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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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NJBL results

In answer to a rede and dare we tell
Our brief report in measure'd five-foot line
And ev'ry foot shall own a syllable
Unstressed and then one stressed so in this wise
We raise the deeds of Swifts unto the skies.

We journey first to Milton Keynes, the hub
Of badminton performed on nation'l stage,
Show glory gained by players from our club,
Deserving trophies challenged for and claimed
And how they all enjoy to play the game.

Our under twelves played Saturday;
They won and lost to gain a silver crown.
As runners-up from 'cross the land they sway
Our deep respect, for they'll advance, extolled,
For years and fill our trophy store with gold.

In climbing up the span of years, fourteen
Became the uppermost allowed to join
In seeking stature in the squad and seen,
On our behalf, on Saturday in accord
And kindred with their comrades – how they soared!

If domination was the theme then Lo!
Success magnificent surpassed all hope.
Unbeaten even by the strongest foe,
They cast the brightest light around; their gleam
Doth credit them, indeed the club. A dream!

Their names shall be remembered long, so yell
To Lila Dundas, Lily Clark and Paige
Daniel; the boys Sebastian Grove as well
As Hayden Mitchell. Fun they have on court!
A nightmare when they famously disport.

Then Sunday climbed another brace of years:
The team we thought would reach the final four
Contenders did surpass itself, so cheers
For their great feat of final two and **just**
Missed out on gold—wouldst wind had blown a gust.

Glasgow U13 Youth International

We laud the deeds of one who trekked an age
To cold inclement Glasgow town in quest
Of trophies grand. The international stage
The scene of Smrithi Shirol's trophy-fest.
Though fair to say she grew her rank anew,
The quarter-final was her lot, eclipsed
In final game by 20-22,
Her fate, in singles. But in pairs and mixed
She hit the topmost note and brought home what
She'll need to dust—another flaming pot!

County representation

When I see all the calendar implies
I find the Shires League has its season wrought,
And under twelves have battled for their prize.
In fateful Wolverhampton town they sought
For medals golden, silver, bronze. Until
Resolv'd they battled 'gainst the cream of foes
From counties far and wide. Fair Berkshire's skill
Won fourth with Holly Ranson on her toes,
While Surrey's craft gave them the upper hand;
In glorious second place they closed, a band
That compass'd Lila Dundas, Isabelle
Pun Lai (named Yuen). Such fame on them befell!

New members

We welcome to our growing ranks two new
And worthy young recruits who join the few
Allowed to grace our sporting fellowship.
I urge you all to voice with cheer 'Hip hip
Hoorah' for they are William Dack (he gauged
'Emerging' group, and fifteen summers aged),
Saatvika Mahesh, of thirteen years and placed
In session 'Junior' with her peers embraced.
We hail them both and do foresee a span
Of time when they rejoice they joined our clan.

NJBL pictures



Our winning team in Milton Keynes disports

Hayden Mitchell, Sebastian Grove, Lila Dundas, Lily Clark, Paige Daniel

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See how the mighty warrior rises high
To reach the shuttlecock that claims the sky;
With nimble footwork hath he gained his place
Of great advantage, moving e'er with grace,
Eschewing he the lure of backhand float,
A stretch, a swing, a strong connection smote,
Recover then to be prepared against
A chance the foe has made a good defence,
Or mark the spot on which the shuttle lands
And celebrate the point with raised hands.

NJBL pictures



The U12s from left to right: Jonatha Lai, Ben Ford, Amelia Wells, Matthew Barnfield, Temisha Veeramootoo, Isabelle Pun Lai Yuen



The U16s from left to right: Ollie Dunford, Ishita Mann, Daisy Murphy, Ruth Devapragasam, Anish Goel, Cameron Warne

NJBL match results

U12s				
Group A				
Team	Pos	Swifts	Leicester City	St Ursula's
Swifts	2		5	2
Leicester City	3	0		0
St Ursula's	1	3	5	

Group	Swifts			Leicester City FC Community Trust		
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2	Score
BS	Jonathan Lai		9-4,9-2,9-0	Elias Philip		
GS	Isabelle Pun Lai Yuen		9-0,5-9,9-4,9-1	Elizabeth Jim		
BD	Matthew Barnfield	Jonathan Lai	9-2,9-2,9-1	Samuel Brough	Elias Philip	
GD	Temisha Veeramootoo	Isabelle Pun Pai Yuen	9-2,9-5,9-5	Elizabeth Jim	Bethel Joes	
Mixed	Ben Ford	Amelia Wells	9-2,9-8,9-2	Samuel Burnham	Angel Paulgi	
		Match Score	5-0			

Group	Swifts			St Ursula's		
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2	Score
BS	Jonathan Lai		7-9,5-9,4-9	Aarya Ramachandra		
GS	Amelia Wells		1-9,2-9,5-9	Prathana Reddy		
BD	Matthew Barnfield	Jonathan Lai	9-6,6-9,9-4,9-6	Aarya Ramachandra	Fabio Soldani	
GD	Amelia Wells	Isabelle Pun Pai Yuen	3-9,6-9,6-9	Rosie Dodds	Prathana Reddy	
Mixed	Matthew Barnfield	Isabelle Pun Pai Yuen	9-5,9-4,7-9,9-5	Fabio Soldani	Rosie Dodds	
		Match Score	2-3			

NJBL match results

U14s						U14s					
Group A						Group B					
Team	Pos	Swifts	Beckfoot School	Mid Wilts	North Herts	Team	Pos	Chew Valley	Ponteland	Battledore	Leicester City
Swifts	1		5	5	5	Chew Valley	1		4	3	5
Beckfoot School	3	0		3	2	Ponteland	4	1		2	2
Mid Wilts	4	0	2		2	Battledore	2	2	3		3
North Herts	2	0	3	3		Leicester City	3	0	3	2	

Round 2

Semi	Swifts	5 v 0	Battledore
Semi	Chew Valley	4 v 1	North Herts
3	Beckfoot School	0 v 5	Ponteland
4	Leicester City	2 v 3	Mid Wilts

Round 3

Final	Swifts	5 v 0	Chew Valley
3-4	Battledore	2 v 3	North Herts
5-6	Ponteland	3 v 2	Mid Wilts
7-8	Beckfoot School	2 v 3	Leicester City

Group	Swifts			North Herts	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sebastian Grove		9-7,9-3	Sajinth Thayaparan	
GS	Lila Dundas		9-6,9-6	Shiami Thayaparan	
BD	Sebastian Grove	Hayden Mitchell	9-2,9-3	Enrico Bravo	Sajinth Thayaparan
GD	Paige Daniel	Lila Dundas	9-2,9-3	Niamh Day	Shiami Thayaparan
Mixed	Hayden Mitchell	Lily Clark	9-4,9-2	Govind Singh Bains	Adele Bravi
		Match Score	5-0		

NJBL match results

Group	Swifts			Beckfoot School	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sebastian Grove		9-0,9-1	Devon Chan	
GS	Lily Clark		9-5,9-5	Ellen Oakden	
BD	Sebastian Grove	Hayden Mitchell	3-9,9-5,5-4	Anneeq Ali	Ben Costello
GD	Lily Clark	Paige Daniel	9-0,9-0	Ruby Karzynska	Ellen Oakden
Mixed	Hayden Mitchell	Lila Dundas	9-3,9-7	Anneeq Ali	Sian Phillips
			Match Score	5-0	

Group	Swifts			Mid Wilts	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sebastian Grove		9-3,9-0	Josiah Rafferty	
GS	Lila Dundas		9-0,9-3	Millie Gould	
BD	Sebastian Grove	Hayden Mitchell	9-1,9-4	Harry Davies	Josiah Rafferty
GD	Lily Clark	Paige Daniel	9-3,9-1	Millie Gould	Megan Williams
Mixed	Hayden Mitchell	Paige Daniel	9-3,9-0	Max King	Megan King
			Match Score	5-0	

Semi-final	Swifts			Battledore	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sebastian Grove		3-9,9-5,5-3	Sam Upfield	
GS	Lila Dundas		5-9,9-7,5-2	Sofie Chong	
BD	Sebastian Grove	Hayden Mitchell	9-1,9-4	Manu Malakanavar	Sam Upfield
GD	Lily Clark	Lila Dundas	9-6,9-1	Sofie Chong	Maya Urath
Mixed	Hayden Mitchell	Lily Clark	9-3,9-1	Manu Malakanavar	Maya Urath
			Match Score	5-0	

Final	Swifts			Chew Valley	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Sebastian Grove		9-8,8-9,5-3	Barney Pridmore	
GS	Lila Dundas		9-4,9-5	Katie Whitmarsh	
BD	Sebastian Grove	Hayden Mitchell	9-7,9-7	Barney Pridmore	Harvey Thompson
GD	Lily Clark	Lila Dundas	9-2,9-2	Amy Mellersh	Katie Whitmarsh
Mixed	Hayden Mitchell	Lily Clark	9-3,8-9,5-4	Harvey Thompson	Amy Mellersh
			Match Score	5-0	

NJBL match results

U16s

Group A

Team	Pos	St Ursula's	Beckfoot School	Durham Schools	Bidgley
St Ursula's	1		5	5	5
Beckfoot School	4	0		2	2
Durham Schools	2	0	3		4
Bidgley	3	0	3	1	

U16s

Group C

Team	Pos	Bedford	Tottenham Hotspur	Colne
Bedford	1		3	4
Tottenham Hotspur	2	2		3
Colne	3	1	2	

Round 2

1	Swifts	4 v 1	Bedford
2	Newcastle United	4 v 1	Tottenham Hotspur
3	Chalfont Eagles	3 v 2	Colne
4	Beckfoot School	2 v 3	Sunderland PL4S

Round 3

Final	St Ursula's	3 v 2	Swifts
4-5	Durham Schools	3 v 2	Newcastle United
7-8	Bidgley	1 v 4	Chalfont Eagles

U16s

Group B

Team	Pos	Swifts	Newcastle United	Chalfont Eagles	Sunderland PL4S
Swifts	1		3	4	5
Newcastle United	2	2		4	4
Chalfont Eagles	3	1	1		4
Sunderland PL4S	4	0	1	1	

Swifts

Group	Player 1	Player 2	Score
BS	Anish Goel		9-2,9-1
GS	Ishita Mann		9-4,9-4
BD	Oliver Dunford	Anish Goel	9-6,9-7
GD	Ruth Devapragasam	Ishita Mann	9-2,9-3
Mixed	Cameron Warne	Daisy Murphy	9-4,9-5

Match Score 5-0

Sunderland PL4S

Player 1	Player 2
Chris Arellano	
Annette Joji	
Jose Manuel	Jithin Sojan
Sophie Harrison	Annette Toji
Jithin Sojan	Sophie Harrison

NJBL match results

Group	Swifts			Newcastle United Foundation	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Anish Goel		4-9,7-9	Melvin Cherian	
GS	Ishita Mann		9-5,9-4	Libby Hall	
BD	Oliver Dunford	Anish Goel	4-9,4-9	Melvin Cherian	Christian Sharp
GD	Ruth Devapragasam	Ishita Mann	9-2,9-1	Jasmine Hacıoglu	Libby Hall
Mixed	Cameron Warne	Daisy Murphy	9-8,9-7	Will Wigham	Jasmine Hacıoglu
		Match Score	3-2		

Group	Swifts			Chalfont Eagles	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Anish Goel		9-7,9-6	James Perks	
GS	Ishita Mann		9-4,9-1	Lara Smith	
BD	Oliver Dunford	Anish Goel	9-5,9-2	Will Hardman	Matthew Levine
GD	Ruth Devapragasam	Ishita Mann	9-6,9-7	Jess Goddard	Lara Smith
Mixed	Cameron Warne	Daisy Murphy	6-9,9-5,4-5	Ben Cross	Jess Goddard
		Match Score	4-1		

Semi-final	Swifts			Bedford	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	Anish Goel		9-2,9-3	Yash Singh	
GS	Ishita Mann		9-5,7-9,1-5	Indira Sundar	
BD	Oliver Dunford	Anish Goel	9-8,9-1	Mark Ferreira	Brice Hayden
GD	Ruth Devapragasam	Ishita Mann	9-5,9-7	Indira Sundar	Sophie Zhang
Mixed	Cameron Warne	Daisy Murphy	3-9,6-9	Brice Hayden	Caitlin Thomas
		Match Score	3-2		

Final	St Ursula's			Swifts	
	Player 1	Player 2	Score	Player 1	Player 2
BS	William Mullaney		5-9,4-9	Anish Goel	
GS	Jenny Wong		8-9,4-9	Ishita Mann	
BD	William Mullaney	Om Reddy	9-7,9-7	Oliver Dunford	Anish Goel
GD	Izzy Mullen	Hannah Warren	9-1,9-5	Ruth Devapragasam	Ishita Mann
Mixed	Om Reddy	Hannah Warren	9-3,9-4	Cameron Warne	Daisy Murphy
		Match Score	3-2		