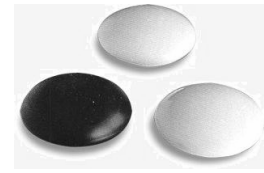


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The Israeli GO Congress

The Second Israeli GO Congress and Annual GO Championship for adults and youth, will be held during 30.11-2.12.2006

Join the GO celebration, happening for kids youth and adults.

MIND GO Club from Rosh Ha'Ayin is hosting the event.

Venue: Matnas Lev Afek, 1 Neve Afikim street, Rosh Ha'Ayin, Israel.
Under the auspices of Matnas and Rosh Ha'Ayin municipality.

Main tournament:

Six round Swiss McMahon system, Sixty (60) minutes main time + 20 stones/10 min Byoyomi time.

Komi is 6.5.

Schedule:

Thursday 30.11.2006

15:00-18:00 Registration
18:30 Opening ceremony with Ambassadors and mayor
 First round
 Display of drawings submitted to painting contest

Friday 1.12.2006

09:00 Second round
12:30 Annual General meeting
14:00 Third round
18:00 Fourth round

Workshops: throughout the day

Saturday 2.12.2006

09:00 Fifth round
13:30 Sixth round
18:00 Prizes and closing ceremony

Workshops: throughout the day.

Costs

Participants in Championship (above 18 y.o.)	– 200 nis
Participants in Championship (ages 12-18 y.o.)	– 100 nis
Participants in Championship (below 12 y.o.)	– 40 nis
Workshops (per day)	– 50 nis

Rules

1. European Go Federation Tournament rules:

2. General Japanese Rules

3. Israeli Go Association Rules:

Participant who wishes to take handicap – considered forfeit.

Participant who does not show up to game on time: Clock is started, no appearance after 30 min – considered forfeit .

Anyone who knows he will miss a round must notify organizer in advance.

Tournament director is highest authority for any dispute.

Workshops:

- Introduction to go lectures
 - Learning "Ponnuki Go" the capture game
 - Playing 9x9 and 13x13 games
 - Simul games with senior players
 - Cartoons
- * Workshops begin about 1 hour after round start

Accommodation

Kibutz Nachshonim – Nachshonit

A room (up to 4 persons): ~250nis per night, i.e. 4 people in same room – 62.5nis per person per night.

Room includes small kitchen with coffee and tea accessories, TV, Air-condition, Minibar, Towels and Sheets, Sower place and toilet.

For reservations contact Inbal: 052-3686955 or 03-9386535/452.

Food and grocery:

- Bereshit - Bar Caffe, Tal center, Rosh Ha'Ayin. Tel: 03-9011687
- Kibutz Einat commercial centre – Coffee bar, Supermarket, Steakhouse, Bowling). Coffee bar & Supermarket open on Saturday.