Shropshire Go Tournament Hinstock, North Shropshire Saturday 20th September 2014

Basics

The Shropshire Go Tournament will be held on Saturday 20th September 2014 at Hinstock Village Hall, TF9 2TE. It will be a three round McMahon tournament with a mystery problem set to do in the breaks and an associated brief answer/teaching session between rounds 2 and 3.

Tournament details

The tournament will be 3 rounds, run using the McMahon system, with time limits of 55 minutes, and then severe overtime (100/5). Komi will be 7. Prizes will be awarded to those winning 2.5 or 3 games and a mystery prize.

Approximate Timetable:

Registration: 10:00 – 10:20

Round 1: 10:30

LUNCH served from about 12:30 (not while games still going)

Round 2: 13:20

Review of mystery problem set 15:40-16:10

Round 3: 16:15 Prize giving: around 18:15

Following the tournament, there will be a meal in a local restaurant.

Refreshments

Free tea/coffee throughout. Lunch offered on the premises will be homemade at reasonable cost. Within a stone's throw is the local pub, village shop, sports ground and fishing pool.

Entry

Please pre-register by using the online booking system. Any questions to roger.huyshe@btinternet.com

Fees: All payment should be made on the day by cash or cheque only. BGA members: £10. Concessions (unemployed, students): deduct £3. Non-BGA players: add £3. Entry on the day, add £5.

Accommodation

Details of local accommodation are available on request. Some overnight accommodation is also available in the home of a local go player; please contact the organiser for details.

Directions and Parking

Parking is plentiful and free. Hinstock lies between Newport and Market Drayton, just off the A41 Wolverhampton-Chester trunk road. The event will be held at the Village Hall, adjacent to the Post Office in the centre of the village. Public transport options are difficult, so best to ask via Gotalk for a lift, perhaps from a station, the nearest being Telford, Stafford and Crewe in that order. Emergency telephone on the day is 07771 881939