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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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Summary

The U18 mixed team played at home in the Surrey League to Coulsdon & Purley on Saturday and lost 2-6.

The U14A boys' team defeated Mayflower away in the ACDBL by 210-109.

There were other matches played this weekend but I have not yet received the score sheets.

Next Swifts Session

Don't forget that, because of the ACDBL doubles tournament, there is no session on 17 November. The next session is, therefore, on 24 November.

National Tournaments

The girls' doubles final of the Harlow BE U17 Bronze JC was played (at a Surrey U17 squad session) this Wednesday evening. Hannah Thompson and her partner narrowly defeated Justine Walker and Kirsty Walker

Hannah also got to the quarter-final of the girls' singles event at the same tournament.

County Matches

Jamie Ellis was part of the Surrey U17 team that defeated Kent 16-4 in the Shires League this Saturday.

Swifts Teams for Matches

Please remember, when you have committed to a Swifts team manager that you will play in a match, you must make sure you actually **do** get to the venue on time and **don't** let the rest of the team (and the team manager) down. Much worse is when you don't turn up at all. In the past couple of weeks we have seen disruptive examples of both problems.

Surrey Tournaments

Jamie Ellis was boys' doubles runner-up in the Surrey U17 grade A tournament on Sunday, while Ellie Crossley & Jenny Nurse were runners-up in the girls' doubles. Hannah Thompson was runner-up in the mixed doubles.

Hannah and Justine & Kirsty Walker were all semi-finalists in the girls' doubles, while Tom Frew was a semi-finalist in the boys' doubles and so too was Jenny Nurse in the mixed doubles.

Justine Walker & Jamie Ellis, Ellie Crossley & Tom Frew and Kirsty Walker all made the quarter-finals of the mixed event.

In grade B (for non-county players), Terence Fisher and Nuriyah Haleem won the mixed event, while Nuriyah Haleem & Ellie Kerns were runners-up in the girls' event.

So, all-in-all, a successful day for Swifts members.

Local Tournaments

The U10s and U14s played their half of the ACDBL doubles tournament this Sunday. I've heard nothing of the U10s, but we had considerable success in the U14s.

Ryan Tinslay & Gilly Thomas were runners-up in the grade A mixed event, while Jessica Ledermann & Gilly Thomas were runners-up in the girls' A grade.

In the B grade Max Lafferty & Claire Calder were the mixed winners, beating runners-up Chris Bryan and Danielle Meme in the final.

In the girls' B grade, Claire Calder & Danielle Meme were the winners.

ACDBL Match Results

Location: Lightwater **Date:** 10 Nov 2007 **Opposition:** Mayflower
Result: Lost 109 - 210 **Away** **U14A Boys**

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|-------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Swifts | Ryan Tinslay | Michael Bratt | Aaron Phelan | Max Lafferty |
| Opposition | Thomas Thorp | George Saunders | Matthew Aldrich | Christopher Newman |

| Home Players | | Score | | Away Players | |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Thomas Thorp | | 9 | 21 | Ryan Tinslay | |
| George Saunders | | 12 | 21 | Michael Bratt | |
| Matthew Aldrich | | 14 | 21 | Aaron Phelan | |
| Christopher Newman | | 11 | 21 | Max Lafferty | |
| Thomas Thorp | George Saunders | 9 | 21 | Ryan Tinslay | Michael Bratt |
| Matthew Aldrich | Christopher Newman | 19 | 21 | Aaron Phelan | Max Lafferty |
| Thomas Thorp | Matthew Aldrich | 6 | 21 | Ryan Tinslay | Aaron Phelan |
| George Saunders | Christopher Newman | 8 | 21 | Michael Bratt | Max Lafferty |
| Thomas Thorp | Christopher Newman | 12 | 21 | Ryan Tinslay | Max Lafferty |
| George Saunders | Matthew Aldrich | 9 | 21 | Michael Bratt | Aaron Phelan |
| | | 109 | 210 | | |

Surrey League Match Result

Location: Lightwater **Date:** **Opposition:** Coulsdon & Purley
Result: Lost 2-6 **Home** **U18S Mixed**

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|-------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Swifts | Richard Bolt | Bill Thisdell | Rachel Daw | Natasha Graham |
| Opposition | Michael Dunn | Jonathan Pontin | Clare Stodart | Karen Erskine |

| Home Players | | Score | | Away Players | |
|---------------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------------|---------------|
| Richard Bolt | Rachel Daw | 21 | 14 | Michael Dunn | Clare Stodart |
| | | 12 | 21 | | |
| Bill Thisdell | Natasha Graham | 19 | 21 | Jonathan Pontin | Karen Erskine |
| | | 13 | 21 | | |
| Bill Thisdell | Natasha Graham | 12 | 21 | Michael Dunn | Clare Stodart |
| | | 9 | 21 | | |
| Richard Bolt | Rachel Daw | 15 | 21 | Jonathan Pontin | Karen Erskine |
| | | 21 | 14 | | |
| Richard Bolt | Natasha Graham | 19 | 21 | Michael Dunn | Karen Erskine |
| | | 17 | 21 | | |
| Bill Thisdell | Rachel Daw | 21 | 15 | Jonathan Pontin | Clare Stodart |
| | | 21 | 17 | | |
| Richard Bolt | Natasha Graham | 16 | 21 | Jonathan Pontin | Clare Stodart |
| | | 14 | 21 | | |
| Bill Thisdell | Rachel Daw | 17 | 21 | Michael Dunn | Karen Erskine |
| | | 17 | 21 | | |
| | | 2 | 6 | | |