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A GRADE

ROUND 8		
MS	3 • 2	Deadshots
Roadies	1 • 4	The Long & the Short of It
Fighters	2 • 3	163
Sweet Chilli	3 • 2	Benfica

REPORT

Team 163 had something to cheer about, after they upset the rhythm of the *Fighters* on Wednesday night. **Phuc Nguyen** led the way with his crafty technique to clinch both singles, while teammate **Joe Abrantes** held his nerve to pinch the decider over **Aakash Patel**, 4-1.

In another match, *Sweet Chilli* held off *Benfica* in a tight tussle. **Pedro Lay** and **Jeremie Langlois** combined to claim the deciding doubles, despite **Elfrida Kalich's** dominance in the singles. In what has been a riveting contest between two powerhouses, it was Elfrida who overcame a late fightback by Pedro to keep her undefeated singles record intact, winning 4-3.

Lowly *MS* enjoyed a consecutive match win for the first time this season, after they outthustled the top team, *Deadshots*. **Sebastian Lai** claimed a pivotal opening rubber against **Anhtai Lee**, 4-3, which would eventually determine the winning side.

Lastly, *The Long & the Short of It* powered their way past the *Roadies*, picking up steam mid-season. **Mitchell Bedford** was irresistible in a perfect night in the singles department, while **Dae Gerschwitz** showed encouraging signs after besting the top B Grade player, **Michael Yaxley**, 4-2.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER					
Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Elfrida Kalich	16	0	64	18	100.00
Mitchell Bedford	12	2	50	16	85.71
Pedro Lay	12	4	53	26	75.00
Rodney Hee	11	3	46	19	78.57
Renee Li	8	8	39	48	50.00
John Pudney	7	3	35	15	70.00
Aakash Patel	7	9	37	47	43.75
Brett Sprunt	6	4	33	22	60.00
Dennis Evans	6	6	28	33	50.00
Martin Feng	6	6	31	37	50.00
TT Lee	5	3	23	16	62.50
Mohit Banjade	5	9	33	45	35.71
Dae Gerschwitz	5	9	29	43	35.71
Sebastian Lai	5	11	31	52	31.25
Ramez Mikhail	3	1	15	8	75.00
Phuc Nguyen	3	1	13	9	75.00
Joe Abrantes	3	13	32	56	18.75
Oscar van Cuylenborg	2	0	8	0	100.00
Jeremie Langlois	2	4	12	18	33.33
Shino Joy	2	12	17	50	14.29
Robert Ho	1	1	4	6	50.00
Anhtai Lee	1	11	20	47	8.33
Michael Yaxley	0	4	5	16	0.00
Katherine Pinzon	0	2	2	8	0.00
Mo Zhong	0	2	2	8	0.00

TEAM LADDER							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Deadshots	5	3	24	16	105	81	130
The Long & the Short of It	5	3	23	17	99	84	118
Sweet Chilli	5	3	22	18	103	90	114
Roadies	4	4	21	19	106	97	109
Benfica	4	4	20	20	96	97	99
Fighters	3	5	19	21	92	116	79
163	3	5	17	23	97	103	94
MS	3	5	15	25	85	115	74

Legend

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



B GRADE

ROUND 8		
MNM	3 • 2	Mandos
Raptors	3 • 2	PHDs
Runners	4 • 1	Bush Turkeys
Mo & Co	2 • 3	No BS

REPORT

Raptors are back in contention after they held off an impressive *PHDs* team on Thursday evening. **Andrew Barton** won two singles for the first time this season, including an upset of **Gavin Bedford**, 4-2. On a brighter note for the losing side, **Deepak Gautam** provided excellent support to Gavin in their doubles victory, 3-2.

Runners have obliterated *Bush Turkeys* to cement their top four spot, for now. Both **John Langdon** and **Jui Lark** enjoyed winning both singles, while the doubles loss was their only blight of their impressive night.

Meanwhile, *No BS* have kept their faint finals hopes alive with a win over *Mo & Co*. **Ryan Starkey** won both singles, including his revenge over **Mo Zhong** – who defeated him in round one.

Lastly, *MNM* avoided defeat after they outlasted a competitive *Mandos* team. In the battle of the Michaels, it was **Ndukwe** who overcame the current B Grade number one, **Yaxley**, in the decider, 11-7, 11-7, 9-11, 6-11, 15-13, 10-12, 11-8.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Michael Yaxley	13	3	58	35	81.25
Ryan Starkey	11	5	49	28	68.75
Viqar Ali Khan	10	6	48	32	62.50
Michael Ndukwe	10	6	48	37	62.50
Mohit Banjade	9	5	45	25	64.29
Robert Ho	9	5	46	35	64.29
Mo Zhong	9	7	46	39	56.25
Jui Kai Lark	9	7	48	39	56.25
Andrew Barton	9	7	45	41	56.25
Gavin Bedford	7	3	32	19	70.00
Jeremie Langlois	6	2	26	15	75.00
John Langdon	6	6	29	29	50.00
Maricor Sarceda	5	5	26	23	50.00
Katherine Pinzon	3	5	23	25	37.50
Khalid Khan	3	9	24	38	25.00
Rick Gibson	3	11	25	47	21.42
Joseph Juan	2	4	11	18	33.33
Qiulin Li	1	1	5	4	50.00
Brodie Driscoll	1	7	10	29	12.50
Deepak Gautam	1	15	12	63	6.25

TEAM LADDER

Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game
	W	L	W	L	F	A	%
MNM	7	1	26	14	108	70	154
Bush Turkeys	6	2	22	18	109	103	106
Raptors	5	3	22	18	109	91	120
Runners	5	3	20	20	101	94	107
Mandos	3	5	18	22	89	109	82
Mo & Co	2	6	18	22	98	103	95
No BS	2	6	17	23	81	96	84
PHDs	2	6	17	23	83	113	73

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C GRADE

ROUND 8		
Roosters	6 • 5	Guns
Daredevils	4 • 7	Bold Bashers
Lefties	4 • 7	Go Team

REPORT

Bottom side *Go Team* have caused an upset when they defeated the top side, *Lefties*, on Tuesday night. Both doubles wins played a crucial role in getting *Go Team* home, especially the second, when **Geni O'Brien** and **Michael Calwell** combined to outgun **Peter Ramsay** and **Simon Koefoed**, 11-4, 6-11, 11-6.

Bold Bashers have climbed to the top of the ladder for the first time this season, thanks to a comprehensive win over the *Daredevils*. **Anaz Umar Sarif** held his nerve to outlast the returning **Graeme Perkins** in one of the contests of the night, 10-12, 11-8, 11-9, 8-11, 11-6.

Finally, the *Roosters* have edged *Guns* in a tight challenge. **Roy Anderson** was too strong when he won three singles. In one of the few highlights for the losing team, **Toby Koefoed** won a dazzling singles rubber over the scrappy **Dirk Botha**, 12-10, 9-11, 8-11, 11-5, 13-11.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER					
Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Peter Ramsay	23	1	71	10	95.83
Anaz Umar Sarif	22	2	68	18	91.67
Luca Lobo	19	5	59	29	79.17
Toby Koefoed	14	10	48	37	58.33
Roy Anderson	13	4	48	13	76.47
Ann Webb	11	3	35	20	78.57
Michael Calwell	11	10	47	36	52.38
Simon Koefoed	11	10	43	34	52.38
Dirk Botha	10	8	37	32	55.56
Ken McAlister	8	10	27	37	44.44
Peter Thomas	7	2	25	11	77.78
Gagan Bahadur	7	8	27	30	41.67
May Morrison	7	14	27	42	33.33
Sulaiman Umar Sarif	6	0	18	1	100.00
Geni O'Brien	6	3	20	14	66.67
Graeme Perkins	5	4	20	12	55.56
Stewart Cobb	5	18	26	61	21.74
Rob Blakely	5	19	27	57	20.83
Antonia Lai	4	20	15	62	16.67
Dallas Graetz	3	3	9	10	50.00
Josh	3	3	9	13	50.00
Mark Myerscough	2	1	8	5	66.67
Solomon	2	4	8	14	33.33
Amy Zhao	1	2	6	6	33.33
Treva Gerschwitz	1	2	4	7	33.33
Luke Schaefer	1	2	3	7	33.33
Dave	0	3	2	9	0.00
Luigi Lovato	0	10	6	35	0.00
Christine Marshall	0	6	0	18	0.00
Iliana	0	3	0	9	0.00
Karunika Pamarathne	0	6	0	18	0.00

TEAM LADDER							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Bold Bashers	6	2	59	29	189	135	140
Lefties	6	2	54	34	157	101	155
Roosters	6	2	44	44	134	133	101
Daredevils	2	6	38	50	129	156	83
Guns	2	6	36	52	120	168	71
Go Team	2	6	30	58	112	156	72

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