

Surrey County Notes by Chris Andrews



Nahom Goitom won the Nottingham Junior 2 star event.

Danielle Kelly has just come back from a trip to Finland with the Welsh squad.

At the Cippenham Junior 4 star Open, Evelyn Pace was runner-up in the Junior Girls event, where Nahom Goitom reached the semi-finals of the Junior Boys event and Chui-qui Wong reached the semi-finals of the Cadet Girls event.

Surrey finished a very respectable 5th in the Premier Division of the Junior County Championships, beating Derbyshire 8-2, Kent 7-3 and drew with Essex. The team consisted of Nahom Goitom, Krish Chotai, Howard Onweng, Yuvathi Kumar and Pui Chak Lee



Surrey's Senior team are also in the Premier Division of their event and they beat Berkshire 7-3, drew with Leicestershire 5-5 and lost 8-2 to current league leader Sussex. The team consisted of Robert Pelc, Nahom Goitom, Federica Bonato, Medma Verma (Both days) and Joseph Langheim and Adam Laws (one day each).

In the veteran's over 40's Surrey 1 beat Surrey 2 8-2, Sussex 3 9-1 The team was Simon Philipsz, Steve Davis, Tim Waller and Michelle McGovern.

The following Surrey players are in the England rating lists under-13 Boys No. 17 Callem Pace, No.31 Kai Tian Yiu, No. 47 Noah Byrne-Smith. Cadet Girls No. 12 Emily Cheung, No.15 Chui Qui Wong, No.36 Caron Charles, No. 44 Anishka Vijay Sorna Kumar.



Cadet Boys No.2 Oliver Maric-Murray, No. 10 Francesco Bonato, No. 22 Daniyal Palmer, No. 30 Kai Sun Yiu, No.47 Shantosh Thevarasa. Under-17 Girls No. 16 Evelyn Pace, No.49 Emily Cheung. Under-17 Boys No. 16 Krish Chotai, No.23 Oliver Maric-Murray, No.35 Ojasvii Borah, No.41 George Noel. Junior Girls No. 38 Evelyn Pace. Junior Boys No. 11 Nahom Goitom, No.32 Krish Chotai, No. 43 Henry Maric-Murray, No. 44 Oliver Maric-Murray, No.46 Howard Onweng. Under-21 Women's No.12 Danielle Kelly, No.30 Pui Chak Lee, No.37 Federica Bonato. Under-21 Men's No.23 Robert Pelc, No.26 Nahom Goitom. Senior Women's No.28 Danielle Kelly. Senior Men's No.9 Darius Knight Veteran Women's No.32 Michelle McGovern.

The Welsh rankings are as follows Junior Girls No.4 Danielle Kelly Under -21 Women's No.2 Danielle Kelly Senior Women's No.7 Danielle Kelly

The Irish Rankings are as follows Senior Men's No.2 Alexander Gillen.



Darius Knight won the Surrey Closed Men's Singles event by beating Robert Pelc in the final. In the semi-finals he beat Vadzim Antonau and Robert Pelc came from behind to

beat Krish Chotai in 5 sets. Carmen Vajdi won the Women Singles event and Michele McGovern was runner-up. Adrian Cretu won the Men's Consolation.

Robert Pelc and David McKenzie won the Open Doubles event in a 5 set match against Adam Laws and Asa Gauntlet.



In the Men's under-21 event Robert Pelc beat Krish Chotai 11-8 in the 5th to win the title. In the semi-finals Robert Pelc beat Oliver Maric-Murray 3-1 while Krish Chotai beat Asa Gauntlet. Federica Bonato won the Women's under-21's Singles event. Waleed Islam won the Men's under-21 consolation.



Adam Laws won the over 40's event beating Michael Silver in the final. The semi-finals saw Adam Laws beat Richard Seymour and Michael Silver beat Simon Vine. Top seed Simon Philipsz was beaten by Simon Vine in the quarter-finals. The over 40's Women's event was won by Michelle McGovern and Carmen Vajdi was runner-up. Yong Lee won the Men's over 40's consolation event.

Simon Philipsz and Tim Waller beat Adam Laws and Carmen Vajdi in the final of the over 40's Doubles event.

Steve Davis retained his Men's over 60's title by beating Michael Silver. While Carmen Vajdi beat Sue Raymond 11-9 in the 5th to win the Women's over 60's title. The tournament was well organised by Adam Laws