

General Information

Family Name: _____

Given Name: _____

AGA No. and Rank: _____

Sex: _____

Address: _____

City and Zip: _____

Country: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Birthdate (if under 18): _____

If under 18, name of the responsible
registered adult: _____

Playing in the US Open? Yes No

Is this your first US Go Congress? Yes No

Registration (Circle One)

Adult: _____ \$260

Youth (22 and under): _____ \$130

Non-Player: _____ \$50

[AFTER JUNE 1ST: +\$50, JULY 1ST: +\$100]

Housing (Circle One)

Double-Suite: (Single) _____ \$480

Double-Suite: (Double) _____ \$240

Traditional Dorm: (Single) _____ \$432

Traditional Dorm: (Double) _____ \$216

Early housing needed? THU FRI \$45/ea

Preferred Roommate: _____

Special Needs: _____

Meals/Parking (Circle If Wanted)

Meal Plan: \$225 Banquet: \$30

On-Campus Parking (weekly pass): _____ \$18

Mason Account - Internet Access: _____ \$25

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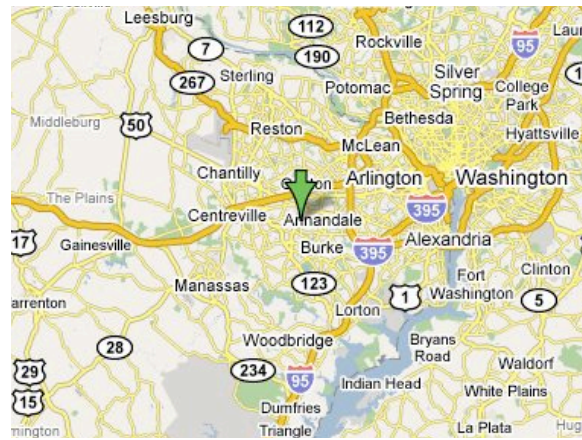
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2009 US GO Congress Attendee

AUGUST 1-9, 2009
WASHINGTON, DC

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Play Go In The Nation's Capital

The George Mason University – Northern Virginia Go Club (GMU–NOVA), in association with the American Go Association, invites you to join hundreds of fellow go enthusiasts in celebrating the 25th annual US Go Congress. You will enjoy the best of go in America with a full week of tournament play, game review, and learning new go skills.

Major tournaments during the week include the 6–round **US Open**, the **North American Ing Master's Championship**, and the **Redmond Cup** for the youth. Other tournaments available to all registered players include the **9x9**, **13x13**, **Lightning Go**, **Pair Go**, **Crazy Go**, and more.

There will be over a dozen professional players from around the world to provide lectures, game reviews, private instruction, and simultaneous games.

Keep an eye out for announcements concerning some very special guests.

Exploring GMU and Washington

George Mason University, named for one of our Founding Fathers, is located on 677 beautiful acres in Fairfax, VA, roughly 15 miles from the White House. GMU, recently named the top up-and-coming university in America, will provide a wonderful setting for our Silver Anniversary congress.

For those wishing to explore Washington, DC and the surrounding area, the National Mall is just 55 minutes away by public transportation. One of the nicest aspects of visiting the nation's capital is that so much is free and accessible by the metro.

Generally, the weather is warm and sunny with occasional thunderstorms. The highs average 86F with lows of 69F.

Wednesday tours will include excursions to many of the most popular destinations such as the Smithsonian Museums, Mount Vernon, Arlington National Cemetery, historic Annapolis, Maryland, Civil War historic sites, and more. There will also be the opportunity for a group outing to a Washington Nationals baseball game.

The two closest airports to GMU are Dulles International Airport (IAD) and Reagan National Airport (DCA). Shuttle service will be available on arrival and leaving days. Amtrak service is also available through Union Station and then the Metro to the Vienna–GMU Orange Line station.

Accommodations

Two styles of dormitory rooms are available. Double–Suites where each pair of rooms share a bathroom and Traditional dorms where a common large bath/shower room is shared on each floor.

All rooms are air–conditioned and laundry facilities are available in each building.

Parking will be available on campus with the purchase of a weekly pass.

Registration and Pricing

Congress registration is \$260 for adults and \$130 for youths (22 and under). The meal plan is \$225. The banquet is \$30.

Register online or by filling out the form on this brochure and mailing it and a check made out to **AGA – US GO Congress** to:

2009 US GO Congress Registration
c/o Sam Zimmerman
925 Lindsay Lane
Lancaster, PA 17601–6622

Congress Contacts

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