Welcome

Thank you for coming to the London Open.

The main event is a 7 round tournament and we ask you to attend and pay at registration. Please see the timetable opposite.

We play in the basement of the building where there is also a self service restaurant. Opening times are shown on the next page.

Catalin Taranu, professional 5 dan from Romania will be in attendance to provide lectures and game commentaries. Lecture times are shown in the timetable and he will be in the Nash room after rounds 3-6 to provide personalised commentaries on participants' games.

Apart from in the top group, where we expect players to play in all rounds, you may miss one or more rounds providing you inform us in advance. If you have to miss a round and have not informed us previously, please use the emergency telephone 07789 724 501

If you are prepared to act as a "ghost" - that is, someone who will only play if there would otherwise be an odd number - for one or more rounds, please speak to the Tournament Director.

This is a non smoking tournament and we request that you turn off mobile phones during play.

Timetable

Tue 27 18:00 - 22:00 Organisers in the Portland room or bar Wed 28 12:00 - 14:00 Registration 14:15 Announcements 14:30 Round 1 18:30 Round 2 Thu 29 10:00 Round 3 14:15 Round 4 18:30 Lecture 19:15 Pair Go Fri 30 10:00 Round 5 14:15 Round 6 18:30 Lecture 19:15 Lightning Sat 31 10:00 Round 7 13:30 Pack up 14:00 Game Commentary 14:30 Prize Giving 15:15 Rengo Tournament 19:30 New Year's Eve Meal 22:00 Games and drinks				
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ISH Bistro Opening Hours

Breakfast 7am-10am (8am on 31st)	
Lunch	12-2pm
Dinner	6-8pm

Rules

Playing time	90 minutes (20k+ 60 minutes)	
Canadian Overtime	20 moves in 5 minutes	
Komi	7½ points	
Handicap	McMahon difference -1 (if needed)	
System	Pass stones given, white passes last, territory scoring	

Prizes

Category	1st	2nd	3rd
Main	£250	£100	£50
Below the Bar	£100	£50	£20
10 kyu or weaker on entry	£30	£15	£5
Lightning	£60	£30	-
Pair Go	£60	£30	-
David Ward Prize	£50	-	-

Award certificates will be given to those with 4+ wins

Game record

	Board	B/W	Opponent	Result
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				

Go players may sometimes be found in the ISH bar, the



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