Greetings from the Editor

This is our first BGA Newsletter to appear within the Journal. I plan to publish the Newsletters every six or seven weeks. The aim is to alert members to topical items, with web-links replacing the more detailed information in past Newsletters.

Future Tournaments

For the next six months, the Tournament Calendar (www.britgo.org/tournaments/index.html) features:

- Mind Sports Olympiad, Saturday 18th – Sunday 26th August
- Belfast – Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd September
- Northern Tournament, Sunday 9th September
- Cornwall Tournaments, Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th September
- Swindon Sunday 23rd September
- Shropshire, Saturday 29th September
- East Midlands, Sunday 14th October
- International Teams Autumn Match, Sunday 21st October
- Wessex, Sunday 28th October (provisional)
- Three Peaks Tournament, Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th November
- Edinburgh Christmas, Saturday 8th December
- London Open, Friday 28th – Monday 31st December

Tournament not yet decided: Coventry.

New Books

The GoGoD partnership of T Mark Hall and John Fairbairn is well known to British Go players for their GoGoD database and books. They have now branched into e-books and have recently announced their first two major titles for the Kindle – *The Life of Honinbo Shuei* and *Gateway To All Marvels*.


*Gateway To All Marvels* is a special edition of the 1347 Chinese classic Xuanxuan Qijing (or *Gengen Gokyo* by its Japanese name), which John describes as ‘…surely the most significant Go book ever produced. It has become the foundation for virtually every problem book since, as well as being the main source for early Go theory’. ✡