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NEWS IN BRIEF

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- **New Study Group:** An 'Online Study Group' is replacing the Shodan Challenge. Instead of a whole year's commitment, the sessions run for six weeks at a time, and players of any strength who wish to improve their Go-playing abilities are very welcome! The first session is now in progress, and there will to be other sessions in the future.

FUTURE EVENTS

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

Maidenhead-Hitachi, Saturday 18th January

Cheshire, Frodsham, Saturday 8th February

Irish Go Congress, Friday 14th – Sunday 16th February

European Youth Go Championships, Butlin's, Bognor Regis, Friday 28th February – Monday 3rd March.

British Go Congress, Butlin's, Bognor Regis, Friday 28th February – Monday 3rd March.

Trigantius, Cambridge, March (provisional)

Isle of Skye, Saturday 15th March – Sunday 16th March

Birmingham, April (provisional)

Welwyn Garden City, Saturday 26th April

Candidates' Tournament, May (provisional)

Bracknell, Sunday 11th May

Challengers' League, May (provisional)

Scottish Open, Glasgow, Saturday 24th – Sunday 25th May

British Pair Go Championships, June (provisional)

Durham, June (provisional)

Welsh Open, Barmouth, Saturday 21st – Sunday 22nd June

Milton Keynes, July (provisional)

UK Go Challenge Finals, July (provisional)