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Benfica	7 · 4	Rainbow 6					
Void	2 · 9	TAB 2					
CDU	5 · 6	Golden Pen Grippers					

B Grade							
Dragonflies	6 · 5	MIC					
Kea	6 · 5	Mojo On					
Giants	3 · 8	Jabiroos					

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

Round 3 · Report

A Grade

Golden Pen Grippers held their nerve to secure their first match victory against Charles Darwin University in Round 3 on Wednesday night. Although TY Lee (CDU) ultimately proved to be a thorn on their side, Pedro Lay's team found a way to negotiate their first win of the season after a fortnight of pain. Jui Lark (Pen Grippers) was the star, winning his first two singles of the season, which included triumphs over substitute Shino Joy and up-and-coming junior, Renee Li.

Previous top side *Void* came crashing down, thanks to a dominant display by *TAB 2*. **TT Lee** was too robust in the singles, while teammates **Zakelli Xie** and **Eugene Laoc** proved ample support in both the doubles and singles. Zak overcame **Brodrick On** in a classic shootout, 11-6, 11-5, 5-11, 4-11, 11-3.

Benfica bounced back from last week's loss to claim a comprehensive victory over a disjointed Rainbow 6. Elfrida Kalich (Benfica) won three singles, while fellow team member Steven Burlinson outgunned an out-of-form Anhtai Lee in five, 11-9, 11-6, 5-11, 10-12, 11-7.

B Grade

Dragonflies maintained an unbeaten start to the season, when they defeated team MIC in a fiery contest on Thursday evening. Despite Maricor Sarceda (MIC) winning three singles, the Dragonflies did just enough to get over the line. Rick Gibson nullified lian Stimson in the deciding rubber to get his team home.

Jabiroos stormed home against the *Giants* to sit in second place on the ladder. **Michael Yaxley** was ruthless when he won three singles, including a rare victory over **Brandon Porter**, 11-9, 11-7, 3-11, 9-11, 11-4. For the *Giants*, sub **Eric Catalbas** clinched an entertaining rubber over **Arion Magnoli**, 6-11, 11-9, 11-7, 9-11, 11-5.

Kea edged Mojo On to bounce back after the loss last week. Kea substitute Khalid Khan led the side with three singles wins. For Mojo On, Kelvin On won the rubber of the night, besting Viqar Ali Khan, 11-5, 11-13, 12-10, 9-11, 11-6.

C Grade

River Rats have finally tasted victory when they outmuscled *Thunder* on Tuesday evening. Each River Rats player won a couple of singles, while also claiming both doubles rubbers in the one-sided win. **Graeme Perkins** (*Thunder*) won three singles in the loss, but climbed to the top of the individual ladder for the first time this season.

The mighty 3 Amigos returned to the winner's list when they shut down the Grizzlies, 7-4. Debutant Alex Brachon starred alongside Steve Howe, with both winning three singles on the night. Alex clinched a tight contest over Margie Howe in five.

Sizzlers have made it three wins from three matches after they outgunned *Ring ins*. With all three *Sizzlers* players winning two singles each, it was enough to keep themselves undefeated after Round 3. The consistent **John Juan** (*Sizzlers*) won a decisive rubber against rival **Michael Calwell**, 11-6, 5-11, 11-9, 9-11, 11-8.

A Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	Α	W %
TY Lee	8	1	25	8	88.89
TT Lee	8	1	24	9	88.89
Elfrida Kalich	7	2	24	8	77.78
Pedro Lay	7	2	24	8	77.78
Rodney Hee	7	2	23	12	77.78
John Pudney	5	1	17	6	83.33
Zakelli Xie	5	4	19	17	55.56
Joe Abrantes	5	4	19	19	55.56
Brodrick On	4	2	14	9	66.67
Eugene Laoc	4	2	12	10	66.67
Martin Feng	4	5	15	19	44.44
Michael Yaxley	3	3	12	13	50.00
Renee Li	3	6	14	20	33.33
Shino Joy	2	4	8	16	33.33
Junfei Chen	2	7	13	21	22.22
Steven Burlinson	2	7	13	24	22.22
Anhtai Lee	2	7	11	23	22.22
Jui Kai Lark	2	7	11	23	22.22
Sebastian Lai	1	5	5	16	16.67
Robert Ho	0	6	5	18	0.00
Mo Zhong	0	3	1	9	0.00

B Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Gar	ne	Rubber
	W	L	F	Α	W %
Brandon Porter	8	1	26	9	88.89
Michael Yaxley	8	1	26	11	88.89
Robert Ho	8	1	26	12	88.89
Viqar Ali Khan	6	3	24	10	66.67
Shino Joy	6	3	20	13	66.67
Khalid Khan	5	1	15	5	83.33
Maricor Sarceda	5	1	15	8	83.33
Mo Zhong	5	4	19	14	55.56
lian Stimson	5	4	20	17	55.56
Kelvin On	5	4	20	17	55.56
Katherine Pinzon	5	4	19	17	55.56
Rick Gibson	3	3	12	11	50.00
Jordan Lai	3	6	14	23	33.33
Jeremie Langlois	2	4	10	14	33.33
Arion Magnoli	2	7	9	24	22.22
Graham Kwong	1	2	6	6	33.33
Matt Schobben	1	2	3	6	33.33
Roy Anderson	1	5	9	15	16.67
Joseph Juan	1	5	4	15	16.67
Eric Catalbas	1	5	5	17	16.67
Christian Lai	0	9	6	27	0.00
Graeme Perkins	0	3	1	9	0.00

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C Grade Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Gar	ne	Rubber
	W	L	F	Α	W %
Graeme Perkins	8	1	25	3	88.89
Eric Catalbas	8	1	25	5	88.89
Steve Howe	8	1	24	5	88.89
Zac Howe	7	2	21	10	77.78
Jeremie Langlois	6	0	18	1	100.00
Joe Howe	5	4	20	12	55.56
John Juan	5	4	15	15	55.56
Luca Lobo	4	2	14	8	66.67
Peter Thomas	4	2	13	7	66.67
Michael Calwell	4	5	15	20	44.44
Dirk Botha	3	0	9	2	100.00
Alex Brachon	3	0	9	3	100.00
Tomas Zachar	3	3	11	12	50.00
Rehan Palamattom	3	6	12	20	33.33
Tyler Tran	3	6	12	22	33.33
Margie Howe	2	4	8	14	33.33
Amy Zhao	2	4	8	15	33.33
David Allen	2	7	7	23	22.22
Rammani Phuyal	1	8	8	25	11.11
Ashleigh McFarlane	0	3	2	9	0.00
Sujata Timilsina	0	9	5	27	0.00
Zoe Perkins	0	9	4	27	0.00

2020 Season 2 Team Ladder

A Grade								
Team	Ma	tch	Rubber		Game		Game	
	W	L	W	L	F	Α	%	
TAB 2	2	1	21	12	66	51	129	
Benfica	2	1	19	14	67	55	122	
Void	2	1	17	16	59	59	100	
CDU	1	2	16	17	56	60	93	
Pen Grippers	1	2	13	20	55	61	90	
Rainbow 6	1	2	13	20	50	67	75	

B Grade							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game
	W	L	W	L	F	Α	%
Dragonflies	3	0	20	13	66	54	122
Jabiroos	2	1	20	13	63	52	121
Kea	2	1	16	17	64	53	121
Mojo On	1	2	16	17	54	59	92
Giants	1	2	14	19	48	63	76
MIC	0	3	13	20	52	66	79

C Grade							
Team	Ma	tch	Rubber		Game		Game
	W	L	W	L	F	Α	%
Sizzlers	3	0	19	14	59	46	128
3 Amigos	2	1	19	14	62	48	129
Grizzlies	1	2	16	17	50	60	83
Thunder	1	2	15	18	50	54	93
Ring Ins	1	2	15	18	54	59	92
River Rats	1	2	15	18	50	58	86

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

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