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Swifts Junior
Badminton Club



*If the training is easy
the match will be hard,
but if the training is
hard the match will be
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Summary

The girls' U14S team played Wimbledon on Saturday in a very close match. Although Wimbledon won the match 8-2 all of the rubbers were extremely close (one went to 26-24) and the match was closer than it sounds. In addition, since Wimbledon played with two boys whose rubbers had to be conceded for league purposes, the official result was 9-1 to Swifts. The girls all did very well in competing so well against a couple of county squad boys.

An U16S X v Y match was hastily arranged to replace a boys' Surrey League match against Coulsdon & Purley on Saturday. Two girls took part so it was really unisex and the match was tied 5-5.

The U14A boys team suffered the narrowest of defeats, away to Yateley Hawks, by 142-145.

The U16A boys' team also lost to Yateley Hawks, at home, by 128-151.

Our U10A unisex team defeated Mayflower with embarrassing ease in a friendly by 168-49. Stirling Burrow and Emily Hancock managed to inflict the season's first "egg" on the opposition by beating one pair 21-0.

On Sunday the U16S mixed team beat Moles away by 7-1.

National Tournaments

Michael Daw and Edward Thomas made it to the boys' doubles final of the BE U15 Gold tournament in York this weekend. Edward went a stage further by winning the mixed event of the same tournament.

Surrey's first ever national circuit tournament—the BE U15 Bronze in Woking—saw Swifts finalists in four of the five events. Justine Walker and Kirsty Walker got the ball rolling by getting to the girls' doubles final.

Jamie Ellis managed to get to three finals in one day—the boys' singles, boys' doubles and the mixed. His partner in the mixed was none other than Justine Walker.

Both Justine and Kirsty managed to get to the quarter-final of the girls' singles and so gained grade 3 status with Badminton England—they will both become graded on 31 January.

County Matches

Rachel Daw, Jenny Nurse and Hannah Thompson all played for the Surrey adult 4th team on Sunday, against Buckinghamshire.

Swifts Badges

Last Saturday, playing in her first match for Swifts in her first week as a member, Natasha Graham earned her U14 badge when playing in the U14 X v Y mixed match.

Welcome to the club, and well done!

ACDBL Singles Tournament

You should all have a copy of the entry form for the ACDBL singles tournament, to be held on 18 February.

Please note that the last possible date for entries to be received by the tournament organiser is 5 February.

Welcome Back

Steven Spyrakis and Laura Fitzpatrick have both now returned from lengthy lay-offs caused by non-badminton injuries and are available for matches . Welcome back.

ACDBL Match Results

Location: Yateley **Date:** 13 Jan 2007 **Opposition:** Yateley Hawks
Result: Lost 142-145 **Away** **U14A Boys**

Swifts	Jonathan Leachman	Adam West	James Ashley	Rohan Advani
Opposition	Colin Houlihan	Alex Short	Dan Kenny	Joe Aspel-Beaumont

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Colin Houlihan	Alex Short	21	13	Jonathan Leachman	Adam West
Dan Kenny	Joe Aspel-Beaumont	21	14	James Ashley	Rohan Advani
Alex Short	Dan Kenny	18	21	Jonathan Leachman	Rohan Advani
Colin Houlihan	Joe Aspel-Beaumont	21	13	Adam West	James Ashley
Colin Houlihan	Dan Kenny	12	21	Jonathan Leachman	James Ashley
Alex Short	Joe Aspel-Beaumont	12	21	Adam West	Rohan Advani
Colin Houlihan	Joe Aspel-Beaumont	21	18	Jonathan Leachman	Rohan Advani
Alex Short	Dan Kenny	19	21	Adam West	James Ashley
		145	142		

Location: Lightwater **Date:** 13 Jan 2007 **Opposition:** Yateley Hawks
Result: Lost 128-151 **Home** **U16A Boys**

Swifts	Tim Keene	Chris Gudde	Scott Strudwick	Nick Bradley
Opposition	Anthony Peete	Graeme Hill	Dan Creston	Ashley Lowden

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Tim Keene	Chris Gudde	13	21	Anthony Peete	Graeme Hill
Scott Strudwick	Nick Bradley	21	18	Dan Creston	Ashley Lowden
Chris Gudde	Scott Strudwick	12	21	Anthony Peete	Ashley Lowden
Tim Keene	Nick Bradley	14	21	Graeme Hill	Dan Creston
Tim Keene	Scott Strudwick	21	18	Anthony Peete	Dan Creston
Chris Gudde	Nick Bradley	15	21	Graeme Hill	Ashley Lowden
Tim Keene	Nick Bradley	21	10	Anthony Peete	Ashley Lowden
Chris Gudde	Scott Strudwick	11	21	Graeme Hill	Dan Creston
		128	151		

Friendly Match Results

Location: Lightwater **Date:** 13 Jan 2007 **Opposition:** Mayflower
Result: Won 168-49 **Home** **U10A Unisex**

Swifts	Stirling Burrow	William Manners	Polly Thisdell	Emily Hancock
Opposition	Richard Ivey	Harry Saunders	Catherine Holmes	Lucy Hall

Home Players		Score		Away Players	
Stirling Burrow	William Manners	21	6	Richard Ivey	Harry Saunders
Polly Thisdell	Emily Hancock	21	9	Catherine Holmes	Lucy Hall
William Manners	Polly Thisdell	21	5	Richard Ivey	Lucy Hall
Stirling Burrow	Emily Hancock	21	0	Harry Saunders	Catherine Holmes
Stirling Burrow	Polly Thisdell	21	7	Richard Ivey	Catherine Holmes
William Manners	Emily Hancock	21	7	Harry Saunders	Lucy Hall
Stirling Burrow	Emily Hancock	21	10	Richard Ivey	Lucy Hall
William Manners	Polly Thisdell	21	5	Harry Saunders	Catherine Holmes
		168	49		

Surrey League Match Results

Location:	Lightwater	Date:	13 Jan 2007	Opposition:	Wimbledon
Result:	Lost 2-8			Home	U14S Girls
Swifts	Abigail Copps	Rebekah Flatman	Clarissa Geokdjian	Laura Fitzpatrick	
Opposition	Ben Birks	Freddy Birks	Helena Robertson	Emma Eastcott	
Home Players		Score		Away Players	
	Abigail Copps	17	21	Ben Birks	
	Rebekah Flatman	13	21	Freddy Birks	
	Clarissa Geokdjian	21	16	Helena Robertson	
	Laura Fitzpatrick	14	21	Emma Eastcott	
Abigail Copps	Rebekah Flatman	20	22	Ben Birks	Freddy Birks
Clarissa Geokdjian	Laura Fitzpatrick	21	17	Helena Robertson	Emma Eastcott
Abigail Copps	Clarissa Geokdjian	19	21	Ben Birks	Helena Robertson
Rebekah Flatman	Laura Fitzpatrick	24	26	Freddy Birks	Emma Eastcott
Abigail Copps	Laura Fitzpatrick	21	23	Ben Birks	Emma Eastcott
Rebekah Flatman	Clarissa Geokdjian	19	21	Freddy Birks	Helena Robertson
		2	8		

Location:	Ebbisham	Date:	14 Jan 2007	Opposition:	Moles
Result:	Won 7-1			Away	U16S Mixed
Swifts	Jamie Ellis	Tom Frew	Justine Walker	Kirsty Walker	
Opposition	James Bland	Bill Knight	Georgina Bland	Clare Freeman	
Home Players		Score		Away Players	
James Bland	Georgina Bland	16	21	Jamie Ellis	Justine Walker
		9	21		
Bill Knight	Clare Freeman	11	21	Tom Frew	Kirsty Walker
		16	21		
Bill Knight	Clare Freeman	21	16	Jamie Ellis	Justine Walker
		19	21		
James Bland	Georgina Bland	12	21	Tom Frew	Kirsty Walker
		19	21		
James Bland	Clare Freeman	18	21	Jamie Ellis	Kirsty Walker
		12	21		
Bill Knight	Georgina Bland	10	21	Tom Frew	Justine Walker
		18	21		
James Bland	Clare Freeman	21	14	Tom Frew	Justine Walker
		14	21		
Bill Knight	Georgina Bland	18	21	Jamie Ellis	Kirsty Walker
		14	21		
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