

# The Auckland Go Club

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## The 2009 Auckland Open Go Championship



July 4 – July 5 2009

### SCHEDULE

#### Saturday 4 July

**9:00** Registration  
**9:30** Round 1  
**12:00** Lunch  
**12:30** Round 2  
**15:15** Afternoon Tea  
**15:30** Round 3  
**18:30** End of play – Evening social  
function, to be advised.

#### Sunday 5 July

**9:30** Round 4  
**12:00** Lunch  
**12:30** Round 5  
**15:15** Afternoon Tea  
**15:30** Round 6  
**18:30** Presentation of Prizes

*Clocks will be started punctually at the commencement of each round.*

### VENUE

Systems Advisory Services Ltd (SAS) 520 Great South Rd, Greenlane.

Parking and entrance are on Woodbine Street

### CONTACTS

Colin Grierson, phone (09) 532 9996 Home or (09) 580 8745 Work  
Du Shiyong, phone (09) 534 5619 Home or (09) 539 7611 Work

Please advise Colin or Du if you will be attending the tournament. Especially if you need transport from the airport or billeting!

Payment and registration will be done on Saturday morning. Please have your registration form ready.

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### 2009 Auckland Open – Registration Form (Part 1)

Name ..... Home Tel .....

Address ..... Day Tel .....

..... (if different)

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Either: Best Club rating in last six months  
or other ranking if not a club member .....

or estimated strength (beginner, played a few games, world champion, etc.)

Do you require billeting? Y / N  
If yes, please indicate any peculiarities of diet or habit. e.g. smoker, pure carnivore, etc.

## RULES

NZ rules will be in use throughout the tournament.

Time limit: 1 hour 15 minutes per player plus 30 second byo-yomi.

Black's clock will be started at the time scheduled for the round.

The release rule will be strictly adhered to. That is, once the stone is placed and released it cannot be moved.

## DRAW CONSTRAINTS

### Open Division

All players will start with an opening McMahon score of 0.

Winners advance their score by 1 point.

### Handicap Division

The initial starting rank will not change with game results. However, estimated ranks may be varied at the discretion of the tournament director.

### Unranked Players

Unranked players will be permitted to register in the handicap division only at the discretion of the director.

### Both Divisions

No player is to have more than 1 bye.

Whenever possible, players shall not be paired more than once and pairing of players from the same club will be avoided.

## PRIZES

Cash prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in the open division.

Non-cash prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the handicap division.

The Club will use all profits for prizes in an effort to encourage entries.

Top place-getters in the Open Division will be awarded WAGC points, subject to being fully paid up members of the NZGS and NZ permanent residents.

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

The main social event will be after play on Saturday.

Details will be provided at the tournament, but please note there may be a small cost involved.

## REGISTRATION FEES

Division	
Handicap	\$25
Open	\$20

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## 2007 Auckland Open – Registration Form (Part 2)

Flight No. and Arrival Time (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

If you cannot supply flight details now, the onus is on you to supply them in time to be met.

What Tournament Division are you entering?      Open / Handicap (circle one)

Are you a paid up member of the NZGS?      Y / N

How much money is enclosed? \_\_\_\_\_

Cheques should be made payable to: The New Zealand Go Society

Please forward registration forms and fees to :      Colin Grierson

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