by Furze Platt School for the ninth time. Stowe School came second, The Team Lightning competition was also won by Furze Platt.

23RD VESSEX:

106 players attended the 23rd Wessex Tournament at Marlborough Town Hall.
The winner was Mark Hall (3d) with 4/4.
Other prize winners were: T. Atkins (2d Reading) 3/4, C. Dawson (1k Furze Platt) 4/4,
K. Drake (2k Bournemouth) 3/4, J. Keller (2k Central London) 3/4, L. Baker (4k Bath) 4/4,
J. Edwards (10k High Wycombe) 4/4, P. Cowling (12k Oxford City) 3/4, and D. King (20k Brakenhale) 4/4.
The 13 x 13 Fred Guyatt Trophy was won by J. Beaton (7k Furze Platt).
The team competition was won by Central London.

There were 32 players, and the winner was Francis Roads (4d Wanstead) with 3/3, Other prize winners were: C. Dawson (1k Furze Platt) 3/3, D. Woodnutt (1k OU) 3/3, W. Walters 3/3, and P. Barnard (1k Swindon) 2/3, Qualifiers for the 1993 Candidates' Tournament were: C. Leedham Green and S. Barthropp.

BIRMITGHAM:

58 players attended the Birmingham tournament which was won by John Smith (3d Manchester) with 3/3.

Other prize winners with 3/3 were: Chris Kirkham (1k Manchester), Anthony Pitchford (16k Chester) and Pauline Bailey (19k W. Surrey).

Qualifiers for the 1993 Candidates' Tournament were Michael Charles and Chris Kirkham.

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

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

BRUSSELS (BGP) First was Shen Gruang-ji (CHI) and second was Guo Juan (CHI),

FUJITSU BUROPEAN 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 Plzen (CS) (5-7 Feb), Copenhagen (13-14 Feb), Vienna (12-14 Mar), Bled (SLD) (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), London (31 Dec-3 Jan),

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

WEST SURREY TEACH-IN & H/CAP TOURNAMENT 5-6 December:

New venue: Wey House School, Bramley, Guildford,
Saturday will be a teach-in and Sunday will be a 4 round handicap tournament, see below.
Sat + Sun: BGA members £9, under 18s/DAPs £5.00, non-members add £1. After 2nd December add extra £2.
A 50% discount is offered to any individuals attending their first Go tournament.
Contact: Colin Williams, 70 Greenhill Way, Farnham, Surrey GU9 8TA, Te1, 0734-734254.

---THE TEACH-IN 5th December: Reg'n 10:20. Suitable for players from beginner to 1 kyu. Instruction by several dan players. Sat only : BGA members £4, under 18s/DAPs £2.50, non-members add 50p. After 2nd December add extra £2.

---THE HANDICAP GO TOURNAMENT 6th December: Registration to 10:30, 4 round Swiss Tournament, The draw aims for handicaps of about 4 stones, Optional 13 x 13 tournament, Sun only : BGA members £6, under 18s/DAPs £3.50, non-members add £1. After 2nd December add extra £3.

THE ASAHI 19TH LONDON OPRI GO CONGRESS 31st December to 3rd January:

The London Open is one of Europe's leading Go events, and a good opportunity to meet players from abroad, 8 round McMahon, Time limits 85 minutes plus overtime of 20 stones in 5 minutes, Komi 6½ points, In addition, a lightning tournament is planned for the evening of 30th December as a prelude, Location (as last year): Highbury Roundhouse Community Centre, 71 Ronalds Road, London N5, Continued overleaf...

Limited accommodation has been arranged, contact Harold Lee for details.

Congress fee; adults £18, under 18s and students £9.

This will be a no smoking tournament. Entries after 23rd December will be surcharged £5.

NB; A 50% discount is offered to any individuals attending their first Go tournament.

A New Year's Eve dinner is being organised at the local Chinese Restaurant (first 60 applicants only).

The cost will be £8.

Contact: Harold Lee, 11 Brent Way, Finchley, London N3 1AJ. Tel. 081-346-3303.

1993 SCHOOLS TRAN CHAMPIONSHIP

Sunday 10th January:

Saturday 13th February:

Contact: Simon Rudd 0628 35120.

FURZE PLATT

Furze Platt School, Furze Platt Road, Maidenhead. This will be a tournament for all players. No smoking. Registration by 10:00.

3 rounds, time limits of 60 minutes plus overtime. Flexible komi. Also 13x13 and team events. BGA members & overseas £4, British non-BGA £5, £1 for under 18s, unwaged and senior citizens. After 21st January add extra £1.50.

Contact: Sam Beaton 0628-32295 or Chris Dawson 0628-524427.

VANSTEAD

Location (as last year): Methodist Church Hall, Winchester Road, London E4. Registration to 10:30, 4 round MacMahon. Time limits 45 minutes sudden death. Concurrent 13 x 13 tournament. BGA members £4, non-BGA £5, under 18s £2.50. On-the-day charges are £6, £7 and £4 respec. NB, No Smoking. Contact: Alison Jones, 11 Briarview Court, Handsworth Avenue, London E4 9PQ. Te1.081-527-9846.

More details in the next newsletter. Contact: Phil Moody, Tel,0865-279913,

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: Note * = provisional, May change, so check nearer to the time,
West Surrey Teach-in (5 Dec), W. Surrey H/C Tournament (6 Dec), London Open (31 Dec-3 Jan),
Schools Team (10 Jan), Furze Platt (23 Jan), Wanstead (6 Feb), Oxford *(13 Feb), Cambridge (7 Mar),
Youth championship *(14 Mar), Coventry (21 Mar), British Congress & Norwich (2-4 Apr), Candidates (1-3 May),
West Wales (8 May), Bracknell *(15 May), Challengers (29-31 May), Leicester (19 June),
European & Prague (24 Jul-7 Aug), Isle of Man (15-20 Aug).
**** Please let me know about any changes or additions, or if provisional dates become firm, ***

... NEWS ...

The Council has approved the promotion to Shodan of: Chris Dawson, John McAnally and David Woodnutt,

As usual, the 1993 AGM of the BGA will be held during the British Go Congress. It will be on Saturday 3rd April at 19:30 at the University of East Anglia in Norwich. Please submit any <u>seconded proposals</u> to Tony Atkins by 31st December.

On Sunday 6th December at the West Surrey Tournament, the first match of the best of five British Championship series will be played by Champion Matthew Macfadyen and Challenger Edmund Shaw. There will be a commentary for spectators.

Matthew Macfadyen and Kirsty Healey won the British Pair Go Championship, and at the time of going to press are about to leave for Japan to represent Britain in the international event.

Swindon Club have changed their meetings from Tuesday to Wednesday evenings, Contact; Paul Barnard 0793 432856, There is a new Teeside Go Club meeting on Wednesday evenings, Contact; Simon Shiu 0642 534905,

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... BGA SUBSCRIPTIONS ...

BGA subscriptions for 1993 are now being accepted. Early completion is greatly appreciated as it considerably eases the work load on the Membership Secretary at the beginning of the year. A remittance advice is provided at the foot of the sheet for overseas and unattached members. Club secretaries will be contacted direct by Terry.

Rates: Overseas £8, Unattached £7,50, Unattached Student £3,50, Send to Terry Barker, address above,

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BGA SUBSCRIPTION REMITTANCE

Name:

Address:

Amount enclosed: Cheques should be made payable to the British Go Association