

DARWIN TABLE TENNIS WEEKLY

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Round 6 · Results

A Grade		
Rainbow 6	4 · 7	Golden Pen Grippers
Void	6 · 5	CDU
TAB 2	5 · 6	Benfica

B Grade		
MIC	1 · 10	Jabiroos
Kea	7 · 4	Giants
Mojo On	5 · 6	Dragonflies

C Grade		
Grizzlies	4 · 7	Ring Ins
Thunder	8 · 3	Sizzlers
River Rats	8 · 3	3 Amigos

Round 6 · Report

A Grade

Benfica have clinched a narrow victory over *TAB 2* to maintain a top four position after Round 6 on Wednesday night in A Grade. **Elfrida Kalich** pipped **TT Lee** in the decider to square her team's win/loss ledger in four sets. After an ordinary season so far, **Steven Burlinson** (*Benfica*) scored a vital rubber early on against **Eugene Laoc**, 10-12, 11-8, 8-11, 11-3, 11-6; while teammate **Joe Abrantes** won a gritty contest with a fiery **Zakelli Xie**, coming back from the brink in the third set to eventually get over the line, 9-11, 3-11, 14-12, 13-11, 11-5.

Void returned to the top of the ladder after edging *Charles Darwin University* in a closer contest when compared to their Round 1 meeting. **Martin Feng** secured the winning rubber, outgunning an in-form **Graham Symons** in four. **TY Lee** won three singles in a losing match, but had to work to deny Martin, 11-9, 12-14, 10-12, 14-12, 12-10.

Lastly, *Golden Pen Grippers* have kept the pace with the top four teams with a comprehensive win over *Rainbow 6*. In a key rubber, **Junfei Chen** came back to beat **Sebastian Lai** in five gripping sets.

B Grade

Dragonflies have survived a tough tussle with *Mojo On* to bounce back after last week's heavy loss, 6-5, on Thursday evening. Although **Robert Ho** defeated **Mo Zhong** in the decider, it was an earlier rubber where junior **Jordan Lai** (*Dragonflies*) stepped up to clinch a crucial contest against **Joseph Juan**, 11-9, 4-11, 11-5, 5-11, 11-5.

Kea have maintained their top spot when they brushed off a *Giants* challenge. It was **Roy Anderson** who starred in this match, winning three singles for the first time this season – including a sensational victory over top B Grade player, **Brandon Porter**, 5-11, 11-7, 2-11, 11-9, 12-10.

In another match, *Jabiroos* completely shut down *MIC* to get a much-needed victory. Both **Michael Yaxley** and **Shino Joy** won three singles, while it was a great performance by teammate **Arion Magnoli**, who won a couple of his own. Returning player **Michael Ndukwe** filled in for *MIC* to pick up his team's sole rubber of the night.

C Grade

River Rats have dominated the *3 Amigos* to stay in touch with the top four, despite being on the bottom of the ladder on Tuesday night. **Joe Howe** was instrumental in the win, claiming three singles. **Rehan Palamattom** (*River Rats*) had the answers to close out a thriller against junior **Amy Zhao**, 7-11, 11-9, 7-11, 11-6, 11-6.

Thunder have shocked the previously undefeated *Sizzlers* to win their third match. **Graeme Perkins** and **Garv** clinched three singles to get themselves in an insurmountable position. Graeme needed five sets to win a key rubber over **Zac Howe**, 11-7, 7-11, 12-10, 8-11, 16-14.

Brimming with confidence, *Ring Ins* have won an impressive contest with the *Grizzlies*, 7-4. **Sujata Timilsina** was the MVP, winning two crucial singles to double her seasonal singles victories in a night. **Jeremie Langlois** returned to the top of the singles.

DPPA Promotion at Casuarina Shopping Square

WHERE: CASUARINA SHOPPING CENTRE LEVEL 1 ABOVE THE EATERY

WHEN: SATURDAY 17th October - 9.00 am to 5.00 pm

WHY: An opportunity to show case our club to the community to promote the DTTA programs targeted at the juniors including Spinneroos, Corporate Cup, Under 13 Junior Coaching, Over 12 Junior Coaching, Seniors, and our weekly club events. The aim is to increase our membership and encourage more people to join and play table tennis.

How can you help?

The DTTA Committee is looking for existing club members to participate throughout the day to come along and play table tennis to the public in air-conditioned facilities. A notice with a time table is on the general notice board at the club to enter your name and contact details if you are able to volunteer some of your time on the day. The goal is to have about 20 to 24 volunteer players throughout the day.

John Pudney has graciously volunteered his time and trailer to set up and dismantle, two volunteers will be gratefully accepted to assist with packing the trailer at 8.00 am Saturday morning with the table, barriers and accessories including the TV and stand. Also, to pack up and unload after 5.00 pm back at our club.

If any club members have the ability to edit about 3 hours of recent club players playing competition onto the newly acquired laptop would also be gratefully accepted and then add in some other programs to loop the whole video to play to the public on the day. This aspect of the promotion will be a great promotional tool.

We will have flyers to give out, forms that can be filled in, a raffle, and as much interaction with the public that we can muster. *David Wang* and I will be there all day, we would appreciate if any other club members can assist with talking to the public as well.

On behalf of the DTTA Committee we hope the enthusiasm and interest from our members can come along to promote the club and the game we all love to play.

Michael Yaxley
DTTA President



Coach Franck Roguez's Friday Session

Tomorrow's usual Friday afternoon practice session will be impacted by the Junior Training Camp, which will be using the hall from 4-6 pm.

However, Franck will conduct a session for Seniors & veterans who are interested and available from 6.30 - 8pm Friday.

Regards,

Graham Symons
TTNT Representative



A Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
TY Lee	17	1	52	12	94.44
Pedro Lay	14	4	49	18	77.78
TT Lee	14	4	46	21	77.78
Rodney Hee	14	4	48	26	77.78
Elfrida Kalich	12	3	40	13	80.00
John Pudney	10	2	32	14	83.33
Brodrick On	10	5	35	22	66.67
Zakelli Xie	10	8	38	34	55.56
Eugene Laoc	8	7	29	27	53.33
Joe Abrantes	7	8	29	35	46.67
Martin Feng	7	11	30	41	38.89
Junfei Chen	6	12	28	41	33.33
Jui Kai Lark	6	12	26	43	33.33
Graham Symons	5	4	22	20	55.56
Renee Li	5	13	24	43	27.78
Michael Yaxley	3	6	13	22	33.33
Anhtai Lee	3	12	19	40	20.00
Steven Burlinson	3	15	22	50	16.67
Ramez Mikhail	2	4	10	13	33.33
Shino Joy	2	4	8	16	33.33
Robert Ho	2	7	12	24	22.22
Sebastian Lai	2	13	12	40	13.33
Mo Zhong	0	3	1	9	0.00

B Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Robert Ho	16	2	51	17	88.89
Brandon Porter	15	3	51	19	83.33
Michael Yaxley	14	4	46	24	77.78
Viqar Ali Khan	13	5	47	19	72.22
Kelvin On	13	5	45	30	72.22
Shino Joy	12	6	40	23	66.67
Katherine Pinzon	11	7	38	29	61.11
Mo Zhong	11	7	38	29	61.11
Maricor Sarceda	9	3	28	17	75.00
Khalid Khan	7	2	23	9	77.78
Iian Stimson	6	9	26	32	40.00
Roy Anderson	5	7	22	24	41.67
Rick Gibson	5	10	25	35	33.33
Jordan Lai	5	13	23	46	27.78
Matt Schobben	4	8	15	28	33.33
Arion Magnoli	4	14	18	47	22.22
Jeremie Langlois	3	6	17	21	33.33
Bo Remenyi	3	6	15	21	33.33
Joseph Juan	3	12	16	39	20.00
Graham Kwong	1	2	6	6	33.33
Michael Ndukwe	1	2	5	7	33.33
Eric Catalbas	1	5	5	17	16.67
Christian Lai	0	18	10	54	0.00
Graeme Perkins	0	3	1	9	0.00

C Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber W %
	W	L	F	A	
Jeremie Langlois	15	0	45	2	100.00
Graeme Perkins	15	3	48	12	83.33
Eric Catalbas	15	3	48	13	83.33
Steve Howe	15	3	47	14	83.33
Zac Howe	13	5	43	21	72.22
Joe Howe	11	4	38	17	73.33
Peter Thomas	9	6	31	21	60.00
John Juan	9	9	31	31	50.00
David Allen	8	10	27	34	44.44
Luca Lobo	7	5	23	18	58.33
Tomas Zachar	7	8	25	29	46.67
Michael Calwell	6	9	24	34	40.00
Dirk Botha	5	4	18	15	55.56
Rehan Palamattom	5	10	18	34	33.33
Tyler Tran	4	8	15	28	33.33
Alex Brachon	3	0	9	3	100.00
Garv	3	0	9	4	100.00
Margie Howe	3	6	11	22	33.33
Sujata Timilsina	3	12	14	40	20.00
Amy Zhao	2	13	13	42	13.33
Rammani Phuyal	2	16	16	49	11.11
Garth	1	2	3	6	33.33
Zoe Perkins	1	17	7	53	5.56
Christine Marshall	0	3	3	9	0.00
Ashleigh McFarlane	0	3	2	9	0.00
Zac	0	3	0	9	0.00

2020 Season 2 Team Ladder

A Grade							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Void	4	2	35	31	120	117	103
TAB 2	3	3	39	27	132	103	128
CDU	3	3	35	31	123	115	107
Benfica	3	3	32	34	120	123	98
Pen Grippers	3	3	31	35	116	118	98
Rainbow 6	2	4	26	40	101	136	74

B Grade							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Kea	5	1	37	29	134	95	141
Dragonflies	5	1	34	32	119	114	104
Jabiroos	3	3	39	27	122	103	118
Mojo On	3	3	35	31	116	119	97
Giants	2	4	31	35	110	122	90
MIC	0	6	22	44	92	140	66

C Grade							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Sizzlers	5	1	35	31	120	98	122
Grizzlies	3	3	36	30	116	100	116
Ring Ins	3	3	33	33	111	115	97
Thunder	3	3	32	34	100	110	91
3 Amigos	2	4	31	35	107	113	95
River Rats	2	4	31	35	99	117	85

Legend

W = Win; L = Loss; F = For; A = Against; % = Percentage

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