

Surrey County Notes



Aaron McKibbin won Bronze at the World Para Table Tennis Championships in Andalucia, Spain, in the Men's Class 8 Singles.



The Midlands Masters over 50's Women's Doubles winners were Diane McLellan and Rachel Smith.

Surrey based Paul Drinkhall made it into the main draw of the WTT Contender Nova Gorica, Slovenia, beating Steffen Mengel of Germany. In the main draw Paul lost 3-2 and 14-12 in the fifth to Can Akkuzu of France.

The Surrey Closed 2022 saw Aldora Li swept all before her to win the Under 21 Women's Singles title with Olivia Mak as Runner-up.

In the Under 21 Men's Singles semi-finals Krish Chotai beat Vlad Cretu and Ollie Maric-Murray beat Sebastian Mak. Krish beat Ollie 3 straight in the final.



Olivia Mak won the Women's Singles titles with Emily Cheung as Runner-up.

In the first round proper of the Men's Singles there were no surprise results. In the Quarter-finals Darius Knight beat Michael Silver, Adam Laws beat Daniel Heo, Krish Chotai beat Sebastian Mak and Radoslav Kamberov beat Ollie Maric Murray.

The semi-final saw Darius Knight beat Adam Laws in a match where Adam hit some great shots to lose 11-5, 11-8 12-10. In the other semi-final Krish took the second set off Radoslav to lose 3-1.



The final was simply the best match that the Surrey Closed has seen in a very long time being between two Internationals that of Darius Knight and Radoslav Kamberov. Radoslav took the first set 13-11. Darius Hit back taking the second and third

sets. Then Radoslav won the fourth set. In the fifth set Darius called a time out at 5-8 down. Next they were level at 8-8 following this it was 9 all then Radoslav took the next two points to win 13-11, 9-11, 6-11, 11-3, 11-9.

The final of the Open Doubles saw father and son Goran Maric and Ollie Maric-Murray beat Radoslav Kamberov and Vitaly Savenkov.

Carmen Vajdi won the over 40's Women's round robin event and Diane McLellan was Runner-up.

The final of the over 60's Men's Singles saw Steve Davis beat Michael Silver and Steve yet again retained his title.

Carmen Vajdi also won the over 60's Women's Singles event. Annie Higham was Runner-up.

Adam Laws pulled out the night before and therefore the over 40's Men's Singles title was wide open. In the quarter-finals Daniel Heo beat Michael Silver, Jin Luo beat Steve Davis, Michael Loveder beat Young Kwan Moon and Chris Pullinger beat Ajay Shah.

The semi-finals saw Jin Luo beat Daniel Heo and Chris Pullinger beat Michael Loveder. In the final Jin Luo beat Chris Pullinger 3-0.

In the over 40's Open Doubles, doubles specialist Goran Maric partnered Pawel Meryn to beat Antioco Collu and Jeremy Wu in the final.