

8x8 Ratings

The British 8x8 Rating List *maintained by David Haigh*

Current British players' ratings after the 2008 Cambridge Christmas Friendly Tournament

	games	rating		games	rating
1 Graham Brightwell	963	1823	18 Crichton Ramsay	66	1371
2 David Hand	39	1759	19 Stephen Rowe	266	1332
3 Michael Handel	552	1757	20 Roy Arnold	1104	1327
4 David Beck	114	1754	21 Aidan Robison	85	1289
5 Imre Leader	782	1752	22 Julian Richens	127	1278
6 Joel Feinstein	465	1680	23 Robert Stanton	191	1242
7 Geoff Hubbard	575	1650	24 Wai-Mond Kong	7	1195
8 Paul Cook	7	1600	25 Dan Jacobs	7	1137
9 Iain Barrass	641	1588	26 Martainn Ramsay	13	1129
10 Guy Plowman	428	1575	27 Yvette Campbell	96	1080
11 Ian Turner	617	1557	28 David Haigh	559	1035
12 Jeremy Das	308	1503	29 Ali Turner	126	1002
13 Ben Pridmore	368	1487	30 Adelaide Carpenter	244	964
14 Jeremy Dyer	261	1461	31 Jon Woolfson	7	777
15 Phil Marson	941	1441	32 Robert Calladine	35	678
16 George Ortiz	64	1419	33 Tani Turner	28	576
17 Steve MacGuire	29	1411	34 Kali Turner	69	561

2009 European Grand Prix Schedule *communicated by Geoff Hubbard*

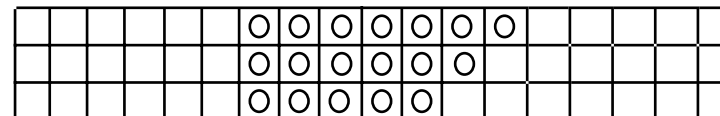
Italian E.G.P.	(Rome)	10th and 11th of January
British E.G.P.	(Cambridge)	28th of February and 1st of March
German E.G.P.	(Köln)	14th and 15th of March
Spanish E.G.P.	(Barcelona)	21st and 22nd of March
Dutch E.G.P.	(Alkmaar)	4th and 5th of April
Danish E.G.P.	(Copenhagen)	2nd and 3rd of May
Swedish E.G.P.	(Stockholm)	23rd and 24th of May
Polish E.G.P.	(Gdansk)	20th and 21st of June
Belgian E.G.P.	(Gent)	1st and 2nd of August
French E.G.P.	(Paris)	29th and 30th of August
Czech E.G.P.	(Prague)	26th and 27th of September

(To be confirmed: There may also be a Norwegian EGP in 2009 possibly also in August!)

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INFORMATION

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2009 Regional Tournaments*compiled by Roy Arnold*

14th March -- LEICESTER (OADBY) Start 10:00 AM
 Venue: Oadby Baptist Church, Leicester Road, Oadby, Leicester
 Contact: Steve Rowe srowe@zaurak.org.uk

18th April -- LONDON Start 10:00 AM
 Venue: The Bath House PH, 96 Dean Street, Soho, London
 Contact: David Beck umbungo__dave@hotmail.com

2nd May -- CAMBRIDGE Start 9:30 AM
 Trinity College, Blue Boar Court, Wolfson Seminar Room (either the North one or the South one). This Regional will be held in conjunction with the Cambridge Mind Sports Olympiad.
 Contact person: Adelaide Carpenter atc12@mole.bio.cam.ac.uk
 though someone else (probably Aubrey) will run the tournament.

13th June -- FARNBOROUGH (HANTS) Start 9:30 AM
 Venue: Elles House, 4b Invincible Road, Farnborough
 Contact: Ian Turner ian.turner@romseyassoc.com

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Contact: Ben Pridmore zoom_zoom_ben@yahoo.co.uk

Further details about the above and other tournaments are on the BOF website: <http://www.britishothello.org.uk/tournaments.html> and further details will also be posted on the British_Othello emailing list (to join if you're not already a member, send an email to British_Othello-subscribe@yahoogroups.com; it helps if you say who you are! To read postings on the web go to http://games.groups.yahoo.com/group/British_Othello/; you can also join the mailing list from there, blue buttons).

European Grand Prix: Cambridge

Saturday, February 28-Sunday March 1, Lubbock Room, Peterhouse. Play begins at 10 AM on Saturday and at 9 AM on Sunday. Contact person: Adelaide Carpenter atc12@mole.bio.cam.ac.uk
 Someone else, possibly Aubrey, will be in charge.