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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

Our beginners kicked the competitive weekend off with a home six-a-side friendly match with Middlesex club Racqueteers, winning 12-9.

The friendly theme continued with a visit by our U14 B girls (two of our players being U9 and U10) to Horsell, leading to a 6-4 victory.

In the ACDBL our U10 unisex B team played at home to Bourne and drew 5-5, though this is a 9-1 win for league purposes as Swifts lent Bourne a player.

The U12 mixed A team lost 3-5 away to Horsell A.

Our U12 mixed B team played at home to Horsell B and won 6-2.

The U18 girls played Horsell at home and won 10-0.

Three of our younger members assisted in allowing these matches to happen by playing in two of them simultaneously (Amelia Wells and Holly Ranson) or by playing for the opposition (Siddhanth Shirol).

Although our relevant teams did not play this week, two further ACDBL divisions were won this week when results elsewhere went in our favour. These were the U14 boys' and U14 mixed divisions, and we are now left with only two ACDBL divisions still to be decided.

Premier Club accreditation

The sharp-eyed among you will have spotted that the Clubmark logo to the left of this page has changed to reflect Sport England's new badging livery after the annual examination and consequent renewal of our accreditation as a Premier Club, confirmed this week.

An email to the editor

Most emails I receive in connection with the newsletter are complaints about there being too much Shakespeare being quoted (and, of course, I won't do that again), or too little, how little Jonny has not been praised enough, that I've spelled his name wrongly, or that I've made an error in a report. This one is no different in essence, but it also includes congratulations to, and approval of, our new head coach and comes from such an important person in the club's history, that I thought I'd reproduce it here to correct a mistake I made last week:

Hi Cliff

That is great news about Natalie. Do wish her all the best for me, I am sure she will do a great job. My memory must be going I thought Natalie was a member of Fleet Falcons along with her sister Anita.

Mike

The email's author, Mike Cripp, was Swifts' head coach and chairman between about 1979 and the summer of 2003, including the period of time that Natalie (then unmarried, of course, and surnamed Roope) was a junior player. He retired to Wiltshire in 2003 and keeps in touch, frequently writing with observations, and sometimes querying whether a new member we've welcomed could be the child of a past Swifts member he recalls.

So there we have it, **Natalie was not a Swifts member**, but flourished as a player despite that major handicap—which merely strengthens her credentials as a determined winner. My apologies to her and to Fleet Falcons, and my thanks to Mike.

Swifts is a continuous development from a small start-up in the early 1970s all the way through to where we are today, Badminton England's Club of the Year with over 130 members, and we do well to remember how we got to where we are today. A famous bard had Portia speak wise words on the matter, in *The Merchant of Venice*:

I remember him well, and I remember him worthy of thy praise.

ACDBL match results

Venue:	Lightwater	Date:	1 Apr 2017	Opposition:	Bourne
Result:	Drawn			Home	U10B Unisex
	Swifts	Amelia Wells	Temisha Veeramootoo	Lucy Naish	Erin Christian
	Opposition	Emily Hilder	Luke Hamilton	Gaurav Panyam	Siddhanth Shirol
	Home Players		Score	Away Players	
	Amelia Wells	Temisha Veeramootoo	15 21	Emily Hilder	Luke Hamilton
	Lucy Naish	Erin Christian	20 21	Gaurav Panyam	Siddhanth Shirol
	Amelia Wells	Lucy Naish	21 13	Emily Hilder	Gaurav Panyam
	Temisha Veeramootoo	Erin Christian	8 21	Luke Hamilton	Siddhanth Shirol
	Amelia Wells	Erin Christian	14 21	Emily Hilder	Siddhanth Shirol
	Temisha Veeramootoo	Lucy Naish	21 14	Luke Hamilton	Gaurav Panyam
	Amelia Wells		21 17	Emily Hilder	
	Temisha Veeramootoo		21 13	Luke Hamilton	
	Lucy Naish		21 10	Gaurav Panyam	
	Erin Christian		18 21	Siddhanth Shirol	
	Ineligible player—conceded rubber		5 5		

Venue:	Woking High School	Date:	1 Apr 2017	Opposition:	Horsell A
Result:	Lost 3 - 5			Away	U12A Mixed
	Swifts	Hayden Mitchell	Sebastian Grove	Aneka Premanand	Holly Ranson
	Opposition	Arya Admane	Nicholas Ferrao	Sophie Price	Tina Zhang
	Home Players		Score	Away Players	
	Arya Admane	Sophie Price	21 17	Hayden Mitchell	Aneka Premanand
	Nicholas Ferrao	Tina Zhang	18 21	Sebastian Grove	Holly Ranson
	Arya Admane	Sophie Price	21 20	Sebastian Grove	Holly Ranson
	Nicholas Ferrao	Tina Zhang	21 19	Hayden Mitchell	Aneka Premanand
	Arya Admane	Tina Zhang	21 19	Hayden Mitchell	Holly Ranson
	Nicholas Ferrao	Sophie Price	8 21	Sebastian Grove	Aneka Premanand
	Nicholas Ferrao	Sophie Price	21 13	Hayden Mitchell	Holly Ranson
	Arya Admane	Tina Zhang	14 21	Sebastian Grove	Aneka Premanand
			5 3		

ACDBL match results

Venue: **Lightwater** Date: **1 Apr 2017** Opposition: **Bourne**
 Result: **Won 6 - 2** Home **U12B Mixed**

Swifts	Nathan Gibson	James Warne	Amelia Wells	Annabella Salt
Opposition	Xander Burwell	Luke Hamilton	Ann Hilder	Emily Hilder

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Nathan Gibson	Amelia Wells	21	12	Xander Burwell	Ann Hilder
James Warne	Annabella Salt	16	21	Luke Hamilton	Emily Hilder
Nathan Gibson	Amelia Wells	21	7	Luke Hamilton	Emily Hilder
James Warne	Annabella Salt	21	17	Xander Burwell	Ann Hilder
Nathan Gibson	Annabella Salt	21	11	Xander Burwell	Emily Hilder
James Warne	Amelia Wells	21	12	Luke Hamilton	Ann Hilder
James Warne	Amelia Wells	21	19	Xander Burwell	Emily Hilder
Nathan Gibson	Annabella Salt	20	21	Luke Hamilton	Ann Hilder
		6	2		

Venue: **Lightwater** Date: **1 Apr 2017** Opposition: **Horsell**
 Result: **Won 10 - 0** Home **U18A Girls**

Swifts	Smrithi Shirol	Ellie Darlington	Amy Chapman	Emily Chapman
Opposition	Imogen Galvin	Sakhi Raju	Sahana Kanagasundaram	Florence Baulk

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Smrithi Shirol	Ellie Darlington	21	12	Imogen Galvin	Sakhi Raju
Amy Chapman	Emily Chapman	21	12	Sahana Kanagasundaram	Florence Baulk
Smrithi Shirol	Amy Chapman	21	11	Imogen Galvin	Sahana Kanagasundaram
Ellie Darlington	Emily Chapman	21	14	Sakhi Raju	Florence Baulk
Smrithi Shirol	Emily Chapman	21	13	Imogen Galvin	Florence Baulk
Ellie Darlington	Amy Chapman	21	6	Sakhi Raju	Sahana Kanagasundaram
	Smrithi Shirol	21	10		Imogen Galvin
	Ellie Darlington	21	8		Sakhi Raju
	Amy Chapman	21	8		Sahana Kanagasundaram
	Emily Chapman	21	6		Florence Baulk
		10	0		

Friendly match results

Venue: **Lightwater**

Date: **1 Apr 2017**

Opposition: **Racqueteers**

Result: **Won 12 - 9**

Home

Beginners' unisex

Swifts	Ben Hazevoet	Kartikey Sarin	Yicheng Lim
	Toby Gibson	Leo Desai	Shaurya Chhabra
Opposition	Aaron Stevens	Matt Bale	Adriano Jokubauskas
	Josh Luiz	Mihi Nebut	Ashworth Williams

Swifts X		Score		Swifts Y	
Ben Hazevoet		15	5	Aaron Stevens	
Kartikey Sarin		15	6	Matt Bale	
Yicheng Lim		8	15	Adriano Jokubauskas	
Toby Gibson		15	5	Josh Luiz	
Leo Desai		12	15	Mihi Nebut	
Shaurya Chhabra		13	15	Ashworth Williams	
Ben Hazevoet	Kartikey Sarin	15	9	Aaron Stevens	Matt Bale
Yicheng Lim	Toby Gibson	13	15	Adriano Jokubauskas	Josh Luiz
Leo Desai	Shaurya Chhabra	10	15	Mihi Nebut	Ashworth Williams
Ben Hazevoet	Shaurya Chhabra	15	7	Aaron Stevens	Adriano Jokubauskas
Kartikey Sarin	Leo Desai	15	6	Matt Bale	Mihi Nebut
Toby Gibson	Shaurya Chhabra	4	15	Josh Luiz	Ashworth Williams
Ben Hazevoet	Toby Gibson	15	6	Aaron Stevens	Josh Luiz
Kartikey Sarin	Shaurya Chhabra	15	11	Matt Bale	Ashworth Williams
Yicheng Lim	Leo Desai	15	11	Adriano Jokubauskas	Mihi Nebut
Ben Hazevoet	Leo Desai	10	15	Aaron Stevens	Mihi Nebut
Kartikey Sarin	Toby Gibson	15	12	Matt Bale	Josh Luiz
Yicheng Lim	Shaurya Chhabra	8	15	Adriano Jokubauskas	Ashworth Williams
Ben Hazevoet	Shaurya Chhabra	13	15	Aaron Stevens	Ashworth Williams
Kartikey Sarin	Yicheng Lim	15	8	Matt Bale	Adriano Jokubauskas
Toby Gibson	Leo Desai	15	14	Josh Luiz	Mihi Nebut
		12	9		

Friendly match results

Venue: Woking High School

Date: 1 Apr 2017

Opposition:

Horsell B

Result: Won 6 - 4

Away

U14 B girls

Swifts	Abbie Coleman	Phoebe Ridsdill-Smith	Amelia Sheffield	Holly Ranson
Opposition	Charlotte Newton	Anna Penman	Simran Karia	Lucy Matthews

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Charlotte Newton	Anna Penman	19	21	Abbie Coleman	Phoebe Ridsdill-Smith
Simran Karia	Lucy Matthews	21	12	Amelia Sheffield	Holly Ranson
Charlotte Newton	Simran Karia	16	21	Abbie Coleman	Amelia Sheffield
Anna Penman	Lucy Matthews	21	18	Phoebe Ridsdill-Smith	Holly Ranson
Charlotte Newton	Lucy Matthews	10	21	Abbie Coleman	Holly Ranson
Anna Penman	Simran Karia	19	21	Phoebe Ridsdill-Smith	Amelia Sheffield
Charlotte Newton		21	6	Abbie Coleman	
Anna Penman		6	21	Phoebe Ridsdill-Smith	
Simran Karia		21	18	Amelia Sheffield	
Lucy Matthews		7	21	Holly Ranson	
		4	6		