Board Games Group Report by Andy Lecomber

A quintet of Qwirklers assembled at Sue's to try a game new to all but one.

Qwirkle is a kind of board-less, letter-less version of Scrabble that uses tiles printed with six kinds of shape in six different colours; these are laid on the playing surface in straight lines with a view to creating runs of different shapes or colours. A single point per tile is scored for each run thus newly created, with a bonus applied for a full set of six tiles — the eponymous 'Qwirkle'. The simple rules make for a fast-paced game that is both easy to learn and fun to play, but requires a combination of both luck and strategy to win.



The next meetings will be on Monday 14th August (for Rummikub) and 11th September, so get in touch if you fancy playing something new or would like to introduce us to your own favourite game!