

News

12.03.19

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NOTE

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10.03.19

National Junior League - March 2019

Saturday 9th March brought the fourth and final round of the National Junior League with me, Stephen and Tracey Wren being on the road at 6.30 am transporting four boys to Byng Hall TTC in Royal Tunbridge Wells.

We had previously won the first three rounds but knew this one would be very difficult not only being without Jack Roberts (skiing in Italy) but knowing Cleeve Park would rearrange their teams to ensure all their top players would be present in their first team.

Hugo, Daniel and Louis with Henry stepping in for Jack formed today's team. We started well playing Cleeve Park Blue, winning 6-0 but realized the day was going to get tougher as we had some harder teams to come. There were lots of really hard fought matches with Louis not doing anything for my health going two down in three matches before coming back to eventually win and only dropping one match. Daniel managed the same result and Chris Bartrum, Cleeve Park's coach was prompted to shake both Louis and Daniel's hands and congratulate them on their play. Henry played well but early on seemed to have a lot of bad luck against him with nets and edges but didn't let it affect him overall. Hugo as captain supported the others throughout the day but after a late night at the Royal Albert Hall wasn't at his usual standard.

One of the best parts of the day for me was to see Daniel being able to apply his coaching in the games. A big thank you to Ian Girdler, Sharon and the 3 Trevor's for their coaching help ensuring our boys give a good account of themselves and on another day it could have been one place better. Thanks to Henry, sorry you missed your meal out and Jack you were missed by all.

After a very long day, 15 hours the car journey home was very quiet.

Well done boys, I am very proud of you all.

Dave Hanson

Got to Other Competitions page for results and Gallery for team photo.

26.02.19

Juniors Tournament Results 2019

Under 12s

Winner: Aarav Shah

Runner-up: Lydia Wealands-White

Under 14s

Winner: Jack Roberts

Runner-up: Ben Allinson

Under 18s

Winner: Jack Roberts

Runner-up: Henry Mileham

Held at St Anthonys School Saturday 23rd February.

20.02.19

National Junior League - January 2019

Hugo, Daniel, Jack and Louis participated in round 3 of the National Junior League at Byng Hall, Tunbridge Wells.

Our boys gave a good account of themselves winning by the narrowest of margins, 1 point. There was real commitment as one boy had an op the week before and was discharged from hospital on the Friday evening. Well done we are very proud of you all.

The next round in March will be the finals.

Go to the [OTHER COMPETITIONS](#) page for more details.

25.11.18

National Junior League - November 2018

Yesterday brought the second round of the National Junior League at Tonbridge Wells with Daniel coming in for Louis. After the promotion of two teams from the second division the league was much stronger seeing all our players losing their 100% records. (The stronger teams start in the second div to enable all the teams to play each other over the course of the series)

The standard was very high with last week's Kent Junior Grand Prix tournament winner playing for Cleeve Park, the boys lost five games between them but remain unbeaten in matches winning four and drawing one making them winners for this round with Daniel topping the ratings. All the boys played extremely well against class opposition with some very close results and can be proud of their performances. Thank you once again to Andy Roberts for his coaching help and for looking after the team registration until my arrival.

Go to the [OTHER COMPETITIONS](#) page for more details.

Report by Dave Hanson.

11.10.18

National Junior League - October 2018

This weekend the Isle of Thanet League entered a junior team into the National Junior League at St Johns C of E School Royal Tunbridge Wells. The league meet four Saturdays over the winter with twelve teams comprising of two divisions, each team member plays ten games over the day. At the end of the first two meets there are two teams promoted and two teams relegated and on the third meet one team promoted and one team relegated, this leaves the final meet with league winners becoming champions.

The perceived weaker teams are put into the 1st division with the rationale that by the fourth meet the teams will be in the correct rankings and everyone will have played each other. Because the Isle of Thanet's strengths were unknown we were put into the first division.

The Isle of Thanet's team is made up of Hugo Ursell (captain), Daniel Wren, Jack Roberts and Louis Lines. For the first meet we played with Hugo, Jack and Louis and had an almost perfect start dropping only one game and winning all our matches with the boys topping the player averages. Well done all the boys but I fear it will only get tougher as we go on.

Winning is great but I would just like to say how proud of the boys I am in the way they conducted themselves through a very long and tiring day, it was very quiet in the car on the way home apart from the purring (not from the engine). Thank you to Andy Roberts for his help with tactics and I hope he will be willing to do the same next time.

Go to the [OTHER COMPETITIONS](#) page for more details.

Report by Dave Hanson.

26.06.18

Kent League Entry

Team applications for the 2018-2019 season are invited by 10th August. If any members are interested in playing in the forthcoming season please contact the Kent League Coordinator (refer contacts page)

Events

Event 01.10.18

Winter Season 2018-2019

Matches commence 1st October.

Event 06.01.19

Handicap Tournament 2019

The Handicap Tournament will be 9.30 for 10am at St Anthony's Sports Hall. The deadline for entries is Sun 22nd December. Go to the OTHER COMPETITIONS page for details how to enter.

Event 24.02.19

Closed Championships 2019

St Anthons Sports Hall 24th Feb 2019. The Juniors closed will be the day before. Details nearer the time.

Event 03.03.19

Finals Night - Closed Championships 2019

This is to be held for all applicable competition categories at the Odd Fellows Hall Ramsgate on Sunday 3rd March commencing 5pm prompt (changed from Friday 1st March due to venue availability)

Order of play

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Event 14.04.19

Hard Bat Competition

St Anthony's Sports Hall commencing 10am.

Adults £5

Juniors under 18 £3.

Entries by April 5th to the organisers Ian Mileham or Tony Morgan.

Event 16.04.19

Quickenden/Burden Cup Final

The event begins 7pm at the Odd Fellows Hall Ramsgate.

Event 27.04.19

Kent Closed

The Kent Closed will be taking place this year over the weekend of Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 April. The venue will be the Canterbury University Sports Hall with Seniors on the Saturday and Juniors on the Sunday. Entry form can be found in the Forms web page. For more information go to www.kctta.co.uk

Event 11.05.19

Presentation Evening 2019

The annual ITTTA Presentation Evening will be held at The Odds, High Street, Ramsgate commencing 7.30pm. Tickets will be available from Committee members nearer the time.

Event 13.05.19

Summer Competition 2019

Commences 13th May. Rules and Entry Form on the Summer Competitions page. More information soon. Contact the ITTTA Committee.

Event 07.06.19

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR MEMBERS

Following on from AllAccess purchasing the Hartsdown Table Tennis Centre and recent negotiations with the new owners, the committee are now in a position to provide members with the options that are available to them for the upcoming season. On Fri 7th June 7pm at Hartsdown, there will be an opportunity for members to be updated and also to ask questions and raise any concerns they may have.

All members are welcome, but this is a particularly important meeting to attend for all those that either play their matches or use the venue for practice or social play. The fees to play at Hartsdown will significantly increase, meaning representation and feedback from these teams (Margate, Cockney Rebels, Sandwich) and groups is greatly appreciated if possible.

ITTTA Committee

Event 03.07.19

2019 AGM

This year's Annual General Meeting is to be held at the Hartsdown Centre on Wednesday 3rd July commencing at 8pm (Minutes from 2018 AGM will be provided at the event). Winter League Team entry forms will be available at the AGM for submission by the end of July.