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BGA EQUIPMENT

Mark Cumper, the Tournament Co-ordinator, is checking up on all the BGA equipment that travels from one tournament to another. He would like to hear from all people or clubs who currently hold BGA equipment as soon as possible.

BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP

The challenger, Piers Shepperson and the Champion, Terry Stacey stand at 2-2 in the best-of-5 series.

OTHER TOURNAMENT RESULTS

London Open: at the Kenilworth Hotel. 162 participants from 15 European and Asian countries. Terry Stacey of CLGC with 8/8 won the first prize of £500 donated by Hoskyns Group plc. Sharing second place were Robert Rehm from Amsterdam and Hans Pietsch from Bremen.

RTP Handicap Tournament, Farnham: 42 Entries. Winner, Francis Roads, followed by Jim Clare, then Toby Manning.

Wanstead: 79 entrants. Won by Piers Shepperson (3/3) who beat Terry Stacey in the last round. Other prizes won by Oliver Schmidt, Hugh Williams, Paul Margetts, Colin Randall, Neil Cleverly, Stephen Whittam, Joseph Beaton and Geoff Kaniuk.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

FIRST WORLD OPEN GO TOURNAMENT

A new tournament has been instituted "to find the strongest player in the world". Entry places have been allotted to various regions. There will be a tournament to determine the European entrant in late February. Matthew Macfadyen and Piers Shepperson are likely to be in this preliminary tournament from the UK.

Trigantiusat Cambridge. 3 round MacMahon. Saturday 5 March. Exhibition Hall, Churchill College, Storey's Way. Contact Nick Main, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge.

Coventry Go Tournament at U of Warwick

Sunday 27 March 1988. 3 rounds. Contact Mike Lynn. 06755-2753.

Bracknell Go Tournament Saturday 14 May. 3 round MacMahon. Contact Bob Lyon, 27 Welbeck, Bracknell, Berks, RG12 4UQ.

1st Shrewsbury Go Tournament at The Gateway Leisure Centre. Go Ban trophy. Sunday 9 October. 3 round MacMahon. Contact Brian Timmins.

CLUB CHANGES

BASINGSTOKE: now meets at 8a Beaconsfield Rd, Thurs 7.30.

BOURNEMOUTH: new secretary, N Cleverly, 6 Swift Close, Creekmoor, Poole, Dorset.

BRADFORD: now meets at 16 The Oval, Allerton, Wed 7.30.

CAMBRIDGE: now meets in the Armitage Room, Queen's College, Mon 8pm in term. New contact address R Cannings, Trinity College.

NEW CLUB

RTP GO CLUB: R J Granville, 47 Hale Reeds, Heath End, Farnham, Surrey, GU9 9BN. Tel 0252-725138 (work), -711414 (home). Meets Mondays 7.30.

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