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*If the training is easy
the match will be hard,
but if the training is
hard the match will be
easy.*

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National Tournaments

The Kent U16 Open tournament was held in Gillingham on Saturday 20 May and a strong contingent of Surrey players and, in particular, Swifts members entered.

Rachel Daw progressed to the semi-final of the girls' singles consolation competition (equivalent to the Plate at the Jubilee Tournament) and Nicole Brown and Hannah Thompson got to the quarter-final of the girls doubles consolation competition

James Buffham managed to win the boys' singles and boys' doubles and was runner-up in the mixed doubles.

Photographs of nearly all the Swifts in action can be seen on the Action Photography website at www.actionphotography.co.uk/gallery.asp. If you look carefully you can see some more of them among the spectators.

Surrey Tournaments

An entry form for the Surrey U18 tournament can be downloaded from the Surrey website (linked from the Swifts website). It has been rescheduled for 23 July at the Ebbisham Club in Epsom.

Local Tournaments

There was considerable Swifts success at the Berkshire Bonanza this weekend. Jamie Ellis won the U15 boys' singles and doubles events (playing with a pool partner) and Kerri Scott won the U13 girls' singles.

Terence Fisher, Tom Frew and Craig Scott all got to the knockout stages of the U15 boys singles, as did Ryan Tinslay in the U13 boys' singles.

In addition, Tom and Craig got to the knockout section of the boys U15 doubles, as did Terence and Jamie Kong.

The Westgate Centre in Winchester held a string of graded tournaments for the half-term holiday this week and several Swifts members entered.

Michael Daw won the U15 tournament on Tuesday, while Edward Thomas made it to the semi-final.

James Buffham was runner-up in the U18 boy's doubles event on Thursday.