

Week Commencing 18th April 2005

Two wins for County Council A put them at the top of Division 1. First Pat McCabe, Phil Paine and Matthew Hobday took singles and doubles in a 10-0 crushing of relegation-doomed Marconi. Then 9-1 over St. Georges B, trebles for Hobday and Paine, a brace for Clive Irwin and the doubles to Paine and Irwin, Ron Vose keeping one for Saints. Whitnash A were held to a 5-5 draw with Free Church A before romping over RNA C 10-0. Against Church Jon Williams and Mark Woolerton gave Whitnash braces and the doubles, Gary Webb holding his three for Church, Stuart Kurle and reserve Tom Brocklehurst one each. Jon Williams, Mark Woolerton and Richard Arnold took singles and doubles in the naval match.

Other results in Division 1: Flavels 0; St. Georges A 10 (Ian Packford 3, Earl Sweeney 3, Mike Bishop 3, Packford/Sweeney Dbls). St. Georges B 4 (Ron Vose 1 plus 3 forfeited points); Whitnash B 6 (Alan Hewitt 3, Ian Perry 2, Hewitt/Perry dbls). Colebridge B 2 (Michael Rinnhofer 1, Navinder Matharu 1); Free Church A 8 (Gary Webb 3, Stuart Kurle 3, Hugh Matthews 1, Webb/Kurle dbls). Wellesbourne 8 (Gary Stewart 3, Pete Dunnett 2, Sven Rudolph 2, Stewart/Rudolph dbls); Colebridge A 2 (Graham Hoskins 1, Bob Brown 1).

County Council B stay top of the tree in Division 2 with two more wins, both at 6-4. First they edged past Riverhouse A with three each from Nilton Green and Derek Harwood. Brian Morris, Richard Lancucki and Steve Shaw took one single each for Riverhouse and Lancucki and Morris the doubles at 12/10 in the fifth. Then Sue Clarke and Derek Harwood added one single each to Green 's treble and the doubles by Green and Clarke in the Eathorpe match, Matthew Cooper and Allan Stockham keeping braces. Riverhouse also won at 6-4 - over Eathorpe A, Simon Griew three and the doubles with Mark Dudley who added a single as did Steve Proctor. Matthew Cooper and Allan Stockham again keeping braces.

Other results in Division 2:

RNA B 4 (Richard Smith 1, Steve Poole 2, Smith/Poole dbls); RNA A 6 Tony Thomas 3, Kim Wong 1, Ian Stevens 2). Free Church D 6 (Lleryn Brocklehurst 1, Chris Mulligan 2, Tom Brocklehurst 3); Eathorpe A 4 (Matthew Cooper 1, Allan Stockham 2, Cooper/Stockham dbls). St. Georges D 10 (Jimmy Pittaway 3, Bert Banks 3, Rob Bennett 3, Pittaway/Bennett dbls); Free Church C 0. Eathorpe 3 (Chris Atkins 1, Matthew Cooper 1, Allan Stockham 1); BGN B 7 (Malcolm Macfarlane 3, Gary Jackson 3, Jackson/Keith Woodcock dbls).

Mixed fortunes for Free Church D may lead them to lose out on the Division 3 title. They finished top with 75 points but others have matches to play. Church lost to Whitnash C 6-4 with Ron Stanbridge a brace, Pete Rourke and Luke Hobbins one each. For Whitnash Dennis Woodhead took his three and the doubles with Paul Riman who added a brace. Then Church saw off RNA D 8-2 with Lleryn Brocklehurst a treble, Ron Stanbridge and Pete Rourke braces plus the doubles to Brocklehurst and Rourke. Naval points went to Robin Fox-Strangways and Jim Thomas. Against Standard Photographic Lleryn, Pete and Ron gave Church braces and Lleryn and Ron the doubles for the 7-3 win, Brendan Leahy keeping his three for Photographic. Finally Church lost to St. Georges C 6-4, Ron keeping two, Lleryn and Pete one each. Rob Bennett held his three and the doubles with brother Tony, Martin Bennett two for Saints.

Other results in division 3:

Free Church Z 10 (Vincent Yeung 3, David Jordan 3, Mike Skidmore 3, Yeung/Jordan dbls); LCP Spartans 0. RNA D 9 (Jim Thomas 3, Steve Kurle 3, Robin Fox-Strangways 2, Thomas/Kurle dbls); Standard Photographic 1 (Brendan Leahy 1). Eathorpe B 5 (Paul Deavall 1, Ron Coats 2, Eugene

Mawn 2); County Council C 5 (Howard Rodgers 1, Tony Ford 3 plus doubles, Pat Woolvin doubles). Ashorne 3 (Roger Kelley 1, Simon Chalker 2); AP Sports B 7 (Carol Meredith 1, Stephanie Hawkins 2 Samantha Apostol 3, Hawkins/Apostol dbls). St. Georges C 7 (Rob Bennett 3, Martin Bennett 3, Rob Bennett/Luke Bennett dbls); FISSC 3 (Brian Marston 1, John Hunt 1, George Mudie 1).