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C GRADE

Round 10

Supervillains	6 • 5	Oakwood
Geckos	6 • 5	Giants
Tricky Balls	6 • 5	Superheroes

Match Report

After a two-week break, competition returned to Tuesday night as *Supervillains* notched just their second match win against a stunned *Oakwood*. **Ming** (*Supervillains*) clinched a pivotal rubber against youngster **Jimmy Hee**, 10-12, 11-6, 11-8, 6-11, 11-9.

In another match, the *Geckos* reclaimed top spot on the ladder, thanks to a critical victory over the competitive *Giants*. **Leeam Milne** won three singles, while on the other end, **Ted Jones** (*Giants*) needed five games to get past **David Lee**, 9-11, 11-9, 5-11, 11-7, 11-8.

Finally, *Tricky Balls* have stunned the previous top side, *Superheroes*, keeping their finals chances alive. **Geni O'Brien** dominated the singles, including a four-game win over the top C Grade player, **Russell Williams**.

Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Russell Williams	27	3	85	21	90.00
Leeam Milne	23	4	74	23	85.19
Luigi Lovato	22	8	76	39	73.33
Geni O'Brien	21	3	65	22	87.50
Jimmy Hee	19	8	64	34	70.37
Jayden Ma	19	8	63	39	70.37
Ted Jones	16	14	62	58	53.33
Trevor Burke	15	11	51	46	57.69
David Lee	13	17	55	60	43.33
Kim Sin	12	15	51	52	44.44
Ming	10	8	35	35	55.56
Steve Beelitz	9	18	38	70	33.33
Debashis Paul	8	10	33	35	44.44
Simon Koefoed	6	6	23	20	50.00
Sujata Timilsina	6	12	29	40	33.33
Beina Liu	6	18	23	59	25.00
J O'Bryan-Keenan	6	24	28	78	20.00
Ann Webb	5	1	15	7	83.33
Plato Sin	5	16	29	50	23.81
Lazhar	3	0	9	0	100.00
Michael	3	0	9	1	100.00
Graeme Perkins	3	0	9	3	100.00
Patti Brown	3	24	16	75	11.11
Li Hua	2	1	8	4	66.67
Jackson	2	3	10	11	40.00
Ram Phuyal	1	2	6	7	33.33
Jimmy Tan	1	8	12	24	11.11
Douglas Sokoll	0	6	2	18	0.00
Karen Burke	0	15	1	45	0.00
Faye	0	3	0	9	0.00

Team Ladder

Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game
	W	L	W	L	F	A	%
Geckos	8	2	65	44	221	156	142
Superheroes	8	2	64	46	205	162	127
Giants	5	5	58	52	185	196	94
Oakwood	3	7	50	60	181	198	91
Tricky Balls	3	7	49	61	177	187	95
Supervillains	2	8	43	66	150	210	71

Legend

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

B GRADE

Round 10

Little Worms	10 • 1	Koedonho
Smashers	5 • 6	Golden Gods
Tigers	5 • 6	Geckos

Match Report

The season continued after a two-week break, with *Geckos* claiming a tantalising 6-5 win over fierce rivals, *Tigers*, on Thursday night. **Jackson Ma** stole the show when he defeated **Richard Lees** in an important contest, 15-13, 14-12, 7-11, 10-12, 11-9. Despite the loss, **Michael Ndukwe** won three singles, which included avenging his previous loss to **Shubham Chand**, 11-7, 11-9, 6-11, 10-12, 12-10.

Meanwhile, the *Golden Gods* cruised against an undermanned *Smashers*. **Viqar Ali Khan** held off **Kelvin On** in a vintage challenge, 12-10, 8-11, 8-11, 11-6, 11-8.

Lastly, the *Little Worms* ambushed *Koedonho* to complete a demolition job. **Paul Liu** surprised all with an impressive night, winning three singles rubbers.

Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber
	W	L	F	A	W %
Ryan Starkey	28	2	85	12	93.33
Viqar Ali Khan	27	2	84	17	93.10
Shubham Chand	22	8	72	34	73.33
Michael Ndukwe	21	6	69	31	77.78
Andrew Barton	20	10	69	45	66.67
Robert Ho	19	8	63	37	70.37
Richard Lees	18	12	67	50	60.00
Rick Gibson	18	12	62	55	60.00
Jackson Ma	13	14	49	55	48.15
Kelvin On	13	17	54	61	43.33
Dickson Lam	13	17	51	59	43.33
Paul Liu	11	19	47	63	36.67
Khalid Khan	10	9	37	36	52.63
John Langdon	10	11	37	35	47.62
Subho Das	6	18	21	57	25.00
Roberto Marrone	5	10	20	33	33.33
Solomon Nwagor	5	22	25	69	18.52
Maricor Sarceda	4	2	13	11	66.67
Antara Panchal	2	1	6	4	66.67
Lazhar	2	1	6	4	66.67
Jonathan Briskin	2	19	16	60	9.52
Toby Koefoed	2	19	13	57	9.52
Russell Williams	0	3	3	9	0.00
Geni O'Brien	0	3	2	9	0.00
Graeme Perkins	0	3	2	9	0.00
Luigi Lovato	0	6	2	18	0.00

Team Ladder

Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game
	W	L	W	L	F	A	%
Golden Gods	9	1	61	49	201	171	118
Geckos	7	3	63	47	207	171	121
Tigers	5	5	57	53	195	189	103
Little Worms	4	6	54	56	191	161	119
Smashers	3	7	53	57	176	195	90
Koedonho	2	8	42	68	145	217	67

Legend

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A GRADE

Round 10

R-An-R **6 • 5** Roadies

Tora Tora **6 • 5** SBN

TMS had the bye

Match Report

Tora Tora have claimed a narrow 6-5 win over a dangerous *SBN* on Wednesday night. **Julian Payares** starred in this encounter, winning three singles, including a thriller over **Sebastian Lai**, 7-11, 11-8, 7-11, 11-7, 16-14.

Lastly, the *Roadies* fell to the newly crowned top side, *R-An-R*. **Rodney Hee** was as sharp as ever with three singles wins, after his time at the annual Veterans Championships. **Renee Li** needed five games to defeat **Shino Joy**, 11-6 in the fifth.

Individual Ladder

Player	Rubber		Game		Rubber W %
	W	L	F	A	
Rodney Hee	23	4	74	24	85.19
Tom Randle	20	4	64	27	83.33
Sebastian Lai	16	5	56	25	76.19
Renee Li	15	9	52	34	62.50
Martin Feng	15	9	53	42	62.50
Elfrida Kalich	13	2	43	11	86.67
Julian Payares	12	3	41	19	80.00
John Pudney	11	10	42	34	52.38
Brodrick On	10	14	47	51	41.67
Nick Pastrikos	9	15	32	49	37.50
Joe Abrantes	8	16	32	53	33.33
Steven Burlinson	7	20	34	63	25.93
Shino Joy	5	16	21	53	23.81
Sonny	4	2	13	7	66.67
Jonathan Tong	3	0	9	0	100.00
Antara Panchal	3	24	18	75	11.11
Ploy	2	1	7	4	66.67
Michael Ndukwe	1	2	4	6	33.33
Martin Randle	1	2	3	7	33.33
Roland Chin	1	14	14	42	6.67

Team Ladder

Team	Match		Rubber		Game		Game %
	W	L	W	L	F	A	
R-An-R	5	3	49	39	157	136	115
TMS	5	3	48	40	153	148	103
Tora Tora	4	4	43	45	138	136	101
SBN	4	4	42	46	145	143	101
Roadies	2	6	38	50	137	167	82

Legend

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Australian Veterans 2023 Results

Reported by Rodney Hee

On behalf of the club, I would like to congratulate the NT Veterans team for an outstanding effort at the 2023 edition of the Australian Veterans competition. The team has been training all year for this event and the hard work has paid off.

A total of 13 medals were awarded between Elfrida Kalich, Joe Abrantes, and TT Lee.

Elfrida's Medals:

- Gold for Over 70 Women Singles, Over 70 Mixed Doubles.
- Silver for Over 70 Women Doubles, Teams (as Presidents team); Over 65 Women Doubles, Mixed Doubles.

TT's Medals:

- Bronze for Over 80 Teams, Men Doubles; Over 75 Mixed Doubles.

Joe's Medals:

- Bronze for Over 80 Teams, Men Doubles, Mixed Doubles; Over 75 Mixed Doubles.

This is an outstanding effort given our small table tennis community!

