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RESULTS

2001 London Mind Sports Olympiad

Go medal winners in the 5th London Mind Sports Olympiad were as follows:

Event	Gold	Silver	Bronze	(Entries)
Main	Matthew Macfadyen	Seong-June Kim	Alex Selby	(28)
Lightning	Seong-June Kim	Piers Shepperson	Francis Roads	(17)
Youth	Shawn Hearn	Adam Eckersley-Waites	Tom Eckersley-Waites	(4)
13x13	Hasashi Sugiyama	Francis Roads	Seong-June Kim	(8)
Rapid	Seong-June Kim	Alex Selby	Francis Roads	(14)
Pair Go	Sylvia Kalisch & Seong-June Kim	Jackie Chai & Francis Roads	Natasha Regan & Alex Selby	(7 pairs)
Beginners (no medal event)	Bruce Birchall, Jeremy Fraser-Mitchell, Charles Kerr			

Go players also won in other games, e.g. Matthew Selby Bronze in the Decamentathlon.

British Go Championship

The title Match was played at the Mind Sports Olympiad. The challenger Young Kim played the reigning champion Matthew Macfadyen for best-of-five. Matthew won the match 3 games to 1 so only four games were required, but congratulations too to Young Kim, who is the only person to win a game against Matthew in the title match in the last five years.

Northern, Manchester, 1st - 2nd September

55 players attended the Northern. T.Mark Hall (4 dan) was the winner with 5 wins and a jigo (draw). Second was Huddersfield's Min Yang (4 dan) with 5 and third was Piers Shepperson (5 dan) with 4.5. Next placed on 4 wins were David Ward (4 dan Cambridge), Ruud Stoelman (2 dan Bradford), Andrew Morris (1 kyu Lancaster) and Mike Cockburn (1 kyu St Albans). On 5/6 was Steve Bailey (3 kyu West Surrey) and 6/6 was Philip Ackland-Ward (8 kyu Barmouth). Martin Cook (10 kyu York) was the best double figure kyu with 4 wins

Milton Keynes, 16th September

63 players attended. Matthew Macfadyen (6 dan Leamington) was the winner with 3 out of 3 wins. Second was Francis Roads (4 dan Wanstead) and third Bill Brakes (3 dan Milton Keynes), both on 2 wins. Other players to win all 3 games were: Natasha Regan (1 kyu Epsom), Helen Harvey (1 kyu Manchester), Edward Blockley (2 kyu Worcester), Matthew Selby (3 kyu Epsom), Richard Mullens (5 kyu St Albans). The side-event was unusual and interesting. This was Go played on a map of Milton Keynes.

Penzance, 29th - 30th September

Winner of the Lightning Handicap was Roger Daniel (2k London) who won 4 out of 5 games. 2nd was Eddie Smithers (1d Leicester) also with 4 wins. Toby Manning (3d Leamington) and Tig Deal (14k West Cornwall) tied for 3rd place with 3½ wins.
 Main Tournament, 22 players. 1st was Alistair Wall (4 dan Wanstead) who won all 3 games. Tim Varley (12 k West Cornwall) also won 3 games, and Jake Finnis (17 kyu West Cornwall) won 2½.

Stacey Tournament after Penzance

1st on 14 points: Matthew Macfadyen. 2nd equal on 10: Toby Manning, Francis Roads and David Ward.

Youth Grand Prix - after Penzance

1st: Paul Blockley (20 kyu Worcester) on 968 points. 2nd Lasse Jakobsen (15 kyu Epsom Downs), 920. 3rd Ian McAnally (8 kyu Manchester), 862.

Wanstead 6th October

There were 53 players. Seong-June Kim (6 dan) was the winner, and E.Bonsma (9 kyu Ipswich) also won all 4 games. Prizes for 3 wins went to: Dave Ward (4 dan Cambridge), T.Mark Hall (4 dan Bristol), Mike Charles (2 dan St. Albans), Alan Thornton (2 dan St. Albans), Weed (1 dan Billericay), Brian Brunswick (1 kyu Epsom), Niall Cardin (1 kyu Oxford), Jane Aspden (1 kyu Wanstead), Howard Sykes (10 kyu), Claudio Bartolini (12kyu Bristol), Paul William Smith (14 kyu Hastings) and Brian Kelly (15 kyu Epsom).

NEWS

11th September Disaster Spares US Go Players

From the American Go E-Journal: "Every so often comes a reminder that go is, among other things, a worldwide community," reports American Go Association President Roy Laird, who lives and works in New York City. "Last week, in the wake of the devastation in New York and Washington, go players from around the world checked with their American friends. We American go players would like to thank all our friends around the world for your support and concern. For those who may still be worried: as far as we know, no American go player was hurt or killed in the terrorist incidents."

Promotion Council has approved the promotion of David Ward to 4 dan.

Club Updates since the latest British Go Journal No. 123 Summer 2001 and the August 2001 Newsletter

Birmingham Contact is Eike Ritter E.Ritter@cs.bham.ac.uk 0121-244-0982 (was Kevin Roger)

Cambridge University & City Tuesdays during University terms, from 19.30, The Erasmus Room, Queens' College, (was King's College)

Cambridge Chess & Go Club Fridays from 19:30, term-time only

Canterbury James Collier The Watermill Littlebourne Canterbury Kent CT3 1QJ ☎ 01227-721269 skylarkjames@hotmail.com

Central London Go Club Saturdays (except bank holidays) at the Crosse Keys Pub, 9 Gracechurch Street, London EC3 V ODR. The hours are now 12:00 to 19:00

Cheltenham Meets Tuesdays (was Wednesdays)

Dublin Noel Mitchell's email address is noel@ovation.ie

Penzance A new West Cornwall Junior Go Club has just started. Contact Tim Varley ☎ (01736) 332348.

Swindon New email address for David King: swindongo@ntlworld.com

New books (member prices): Cross Cut Workshop (Hunter) £7.50, Masterpieces of Handicap Go Vol 1 & Vol 2 £13.50 each.

Cancellation There is no Swindon Tournament this year.

FORTHCOMING

Go Friendship Matches: Alteration to original plan, various locations, Saturday 20th – Saturday 27th October

Event: A team of Japanese amateur players were going to be visiting the UK and playing friendship matches against various teams. This has now been cancelled, but the professionals Magari and Haruyama are still coming. So there will still be some sort of go-related events at these clubs on these days. If you are interested in taking part then contact the respective club secretary.

Details: Saturday 20th October, Central London Go Club, Geoff Kaniuk ☎ 020 8874 7362. geoff@kaniuk.demon.co.uk
Sunday 21st October, London Nippon Club, Mr Tanaka. gokichi@tanaka.co.uk
Monday 22nd October, Cambridge, Charles Matthews. charles@sabaki.demon.co.uk
Tuesday 23rd October, Bristol, Simon Shiu. simon_shiu@hp.com
Thursday 25th October, Oxford, Niall Cardin. niall.cardin@corpus-christi.oxford.ac.uk
Saturday 27th October, Central London Go Club, Geoff Kaniuk ☎ 020 8874 7362. geoff@kaniuk.demon.co.uk

Wessex, Sunday 28th October

Location: Marlborough Town Hall
Event: 4-round, even game competition, 50 minutes with overtime 30 stones in 5 minutes followed by 60 in 5 minutes. Optional 13x13
Contact: Simon Shiu, 2 Barley Croft, Westbury On Trym, Bristol BS9 3TF. simon_shiu@hp.com ☎ 0117 962 8907 (before 9.30 pm)

Three Peaks, Saturday and Sunday 10 – 11 November

Location: The Marton Arms Hotel, Thornton-in-Lonsdale, Carnforth, Lancashire
Event: 5-round McMahon, with 3 games Saturday and 2 on Sunday.
Contact: Toby Manning, 7 Oak Tree Close, Leamington Spa, Warws. CV32 5YT. ☎ 01926 888739 toby.manning@ntlworld.com

West Surrey Teach-In and Handicap, Saturday and Sunday 1 – 2 December

Location: Burpham Village Hall, Guildford.
Event: Saturday: Teach-in for kyu players of any level, given by dan players. Sunday: 4-round Handicap Tournament
Contact: Pauline Bailey, 27 Dagley Farm, Shalford, Guildford, Surrey GU4 8DE ☎ 01483 561027 pab27@compuserve.com

London Open, Friday 28th – Monday 31st December

Location: International Students House, 229 Great Portland Street, London W1W 5PN
Event: 8 round MacMahon tournament. 90 minutes time limit with 20 stones in 5 minutes overtime. 6½ komi. Part of the Toyota European Go Tour. Sponsored by Toyota
Contact: Geoff Kaniuk, 35 Clonmore Street, London SW18 5EU. ☎ 020 8874 7362. geoff@kaniuk.demon.co.uk

Maidenhead-Furze Platt, Saturday 20th January 2002

Location: Hitachi Europe Head Office at Whitebrook Park, Lower Cookham Road, Maidenhead
Event: Three round McMahon style tournament, 60 minutes plus overtime of 30 stones in 5 minutes. Flexible komi will apply with players bidding to play black.
Contact: Chris Dawson, 21 Eltham Avenue, Cippenham, Berkshire, SL1 5TQ Chris_Dawson@bigfoot.com
Queries: Eddie Best ☎ 01628 483967 best@vfree.com

Isle of Man, Sunday-Friday 18th-23rd August

Location: The Falcon's Nest Hotel, Port Erin, Isle of Man
Event: Main tournament, 5 round McMahon. 90 minutes time limit with 20 moves in 5 minutes overtime. Afternoon tournament and assorted other events and social activities.
Contact: Steve Jones, 9 Eastfield, Douglas, Isle of Man, IM1 4UR ☎ 01624 624680 info@iomgo.ork.uk

PROVISIONAL

Kisei Title Match, London, live relay with commentary, and professional teaching, (10-11 Jan). **British Youth Go Championships**, Nippon Club, London (12 Jan) Simon Goss, see below. **Cheshire Open** (9 Feb) Tony Atkins, see below. **Oxford** (Feb) Niall Cardin niall.cardin@corpus-christi.oxford.ac.uk **Trigantius Cambridge** (3 Mar) Selby, Alex Selby alex@archduke.demon.co.uk **British Go Congress**, Edinburgh (22-24 Mar) Donald MacLeod mailto:dmacleod@epsedin.co.uk

OVERSEAS

Belgrade Friday-Sunday (19-21 Oct). **Italian MSO, Milan** (6-9 Dec). **Barcelona** (23-24, Feb); **Paris** (29-31 Mar). **European Go Congress** Zagreb (20 Jul – 3 Aug)

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