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Summary

It is a short newsletter this week—the only scheduled league match did not take place this weekend but has now been rearranged.

Surrey U13 & U17 Tournament

Not many Swifts members entered the U13 event—though, to be fair, many of our members at this age group are Berkshire players.

Gilly Thomas was runner-up in the grade A girls' doubles.

Hannah Thompson won the U17 girls' grade A doubles event and was runner-up in the girls' singles, making her the most successful Swifts member of the weekend.

Michael Daw and Edward Thomas won the U17 grade A boys' doubles and they both also got to the quarter-finals of the singles.

Rachel Daw was runner-up in the U17 girls' doubles and a semi-finalist in the singles, and James Buffham was semi-finalist in the U17 boys' singles.

But where were the B grade entries? Only two boys entered the U13 B grade, and no girls! None of you entered the U17 B grade. Many of you non-county players would have had a great time and done well in these events if you had entered.

Swifts Club Sessions

The next club session is this Saturday 4 November at the usual times.

County Matches

Justine Walker, Kirsty Walker, Edward Thomas and Michael Daw all played for Surrey in an U15 Shires League match against Berkshire this Saturday (that is half the Surrey team)—and Jack Kinmond played for the Berkshire team in the same match.

Jack also played for the Berkshire U17 team in a match against Hampshire on Sunday.

Ryan Tinslay played in the U13 Berkshire team in a Shires League match, also on Sunday against Hampshire.