

- PAIR GO in 1st World Mind Sports Games Beijing

## ● OUTLINE (tentative)

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### WMSG Pair Go Event Schedule

**Elimination Rounds** Monday October 13<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>

**Final KO Rounds** Thursday October 16<sup>th</sup> and Friday October 17<sup>th</sup>

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The **Elimination Rounds** will be held among 16 pairs invited by Japan Pair Go Association and 24 pairs participating on voluntary basis, totaling 40 pairs. These 40 pairs will be divided into 4 groups of 10 pairs each and play full round robin of 9 matches in 3 days.

Two top pairs in each group proceed to the Final Rounds on 16th and 17th. In case of a tie, it will be broken by draw.

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The **Final Rounds** will be a single knock-out matches among 16 pairs, 8 amateur pairs from the Elimination Rounds and 8 professional pairs, 2 each from Japan, China, Korea and Chinese Taipei.

In case amateur pairs from China, Japan, Korea and Chinese Taipei proceed to the Final, in match drawing they will be seeded as to not to be in the same bracket. There will be two matches on 16th and semi-final, final and play-off for third place on 17th.

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**VENU: National Convention Center (Beijing, China)**

# Details of the Elimination Rounds

- Monday 13th to Wednesday 15th October 2008
- Total 40 pairs, 16 pairs invited Japan Pair Go Association and other 24 pairs
- Rules: even match, 6.5 Komi, 45 minutes with no additional times, Pair Go Rules by JPGA

This Chart is a sample.  
/ decided by draw

| Group A      | Group B      | Group C      | Group D        |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| CHINA        | JAPAN        | KOREA        | CHINESE TAIPEI |
| CZECH        | FRANCE       | HUNGARY      | UNITED KINGDOM |
| RUSSIA       | GERMANY      | THAILAND     | MONGOLIA       |
| CANADA       | COLOMBIA     | NEW ZEALAND  | SOUTH AFRICA   |
| VOLUNTARY 1  | VOLUNTARY 2  | VOLUNTARY 3  | VOLUNTARY 4    |
| VOLUNTARY 5  | VOLUNTARY 6  | VOLUNTARY 7  | VOLUNTARY 8    |
| VOLUNTARY 9  | VOLUNTARY 10 | VOLUNTARY 11 | VOLUNTARY 12   |
| VOLUNTARY 13 | VOLUNTARY 14 | VOLUNTARY 15 | VOLUNTARY 16   |
| VOLUNTARY 17 | VOLUNTARY 18 | VOLUNTARY 19 | VOLUNTARY 20   |
| VOLUNTARY 21 | VOLUNTARY 22 | VOLUNTARY 23 | VOLUNTARY 24   |

By invitation of JPGA

This chart is a sample: will be decided by draw on October 12th

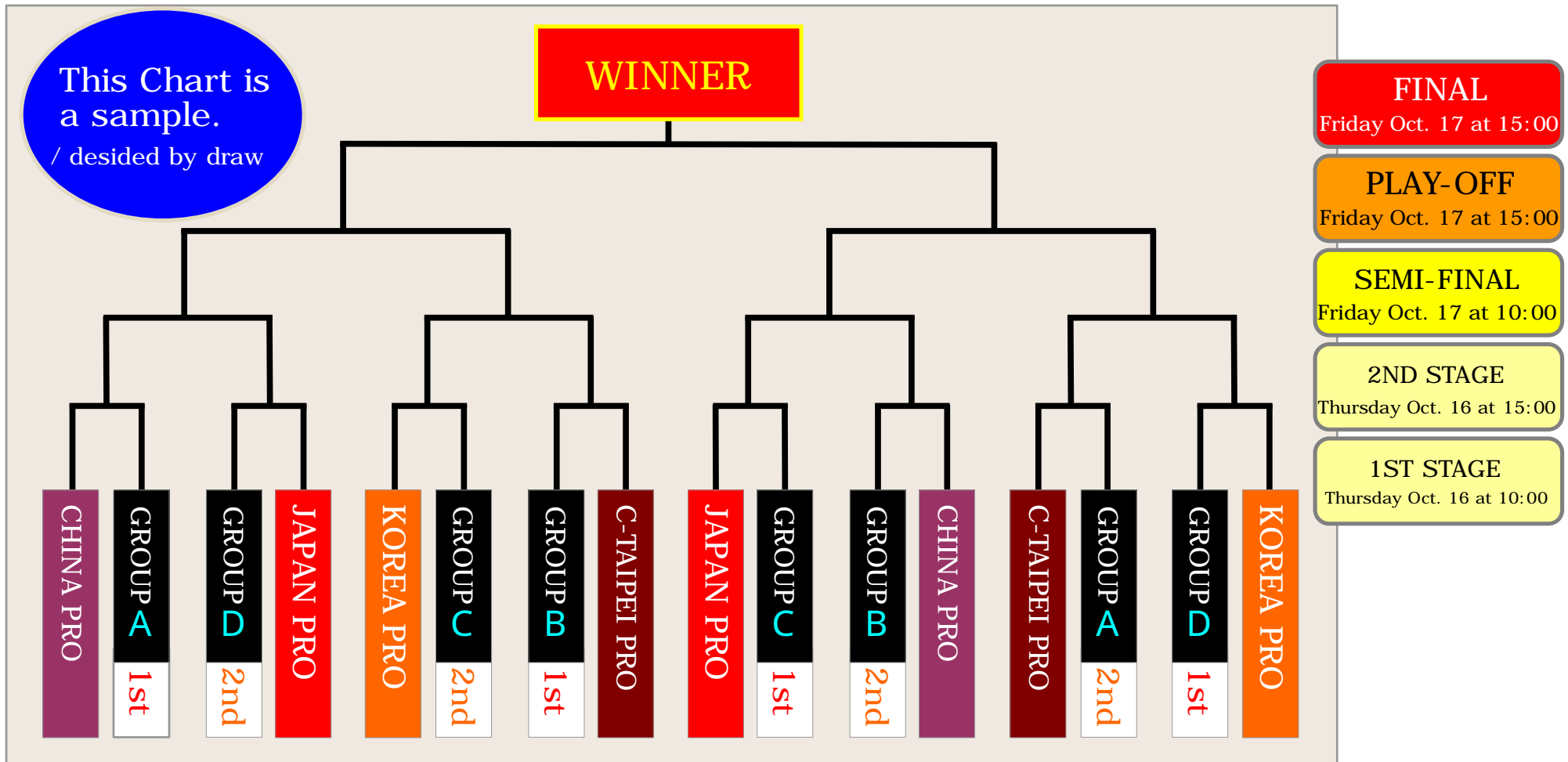
Voluntary Pairs

Argentine/Armenia/Azerbaijan/Belarus/Bosnia-Herzegovina/Bulgaria/Finland/Guatemala/Hong Kong/Israel/Italy/Lithuania/Netherlands/Norway/Panama/Portugal/Romania/Serbia/Singapore/Slovakia/Spain/USA/Ukraine/Vietnam

Match Schedule... [Day1]13th(Mon)Match1 to 3 [Day2]14th(Tue) Match4 to 6 [Day3]15th(Wed) Match7 to 9 Full Round Robin Qualification for the Final... 2 top pairs from each group will proceed to the Final (tie-break by draw)

## Details of the Final

- Thursday 16th and Friday 17th October 2008
- 8 professional pairs and 8 amateur pairs from the Elimination Rounds, Total 16 pairs
- Rules: even match, 6.5 Komi, 60 minutes with 3 30-second additional times and 30-second byo-yomi, Pair Go Rules by JPGA



**FRIENDLY MATCH**

The special friendly matches will be held on 12th October at Beijing International Convention Center.

Let's enjoy the friendly match pairing with players from all over the world and the officials from the Chinese Organizing Committee

Photos from 18th International Amateur Pair Go Championship 2007



# WMSG Pair Go Event Schedule

| Schedule      |                  | 4 Sat | 5 Sun | 6 Mon | 7 Tue | 8 Wed | 9 Thu | 10 Fri | 11 Sat | 12 Sun | 13 Mon | 14 Tue | 15 Wed | 16 Thu | 17 Fri | 18 Sat |
|---------------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| GO<br>Pair Go | Men's Team       |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|               | Women's Team     |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|               | Men's Individual |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|               | Women Individual |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|               | Open             |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|               | Pair Go          |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

Friendly Matches and Draw

Elimination Rounds

Final Rounds

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## THE 1ST WORLD MIND SPORTS GAMES



The World Mind Sports Games are organized by International Mind Sports Association (IMSA), which was inaugurated in 2005 by 4 international mind sports associations of Go, Chess, Bridge and Draught for the promotion of Mind Sports under the aegis of the General Association of International Sports Federations (GAISF).

WMSG will be held following the Beijing Olympic Games in August, the Paralympics in September using the Olympic facilities under the full support from the Chinese Government.



EVENT: The 1st World Mind Sports Games

DATES: October 3 to 18, 2008

VENUE: Beijing International Convention Center

DISCIPLINES: Bridge, Chess, Draught, Go, Xiang Qi





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World Mind Sports Games Site Beijing

- ▶ The Event will be held in the heart of the 2008 Olympics site, in the National Convention Centre
- ▶ The total building area is 534,000 sq.m, among which 270,000 sq.m is allocated to the convention centre and 264,000 sq.m to auxiliary facilities.
- ▶ The Convention Center comprises : 27,999 sq.m conference space, 8,813 sq.m convention offices, 31,346 sq.m exhibition area, 76,030 sq.m commercial space and an additional 125,812 sq.m which includes parking, areas and equipment stores.
- ▶ In the auxiliary area, hotels cover 84,673 sq.m and office buildings cover 95,808 sq.m.



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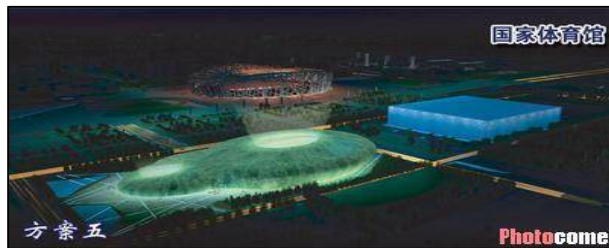
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Olympic Park Overview

National Convention Center



National Gymnasium



National Swimming Center



National Stadium



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National Convention Center - global



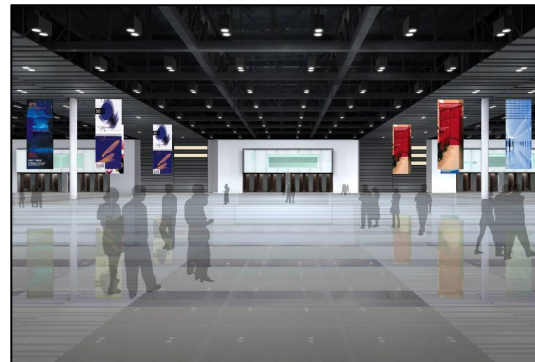
Interior Street



Banqueting Hall



Auditorium Interior



Exhibition Hall



Conference Hall

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Facilities around National Convention Center



Five-star Hotel



Overnight view



Auxiliary Facilities



Convention Hotel



Daytime view



Meeting Room