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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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## International tournaments

Samodani Wijetunge played in the U15 Olve International tournament in Belgium at the weekend and reached the semi-final of both the girls' singles and mixed doubles events.

## County representation



The Surrey U17 team at ICT—Hayley Connor (far right, rear), and Samodani Wijetunge & Steph Pipe (front row, right)

The lead up to easter saw the annual Inter-Counties U17 tournament in Nottingham. Stephanie Pipe and Samodani Wijetunge both played for the Surrey team that finished third, and ex-Swifts member and ex-England international player Hayley Connor was team coach.

the Surrey team that finished in fifth place.

The U15 Shires League finals were held on Saturday. Nick Pipe played in

## National circuit results

Stephanie Pipe played in the Kent U16 Open and won the mixed event, and was also runner-up in the girls' doubles. This continues a Swifts tradition whereby our members consistently seem to win trophies at this strong ungraded national event.

Chris Lai played in the Warwickshire U14 Open and won the grade A boys' singles. Nick Pipe also played and reached the semi-final of the singles event and won the boys' doubles.

Serena Farrelly played in the Margaret Tipton U12 tournament in Reading and finished as runner-up in the girls' doubles.

Connor Strudwick played in grade B of the Warwickshire U14 open tournament and reached the quarter-final of the boys' singles.

## SSBA club team tournament



**U11 A team—B grade runners-up**

**Amy Chapman, Matthew Biddle,  
Henry Sutton, Hayden Mitchell**

There were no league matches this week, but 37 Swifts players were engaged in competition against Surrey clubs at the first weekend of the annual club team tournament in Guildford. Full detailed scores of all Swifts' matches can be found later in the newsletter.

The U11 B grade medals were decided when a strong Horsell team managed to pip Swifts A in a close match by 3-2, leaving our team as runners-up.

The U13 A grade suffered in terms of both entry numbers and strength because it clashed with several national circuit tournaments. Our A team comfortably won the event without conceding a rubber, and our B team finished in the runner-up position.

In the U15 B grade there was plenty of competition, with eight teams entered, including two from Swifts. Our A team was able to clinch overall victory in a close match against Clandon, inspired by Jason Fisher's excellent singles win.

The U18 A grade also suffered from a weak entry and we benefited when the Wimbledon team lost its strongest player on the eve of the event. Our players still needed to play well to take advantage of the situation, though, and our A team just emerged as tournament winners after some very close competition.

Overall we came away with three of the four trophies and a runners-up spot from four events.

Many thanks to all the parents who came along to cheer the teams along and, especially, to the team managers.



**U13 A team—A grade winners**

**Harry Williams, Callum Mitchell,  
Lucy Bezants, Jenna Biddle**



**U13 B team—A grade runners-up**

**Harry Hodges-Long,  
Rebecca Sproston, Tim Lai,  
Neeve Galvin, Josh Craven,  
Emily Chapman**



**U15 A team—B grade winners**

**Jason Fisher, Jessica Mallett,  
Jonathan Chong, Imogen Galvin,  
Flynn Thatcher**



**U18 A team—A grade winners**

**Holly Weston, Daryn Howes,  
Polly Thisdell, Stirling Burrow**

## SSBA club team tournament results

### U11 B Grade

Team	Pos	Horsell B	Wimbledon B	Horsell A	Wimbledon A	Swifts B	Swifts A
Horsell B	3		5	2	5	5	2
Wimbledon B	6	0		1	1	2	1
Horsell A	1	3	4		3	5	3
Wimbledon A	4	0	4	2		3	2
Swifts B	5	0	3	0	2		1
Swifts A	2	3	4	2	3	4	

U11-3	Swifts B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	John Canning		15	21	Hayden Mitchell	
Singles B	Sebastian Grove		21	15	Matthew Biddle	
Doubles A	John Canning	Matthew Grove	18	21	Amy Chapman	Matthew Biddle
Doubles B	Sebastian Grove	Daisy Murphy	13	21	Hayden Mitchell	Henry Sutton
Mixed	Matthew Grove	Daisy Murphy	9	21	Henry Sutton	Amy Chapman
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>		

U11-5	Wimbledon A		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon A	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Tristan Sparks		16	21	John Canning	
Singles B	Lucy Hicks		12	21	Sebastian Grove	
Doubles A	Tristan Sparks	Ryan Chen	21	11	John Canning	Matthew Grove
Doubles B	Grace Slevin	Lucy Hicks	21	17	Sebastian Grove	Daisy Murphy
Mixed	Ryan Chen	Molly Holt	21	15	Matthew Grove	Daisy Murphy
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

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U11-6	Horsell B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Wesley Ingham		16	21	Hayden Mitchell	
Singles B	George Manolis		21	14	Henry Sutton	
Doubles A	Wesley Ingham	Hannah Zhao	15	21	Amy Chapman	Henry Sutton
Doubles B	Neil Boujemaouji	George Manolis	21	19	Hayden Mitchell	Matthew Biddle
Mixed	Neil Boujemaouji	Hannah Zhao	12	21	Matthew Biddle	Amy Chapman
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U11-8	Horsell B		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell B	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Wesley Ingham		21	17	John Canning	
Singles B	George Manolis		21	13	Sebastian Grove	
Doubles A	Wesley Ingham	Neil Boujemaouji	21	9	John Canning	Daisy Murphy
Doubles B	George Manolis	Hannah Zhao	21	20	Matthew Grove	Sebastian Grove
Mixed	Neil Boujemaouji	Hannah Zhao	21	10	Matthew Grove	Daisy Murphy
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>		

U11-9	Wimbledon B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Lottie Douglas		11	21	Hayden Mitchell	
Singles B	Sophie Steer		21	16	Matthew Biddle	
Doubles A	Lottie Douglas	Emily Steer	10	21	Amy Chapman	Matthew Biddle
Doubles B	Sophie Steer	James Whyte	19	21	Matthew Biddle	Henry Sutton
Mixed	James Whyte	Emily Steer	12	21	Henry Sutton	Amy Chapman
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>		

U11-10	Horsell A		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell A	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Arya Admane		21	1	John Canning	
Singles B	Zain Moolji		21	13	Sebastian Grove	
Doubles A	Arya Admane	Owen Swain	21	10	John Canning	Matthew Grove
Doubles B	Zain Moolji	Hana Boujemaoui	21	2	Sebastian Grove	Daisy Murphy
Mixed	Owen Swain	Hana Boujemaoui	21	12	Matthew Grove	Daisy Murphy
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>		

## SSBA club team tournament results

U11-12	Wimbledon A		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon A	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Lucy Hicks		8	21	Hayden Mitchell	
Singles B	Ryan Chen		21	10	Matthew Biddle	
Doubles A	Tristan Sparks	Ryan Chen	21	16	Amy Chapman	Matthew Biddle
Doubles B	Molly Holt	Grace Slevin	11	21	Hayden Mitchell	Henry Sutton
Mixed	Tristan Sparks	Molly Holt	9	21	Henry Sutton	Amy Chapman
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U11-13	Wimbledon B		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Wimbledon B	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Lottie Douglas		15	21	Sebastian Grove	
Singles B	Emily Steer		21	7	Matthew Grove	
Doubles A	Lottie Douglas	Sophie Steer	16	21	John Canning	Sebastian Grove
Doubles B	Emily Steer	James Whyte	21	19	Matthew Grove	Daisy Murphy
Mixed	James Whyte	Sophie Steer	20	21	John Canning	Daisy Murphy
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U11-15	Horsell A		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell A	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
Singles A	Arya Admane		21	10	Henry Sutton	
Singles B	Zain Moojji		21	7	Matthew Biddle	
Doubles A	Arya Admane	Owen Swain	21	15	Amy Chapman	Matthew Biddle
Doubles B	Hana Boujemaoui	Zain Moolji	16	21	Hayden Mitchell	Henry Sutton
Mixed	Owen Swain	Hana Boujemaoui	11	21	Hayden Mitchell	Amy Chapman
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

## SSBA club team tournament results

### U13 A Grade

Team	Pos	Swifts B	Mayflower	Swifts A
Swifts B	2		3	0
Mayflower	3	2		0
Swifts A	1	5	5	

U13-1	Swifts B		Score		Mayflower	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Mayflower	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Timothy Lai		16-21, 20-22		Mattie Tennant-Smith	
GS	Emily Chapman		21-11,19-21,21-7		Hanna Nagpal	
BD	Harry Hodges-Long	Timothy Lai	21-19,16-21,21-18		Max Attewell	Josh Monkhouse
GD	Neeve Galvin	Rebecca Sproston	21-19,21-13		Imogen Beere	Hanna Nagpal
Mixed	Josh Craven	Rebecca Sproston	11-21,4-21		Josh Monkhouse	Imogen Beere
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

U13-2	Mayflower		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Mayflower	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Mattie Tennant-Smith		9-21,5-21		Harry Williams	
GS	Hanna Nagpal		19-21,10-21		Lucy Bezants	
BD	Max Attewell	Josh Monkhouse	11-21,15-21		Callum Mitchell	Harry Williams
GD	Imogen Beere	Hanna Nagpal	8-21,18-21		Lucy Bezants	Jenna Biddle
Mixed	Josh Monkhouse	Imogen Beere	12-21,21-15,18-21		Callum Mitchell	Jenna Biddle
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>		

U13-3	Swifts B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Josh Craven		6-21,12-21		Harry Williams	
GS	Neeve Galvin		14-21,20-22		Lucy Bezants	
BD	Harry Hodges-Long	Tim Lai	11-21,13-21		Callum Mitchell	Harry Williams
GD	Emily Chapman	Rebecca Sproston	6-21,13-21		Lucy Bezants	Jenna Biddle
Mixed	Harry Hodges-Long	Emily Chapman	15-21,14-21		Callum Mitchell	Jenna Biddle
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>		

## SSBA club team tournament results

### U15 Grade B

Team	Pos	Horsell	Dorking	Swifts B	Swifts A	Wimbledon	Carshalton	Clandon	Mayflower
Horsell	4		5	2	0	4	3	1	1
Dorking	7	0		3	0	0	0	2	0
Swifts B	8	3	2		0	2	2	2	1
Swifts A	1	5	5	5		3	4	3	4
Wimbledon	6	1	5	3	2		2	2	2
Carshalton	5	2	5	3	1	3		2	2
Clandon	2	4	3	3	2	3	3		4
Mayflower	3	4	5	4	1	3	3	1	

U15-2	Swifts B		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Connor Curtis		17	21	Flynn Thatcher	
GS	Helen Sproston		15	21	Jessica Mallett	
BD	Connor Curtis	Kalvin Liang	14	21	Jonathan Chong	Flynn Thatcher
GD	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston	18	21	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett
Mixed	Kalvin Liang	Elena Koutas	15	21	Jason Fisher	Imogen Galvin
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>		

U15-5	Horsell		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sam Allen-Gao		21	4	Joseph Frean	
GS	Sakhi Raju		17	21	Helen Sproston	
BD	Sam Allen-Gao	Chris Wolfe	21	19	Connor Curtis	Kalvin Liang
GD	Alice Arthur	Sakhi Raju	15	21	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston
Mixed	Woody Swain	Alice Arthur	17	21	Connor Curtis	Elena Koutas
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

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U15-6	Dorking		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Dorking	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Harry Plumb		6	21		Jason Fisher
GS	Heather Pell		14	21		Imogen Galvin
BD	Harry Plumb	Joseph Issberner	11	21	Jason Fisher	Jonathan Chong
GD	Heather Pell	Katie Clark	6	21	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett
Mixed	Leith Osborne	Lucy Pell	6	21	Flynn Thatcher	Jessica Mallett
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>		

U15-9	Horsell		Score		Swifts A	
	Player 1	Player 2	Horsell	Swifts A	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Chris Wolfe		8	21		Jonathan Chong
GS	Sakhi Raju		17	21		Imogen Galvin
BD	Sam Allen-Gao	Woody Swain	20	21	Jason Fisher	Flynn Thatcher
GD	Alice Arthur	Sakhi Raju	5	21	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett
Mixed	Sam Allen-Gao	Alice Arthur	7	21	Flynn Thatcher	Jessica Mallett
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>		

U15-10	Swifts B		Score		Wimbledon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Connor Curtis		17	21		John Ha
GS	Helen Sproston		15	21		Eunsoo Park
BD	Connor Curtis	Kalvin Liang	14	21	Max Browning	John Ha
GD	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston	21	14	Katie Bartholomew	Eunsoo Park
Mixed	Kalvin Liang	Elena Koutas	21	16	Max Browning	Katie Bartholomew
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U15-14	Swifts A		Score		Mayflower	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Mayflower	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Jason Fisher		21	5		Jack Rowlett
GS	Jessica Mallett		21	16		Hannah McGill
BD	Jonathan Chong	Jonathan Chong	21	19	Matthew Beckett	Jack Rowlett
GD	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett	20	21	Hannah McGill	Rebecca Newman
Mixed	Flynn Thatcher	Imogen Galvin	21	14	Matthew Beckett	Rebecca Newman
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>		

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U15-15	Swifts B		Score		Carshalton	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Kalvin Liang		13	21		Simon He
GS	Helen Sproston		21	12		Zoe Morbey
BD	Kalvin Liang	Connor Curtis	6	21	George Morbey	Nathan Da Cruz
GD	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston	21	16	Zoe Morbey	Vrishti Saxena
Mixed	Connor Curtis	Elena Koutas	17	21	Nathan Da Cruz	Vrishti Saxena
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U15-18	Swifts A		Score		Wimbledon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Flynn Thatcher		19	21		John Ha
GS	Imogen Galvin		5	21		Eunsoo Park
BD	Jonathan Chong	Flynn Thatcher	21	13	Max Browning	John Ha
GD	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett	21	13	Katie Bartholomew	Eunsoo Park
Mixed	Jason Fisher	Jessica Mallett	21	15	Max Browning	Katie Bartholomew
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

U15-20	Swifts B		Score		Clandon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Connor Curtis		16	21		David Rogers
GS	Helen Sproston		21	15		Lauren Buckley
BD	Connor Curtis	Joseph Frean	21	17	Peter Arnold	David Rogers
GD	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston	13	21	Lauren Buckley	Lucy Page
Mixed	Kalvin Liang	Elena Koutas	15	21	Peter Arnold	Lucy Page
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>		

U15-23	Swifts A		Score		Clandon	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Clandon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Jason Fisher		21	16		Peter Arnold
GS	Jessica Mallett		21	9		Lauren Buckley
BD	Jonathan Chong	Flynn Thatcher	16	21	Peter Arnold	David Rogers
GD	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett	21	13	Lauren Buckley	Lucy Page
Mixed	Flynn Thatcher	Imogen Galvin	18	21	David Rogers	Lucy Page
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

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U15-24	Dorking		Score		Swifts B	
	Player 1	Player 2	Dorking	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Joseph Issberner		21	7	Kalvin Liang	
GS	Katie Clark		7	21	Elena Koutas	
BD	Joseph Issberner	Leith Osborne	21	12	Connor Curtis	Joseph Frean
GD	Katie Clark	Lucy Pell	3	21	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston
Mixed	Harry Plumb	Heather Pell	21	19	Joseph Frean	Helen Sproston
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		

U15-26	Swifts B		Score		Mayflower	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Mayflower	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Connor Curtis		10	21	Jack Rowlett	
GS	Helen Sproston		12	21	Hannah McGill	
BD	Connor Curtis	Joseph Frean	12	21	Matthew Beckett	Jack Rowlett
GD	Elena Koutas	Helen Sproston	21	14	Hannah McGill	Rebecca Newman
Mixed	Kalvin Liang	Elena Koutas	19	21	Matthew Beckett	Rebecca Newman
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>		

U15-28	Swifts A		Score		Carshalton	
	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Carshalton	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Jonathan Chong		21	12	Simon He	
GS	Imogen Galvin		21	18	Zoe Morbey	
BD	Jason Fisher	Flynn Thatcher	21	18	Nathan Da Cruz	George Morbey
GD	Imogen Galvin	Jessica Mallett	21	18	Zoe Morbey	Vrishti Saxena
Mixed	Flynn Thatcher	Jessica Mallett	21	8	George Morbey	Vrishti Saxena
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>		
	<b>Game conceded through injury to Jonathan Chong but played anyway</b>					

# SSBA club team tournament results

## U18 A Grade

Group A				
Team	Pos	Swifts A	Swifts B	Wimbledon
Swifts A	1		4	3
Swifts B	3	1		1
Wimbledon	2	2	4	

	Swifts A		Score		Swifts B	
U18-1	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Swifts B	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Stirling Burrow		21-17,21-14		Nathaniel Brittany	
GS	Holly Weston		20-22,21-23		Jodie Teale	
BD	Stirling Burrow	Daryn Howes	21-11,21-18		Ben Churcher	Nathaniel Brittany
GD	Polly Thisdell	Holly Weston	19-21,21-12,21-14		Lucy Sharp	Jodie Teale
Mixed	Daryn Howes	Polly Thisdell	15-21,21-15,21-14		Chris Gane	Lucy Sharp
		<b>Match Score</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>		

	Swifts B		Score		Wimbledon	
U18-2	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts B	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Nathaniel Brittany		14-21,20-22		Henry Wu	
GS	Jodie Teale		10-21,12-21		Claire Mills	
BD	Chris Gane	Ben Churcher	21-8,26-24		Henry Wu	Faaris Sheikh
GD	Lucy Sharp	Jodie Teale	15-21,17-21		Juliet Chee	Janita Jayapiragas
Mixed	Chris Gane	Lucy Sharp	19-21,11-21		Faaris Sheikh	Janita Jayapiragas
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>		

	Swifts A		Score		Wimbledon	
U18-3	Player 1	Player 2	Swifts A	Wimbledon	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Stirling Burrow		21-1,21-8		Henry Wu	
GS	Holly Weston		13-21,21-23		Juliet Chee	
BD	Stirling Burrow	Daryn Howes	21-8,21-16		Henry Woo	Faaris Sheikh
GD	Polly Thisdell	Holly Weston	14-21,19-21		Juliet Chee	Claire Mills
Mixed	Daryn Howes	Polly Thisdell	13-21,21-13,21-17		Faaris Sheikh	Janita Jayapiragas
		<b>Match score</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>		