

BRITISH YOUTH GO CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday 9th November 2024

The 2024/5 British Youth Go Championships will be held at
Leicester Bridge Club, 67 St Oswald's Road, Leicester LE3 6RJ.

Leicester Bridge Club is in the north-west of the city, and is best approached from Junction 21a or Junction 22 of the M1. There is plenty of on-site parking.

Please let us know if you are coming by train, and we will try to arrange a pick-up from Leicester Station.

Registration will be from 9:15am to 9:45am and the first round will commence promptly at 10:00am. Prize giving should be completed by 5:00pm.

The entry fee is **£5 for BGA members or members of a BGA-affiliated Youth Go Club**, or **£10 for non-members** (to include membership of the BGA – complete a form on arrival), payable by cash or cheque on the day, and includes tea, coffee and soft drinks throughout the day. Please bring a packed lunch.

The British Youth Go Championship will be contested using a modified McMahon system. Titles are also awarded in six age-groups* (under 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18).

**The Youth Championship is open to any one under 18 on 31st August 2024. Ages on that date (i.e. School Years) determine age groups for championship purposes. For example, Years 2 and 3 are Under-8, Years 4 and 5 are Under-10, and so on. Players who are not British can still compete, but if you have not lived in the UK very long you may not be eligible to win a title.*

The organisers are keen to attract young players of all ages and strengths, and so beginners will be particularly welcome. Most games will be even games against players of similar level, apart from elimination games; later on they may be handicap, so that everyone has a chance of a prize. Beginners will be able to play in a separate 13x13 section.

Entries should be sent to Tony Atkins, Tel. 0118 9268143 or (better) via email (please include all the details requested below) to bygc@britgo.org. Closing date for entries: **6th November**.

For on the day 'emergencies' only, ring 07798 825299

ENTRY FORM FOR BRITISH YOUTH GO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024/5

Entrant's Name	Month / Year of Birth/.....
School/club	Not British but resident since (year)
Parent's name	Total number of accompanying adults
Contact Phone No.	Email address
Grade based on EGF rating	Estimated grade Beginner at Go?