

Invitation letter

To someone who may concern :

This is Hangzhou Branch of China Qiyuan. From 26th October to 31st October, China' s biggest amateur Go tournament "Shanglv Cup International City Go Tournament" Will be held in Hangzhou, China. We sincerely invite you to represent your country to attend this banquet.

Please allow us to introduce some basic information of this tournament first:

1. This is the only tournament in China that players can get rank certification issued by China Go Association. Details are as below:

Place	Rank
1	Professional or Amateur 7d
2-9	6d
10-49	5d
50-119	4d
120-209	3d
210-309	2d
310	1d

2. This tournament has high prizes. Details are as below:

Place	Prizes
1	60,000 RMB
2	30,000 RMB
3	20,000 RMB
4	10,000 RMB
5-6	5,000 RMB
7-8	5,000 RMB
9-16	2,000 RMB
17-32	1,000 RMB

There are also high prizes for female, Children and many other groups. Please reply us if you need specific information.

3. In order to encourage more foreign Go Players to participate in, we decide to undertake your entire accommodation fee staying in our 5-star hotel. Besides, if you need the pick-up service, please inform us your flight/Train number early so we can arrange a driver for you.
4. Along with the main tournament, we also have 6 other interesting tournament, which are: 13 by 13 line tournament, Male Doubles, Female Doubles, Male & Female Mixed Doubles, Family Doubles and Children' s Tournament (Below 10 years' old). All these tournaments are separated with the main tournament so you do not

need to worry about the time conflict. These entire tournaments also have high prizes up to 10,000 RMB (First Place).

5. This whole Go tournament (including main tournament and other tournaments) is under the main structure of the biggest Go festival (the 4th China Go Culture Exposition). Besides the tournament, you may see Vanished Go boards on the "Go Culture Artworks Auction" and fantastic research papers about Go Culture on "the 4th International Go Culture Conference". Anyway, we believe that you will not come in vain.

After the brief introduction of this tournament, here are the boring but important tournament rules:

1. Each Side has one hour without overtime. Exceeding one hour will be judged as loss. Arriving late more than 30 minutes will be judged as loss.
2. All players will be divided into Group A and B to play totally 9 rounds. Once a player loss 5 games he/she will be knocked out. When finishing all 9 games, the play from Group A will play the player in Group B with the same place to decide the final place. The winner has 2 scores and the loser has 0.
3. The group place will be judged by the results of all players from the certain province/country. If the result is a draw (less possible

though), there will be a rematch.

Finally, the registration deadline is 30th September, so please reply us as soon as possible so that we can prepare early for your journey. Attached are detailed regulations for the tournament. Whenever you have enquiries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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Best Regards

Hangzhou Branch of China Qiyuan

Appendix 1: Regulations for the Main Tournament

Appendix 2: Regulations for the Other 6 Tournaments

Regulations for the Main Tournament

Competition:

1. The game uses the latest rules of competition issued by Chinese weiqi association.

Rankings and reward

1. Team classifications take top 6.

①Men's group

Champion: 25000 Yuan

Runner-up: 12000 Yuan

Third place: 8000 Yuan

Fourth place: 5000 Yuan

Fifth place: 5000 Yuan

Sixth place: 5000 Yuan

②Women's			group
Champion:		15000	Yuan
Runner-up:		10000	Yuan
Third	place:	6000	Yuan
Fourth	place:	3000	Yuan
Fifth	place:	3000	Yuan
Sixth place: 3000 Yuan			

2.Men' s individual take top 32, women' s individual take top 6, when female player get mixed competition ranking , the bonuses can be accumulated.

①Men' s			individual
Champion:	60000		Yuan
Runner-up:		30000	Yuan
Third	place:	20000	Yuan
Fourth	place:	10000	Yuan
Fifth	place:	5000	Yuan
Sixth	place:	5000	Yuan
Seventh	place:	3000	Yuan
Eight	place:	3000	Yuan
9	to	16:2000	Yuan

17 to 32:1000 Yuan

②Women' s

individual:

Champion: 10000 Yuan

Runner-up: 5000 Yuan

Third place: 3000 Yuan

Fourth place: 1000 Yuan

Fifth place: 800 Yuan

Sixth place: 600 Yuan

Class declaration

	Rank	Declaration level
Final	Champion	Professional 1 dan or Amateur 7 dan
	2 th -9 th place	Amateur 6 dan
	10 th -49 th place	Amateur 5 dan

Cost:

1. No entry fee for this competition.
2. All participants are responsible for their own accommodation and transportation. The organizing committee to provide room for contestants by email reservation, Due to the limited availability of the rooms, reservations will be accepted in orders. Accommodation fee per person per day 120 Yuan, The organizer will provide the subsidies accordingly. Single room 300 Yuan/per day.

Schedule

Date	Morning	Afternoon	Evening	Remarks
26 th October (Wednesday)	Check in Address : China Qiyuan- Hangzhou Branch			Lobby Tianyuan tower
	Team leaders' meeting 16:30-17:30			4th floor Meeting room
27 th October (Thursday)	First round 9:00- 11 : 00	Second round 13:00- 15:00		Competition Room : 5th floor Qian Xi Room
		Third round 15:30- 17:30		
28 th October (Friday)	Fourth round 9:00--11:00	Fifth round 13:00--15:00		
		Sixth round 15:30--17:30		
29 th October (Saturday)	Seventh round 9:00--11:00	Eighth round 13:00-15:00		5th floor Qian Xi Room
30 th October (Sunday)	Ninth round 9:00—11:00	Final 13:00-15:00	Closing ceremony 18:00	5th floor Qian Xi Room
31 th October (Monday)	Departure			

Regulations for the Other 6 Tournaments

Competition:

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Rankings and reward

13way、men' s double、women' s double、Mixed doubles、parent-children group、children group take top 6.

13way group :

Champion:	5000	Yuan
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Runner-up:	3000	Yuan
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Third	place:	2000	Yuan
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Fourth	place:	800	Yuan
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Fifth	place:	600	Yuan
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Sixth place: 500 Yuan

Duo group :

Champion:	10000	Yuan
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Runner-up:	8000	Yuan
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Third	place:	6000	Yuan
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4-6 place: 3000 Yuan

Children group :

Champion:	10000	Yuan
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Runner-up:	5000	Yuan
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Third	place:	3000	Yuan
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Fourth	place:	1000	Yuan
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