WEST SURREY HANDICAP TOURNAMENT: 5th December:
The winner with 4/4 was Jonathan Chetwynd (1d Central London). Other prize winners with 4/4 were: D. Molloy (9k Brighton), J. P. Kenton (13k Brakenhale), and T. Blockley (27k Malvern).
Players with 3/4 were: T. M. Hall (3d Bristol), T. Atkins (2d Reading), E. Grieg (2k Central London), R. Power (3k W. Cleverley (7k Bournemouth), Griffiths (16k Purse Platt), B. Brooks (19k Swindon), R. Tognand (16k Brighton), P. Bucket Pugh (24k West Surrey), and R. Dowling (35k Brakenhale).
Jonathan Chetwynd qualified for the 1994 Candidates’ Tournament.
The 13x13 competition produced three winners: Paul Bucket Pugh (most wins), Graham Brooks (highest %), and Thomas Blockley (most games).

THE RAPID TOURNAMENT: 30th December:
From the 90 entrants, first were Shuitai Zhang (6d UCL) and Matthew Cook (4d Manchester).
Other players with 3/3 were: W. Brakes (2d OU), H. Puttkammer (1k D), F. Eilull (4k Brakenhale), W. Streeter (4k CLC), K. Poggenklaus (6k D), D. King (14k Brakenhale), P. Bailey (18k W. Surrey), and D. Bennett (19k Culcheth).
The School’s TV prize was won by Culcheth with 78% (Brakenhale’s second and Purse Platt third).

THE LONDON OPEN: 31st December to 3rd January:
This event attracted 114 players and was won by Shuitai Zhang (6d UCL) with 6/8.
Second was Matthew Macfadyen and third was Matthew Cook with both with 6/8.
Prize winners with 7/8 were: D. Johanes (6k D), P. Diamond (12k), S. Wirth (17k D).
Other winners with 6/8 were: A. Grzeschenick (2d D), J. Pleit (1k NL), C. Brater (3k D), B. Nilsson (3k S), T. Halving (6k D), H. Lever (9k F), and F. Colson (10k F).
(As a note, they deny the British Grade, whores one wonders (or: what other editorial comment.)
A. Seiby and J. Lewis qualified for the 1994 Candidates’ Tournament.

LIGHTNING TOURNAMENT: 1st and 2nd December:
There were 37 entrants, and the winner again was Shuitai Zhang.
Second was Mark Hall and third was A. Grzeschenick.

PURSE PLATT: Saturday 15th January:
This tournament was sponsored by Hitachi Europe and attracted 86 players.
The winner was Matthew Macfadyen (6d Leamington).
Prize winners with 3/3 were: Bill Brakes (2d OU), Mark Cumper (2d Reading), Vincent West (1k Reading), Mrs. J. Sidd (4k CLC), Eddie Best (6k Maidenhead), John Bardney (12k Culcheth), Graham Brooks (19k Swindon), Thomas Blockley (25k Worcester), H. Liang (30k UCL).
The team prize was won by UCL with 66%.
The 13x13 was won by Paul Smith (1d Cambridge) and the runner-up was David Bennett (19k Culcheth).

SCHOOL 93 TOURNAMENT: Sunday 16th January:
This event was held at Brakenhale School and there were 29 entrants. The winners were:
Overall/Under 18: 1st Joe Beaton (Purse Platt), 2nd David King (Brakenhale).
Under 16: 1st David King (Brakenhale), 2nd John Bardney (Culcheth).
Under 14: 1st John Paul Kenton (Brakenhale), 2nd David Bennett (Culcheth).
Under 12: 1st Graham Brooks (Swindon), 2nd Emma Marchant (Brakenhale).
Under 10: 1st Tom Blockley (Worcester), 2nd John Eilull (u/a).
Under 8: 1st Sophia Eilull (u/a).
Players with 4/6 were: Katie Cox, Daniel Dowling, Jennifer Hughes, and Laura-Jayne Coe, (all from B’hale)
The Castledine Trophy team prize was won by Brakenhale with Purse Platt runners up.
The team Lightning was won by Culcheth with Brakenhale the runners up.

WANSTEAD: Saturday 5th February:
This tournament attracted 77 entrants, and was won on a tie break by Nick Webber (4d Leamington) with 3/4.
Prize winners with 4/4 were: Richard Arundale (6k Wanstead), Derek Molloy (6k Brighton), Thomas Wolf (13k Wanstead), and David Brisset (21k Brakenhale).
Prizes were also awarded to dan players with 3/4: T. Mark Hall (4d Bristol), Xiaohua Jiang (4d Cambridge), Des Cann (4d Leamington), and Alan Thornton (2d Stevenage).
The team prize was won by Cambridge N-2 (Rickard, Smith, Wainwright, and Warburton) with 11/16.
Qualifiers for the 1994 Candidates’ Tournament were: Dave Lorking, Alison Cross and Tony Warburton.
The 13x13 competition was won by Daniel Cox (11k Brakenhale).

--- NEWS FROM ABROAD --- (EFG=Fujitsu European Grand Prix Event)

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

IRISH OPEN HANDICAP TOURNAMENT: 13-14 November
The winner was David Wickham (9k Somerset) with 5/6. Second was Stephen Flinter (9k Dublin), and third was John Gibson (3k Dublin).

COPENHAGEN: (BGP)
1st was Shuitai Zhang (6d Chi), Ruslan Safiullin (6d Rus) was 2nd.

GOTENBURG: (BGP)
1st was Viktor Bogdanov (6d Rus), Shuitai Zhang (6d Chi) was 2nd, and Matthew Macfadyen (6d) was 3rd.

ZURICH: (BGP)
1st was Shuitai Zhang (6d Chi), Simon Butler won 4/5.

ESSEN: (BGP)
1st equal were Guo Juan (6d NL) and Zhao Pei (6d Chi).

FORTECOMING FUJITSU EUROPEAN GRANDS PRIX:
The list of tournaments for the 1994/95 season is:
Manchester (4-5 Sep), Copenhagen (18-19 Sep), Bucharest (1-3 Oct), Brussels (30-31 Oct), Gothenburg (13-14 Nov), Zurich (4-5 Dec), Essen (15-16 Jan), Prague (11-13 Feb), Vienna (11-13 Mar), Paris (2-4 Apr), Bled (SLO) (15-17 Apr), Budapest (29 Apr-1 May), Milan (7-8 May), Amsterdam (12-15 May), Helsinki (4-6 Jun), Warsaw (17-19 Jun), St. Petersburg (14-16 Jul), European Go Congress @ Maastricht (NL) (23 Jul-6 Aug).

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Here is the latest from our Japan correspondent, Brian Chandler:

Kobayashi Koichi thunders on; he held on to his sixth consecutive Meijin title in October by beating Otake 4-1. In the Kisei-sei, he now faces a long-awaited challenge from Cho Chi-kun. So far (end January) the score is 1-1.

In November Kato won the Oza title from Fujisawa Shuko 3-0, his first title for some time. Rihito turned his losses in the TopCool title (fifth in a row) to victory over Katakawa 3-1 in December.

At the top of the Konoichi league so far Yamashiro (4-1) is trying to repeat his challengership from last year, tying with Kataoka (4-1), a neck ahead of Komatsu (3-3=1). (The asterisk is a drawn triple-ko game, and the fact that it's written in the result table rather argues against it not being a result!)

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**FORCOMING EVENTS**

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

**CAMBRIDGE TRIGANTIUS TOURNAMENT**

**Sunday 27th February:**

Location: Memorial Hall, Woolards Lane, Great Shelford, Camb. Registration to 10:30, 3 round McMahon. Time limits 60 minutes plus 20/5 overtime. Also 10x13 and Team competitions. Fees: adult £5, unwaged/student/emer citizen £3.50, school pupils £2. On the day entry £1, non-BGA £1.

Contact: Paul Smith, 5 Bourne Road, Cambridge, CB4 1UF. Tel. 0223-563932.

**IRISH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Saturday 19th March:**

A 3 round McMahon competition to be held at the Royal Dublin Hotel, O'Connell Street, Dublin. A limited amount of free accommodation is available.

Contact: John Gibbon, 30 Lakelands Park, Terenure, Dublin 6W. Tel. Dublin 908779.

Gerry Mills (the defending champion) would like to help to co-ordinate arrangements for a party to travel from the UK to Dublin. Write to him (soon) at: 10 Vine Acre, Mommouth, NPS 3HW.

**27th Bournemouth Congress**

**6-10 April:**

Location: University of Warwick, Gibbet Hill Road, Coventry.

The British Lightning Go Championship will take place on the Friday at 19:30. Registration by 19:20.

The main tournament will be a 5 round McMahon with 1 hour time limits. Registration by 10:15 on Saturday. There will also be a team event.

Contact: Mike Lynn, Hillcroft, Barston, Solihull B92 0J2. Tel. 0675-442753.

**THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE BGA**

**9th April:**

This will take place as usual on the Saturday evening at the British Go Congress.

**THE EUROPEAN GO CONGRESS**

**23rd July-6th August:**

This year, the Congress is to be held at Maastricht in the Netherlands. I have not seen any entry forms yet, but no doubt they will appear soon. However, I have these contact names:

- Martin Finke, Boekestijn 18, 5633K Eindhoven. Tel. +31-40551156, and Frank Janssen +31-40424384.

I have the usual format: you can enter either the first week or the second week or both. There is also a separate weekend tournament on the middle weekend.

**THE US GO CONGRESS**

**6-14th August:**

This is to be held at the Marymount University, Washington, D.C. There are a group of players who plan to go. Contact Francis Roads (081 505 4381) or Andrew and Alison Jones (081 527 9846) for more information.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

Note # = provisional (may change, so check nearer to the time).

- Oxford (12 Feb), Cambridge (27 Feb), British Congress & Warwick (6-10 Apr), Candidates (30 Apr-2 May), Bracknell (22-24 May), Scotland Open & Edinburgh (28-29 May), Chalengers (30-30 May), Leicester (16 Jun), Birmingham (25-26 Jun), Bournemouth (2 Jul).

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

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**NEWS**

The Council has approved the following promotions:

- T. Mark Hall and Alistair Mall to 4 dan, Jim Lewis and Alison Jones to 2 dan, Marcus Bennett to 1 dan.

*From the Book Distributor:*

- We have been lucky enough to obtain a large number of old Go Worlds. There is not a complete set from No 1.
- Subscribers to Go World will be receiving No 69 which is the last in the current subscription. Apologies for the delay. We will not be taking further subscriptions as supply is not guaranteed. If further copies become available they will be advertised in the newsletter.

Publication services available from the BGA:

- Posters are now available in A2/A3 sizes. They are blank with a BGA border, suitable for announcements.
- Leaflets explaining the background to the game and its rules are available.
- The BGA will consider meeting half the cost of other promotional activities. Contact Alex Rix concerning these.

The new Bournemouth University Go Club meets at the University on Thursday evenings.

Tournament organisers who wish to use the BGA computer/boards/sets should contact Tony Atkins to make arrangements, and should also try to get to the previous tournament to collect them.

Andy Finch has moved to Hong Kong. I hope that his anecdotes from Korea will be replaced by a selection from Hong Kong.