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••• TOURNAMENT RESULTS •••

WANSTEAD:

72 players attended this 4 round tournament, for which the draw was done by Geoff Kaniuk's computer program. The overall winner was Des Cann (4d) with 3 wins. Prizes for 4 wins went to: P. Margetts (3k), Sheila Brooks (14k), M. Pryke (18k), and W. Brompton (22k). There were further prizes for 3 wins for: E. Shaw (5d), F. Roads (4d), W. Connolly (2d), T. Goodey (2d), Alison Jones (1d), Chris Wright (1d), S. Beaton (1k), G. Kaniuk (1k), W. Streeten (4k), S. Bailey (5k), E. Ashfield (10k). Alison Jones, Chris Wright and Sam Beaton qualified for the 1992 Candidates' Tournament. There were 2 prizes for the 13 x 13 competition: Simon Rudd with 12/14 and Edmund Shaw with 11/11. Wanstead (Roads, Alison Jones, Leedham Green, and Margetts) won the team prize with 75%

OXFORD:

The winner of the tournament was Alex Rix (4d Melior). Prizes for 3/3 were given to: J. Hobson (1d Bath), H. Huggett (2k Oxford), F. Ellul (4k High Wycombe), S. Silver (9k W. Surrey), D. Cox (17k Brakenhale), V. Devlin (30k Brakenhale). Prizes for 2½/3 went to Quentin Mills (2d U/A), and Arthur Somerville (9k Reading). The team competition was won by: Brakenhale Boys. Qualifiers for the 1992 Candidates' Tournament were: John Hobson and Hugo Huggett.

CAMBRIDGE:

84 players attended the Trigantius tournament, which was won by Edmund Shaw (5d Oxford). Prize winners were: A. Hornbuckle (1d Leicester), Yong Mao (3k Cambridge), A. Shepherd (4k Cambridge), D. Prior (5k Cambridge), H. Harvey (6k Chester), S. Silver (8k W. Surrey), V. MacFarren (14k F-Platt), P. Hankin (15k C'bridge), M. Fryers (17k C'bridge), W. Brompton (19k F-Platt), A. Pitchford (35k Chester). Brian Ellis and Tony Warburton qualified for the 1992 Candidates' Tournament. There were 2 prizes for the 13 x 13 competition, which went to: Paul Smith (1k Cambridge), and Anthony Hearn (18k Brakenhale). The "Berkshire Secret List" (Tony Atkins, Vicky MacFarren, Ben Beaton and Warren Brompton) won the team prize with 79.16%

BRITISH YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP:

This year's Youth Championship attracted 45 entrants, and understandably so. Apart from the prestige of winning, prizes to the value of over £100 were awarded. These included two free entries for the European Championships.

The overall winner and new British Youth Champion is Sam Beaton. The under-18 winner was Sam Beaton (1k Furze Platt) from Chris Dawson (2k Furze Platt). The under-16 winner was Jason Cheng (4k Stowe) from Greg Bailey (14k Guildford). The under-14 winner was Adalberto Duarte (10k B'hale) from Debbie Lakeman (10k B'hale) and Simon Brooks (19k Swindon). The under-12 winner was Anna Griffiths (30k Furze Platt). The under-10 winner was Graham Brooks (24k Swindon) from Felix Eve (34k Stowe). The under-8 winner was John Ellul (34k Brakenhale).

BRITISH LIGHTNING, NOTTINGHAM:

As usual, the Lightning Competition was held on the eve of the British Congress. Time limits were 12 minutes. The winner was Mark Hall with 6 straight wins. Francis Roads came second.

BRITISH CONGRESS, NOTTINGHAM:

The main tournament was won by M. Willems (2d NL) with 6/6. Other winners with 5/6 were: A. Wall (2d C. London), S. Shiu (1d Newcastle), D. Keeble (4k Edinburgh), H. Harvey (5k Chester), R. Langer (5k Cheltenham), M. Lambert (6k Nottingham), J. Hody (10k Bretby), B. Beaton (18k Furze Platt), and D. King (26k Brakenhale). More winners with 4½/6 were: D. Scholefield (12k York), and D. Cox (15k Brakenhale). Qualifiers for the 1992 Candidates' Tournament were Peter Yim and Simon Rudd. The team prize was won by Furze Platt. The 13 x 13 competition was won by Simon Brooks (18k, Swindon). The Terry Stacey Memorial Trophy for most wins above the bar in British Tournaments over the last year was won by Francis Roads. Clive Wright and Austin Dilks organised the congress which was attended by 99 players, and yet again Geoff Kaniuk's computer program coped admirably with the draw.

••• NEWS FROM ABROAD ••• (EGP=Fujitsu European Grand Prix Event)

PRAGUE (BGP)

First was Guo Juan (CHI) and second was Jurgen Mattern (D).

COPENHAGEN (BGP)

First was Alexei Lazarev (CIS) and second was Viktor Bogdanov (CIS).

VIENNA (BGP)

First was Alexei Lazarev (CIS) and second was Ruslan Saifulin (CIS).

FUJITSU EUROPEAN GRAND PRIX After 7 events:

(Brussels, Gothenburg, Geneva, London, Prague, Copenhagen, Vienna)

1.	Frank Janssen	(6d NL)	47.5	3.	Alexei Lazarev	(6d CIS)	40.5
2.	Guo Juan	(6d CHI)	42	4.	Viktor Bogdanov	(6d CIS)	36

Here is the latest news from our Japan Correspondent (Brian Chandler):

Kobayashi Koichi finally won the Kisei title match 4-3 against Yamashiro Hiroshi, winning the last game by ½ a point (19th March). Yamashiro himself said that he only dreamt of getting to seven games. Kobayashi keeps up the frenetic pace, currently leading the Honinbo league in a bid to be challenger.

Lee the Korean 17-year old wonder kid not only holds most of the Korean titles, but also keeps beating top professionals in international encounters, winning the Toyo Shoken Cup [BJC; no, I've never heard of it before either] 3-2 against Rin, and now beating Korean-born Cho Chikun in a television game.

Meanwhile Cho beat O Rissei to win the final of the NHK Television tournament (15th March). And Kato Masao retained his NEC cup title, beating Kobayashi Koichi (7th March).

Our Korea Correspondent (Andy Finch) sends more news of Lee:

Lee Chang-Ho, the 17 year old genius, has added another success to his career. He beat Lim Hai Pong (Chinese, but with the Nihon Ki'in) by 3-2, in the number 1 International Go Tournament in Korea, the Dong-Yang Securities Cup. This is the third time in succession that he has taken the title.

••• FORTHCOMING EVENTS •••

For further details of the overseas events, contact Tony Atkins or myself. Generally UK tournaments do not require entry on an entry form. If you do not have one, phone up for details.

FUJITSU EUROPEAN GRANDS PRIX. The remaining tournaments for this season are:
Budapest (1-3 May), Milan (16-17 May), Amsterdam (28-31 May), Hamburg (6-8 June), Helsinki (13-15 Jun), Warsaw (19-21 Jun), Volga Boat (1-7 Jul), Canterbury (25 Jul-8 Aug).

OTHER OVERSEAS TOURNAMENTS. Here are some more dates:
Munich (2-3 May), Cologne (13-14 Jun), Kaiserslautern (20-21 Jun), Kiel (27-28 Jun), Redwoods Go Camp (US) (18-25 Jul), US Go Congress @ Salem, Oregon (1-9 Aug), Bratislava (15-16 Aug), Svetlogorsk (21-28 Aug).

COVENTRY

Sunday 26th April:

New location: Midland Sport Centre, Cromwell Lane, Tile Hill, Coventry. Registration to 10:15.
3 round MacMahon, Fees: BGA £4, non-members £5, juniors £2. Late entries after 23/4 +£2.
Buffet lunch can be ordered up to 17/4 at £3.75.

Contact: Mike Lynn, "Hillcroft", Barston Lane, Barston, Solihull, W. Midlands, B92 0JZ. Tel. 0675-442753.

BRACKNELL

ENTRY FORMS ENCLOSED

Saturday 9th May:

Location: ICL, Lovelace Road, Bracknell. Registration by 10:15.
3 round MacMahon, Time limits 60 minutes + overtime. Also a 13 x 13 h'cap tournament with a prize.
Fees: adult £3.00, 16 or under £1. British non-BGA +£1. After 3th May +£2.00.
Food will not be available, and a packed lunch is strongly recommended.
Entry to: Bob Lyon, 28 Welbeck, Bracknell, Berks, RG12 4UQ. Tel. 0344-55615.

EDINBURGH

17th-18th May:

Contact David Keeble for more details. Home: 0875-21932 or Work: 031-650-4571 / 4575.

LEICESTER

ENTRY FORMS ENCLOSED

Saturday 20th June:

Location: The Church Hall, Church of the Martyrs, Shaftesbury Road, Leicester. Registration by 10:15.
NB, Smoking and alcoholic drinks are NOT allowed on the premises.
3 round MacMahon, Time limits 60 minutes plus 30/5 overtime.
Advance entry fees: adult £4, under-18/snr citizen £2. British non-BGA +£1. On the day: £7.
Regrettably, lunch will not be provided this year. Contact: Eddie Smithers, address above.

36th EUROPEAN GO CONGRESS (EGP)

25th July to 8th August:

Location: Grimmond Building, University of Kent, Canterbury.
The Congress is a two week event with a weekend tournament in the middle. You can, alternatively, come for just one week or for the weekend only. The main tournament is a 10 round MacMahon with one game per day in the morning, and with Wednesdays free. The middle weekend is for a separate 5 round tournament. The planned side events are: Europe v Asia match, Computer Go tournament, Team Lightning, 13x13 tournament, Rengo, Individual lightning, 9x9 tournament, Shogi tournament, Liar dice, songs, etc. JAL have kindly donated a free ticket to Japan. This will be awarded by a random draw from all players of shodan strength or stronger who win 6 games or more in the main event.
NB: *REDUCED PRICES* These supercede those stated in the entry form, thanks to re-negotiated terms.
Congress fees: All events £60; Excl. weekend £50; Weekend only £15; One week £25; one week plus weekend £35; Players under 18 and full-time students may deduct 50% from congress fee.
A deposit of 25% is payable on entry, and the balance on arrival.
A 10% discount is offered for full payment received by 26th May.
A 10% surcharge will be applied to entries received after 8th July.

Various accommodation options. Check for details.

* REVISED* Self-catering houses cost: £9 per night, minimum 5 nights

Contact: Andrew and Alison Jones, 11 Briarview Court, Handsworth Avenue, Highams park, London E4 9PQ.
Tel. 081-527-9846. Additional contacts: Tony Atkins, Alex Rix and Harold Lee.

COMPUTER GO AT THE EUROPEAN CONGRESS: 27th to 29th July

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Note * = provisional. May change, so check nearer to the time.

Coventry (26 Apr), Candidates (2-4 May), Bracknell (9 May), Edinburgh (17-18 May), Challengers (23-25 May), Ladies Championship (13-14 Jun), Leicester (20 Jun), European Congress @ Canterbury (25 Jul-8 Aug), European Weekend Tournament (1-2 Aug), Northern *(5-6 Sep), Milton Keynes (19 Sep), Shrewsbury (4 Oct), Bournemouth (7 Nov), Birmingham *(22 Nov), West Surrey Teach-in *(5 Dec), W. Surrey H/C Tournament *(6 Dec).
*** Please let me know about any changes or additions, or if provisional dates become firm. ***

••• NEWS •••

At the AGM on 11th April, President, Secretary and Treasurer were all re-elected unopposed. The other members of the Council are now: Alex Eve, Andrew and Alison Jones, Simon Rudd, and David Woodnutt.

David Woodnutt, in his role of Publicity Officer, would like people to send him (address below) any Go related cuttings from newspapers or magazines that they find.

The European Team Tournament will be held in Romania on the weekend of the 3rd/4th October. Any strong players wishing to compete please contact Tony Atkins.

An appeal has been made for donations to two worthwhile causes in connection with the European Congress:

Firstly to assist young players from this country with their expenses, enabling more to enter. Send to the Susan Barnes Trust c/o Francis Roads, 61 Malmesbury Road, S. Woodford, London E18 2NL. Tel. 081-505-4381.
Secondly, to assist East European players who cannot afford, or cannot get the currency to attend. Send to the BGA, c/o Tony Atkins.

No venue has yet been found for the 1993 British Go Congress. Would anyone interested in hosting this please contact Tony, who will be happy to advise on requirements and organisation.

Tony has acquired various items left behind at tournaments, if anyone would like to claim them, please contact him: Blue Scarf, a Cuddly brown teddy bear (!), a Test your Go Strength book, and a Go Proverbs book.

A request for a pen friend has been received from Masao Mori, a 4 dan amateur in Japan. He would like to correspond with someone interested in Go, to exchange information, and possibly play by mail. His address is: 1-10-23 Motomachi, Tsujidou, Fujisawa-shi, 251, Japan.

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