## **Surrey County Notes** (March 2011) by Chris Andrews

The English Open at Sheffield saw Darius Knight reach the last 64 of the Grand Prix Event where he was beaten by World No.37, Par Gerrell of Sweden. Joanna Parker also went out in the last 64 of the Women's Singles. However in the Doubles with Kelly Sibley, Joanna reached the last 16 which is a tremendous achievement. Darius also reached the last 16 in the under 21 event. Therefore Surrey had many great results at this massive tournament.

International singing sensation Michael Buble played table tennis with Darius Knight and Paul Drinkhall.

Surrey's top lady in the Women's British League was the much deserved Carmen Vadji on 40% in Division 3. Carmen played for Ashford.

Raphael Lawansen was runner-up in the Men's Band 6 at the Doncaster Grand Prix where he lost to England No. 28 veteran Mark Land. Zoltan Hosszu was runner-up in the restricted singles.

At the Cippenham Five by Two Junior 1 star Open Championships, George Heath beat fellow Surrey player Enisa Kamara in the final. Yinka Falana won the Junior Consolation event.

Graham Spicer TTC was named London Premier Club Excellence, Club of the Year.