

Board Games Group – Report by Jane Kenwright

It was a very wet afternoon outside, but a record eight players enjoyed a fun session getting to grips with the game of Rummikub. Two groups of four settled in, once Andy had briefly run through the rules. It is an easy to learn, fast paced game, which is similar to Rummy but played with tiles not cards. The “board” changes all the time as players adjust the tiles on the table, so you certainly have to think fast, which was more of a challenge for some of us than others! It combines luck and strategy with players taking turns placing numbered tiles in runs and groups. Each round ends when one player gets rid of all their tiles. The other players must total the value of their remaining tiles. The winner is the player with the lowest score at the end of the session of play. Our scores ranged from an astonishing 11 to 117, with Annie and Sue proving clear winners.

The next meeting will be on 11 September, so please get in touch if you'd like to join us. You don't need to know how to play any of the games as all of the games have been new to some each time.



