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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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Match summary

It was the final weekend of the season and we didn't manage to add to the record-equalling eleven ACDBL divisions we had already won, despite some big wins.

The U16 boys' B team kicked off the weekend by playing away to Eagles on Friday evening and losing 134-207 which meant that the team lost its chance of winning the second division. Since all the other teams have matches still to play and it is very close, any of the other three teams can still win the division, and Swifts B can finish in any position except first.

On Saturday the U10 unisex A team played at home to Streetswater and won 168-95, which leaves the Swifts B team in the runners-up spot in the division.

The U12 mixed A team played away to Yateley Hawks and won 163-118 to finish the season undefeated.

The U14 boys' A team couldn't move out of second place despite beating Yateley Hawks 204-142 away.

The u14 mixed B team lost at home to Bourne by 100-168.

The U16 mixed A team finished the season unbeaten by winning 154-125 away to Clandon.

International representation

Samodani Wijetunge played for the England U15 team (remember, she is still an U13) in the home countries quadrangular tournament this weekend. The England team finished as runners-up and Samodani reached the quarter-final of the girls' singles in the individual event before losing to the top seed, and also reached the last 16 of the mixed doubles.

County representation

Stirling Burrow and Holly Weston played for the Surrey U15 2nd team in the Shires League on Sunday, beating Middlesex. William Manners played in the Surrey U15 1st team that defeated Berkshire on Saturday.

Isabel Phillips, Nicholas Pipe, and Sam Williams all played in the Surrey U12 team that won the invitational octagonal county tournament in York on Saturday.

National circuit results

Nicholas Pipe won the boys' doubles in the Yorkshire U12 Open on Sunday.

By winning the boys' doubles and the mixed events at the Kent U16 Open on Saturday, Ollie Thompson joined in what is fast becoming a club tradition when he became the third Swifts boy in the last six years to win multiple events in the Kent U16 Open.

SSBA club team tournament

Sunday brought the first of two weekends of the SSBA club team tournament and saw the U11 B grade, U13 A grade, U15 B grade and U18 A grade events contested. Swifts were the defending champions in all these categories. Could they hold on to these titles? Find out by reading the full details which can be found later in this newsletter, together with team photos.

Many thanks go to all the team managers who saw our teams through the day. Without them it couldn't have happened.

Our players, with very few exceptions, were highly motivated and played hard throughout according to their abilities and deserve great credit.

The exceptions (and I'm sure they must know who they are, though I won't name names here) spark two observations: (a) if you don't want to play for your team and take part wholeheartedly in the rubbers selected for you by the team manager, don't make yourself available at all because no player gets to choose when and where they play and (b) if you don't think your team-mates are good enough to play in the same team as you, **keep it to yourself**.

This is a team event and being able to perform as part of a team is all-important. You may prefer to play doubles or mixed, or whatever, but sometimes you have to play something you like less so that the team can prosper. Learn to accept this.

New members

It may be near the end of the season but we are still welcoming new members. Lucy Bezants (U11) has just joined us to bring our current membership to an amazing highest ever of 129.

ACDBL match results

Location: Lightwater	Date: 28 Apr 2012				Opposition: Streetswater	
Result: Won 168 - 95					Home	U10A Unisex
Swifts	Callum Mitchell	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	Dominic Nabasa		
Opposition	Ellie Darlington	Anish Goel	Charlotte Bell	Charlie Dodd		
Home Players		Score		Away Players		
Callum Mitchell	Eliot Duff	21	15	Ellie Darlington	Anish Goel	
Ollie Phillips	Dominic Nabasa	21	10	Charlotte Bell	Charlie Dodd	
Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	13	Ellie Darlington	Charlie Dodd	
Callum Mitchell	Dominic Nabasa	21	14	Anish Goel	Charlotte Bell	
Callum Mitchell	Ollie Phillips	21	4	Ellie Darlington	Charlotte Bell	
Eliot Duff	Dominic Nabasa	21	18	Anish Goel	Charlie Dodd	
Callum Mitchell	Dominic Nabasa	21	7	Ellie Darlington	Charlie Dodd	
Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	14	Anish Goel	Charlotte Bell	
		168	95			

Location: Yateley	Date: 28 Apr 2012				Opposition: Yateley Hawks	
Result: Won 163 - 118					Away	U12A Mixed
Swifts	Harry Owens	Daniel Beeney	Imogen Galvin	Emily Hammond		
Opposition	Andrew LeFevre	Michael Chacko	Kate Sutherland	Wendy Somner		
Home Players		Score		Away Players		
Andrew LeFevre	Kate Sutherland	15	21	Harry Owens	Imogen Galvin	
Michael Chacko	Wendy Somner	14	21	Daniel Beeney	Emily Hammond	
Andrew LeFevre	Kate Sutherland	21	19	Daniel Beeney	Emily Hammond	
Michael Chacko	Wendy Somner	6	21	Harry Owens	Imogen Galvin	
Andrew LeFevre	Wendy Somner	7	21	Harry Owens	Emily Hammond	
Michael Chacko	Kate Sutherland	21	19	Daniel Beeney	Imogen Galvin	
Michael Chacko	Kate Sutherland	13	21	Harry Owens	Emily Hammond	
Andrew LeFevre	Wendy Somner	21	20	Daniel Beeney	Imogen Galvin	
		118	163			

ACDBL match results

Location: Yateley **Date:** 28 Apr 2012 **Opposition:** Yateley Hawks A
Result: Won 204 - 142 **Away** **U14A Boys**

Swifts	Jake Handley	Alex Downes	Ben Coker	Ben Cullen
Opposition	Sam Mills	James Vass	Jacob Gill	Peter Daniels

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Sam Mills		10	21	Jake Handley	
James Vass		16	21	Alex Downes	
Jacob Gill		10	21	Ben Coker	
Peter Daniels		12	21	Ben Cullen	
Sam Mills	James Vass	9	21	Jake Handley	Alex Downes
Jacob Gill	Peter Daniels	19	21	Ben Coker	Ben Cullen
Sam Mills	Jacob Gill	16	21	Jake Handley	Ben Coker
James Vass	Peter Daniels	21	15	Alex Downes	Ben Cullen
Sam Mills	Peter Daniels	17	21	Jake Handley	Ben Cullen
James Vass	Jacob Gill	12	21	Alex Downes	Ben Coker
		142	204		

Location: Farnham **Date:** 28 Apr 2012 **Opposition:** Bourne
Result: Lost 100 - 168 **Home** **U14B Mixed**

Swifts	Henry Bradshaw	Lucas Downes	Sophie Cooper	Rianna Meme
Opposition	Lawrence Jepp	Michael Toase	Rosie Foster	Maisie Wane

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Henry Bradshaw	Sophie Cooper	16	21	Lawrence Jepp	Rosie Foster
Lucas Downes	Rianna Meme	13	21	Michael Toase	Maisie Wane
Henry Bradshaw	Sophie Cooper	18	21	Michael Toase	Maisie Wane
Lucas Downes	Rianna Meme	6	21	Lawrence Jepp	Rosie Foster
Henry Bradshaw	Rianna Meme	12	21	Lawrence Jepp	Maisie Wane
Lucas Downes	Sophie Cooper	14	21	Michael Toase	Rosie Foster
Lucas Downes	Sophie Cooper	7	21	Lawrence Jepp	Maisie Wane
Henry Bradshaw	Rianna Meme	14	21	Michael Toase	Rosie Foster
		100	168		

ACDBL match results

Location: Guildford **Date:** 28 Apr 2012 **Opposition:** Clandon
Result: Won 154 - 125 **Away** **U16A Mixed**

Swifts	William Manners	Connor McCartney	Alice Brown	Abbie Law
Opposition	Alex Maclean	Blair Hill	Lucy Sharp	Katy Bennett

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Alex Maclean	Lucy Sharp	14	21	William Manners	Alice Brown
Blair Hill	Katy Bennett	10	21	Connor McCartney	Abbie Law
Alex Maclean	Lucy Sharp	21	12	Connor McCartney	Abbie Law
Blair Hill	Katy Bennett	12	21	William Manners	Alice Brown
Alex Maclean	Katy Bennett	13	21	William Manners	Abbie Law
Blair Hill	Lucy Sharp	21	16	Connor McCartney	Alice Brown
Blair Hill	Lucy Sharp	20	21	William Manners	Abbie Law
Alex Maclean	Katy Bennett	14	21	Connor McCartney	Alice Brown
		125	154		

Location: Walton on Thames **Date:** 27 Apr 2012 **Opposition:** Eagles
Result: Lost 134 - 207 **Away** **U16A Boys**

Swifts	Nathaniel Brittany	Ben Coker	Chris Gane	Adam Thomas
Opposition	Ruari O'Connor	Roger Boka	Josh Loyd	Joel Hartikainen

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Ruari O'Connor		21	18	Nathaniel Brittany	
Roger Boka		21	10	Ben Coker	
Josh Loyd		21	14	Chris Gane	
Joel Hartikainen		21	8	Adam Thomas	
Ruari O'Connor	Roger Boka	18	21	Nathaniel Brittany	Ben Coker
Josh Loyd	Joel Hartikainen	21	14	Chris Gane	Adam Thomas
Ruari O'Connor	Josh Loyd	21	20	Nathaniel Brittany	Chris Gane
Roger Boka	Joel Hartikainen	21	6	Ben Coker	Adam Thomas
Ruari O'Connor	Joel Hartikainen	21	15	Nathaniel Brittany	Adam Thomas
Roger Boka	Josh Loyd	21	8	Ben Coker	Chris Gane
		207	134		

SSBA club team tournament results

U11 B Grade							
Group A							
Team	Pos	Swifts B	Bookham	Swifts A	Mayflower	Carshalton	Clandon
Swifts B	4		2	2	5	5	2
Bookham	3	3		0	5	5	2
Swifts A	2	3	5		5	5	2
Mayflower	6	0	0	0		1	1
Carshalton	5	0	0	0	4		2
Clandon	1	3	3	3	4	3	

Both Swifts teams put up a strong fight in the U11 B grade, and the entry was a large one. The young B team scored two rubbers against the A team in the opening match, which set alarm bells ringing in the A team camp, and finally emerged in fourth place after achieving two 5-0 wins and suffering three close 2-3 defeats.

The A team recovered from the shock of conceding two rubbers to the Swifts B team and won all its matches (conceding rubbers only to the Swifts B team) until the final, deciding group game when it went down, fighting hard, by the close margin of 2-3 to Clandon. So that meant silver medals for all the team members, and they looked very pleased about it.



Nearly all the players involved this year will still be in this age group next season so that bodes well for future prospects.

U11 A team: Thomas Day, Serena Farrelly, Daniel Beeney and Callum Mitchell. And, yes, Serena does smile like that all the time, even when she is playing.

SSBA club team tournament results

U11-1	Swifts B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Harry Hodges-Long		21	19	Thomas Day	
Singles B	Ollie Phillips		14	21	Daniel Beeney	
Doubles A	Ellie Darlington	Harry Hodges-Long	21	18	Thomas Day	Callum Mitchell
Doubles B	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	16	21	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly
Mixed	Eliot Duff	Ellie Darlington	11	21	Callum Mitchell	Serena Farrelly
Match Score			2	3		
Points			83	100		

U11-4	Bookham		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Bookham	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Nicholas Gilbert		7	21	Callum Mitchell	
Singles B	Ben Dawson		12	21	Daniel Beeney	
Doubles A	Nicholas Gilbert	Christopher Priddy	11	21	Thomas Day	Callum Mitchell
Doubles B	Ben Dawson	Daisy Riley	7	21	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly
Mixed	Christopher Priddy	Daisy Riley	12	21	Thomas Day	Serena Farrelly
Match Score			0	5		
Points			49	105		

U11-7	Swifts A		Score		Mayflower	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Mayflower	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Thomas Day		21	11	Imogen Beere	
Singles B	Daniel Beeney		21	15	Ollie Dunford	
Doubles A	Thomas Day	Callum Mitchell	21	6	Imogen Beere	Hanna Nagpal
Doubles B	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly	21	8	Ollie Dunford	Thomas Freeman
Mixed	Callum Mitchell	Serena Farrelly	21	8	Thomas Freeman	Hanna Nagpal
Match Score			5	0		
Points			105	48		

U11-10	1 Swifts A		Score		0 Carshalton	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Callum Mitchell		21	11	Zoe Morbey	
Singles B	Daniel Beeney		21	7	Humza Butt	
Doubles A	Thomas Day	Callum Mitchell	21	9	Zoe Morbey	Cora Davies
Doubles B	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly	21	15	Rohith Ratnam	Ritchie Wu
Mixed	Thomas Day	Serena Farrelly	21	16	Cora Davies	Ritchie Wu
Match Score			5	0		
Points			105	58		

SSBA club team tournament results

U11-15	Swifts A		Score		Clandon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Callum Mitchell		8	21	Peter Arnold	
Singles B	Thomas Day		18	21	Fin McManus	
Doubles A	Thomas Day	Callum Mitchell	11	21	Peter Arnold	Fin McManus
Doubles B	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly	21	8	Adam Buckley	Lauren Taylor
Mixed	Daniel Beeney	Serena Farrelly	21	10	Adam Buckley	Lauren Taylor
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	79	81		

U11-6	Swifts B		Score		Clandon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Harry Hodges-Long		7	21	Peter Arnold	
Singles B	Eliot Duff		11	21	Fin McManus	
Doubles A	Ellie Darlington	Harry Hodges-Long	8	21	Peter Arnold	Fin McManus
Doubles B	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	19	Adam Buckley	Lauren Taylor
Mixed	Ollie Phillips	Ellie Darlington	21	10	Adam Buckley	Lauren Taylor
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	68	92		

U11-8	Swifts B		Score		Carshalton	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Harry Hodges-Long		21	18	Zoe Morbey	
Singles B	Ollie Phillips		21	20	Rohith Ratnam	
Doubles A	Ellie Darlington	Harry Hodges-Long	21	3	Zoe Morbey	Humza Butt
Doubles B	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	14	Cora Davies	Ritchie Wu
Mixed	Eliot Duff	Ellie Darlington	21	10	Cora Davies	Humza Butt
		Match Score	5	0		
		Points	105	65		

U11-11	Swifts B		Score		Bookham	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Bookham	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Harry Hodges-Long		17	21	Christopher Priddy	
Singles B	Eliot Duff		13	21	Ben Dawson	
Doubles A	Ellie Darlington	Harry Hodges-Long	20	21	Nicholas Gilbert	Christopher Priddy
Doubles B	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	18	Ben Dawson	Daisy Riley
Mixed	Ollie Phillips	Ellie Darlington	21	16	Nicholas Gilbert	Daisy Riley
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	92	97		

SSBA club team tournament results

U11-14	1		Score		0	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Mayflower	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Harry Hodges-Long		21	3	Hanna Nagpal	
Singles B	Ollie Phillips		21	10	Oliver Dunford	
Doubles A	Ellie Darlington	Harry Hodges-Long	21	8	Imogen Beere	Hanna Nagpal
Doubles B	Eliot Duff	Ollie Phillips	21	8	Ollie Dunford	Thomas Freeman
Mixed	Eliot Duff	Ellie Darlington	21	11	Imogen Beere	Thomas Freeman
		Match Score	5	0		
		Points	105	40		



U11 B team—Eliot Duff, Ollie Phillips, Harry Hodges-Long and Ellie Darlington

SSBA club team tournament results

U13 A Grade					
Group A					
Player	Pos	Chadacre	Ebbisham	Swifts	Wimbledon
Chadacre	4		1	1	0
Ebbisham	2	4		3	0
Swifts	3	4	2		1
Wimbledon	1	5	5	4	

The U13 team, with our county squad and international girls unavailable for selection, was always going to be difficult. However, the team gave an excellent account of itself to finish third, with the highlight being Nathaniel beating a boy he had never defeated before, and only went down to the runners-up by 2-3 with the girls putting up a very spirited display to come close to winning against tough opposition.



U13 team—Syann Wombwell, Nathaniel Brittany and Jessica Mallet. Chris Lai couldn't stay for the presentations and photos

SSBA club team tournament results

U13-2	Swifts		Score		Wimbledon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Nathaniel Brittany		21	18	William Saunders	
GS	Jessica Mallett		1	21	Cassie Wu	
BD	Nathaniel Brittany	Christopher Lai	12	21	William Saunders	Iliyan Stoynov
GD	Jessica Mallett	Syan Wombwell	8	21	Kim Lim	Cassie Wu
Mixed	Christopher Lai	Syan Wombwell	13	21	Faaris Sheikh	Kim Lim
Match Score			1	4		
Points			55	102		

U13-3	Chadacre		Score		Swifts	
	Player 1	Player 2	Chadacre	Swifts	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Leon Griffiths		21	17	Nathaniel Brittany	
GS	Xin Yi Lim		10	21	Syan Wombwell	
BD	Leon Griffiths	Zhi Ping Lim	12	21	Nathaniel Brittany	Christopher Lai
GD	Chelsea Huang	Xin Yi Lim	16	21	Jessica Mallett	Syan Wombwell
Mixed	Zhi Ping Lim	Chelsea Huang	19	21	Christopher Lai	Jessica Mallett
Match Score			1	4		
Points			78	101		

U13-6	Ebbisham		Score		Swifts	
	Player 1	Player 2	Ebbisham	Swifts	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Ali Bellagh		14	21	Nathaniel Brittany	
GS	Kayalvili Nanthakumar		21	16	Syan Wombwell	
BD	Gareth O'Brien	Adem Bellagh	11	21	Nathaniel Brittany	Christopher Lai
GD	Gabby McCabe	Kayalvili Nanthakumar	21	19	Jessica Mallett	Syan Wombwell
Mixed	Gareth O'Brien	Gabby McCabe	21	17	Christopher Lai	Jessica Mallett
Match Score			3	2		
Points			88	94		

SSBA club team tournament results

The two Swifts U15 teams were at opposite ends of the spectrum in this section. The B team lost all its group games without winning a rubber (though the players gained significant experience in this kind of competition) while the A team won its group to qualify for the knockout phase. After a comfortable 4-1 win over Ebbisham in the semi-final, the A team then faced Carshalton in the final, having already beaten

U15 B Grade

Group A					
Player	Pos	Eagles	Swifts A	Carshalton	Dorking
Eagles	3		1	2	5
Swifts A	1	4		3	4
Carshalton	2	3	2		5
Dorking	4	0	1	0	

U15 B Grade

Group B					
Player	Pos	Swifts B	Clandon	Wimbledon	Ebbisham
Swifts B	4		0	0	0
Clandon	1	5		3	5
Wimbledon	3	5	2		2
Ebbisham	2	5	0	3	

them 3-2 in the group stage. Disappointingly Carshalton won 3-2, with what proved to be the decisive rubber being lost 20-21, so our A team came away with silver medals.

Semi-finals

Swifts A 4 v 1 Ebbisham
Clandon 2 v 3 Carshalton

Final

Swifts A 2 v 3 Carshalton



U15 A team - Jake Handley, Abby Law, Alice Brown and Alex Downes

SSBA club team tournament results

Group A						
Eagles			Score		Swifts A	
U15-1	Player 1	Player 2	Eagles	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	John Ewart		16	21	Jake Handley	
GS	Ana Maria Oprisan		21	14	Alice Brown	
BD	Mike Woollatt	Joel Hartikainen	9	21	Alex Downes	Jake Handley
GD	Priya Bhuller	Ana Maria Oprisan	14	21	Alice Brown	Abby Law
Mixed	Joel Hartikainen	Sammy Nagel	16	21	Alex Downes	Abby Law
Match Score			1	4		
Points			76	98		

Group A						
Swifts A			Score		Dorking	
U15-7	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Dorking	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Alex Downes		21	0	Luke Sturmey	
GS	Abby Law		12	21	Fern Osborne	
BD	Alex Downes	Jake Handley	21	6	Ben Bruty	Luke Sturmey
GD	Alice Brown	Abby Law	21	14	Fern Osborne	Isabella Ryan
Mixed	Jake Handley	Alice Brown	21	4	Ben Clarke	Isabella Ryan
Match Score			4	1		
Points			96	45		

Group A						
Swifts A			Score		Carshalton	
U15-11	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Alex Downes		21	16	Henry Wu	
GS	Abby Law		13	21	Emily Honeyball	
BD	Alex Downes	Jake Handley	21	6	Henry Wu	Narveer Doolob
GD	Alice Brown	Abby Law	18	21	Emily Honeyball	Priyanka Kumar
Mixed	Jake Handley	Alice Brown	21	12	Joshua Da Cruz	Priyanka Kumar
Match Score			3	2		
Points			94	76		

Group B						
Swifts B			Score		Clandon	
U15-2	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Henry Bradshaw		7	21	George Geaves	
GS	Emily Armstrong		4	21	Lucy Sharp	
BD	Emily Armstrong	Conor McCartney	10	21	George Geaves	Ben Stephenson
GD	Emily Armstrong	Emily Mason	8	21	Lucy Page	Lucy Sharp
Mixed	Conor McCartney	Emily Mason	12	21	Ben Stephenson	Lucy Page
Match Score			0	5		
Points			41	105		

SSBA club team tournament results

Group B						
Swifts B			Score		Clandon	
U15-2	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Henry Bradshaw		7	21	George Geaves	
GS	Emily Armstrong		4	21	Lucy Sharp	
BD	Emily Armstrong	Conor McCartney	10	21	George Geaves	Ben Stephenson
GD	Emily Armstrong	Emily Mason	8	21	Lucy Page	Lucy Sharp
Mixed	Conor McCartney	Emily Mason	12	21	Ben Stephenson	Lucy Page
Match Score			0	5		
Points			41	105		

Group B						
Swifts B			Score		Wimbledon	
U15-6	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Connor McCartney		16	21	Paul Wrona	
GS	Emily Mason		9	21	Jessica Thiruchelvam	
BD	Henry Bradshaw	Connor McCartney	12	21	Tom Barton Clapp	Paul Wrona
GD	Emily Armstrong	Emily Mason	8	21	Jessica Thiruchelvam	Juliet Chee
Mixed	Henry Bradshaw	Emily Armstrong	10	21	Emily Mason	Juliet Chee
Match Score			0	5		
Points			55	105		

Group B						
Swifts B			Score		Ebbisham	
U15-10	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Ebbisham	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Alex Hunt		15	21	Matthew Sim	
GS	Emily Armstrong		7	21	Qiao Shu	
BD	Alex Hunt	Connor McCartney	18	21	Mycroft Leitch	Matthew Sim
GD	Emily Armstrong	Emily Mason	10	21	Abi Howell	Qiao Shu
Mixed	Henry Bradshaw	Emily Mason	19	21	Calum Ramsay	Abi Howell
Match Score			0	5		
Points			69	105		

Semi-final 1						
Swifts A			Score		Ebbisham	
U15-A	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Ebbisham	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Jake Handley		21	8	Calum Ramsay	
GS	Abby Law		12	21	Qiao Shu	
BD	Alex Downes	Jake Handley	21	7	Calum Ramsay	Matthew Sim
GD	Alice Brown	Abby Law	21	19	Abi Howell	Qiao Shu
Mixed	Alex Downes	Alice Brown	21	13	Mycroft Leitch	Abi Howell
Match Score			4	1		
Points			96	68		

SSBA club team tournament results

U15-D	Swifts A		Final Score		Carshalton	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Alex Downes		20	21	Joshua da Cruz	
GS	Abby Law		13	21	Emily Honeyball	
BD	Alex Downes	Jake Handley	21	15	Henry Wu	Narveer Doolob
GD	Alice Brown	Abby Law	19	21	Emily Honeyball	Priyanka Kumar
Mixed	Jake Handley	Alice Brown	21	15	Henry Wu	Priyanka Kumar
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	94	93		

SSBA club team tournament results

U18 A Grade						
Group A						
Player	Pos	Wimbledon	Eagles	Swifts B	Swifts A	Ebbisham
Wimbledon	2		4	4	4	2
Eagles	5	1		1	2	2
Swifts B	3	1	4		4	1
Swifts A	4	1	3	1		2
Ebbisham	1	3	3	4	3	

Our strength in this event was diluted because of the tournament rule that no team may contain more than one grade 1 player. This meant that our two strongest boys had to be separated.

The event was a strange mixture of triumph and disaster, and both of these elements appeared in the very first match, when the B team had an unprecedented victory over the A team, by 4-1. I believe that no Swifts B team has previously beaten an A team in such a competition (though you may know different), and this should be an object lesson to all future Swifts teams never to assume you cannot win a match against supposedly superior opposition and, especially, to all future A teams to take theoretically inferior opposition seriously and to not become complacent in an assumed victory (though I don't think that happened here).

The B team went on to finish in a creditable third place, while the A team received a further setback when Ieuan Godfrey suffered what turned out to be torn knee ligaments in the second match. He valiantly played on in the interest of the team (when he probably should have stopped) but it was an uphill battle after that and the team finished in fourth place, having been seeded by the organisers.

Sadly, both teams managed to escape back into the wild before I could get any photographs.

SSBA club team tournament results

U18-2	Swifts B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS		Jason Hau	11	21		Jack Kinmond
GS		Stephanie Thomas	21	14		Kaman Liang
BD	Ollie Thompson	Jack Wills	21	10	Ieuan Godfrey	Jack Kinmond
GD	Pascale Pumphrey	Polly Thisdell	21	17	Georgia Flatman	Kaman Liang
Mixed	Ollie Thompson	Pascale Pumphrey	21	14	Ieuan Godfrey	Georgia Flatman
		Match Score	4	1		
		Points	95	76		

U18-4	Eagles		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Eagles	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS		Jason Fung	21	15		Ieuan Godfrey
GS		Jessica Mills	21	13		Georgia Flatman
BD	Jason Fung	Ruari O'Connor	12	21	Ieuan Godfrey	Jack Kinmond
GD	Jessica Mills	Louise Cheney	17	21	Georgia Flatman	Kaman Liang
Mixed	Ruari O'Connor	Emily Mills	10	21	Jack Kinmond	Kaman Liang
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	81	91		

U18-5	Swifts B		Score		Ebbisham	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Ebbisham	Player 1	Player 2
BS		Ollie Thompson	21	15		Max Northfield
GS		Polly Thisdell	4	21		Rebecca Tung
BD	Ollie Thompson	Jack Wills	20	21	Max Northfield	Matt Tung
GD	Pascale Pumphrey	Polly Thisdell	14	21	Charlotte Clark	Rebecca Tung
Mixed	Jason Hau	Pascale Pumphrey	18	21	Matt Tung	Charlotte Clark
		Match Score	1	4		
		Points	77	99		

U18-6	Wimbledon		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS		Toby Harland	12	21		Jack Kinmond
GS		Emma McKie	21	11		Kaman Liang
BD	Chris Evans	Toby Harland	21	13	Ieuan Godfrey	Jack Kinmond
GD	Emily Jones	Emma McKie	21	16	Georgia Flatman	Kaman Liang
Mixed	Chris Evans	Emily Jones	21	6	Ieuan Godfrey	Georgia Flatman
		Match Score	4	1		
		Points	96	67		

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U18-8	Wimbledon		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Toby Harland		10	21	Ollie Thompson	
GS	Emma McKie		21	12	Stephanie Thomas	
BD	Chris Evans	Toby Harland	21	17	Ollie Thompson	Jack Wills
GD	Emily Jones	Emma McKie	21	16	Pascale Pumphrey	Polly Thisdell
Mixed	Chris Evans	Emily Jones	21	10	Jack Wills	Pascale Pumphrey
		Match Score	4	1		
		Points	94	76		

U18-9	Swifts A		Score		Ebbisham	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Ebbisham	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Ieuan Godfrey		14	21	Matt Tung	
GS	Kaman Liang		7	21	Rebecca Tung	
BD	Ieuan Godfrey	Jack Kinmond	21	19	Max Northfield	Matt Tung
GD	Georgia Flatman	Kaman Liang	6	21	Charlotte Clark	Rebecca Tung
Mixed	Jack Kinmond	Georgia Flatman	21	12	Max Northfield	Charlotte Clark
		Match Score	2	3		
		Points	69	94		

U18-10	Eagles		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Eagles	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Ruari O'Connor		13	21	Ollie Thompson	
GS	Louise Cheney		21	18	Stephanie Thomas	
BD	Jason Fung	Ruari O'Connor	11	21	Ollie Thompson	Jack Wills
GD	Emily Mills	Jessica Mills	19	21	Pascale Pumphrey	Polly Thisdell
Mixed	Jason Fung	Jessica Mills	20	21	Jason Hau	Pascale Pumphrey
		Match Score	1	4		
		Points	84	102		