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A GRADE

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

REPORT

Sweet Chilli have broken the duck to get themselves back in the pack, after a grim fortnight of competition. On Wednesday night, **Pedro Lay** powered his way past **Martin Feng** (MS) 4-0 to take an unassailable lead heading into the final rubber, which **Dennis Evans** converted when he thrashed youngster **Sebastian Lai**, also in straight sets.

Team 163 clinched the decisive doubles over *Benfica*, to get themselves over the line. After trailing 0-2, it seemed **Elfrida Kalich's** team would finish strongly. However, **TT Lee's** team had other ideas as they grinded out the last three games to claim a memorable victory.

Roadies have ended *Fighters'* brief stint on top of the ladder, thanks to the dominance of **John Pudney** in both doubles and singles. **Mohit Banjade** grinded to an impressive upset win over **Aakash Patel**, 4-1.

Lastly, *The Long & the Short of It* have rebounded to take out the *Deadshots*. **Dae Gerschwitz** clinched the decider when he blasted past an out-of-sorts **Anhtai Lee**. **Mitchell Bedford** returned to competition with a couple of singles wins, including one over **Rodney Hee**, 4-2.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER					
Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber W %
	W	L	F	A	
Elfrida Kalich	6	0	24	7	100.00
John Pudney	5	1	22	7	83.33
Mitchell Bedford	4	0	16	5	100.00
Pedro Lay	4	2	18	10	66.67
TT Lee	4	2	19	11	66.67
Rodney Hee	4	2	18	12	66.67
Brett Sprunt	3	1	15	6	75.00
Dennis Evans	3	3	15	15	50.00
Aakash Patel	3	3	15	18	50.00
Renee Li	3	3	16	19	50.00
Mohit Banjade	2	2	10	12	50.00
Martin Feng	2	4	12	19	33.33
Shino Joy	2	4	10	18	33.33
Ramez Mikhail	1	1	7	4	50.00
Joe Abrantes	1	5	11	21	16.67
Dae Gerschwitz	1	5	8	20	16.67
Sebastian Lai	0	6	7	24	0.00
Anhtai Lee	0	4	3	16	0.00

TEAM LADDER							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Roadies	2	1	10	5	46	28	164
Benfica	2	1	8	7	39	34	115
The Long & the Short of It	2	1	8	7	37	33	112
163	2	1	8	7	39	38	103
Fighters	2	1	8	7	37	45	82
Deadshots	1	2	8	7	35	32	109
Sweet Chilli	1	2	8	7	38	35	109
MS	0	3	2	13	24	50	48

Legend

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B GRADE

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

REPORT

MNM are the team to beat, after they remained undefeated, with their result over *Mo & Co* their best yet on a humid Thursday night. **Mohit Banjade** won both singles, ending **Mo Zhong's** unbeaten streak in the singles in the process. He teamed up with **Michael Ndukwe** to claim the pivotal doubles (which they have yet to taste defeat in).

Mandos have moved into the top four for the first time, after having defeated *PHDs*, 3-2. **Michael Yaxley** remained as the only undefeated player in the grade, notching an impressive win over rival **Gavin Bedford**, 4-2. **Joseph Juan** got his first singles win when he edged **Deepak Gautam**, 4-2.

The *Bush Turkeys* have also moved into the top four for the first time, defeating *No BS* in a draining encounter. Despite **Ryan Starkey** winning both singles, the *Bush Turkeys* won a see-sawing critical doubles, 11-7 in the fifth game. **Rick Gibson** held his nerve to finish off **Khalid Khan** in the decider, 4-2.

Raptors have dismantled *Runners* to stay in second spot on the ladder. **Viqar Ali Khan** had a strong run in the singles, while **Andrew Barton** held off the mercurial **Jui Kai Lark**, 4-2.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER					
Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber W %
	W	L	F	A	
Michael Yaxley	6	0	24	12	100.00
Mo Zhong	5	1	21	10	83.33
Mohit Banjade	4	2	21	11	66.67
Viqar Ali Khan	4	2	19	10	66.67
Ryan Starkey	4	2	19	12	66.67
Robert Ho	4	2	19	16	66.67
Gavin Bedford	3	1	14	7	75.00
Andrew Barton	3	3	18	14	50.00
Michael Ndukwe	3	3	19	16	50.00
Jui Kai Lark	3	3	15	16	50.00
Maricor Sarceda	2	2	10	11	50.00
John Langdon	2	4	12	17	33.33
Rick Gibson	2	4	12	19	33.33
Brodie Driscoll	1	3	7	13	25.00
Joseph Juan	1	3	6	14	25.00
Khalid Khan	1	5	10	22	16.67
Katherine Pinzon	0	2	6	8	0.00
Deepak Gautam	0	6	4	24	0.00

TEAM LADDER							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
MNM	3	0	10	5	49	31	158
Raptors	2	1	9	6	44	28	157
Bush Turkeys	2	1	8	7	39	42	93
Mandos	2	1	8	7	36	41	88
PHDs	1	2	7	8	33	41	80
Mo & Co	1	2	6	9	36	42	86
Runners	1	2	6	9	32	41	78
No BS	0	3	6	9	38	41	93

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C GRADE

ROUND 3		
Go Team	1 • 10	Bold Bashers
Guns	2 • 9	Lefties
Team 5	7 • 4	Daredevils

REPORT

Bold Bashers have demolished *Go Team* on Tuesday night. Although *Go Team's* **Michael Calwell** won the opening rubber, they could not stop what was going to happen next as *Bold Bashers* claimed the last ten rubbers in convincing fashion. **Luca Lobo** won the rubber of the night when he bested Calwell, 11-4, 7-11, 5-11, 11-7, 11-6.

Team 5 have won a comprehensive tie over the winless *Daredevils*. The doubles proved crucial, as **Peter Thomas** and **Luke Schafer** secured a riveting contest over **Ann Webb** and **May Morrison**, 10-12, 13-11, 13-11.

Finally, *Lefties* have secured top spot with a devastating victory over the *Guns*. **Peter Ramsay** was untouchable in the singles rubbers, winning all three without dropping a set. Meanwhile, teammate **Roy Anderson** was also too good, doing the same.

INDIVIDUAL LADDER					
Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber W %
	W	L	F	A	
Peter Ramsay	9	0	27	4	100.00
Anaz Umar Sarif	8	1	24	6	88.89
Sulaiman Umar Sarif	6	0	18	1	100.00
Luca Lobo	6	3	20	14	66.67
Roy Anderson	5	1	16	3	83.33
Peter Thomas	5	1	17	7	83.33
Simon Koefoed	5	4	19	14	55.56
Toby Koefoed	5	4	17	14	55.56
Graeme Perkins	4	2	15	6	66.67
Dirk Botha	4	2	15	8	66.67
Ann Webb	3	0	9	4	100.00
Michael Calwell	3	3	12	11	50.00
Dallas Graetz	3	3	9	10	50.00
Ken McAlister	3	3	9	11	50.00
Gagan Bahadur	3	3	10	12	50.00
Rob Blakely	2	7	11	21	22.22
May Morrison	2	7	9	21	22.22
Amy Zhao	1	2	6	6	33.33
Treva Gerschwitz	1	2	4	7	33.33
Luke Schaefer	1	2	3	7	33.33
Antonia Lai	1	8	4	24	11.11
Stewart Cobb	0	9	3	27	0.00
Christine Marshall	0	3	0	9	0.00
Karunika	0	6	0	18	0.00

TEAM LADDER							
Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
Lefties	3	0	23	10	61	25	244
Team 5	3	0	21	12	67	44	152
Bold Bashers	2	1	20	13	62	47	132
Guns	1	2	13	20	40	63	63
Daredevils	0	3	12	21	44	65	68
Go Team	0	3	10	23	31	61	51

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