

BRITISH YOUTH GO CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday 1st December 2018



Organised by the BGA and supported by DeepMind

The 2018 British Youth Go Championships will be held at King Edward VI (Aston) School, Frederick Road, Aston, Birmingham, B6 6DJ.

The school is east of Birmingham's centre, not far from Aston Hall and Aston Villa football ground and is just two minutes drive from Junction 6 of the M6. Take the A38(M) Aston Expressway and leave at the first exit. At the roundabout, head west on Victoria Road. Turn right at the first lights and then right into Albert Road. At the end turn left and left through the school gates where parking is available.

The entry fee is £5, payable on the day. 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.

N.B. Tea and coffee will be provided for adult helpers (and their chauffeurs!), but otherwise **all participants are asked to bring with them drinks for the day and 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 school team with the best performance will win the **Castledine Trophy**.

*The Youth Championship is open to any one under 18 on 31st August 2018. 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 beginners will be particularly welcome. Most games will be even games against players of similar level, but later on they may be handicap, so that everyone has a chance of a prize, including beginners.

Entries should be sent to Tony Atkins, 37 Courts Road, Earley, Reading, RG6 7DJ (Tel. 0118 9268143) or via *email* (please include all the details requested below) to **bygc@britgo.org**

For on the day 'emergencies' only, ring 07826651796

ENTRY FORM FOR BRITISH YOUTH GO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

Name Month / Year of Birth/.....
School/club Not British but resident since year
Contact Phone No. Email address
Grade based on EGF rating Estimated grade
I'm a beginner at Go I've played quite a bit but don't have a grade