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Newsletter of the Bendigo and District Table Tennis Association  
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Welcome to this week's edition of *In the Loop* which is sent to members to keep them informed of results, ladders and upcoming events. It is hoped that members will appreciate receiving information regarding their club and may wish to participate in events including tournaments, coaching sessions and the occasional work-



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It is quite understandable that players will be unavailable to play on their pennant night from time to time. Please advise your grade supervisor as soon as you know that you will be absent so that a fill in can be arranged. A weeks notice is great, a few days is fine, but calling on the night can make it tricky to find a fill in at short notice. Players should use the following contact details for supervisors:

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## Important Dates for Bendigo Table Tennis in 2019



- **BDTTA AGM 21 August 7pm**

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*Attachments: BDTTA Annual General Meeting Agenda and Proxy voting form*

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### ***Handicap Season will not be run this term.***

**Numbers were not sufficient to justify running another handicap season this term. Maybe when the weather warms up we can look at it again.  
Thanks to Geoff Lloyd for his great work running this comp.**

### **Monday night practice**

**Geoff will have the stadium Monday nights (7:30pm on) while there is no handicap running.**

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## **BDTTA Annual General Meeting Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm**

**Its that time of the year again, please support the club by attending the AGM to be held at the stadium at 7pm on Wednesday, August 21st, meeting agenda and proxy voting form attached .**



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## The way we were.

Over the next few pages are some pics from the archives that have surfaced. Interesting hair ( if any at all) has not always been grey



2000 WINTER B GRADE WINNERS.  
LAWRIE BROWN, KONRAD FLECKNOE-  
BROWN, RINKE SLOTEGRAAF.



2000-2001 SUMMER B GRADE WINNERS.  
BRIAN KENT, CLINTON SLOTEGRAAF, BRIAN



1999 WINTER B GRADE WINNERS.  
TRAVIS BARNES, HEATH KERWIN, MICHAEL  
BELL.



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1998-9 SUMMER C GRADE WINNERS.  
DALE BARTLETT, TIM TUENA, BRIAN BARTLETT.



EBDTTA WINNING A GRADE COUNTRY  
WEEK TEAM 2000.  
DES KNIGHT, PHILLIP WEBSDALE, MATHEW  
WEARNE.  
THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT EBDTTA  
HAS WON THE A GRADE COUNTRY WEEK  
TROPHY.



1996-7 SUMMER B GRADE WINNERS  
PAUL GREEN, CRAIG BRAMLEY, GRAHAM  
COWCHER.



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2000 WINTER C GRADE WINNERS.  
KERRIE WHARTON, MATTHEW SCHULTZ,  
BRIAN BARTLETT.



1996-7 SUMMER A GRADE WINNERS.  
RICHARD SMART, STEPHEN STUART,  
MATHEW WEARNE.



1998-9 SUMMER B GRADE WINNERS.  
TRAVIS BARNES, ANDREW LEWIS, SHANE  
O'DONOGHUE.



2000 WINTER A GRADE WINNERS.  
TERRY BURT, LINDSAY HAMLEY, BARRY  
AYRES.



2000-2001 SUMMER A GRADE WINNERS.  
DES KNIGHT, TRAVIS BARNES, DES SMITH.



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**BENDIGO COMPETITION LADDERS**  
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## **A grade**

**Round 13**  
**31st July 2019**

**Sandhurst d. Bendigo 7-4, with Mark Gordon continuing in fine form for Sandhurst. Gordon won his three singles.**

Gordon d. Michael Bissett 6-11, 11-9, 11-7, 11-9, Greg Woodman d. Gary Warnest 11-9, 4-11, 11-4, 2-11, 11-7, and John Connor d. Darrin Wearne 14-12, 8-11, 11-5, 10-12, 11-6.

**Epsom d. Eaglehawk 7-4. Ben Smart starred in singles and doubles for Epsom.**

Smart and Frank McArthur d. Ryan Gordon and Deb Wright 12-14, 12-10, 12-10, 11-4, Gordon d. McArthur 8-11, 7-11, 11-3, 11-9, 11-7, and Smart d. Wright 7-11, 11-6, 12-10, 10-12, 11-6.

**Strathdale's Jeremy Gale, Matthew Wearne and Lindsay Hamley had a comprehensive 9-2 victory over North Bendigo, but most matches were close.**

Gale d. Ben Derrick 11-6, 5-11, 11-8, 5-11, 11-8, Wearne d. Ben Anderson 11-7, 12-10, 4-11, 11-9, and Hamley d. Mark Conforti 4-11, 11-9, 11-7, 11-9.

**Kennington d. White Hills 7-4. Craig Armour is in scintillating form for Kennington.**

Armour and Rob Deacon d. Geoff Lloyd and Brock Fletcher 11-7, 7-11, 11-6, 11-8, Armour and Joshua Pollock d. Lloyd and Chris Wilkin 12-10, 5-11, 1-11, 12-10, 11-9, and Armour d. Fletcher 11-5, 11-3, 10-12, 4-11, 11-6.

**Kangaroo Flat d. Golden Square 8-3. The brilliant Adam Teague continues to dominate in singles and the 'Flat are now much more competitive in doubles.**

Teague and Ethan Shepherd d. Jeff Grubb and Sam Duncan 4-11, 11-9, 11-13, 11-8, 11-9, Teague and Brett McNamara d. Grubb and Peter O'Meara 11-5, 5-11, 11-5, 8-11, 11-6, and McNamara d. Grubb 11-3, 11-8, 4-11, 7-11, 11-8.



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**Round 14**  
**7th August 2019**

**Strathdale's Jeremy Gale, Matthew Wearne and Lindsay Hamley, had an impressive 8-3 victory over Eaglehawk. Wearne won his three singles.**

Gale and Wearne d. Ryan Gordon and Deb Wright 11-8, 11-7, 11-13, 11-6, Gale and Hamley d. Gordon and Micah Hartland 9-11, 11-5, 11-13, 11-9, 12-10, and Wearne d. Gordon 7-11, 11-5, 8-11, 11-7, 12-10.

**North Bendigo d. Bendigo 6-5, after a thrilling battle. Ben Derrick's three singles wins were crucial for North, which lost both doubles.**

Mark Conforti d. Ben Azarmehr 11-8, 17-15, 8-11, 10-12, 11-7, Michael Bissett and Darrin Wearne d. Ben Derrick and Ben Anderson 13-11, 7-11, 11-3, 12-10, and, in the final rubber, Derrick d. Wearne 11-7, 11-9, 11-8, to clinch victory for North Bendigo.

**Kangaroo Flat's Adam Teague, Brett McNamara and Ethan Shepherd, maintained their improved doubles play as they defeated Kennington 7-4. Teague continues to dominate in singles, although Keith Parker tested him to the end.**

Teague and Shepherd d. Craig Armour and Keith Parker 11-6, 11-7, 7-11, 11-7, Teague and McNamara d. Armour and Joshua Pollock 12-14, 11-4, 11-7, 12-10, and Teague d. Parker 8-11, 11-13, 11-4, 11-7, 11-7.

**Sandhurst d. White Hills 6-5, in a thriller. Mark Gordon won his three singles for the victors.**

Gordon d. Brock Fletcher 11-9, 6-11, 11-5, 11-4, Greg Woodman d. Chris Wilkin 11-9, 12-14, 14-12, 6-11, 11-5, and, in the final rubber, Woodman d. Geoff Lloyd 6-11, 12-10, 11-9, 11-9, to gain the points for Sandhurst.

**Epsom d. Golden Square 8-3. Frank McArthur and Ben Smart won their singles and doubles matches.**

Smart d. Adam Foster 4-11, 11-5, 8-11, 11-8, 11-8, McArthur and Smart d. Foster and Jeff Grubb 11-8, 11-6, 11-6, and Smart d. Grubb 11-6, 11-9, 9-11, 11-7.



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### **B grade**

#### **Round 13**

**30th July 2019**

#### **Junortoun d. Long Gully 8-3. Carol Clark starred in singles and doubles for the victors.**

Stuart Daniels d. Lloyd Davies 11-6, 9-11, 9-11, 11-5, 11-5, David McCrae and Daniels d. Micah Hartland and Davies 5-11, 12-10, 10-12, 11-4, 11-5, and Clark d. Hartland 11-8, 11-5, 10-12, 11-8.

#### **Golden Square's Simon Rowe, Ron Brown-Sarre and Shaun Choo d. Maiden Gully 6-5 in a thriller. Choo starred with three singles victories. His brilliant serving bordered on unplayable.**

Rowe d. Joseph Glanville 6-11, 10-12, 21-19, 11-9, 11-8, Glanville and Steve Prowse d. Choo and Brown-Sarre 3-11, 11-6, 11-7, 10-12, 11-9, and Choo d. Prowse 11-7, 8-11, 12-10, 12-10.

#### **Eaglehawk d. Kangaroo Flat 7-4, with the doubles the difference.**

Keelan Bertuch and Lasith Kulasekara d. Anthony O'Brien and Chris McShane 11-9, 10-12, 11-8, 12-10, Kulasekara and Lachlan Woodward d. O'Brien and Chris Nanere 12-10, 11-9, 11-8, and Woodward d. O'Brien 10-12, 11-7, 9-11, 11-9, 11-5.

#### **Strathfieldsaye's Adam Foster Jnr., Brian Bartlett and Aidan Clemens d. Bendigo 9-2. Bartlett and Clemens each won three singles.**

Bartlett d. John Seipolt 7-11, 11-9, 11-5, 11-3, Foster d. Phil Bourke 14-12, 9-11, 11-8, 11-6, and Clemens d. Adam Cambarari 9-11, 11-9, 11-8, 11-3.

#### **Epsom d. Kennington 6-5, after many close battles. Jason Comer starred in singles and doubles for Epsom. The doubles were crucial to the result.**

Comer d. Brendon Tuena 14-12, 11-7, 11-7, Andrew Lewis d. Dean Conway 7-11, 13-11, 11-8, 4-11, 11-7, Comer d. Conway 11-9, 7-11, 14-12, 11-6, and Comer and Lynne Frederick d. Tuena and Conway 16-14, 11-4, 11-5.





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## **B grade**

### **Round 14**

**6th August 2019**

**Long Gully's Micah Hartland, Jock McNeil and Lloyd Davies, d. Eaglehawk 6-5, after a seesawing battle. Hartland starred, especially in singles.**

John Seipolt and Lasith Kulasakara d. Hartland and McNeil 11-9, 8-11, 12-14, 11-8, 11-8, Hartland and Davies d. Kulasakara and Lachlan Woodward 11-4, 11-7, 12-10, and Hartland ensured victory by defeating Woodward 11-6, 15-13, 12-10.

**Kennington d. Kangaroo Flat 6-5, with Brendon Tuena starring for Kennington. The 'Flat triumphed in hard fought doubles.**

Maurie Bingham d. Phil Aucutt 11-8, 11-9, 5-11, 11-9, Dean Conway and Aucutt d. Tuena and Bingham 12-10, 6-11, 6-11, 11-6, 11-9, and, in the final rubber, Tuena d. Aucutt 11-5, 10-12, 12-10, 9-11, 11-8, for the narrowest of victories.

**Maiden Gully d. Bendigo 8-3. Joseph Glanville dominated for the 'Gully, especially in singles.**

Glanville d. Jeremy Darmody 11-3, 14-12, 8-11, 2-11, 11-8, Darmody and Adam Cambareri d. Glanville and Steve Prowse 9-11, 8-11, 13-11, 11-4, 11-4, and Glanville and Leo Brophy d. Darmody and Phil Bourke 11-6, 13-11, 7-11, 11-7.

**Strathfieldsaye d. Epsom 6-5, in another hard fought thriller. Adam Foster starred for the victors, who won despite losing their two doubles.**

Foster d. Jason Comer 5-11, 11-9, 9-11, 14-12, 11-9, Comer d. Aidan Clemens 12-10, 9-11, 7-11, 11-7, 11-5, and Brian Bartlett d. Lynne Frederick 11-8, 7-11, 11-8, 11-8.

**Golden Square d. Junortoun 9-2, however seven matches went to four or five games. Shawn Choo won his three singles for the 'Square.**

Choo and Ron Brown-Sarre d. Carol Clark and David McCrae 11-6, 12-10, 9-11, 9-11, 11-6, Brown-Sarre d. McCrae 11-6, 12-10, 9-11, 9-11, 11-6, Choo d. McCrae 11-3, 11-8, 9-11, 11-3, and Simon Rowe d. Clark 5-11, 9-11, 11-9, 11-5, 11-3.



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**C grade**

**Round 10**

**1st August 2019**

**Fourth place "Three Of Us" upstaged second place The Smashers 6-5 in a crucial win to tighten their hold on a spot in the four. Victory in both doubles was crucial in The Three of Us securing the win.**

Sophia McCartney defeated Brad Trigg 11-4, 12-10, 13-11. McCartney & Michael Arnold defeated Trigg & Warren Bice 12-10, 11-7, 11-13, 16-14. Bice defeated McCartney 12-10, 11-9, 10-12, 11-9. McCartney & Madeline Roberts defeated Trigg & Edward Decker 11-5, 11-7, 11-6. Trigg pulled one back late for the Smashers defeating Arnold 11-1, 4-11, 11-8, 11-13, 11-9.

**The third place A Team defeated the 5<sup>th</sup> place Nicks to create a gap between the top four and the chasing pack. Warren Bland led the way with three singles wins, whilst the doubles were shared.**

Bland defeated Nick Goddard 11-9, 5-11, 11-5, 6-11, 11-8. Goddard & Kelm defeated Bland & Adam Brown-Sarre 13-11, 8-11, 11-5, 14-12. Kelm defeated Jordan Rogers 10-12, 11-8, 2-11, 11-7, 11-5. Bland defeated Kelm 11-8, 5-11, 7-11, 11-8, 13-11.

**The Misfits kept their gap at the top of the table with a strong win over Hit Or Miss 8-3. Stuart Decker claiming three singles wins, whilst Lance Goodman, Gary Fitzgerald & Matt Burns all picked up two wins each.**

Decker defeated Burns 11-7, 5-11, 11-7, 11-8. Decker defeated Fitzgerald 8-11, 11-4, 11-6, 8-11, 12-10. Burns & Goodman defeated Decker & Karen Cooke 11-5, 11-6, 7-11, 3-11, 11-9. Burns defeated Tayla McArthur 11-3, 14-16, 11-3, 11-4.



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**C grade**

**Round 11**

**8th August 2019**

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**The Nicks defeated Hit Or Miss 7-4 to remain in touch with the top four in a hard fought contest.**

Nick Goddard was a stand out for the Nicks with three singles and a doubles victory on the night. It was an even team effort from Hit Or Miss to keep the scoreboard close all night. Goddard defeated Stuart Decker 11-6, 11-7, 11-6. Ben Tan defeated Tayla McArthur 8-11, 12-10, 11-13, 11-7, 11-9. Goddard & Tan defeated Decker & McArthur 8-11, 12-10, 11-5, 12-10. In the second doubles Decker & Karen Cooke defeated Goddard & Alex Kelm 11-4, 7-11, 14-12, 12-10. Goddard defeated McArthur 11-6, 9-11, 11-5, 11-7.

**The Misfits defeated the Three Of Us 6-5 and 20 sets to 19 in the closest of contests. The evenness of the contest was highlighted by every player being beaten at least once in singles on the night.**

Sophia McCartney defeated Matt Burns 11-7, 13-11, 11-9. Keith Price defeated Gary Fitzgerald 11-4, 6-11, 11-8, 15-17, 11-4. Burns defeated Price 11-7, 8-11, 6-11, 11-9, 11-7. Gary Fitzgerald defeated McCartney in the final rubber 6-11, 11-2, 11-6, 11-6.

**The Smashers defeated The A Team 6-5 in another close encounter despite finishing behind in Sets 20-19.**

Warren Bland defeated Brad Trigg 11-5, 9-11, 11-8, 11-6. Warren Bice defeated Adam Brown-Sarre 11-6, 11-5, 11-7. Trigg & Bice defeated Bland & Jordan Rogers 5-11, 9-11, 15-13, 11-7, 11-8. Trigg defeated Brown-Sarre 11-7, 7-11, 11-5, 11-9. Trigg defeated Rogers 11-9, 7-11, 11-7, 13-15, 11-2. Bice defeated Bland 11-4, 11-7, 11-7.