

## Week Commencing 18<sup>th</sup> February 2008

AP Sports A could be a side to keep an eye on Division 2, as two solid victories helped them close the gap on second place with games still in hand. Samantha Meredith won a straight-sets hat-trick in their 7-3 win over Free Church C, which was added to by Edward Freeman and Andy Meredith who both won twice. Les Booth was Church's best performer, taking two singles and the doubles with John Taylor. AP found themselves up against two-man opposition against Nomads A, with Andy Meredith and Edward Freeman winning both their singles and Terry Smith one. Ian Stevens kept one back for Nomads, then took the doubles with Andy Davies, but the defaulted points left AP with an 8-2 win. Free Church C showed better form against Eathorpe A and triumphed 9-1. Cherry Matthews and Stuart Mills both took maximums, with John Taylor adding two plus the doubles with Stuart. Alastair Nicholson registered Eathorpe's consolation point. Copsewood won 6-4 at Flavels B. Gordon Tucker and Steve Smith won braces plus the doubles together, with Roy Joiner taking a vital single. Flavels' points were picked up by Mick Bennett, who won two, and Simon Geddes and Trevor Bradley who both won one.

In Division 3, WCC C beat Nomads B 8-2 and had James Owen and Graham Roberts both in hat-trick form. The pair also took the doubles, with Reg Warnes completing the haul with a single. Nomads' Steve Poole and Richard Miles both won once. Rugby D beat FISSC A 7-3 through maximums from Alex Phillips and Tristan Mobbs, plus a single from Tom Bradley. Gareth Conway and Mark Kingham picked up singles, with Gareth also adding the doubles with George Mudie. Nomads C got the better of Rugby E as two from each of Robin Fox-Strangways, Pam Beedham and Christian McMurran gave them the 6-4 win. Jesse Kendrick-Hill won his three for Rugby and partnered Ryan Lines for the doubles. Free Church F hammered club mates Free Church G 9-1 in Division 4. Phil Blowey and Charlotte Spencer both won hat-tricks and took the doubles together, with Jake Harrison adding a brace. Barry Hobbins picked up the consolation point in a five-set battle.

BGN had an excellent 7-3 win against WCC A in Division 1. Gary Jackson, Barry Hook and Jason Adams all won two, before Gary and Jason added the doubles. Phil Paine, Clive Irwin and Pat McCabe all held one in reply. BGN were only able to field two players against Colebridge A, but still managed to take four points off the league leaders. Jay Allen won two, Gary Jackson won one and the pair took the doubles. Sasha Grokhotov won two for 'Bridge, Edward Lynn one, with the remaining three points coming by default in the 6-4 win. BGN in action again and once more a 6-4 defeat. Two for Gary Jackson, one from Jason Adams and the doubles by the pair gave BGN their points. Unfortunately for BGN they were a player short once more and Ron Vose's two, Walter Warburton's one and the three conceded points left St Georges B with the win. Wellesbourne trounced Colebridge B 8-2 as Alan Cotton and Gary Stewart both won hat-tricks, with Pete Dunnett adding a brace. Muhammad Khalid won a single for Colebridge and took the doubles with John Chandler.

Eathorpe I beat Snitterfield B 4-1 in Division B, courtesy of Gary and Joshua Osbourne who won two and one respectively, plus the doubles. Richard Bennett collected the consolation. Free Church K whitewashed Eathorpe K 5-0 thanks to Anita Whitehouse and Jack Hobbins.

In Division C, Potters Green edged out Free Church R 3-2. Jack Pegler won his two for Potters and took the doubles with Kyle Bonsor. Solomon and Matthew Hayes both won a single for Church. Potters Green again won 3-2, this time against Eathorpe J. Frazer McGuinness and Aaron Riley won one each plus the doubles to secure the win. Keith Hobbs proved a little too experienced for the duo and held on to his two singles.

**Results – Div1:** BGN 7-3 WCC A; BGN 4-6 Colebridge A; BGN 4-6 St Georges B; Colebridge B 2-8 Wellesbourne. **Div2:** AP Sports A 7-3 Free Church C; Nomads A 2-8 AP Sports A; Free Church C 9-1 Eathorpe A; Flavels B 4-6 Copsewood. **Div3:** Nomads C 6-4 Rugby E; FISSC A 3-7 Rugby D; Nomads B 2-8 WCC C. **Div4:** Free Church F 9-1 Free Church G. **DivB:** Snitterfield B 1-4 Eathorpe I; Eathorpe K 0-5 Free Church K. **DivC:** Potters Green 3-2 Free Church R; Eathorpe J 2-3 Potters Green.