

## „DADUHUI Cup“ 5th Silk Road International City Weiqi Invitation Tournament

Information sheet for participants from Europe

Hosted by: Chinese Weiqi Association, Xi'an Publicity Department, Yanta District Municipal People's Government

Organized by: Yanta District Bureau of Culture and Sports, Xi'an Go Federation

Co-organizer: Xi'an Qiyuan, Ge Yuhong Go Academy

Support Advisory: European Go Federation, Tsinghua Weiqi Foundation

Date: **from 17 August to 22 August 2018** (arrival and departure)

Place: **Xi'an, China**

The tournament offers 30 seats to European participants. Applicants must be 3 dan or stronger and native to a member country of the [European Go Federation](#). If the number of applicants exceeds 30, participants will be decided by EGD rating.

Registration will be done in teams of 3 players. If you do not have another 2 teammates, you can still register and I will find two more individual participants to join your team. Deadline for application is **25 June**.

Participation fee: 2.000 RMB per 3-person team (667 RMB per player)

All costs (except getting to Xi'an and back) will be covered by the organizers, including accommodation (hotel double-room), meals and a day-trip.

Prizes (for individual players):

1st place	60.000 RMB
2nd place	30.000 RMB
3rd place	15.000 RMB
4th place	8.000 RMB
5th place	5.000 RMB
6th place	3.000 RMB
7-8th place	2.000 RMB

Additional awards for top 6 teams.

Financial traveling support: **500 US dollars for top 10 European players** (decided by maximum rating from 1 April to 25 June). (This is the same as two years ago!)

Tournament rules: 8 rounds Swiss tournament, Chinese rules, 50 minutes + 2 times 10 seconds byo-yomi.

Fee for additional non-playing person: 2.200 RMB (includes accommodation in double-room, meals and day-trip).

If you want to stay in a single room, there is an additional charge of 260 RMB per day.

Please note that **registration is binding**, so only register if you are sure to come. (Of course, you can still voice your interest before confirming your registration.)

The organizers can send you an **invitation letter** if you need one for **visa application**. In this case, tell me your passport name, passport number, birthday, dates of issue and expiration, and, in case it's important for you, the institution where you will apply for visa. Please supply this information before the deadline **25 June**. (We understand that EGC participants will need to get a visa before the EGC, so the organisers will hand out invitation letters a few days after the registration deadline.) When all is done and well, tell me your arrival and departure time and the flight or train number, so the organisers can pick you up.

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