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Back to Back Titles for Gavin



Two weeks after gaining the Cadet Boys' Singles title at the English National Junior Championships, Gavin Evans added to his growing list of titles with the National Cadet Masters during the last weekend of April.

Gavin, who turned thirteen two weeks earlier, is one of a trio of hot young properties in the English table tennis scene at present and already has a World and two European titles to his credit. With two more years remaining in the cadet (under-15) age group, he dominates his peers to such an extent that his tally of computer ranking points is almost twice that accumulated by anyone else. Originally coached at the Cippenham club, of which he remains a member, Gavin came back home win back-to-back Masters titles—he won the same event last year at the age of twelve.

Gavin was rarely troubled in the defence of his title; only sixth placed Stuart Mudie forced him into a deciding game. Chris Doran and Tom Maynard, on the Saturday, and Richard Marshall, on Sunday, also deigned to deprive him of a 3-0 scoreline but the destination of the title was never seriously in doubt.

If Gavin did not need to play at the top of his form to earn his deserved reward, then the same was not true of his brother Myles. The older of the two had a traumatic first day and failed to win even once. The result was early elimination for the player ranked third in the competition and who had been in good form in recent weeks, including winning a silver medal while representing England at the Catalunya Open. Another Cippenham member, Matt Ware, finished third.

Gavin, Myles and Matt Star at Nationals

Gavin Evans won two more national titles to add to his already huge tally at the English National Junior and Cadet Championships over the Easter weekend. Gavin, a member of England's all-conquering cadet team in 2005, won both the Cadet Boys' Singles and the Cadet Boys' Doubles. In the singles event the hot favourite despatched Matt Ware, also a member of the Cippenham club, 12-10, 11-3, 12-10 in the final. Gavin then teamed up with his older brother Myles to win the doubles when the opposition in the final was once again Matthew partnered by Win Yung Chan. The result was 11-9, 11-6, 12-10.



(l-r): Gavin Evans; Myles Evans; Matt Ware; Win Yung Chan Photo: ETTA



Club of the Year 1996
Club of the Year 1997

Congratulations on your National Titles

David Hayes: Irish Junior Champion singles

Eddie Mitchell: English Schools U11 Champion singles and team

Gavin Evans: English Cadet Champion singles and doubles; Cadet Masters

Myles Evans: English Cadet Champion doubles



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Mauthoor and Hicks the Winners at Junior Open

Cippenham
Junior 2* Open

Top seed Yasir Mauthoor beat off the challenge of second seed Abhay Gehlot to win the Cippenham Junior 2-Star Open Boys' Singles on 8th April. This thrilling finale to an excellent event went right down to the wire. Mauthoor won the first and the third games, Gehlot the second and fourth. There was nothing to choose between them and that was the way it continued into the fifth and deciding game. Mauthoor led 8-6 but Gehlot then won four consecutive points to stand 10-8 and two match points. However, the Essex player was not to be denied and stormed back to win the next four points for an exciting 12-10 win.

The close matches were not confined to the final. Both semi-finals also went the distance with Mauthoor getting the better of his county colleague and third seed Tae Joon Lee 11-9 in the fifth and Gehlot eliminating eighth seed Cippenham member Ross Saxby 11-7 also in the fifth. The only one of the top four seeds not to progress into his allotted semi-final berth was Wahab Adam. He, too, was the victim of a close and exciting match, falling 12-10 in the fifth to Ben Larcombe in the second round. Larcombe then went out 3-0 to Ross in the quarter-final.

Cippenham's Matthew Tucker caused a stir in the preliminary round groups by beating third seed Emran Hussain.

Boys' Singles:

Yasir Mauthoor (E) bt Abhay Gehlot (BK) 5,-9,6,-10,10

Girls' Singles:

1. Hannah Hicks (Ha); 2. Heather Knight (Ha)

Boys' Consolation:

Joe Cheong (Ox) bt Robbie Payne-Inglis (Mi) 4,9,8

Girls' Consolation:

1. Kelly Hooper (Do); 2. Stephanie Francis (Do)

Hussain was the only one of the eight seeds not to win his group while Matthew progressed to the quarters where he was beaten 3-1 by Mauthoor.

The Girls' Singles was won by Hampshire's Hannah Hicks. After winning her preliminary group Hicks was then placed into another final group of five players. The final match provided another nail biting climax as Hicks lost a two-game lead to Joy Whitehorn but then came back resolutely, using her pimpled backhand to good effect to set up forehand winners. Hicks' win by 11-7 pushed Whitehorn down into third place whereas victory for the Dorset girl would have given her the title instead. Three players all tied on two wins each and it was Heather Knight that emerged to take the runners-up trophy.

Further satisfaction came the way of the host club when Joe Cheong, son or tournament organizer Paul Cheong, won the Boys' Consolation.

Nets and Edges

County Seniors Retain Place

Bucks seniors were in action on 1st April and were nobody's April fools as they beat Kent 8-2 and drew 5-5 with Glamorgan to secure their continued involvement in Division 1B of the County Championships for next season. Cippenham's Robert Hansell, David Hayes, Sue Hayes and Caroline Linz were aided by an unbeaten display from Steve Munson.

Exit from Leach Cup

Cippenham's cadet boys' team were eliminated at the second stage of the national Leach Cup on 2nd April. The hosts beat Brighton 5-2 with Eddie Mitchell and Jonathan Evans unbeaten but then lost 5-1 to the holders Plymouth. Eddie beat Michael Griffiths but neither Jonathan nor James Mellish could register a win against a formidable Plymouth side.

Carter Final Reached

Slough's junior boys' team of David Hayes, Ashley Shaw and Eddie Mitchell have reached the finals of the national Carter Cup. Eddie came back from 2-0 down to win the clincher for a 5-4 win over Hull, while Guildford (who included Cippenham members Joe Cheong and Ross Saxby) were beaten 5-1. Slough's only loss was 5-3 to Norwich. The finals will take place in Loughborough over the weekend May 20/21.

Dove Flies in for Banded Glory

Cippenham
Banded 2* Open

The entry may have been down on previous years but there was still plenty of good table tennis for the participants of the Cippenham Banded Open to enjoy on 23 April. Fred Dove was the star as the Suffolk veteran won the Band 1 Singles and then beat the runner-up Jogenes Senorin again in a knock-out competition that pitched the Band 1 and Band 2 players up against each other.

Yasir Mauthoor won the Band 2 event and then beat the higher ranked Gavin West in the knock-out. In fact, Mauthoor led Senorin 2-0 before losing the third game 13-11 and ultimately the match 3-2 to deny himself a place in the final. Mauthoor was also taken to five games by Cippenham stalwart Graham Trimming who eventually fin-

ished runner-up in Band 2 after a three-way tie with David Wackrill and Clive Dawson.

The majority of the small entry of 38 entrants were in Band 3. This event was eventually won by another Essex junior Emran Hussain who was just too good throughout and beat Julian Adams 3-0 in the final.

Band 1:

1. Fred Dove (Sk); 2. Jogenes Senorin (Mi)

Band 2:

1. Yasir Mauthoor (E); 2. Graham Trimming (Bu)

Band 3:

Emran Hussain (E) bt Julian Adams (Bu) 8,9,3

Band1/2 Knock-out:

Fred Dove (Sk) bt Jogenes Senorin (Mi) 8,6,6

Band 3 Consolation:

Mike Nash (Sy) by Anil Vekaria (E) 6,-7,10,3

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Round-up of the Local Leagues

Final Slough League Tables:

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Division 1 2-a-side							
Chalfont Argonauts	7	5	0	2	27	8	27
Cippenham Outlaws	7	6	0	1	23	12	23
Burnham Panthers	7	5	0	2	22	13	22
Burnham Pumas	7	3	0	4	19	16	19
Burnham Nomads	7	4	0	3	18	17	18
Chalfont Bohemians	7	2	0	5	15	20	15
Cippenham Buccaneers	7	3	0	4	11	24	11
Burnham Leopards	7	0	0	7	5	30	5

Division 2 Handicap

George Green	10	7	0	3	43	27	43
Burnham Zebras	10	6	0	4	41	29	41
Burnham Lions	10	8	0	2	38	32	38
Cippenham Vagabonds	10	5	0	5	35	35	35
WAMDSAD A	10	3	0	7	29	40	29
Cippenham Scoundrels	10	1	0	9	23	46	23

Players' Averages:

	M	P	W	Av
Outlaws				
Paul Baker	3	6	6	100
Eddie Mitchell	4	8	6	75
Graham Trimming	5	10	7	70
Sue Hayes	2	4	0	0
Buccaneers				
Tim Kiteley	5	10	6	60
John Lloyd	3	6	2	33
Terry Boxall	4	8	2	25
Peter Hillier	2	4	0	0
Vagabonds				
Malcolm Makarian	7	14	9	64
Armando Borges	10	20	11	55
Georgia Veneer	9	17	6	35
David Baker	1	2	0	0
Patrick Williams	1	1	0	0
Scoundrels				
Ray Burbidge	9	17	10	59
Graham Young	9	18	5	28
Chris Purvis	4	8	2	25
Tariq Kashmiri	5	10	1	10

The seasons of both the Slough and Maidenhead leagues are now coming to their conclusions. The main league programme in Slough finished some time ago and the second phase is now all but over. The Division 1 2-a-side competition with Outlaws giving way to Chalfont Argonauts for the title. The Division 2 Handicap Competition has concluded its league programme and Vagabonds have qualified for the play-off final at Burnham on 9th May.

The Maidenhead league concluded with Cippenham in third place in Division 1 and going all the way to defeat Bovingdon Green Falcons 344-310 in the final of the handicap competition. Playing for Cippenham in the final were Eddie Mitchell, Denise Rolfe and Jan Chapman.

Final Maidenhead League Tables:

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Division 1							
Old Gords Buzzards	21	18	1	2	151	59	151
Boyne Hill Cricket Club	21	11	4	6	127	83	127
Cippenham	21	15	2	4	122	88	122
Old Gords Harriers	21	9	3	9	109	101	109
Old Gords Kestrels	21	6	4	11	89	121	89
Castle Hill Panthers	21	7	2	12	87	123	87
Bovingdon Grn Falcons	21	5	1	15	87	123	87
Stoke Poges Bees	21	2	5	14	68	142	68

Players' Averages:

	M	P	W	Av
Eddie Mitchell	17	50	45	90
Ken Phillips	13	39	32	82
Denise Rolfe	15	44	26	59
Derek Saines	7	21	2	10
Jan Chapman	11	33	1	3

British League

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Division 4 South & West							
DML Woolwell II	14	10	3	1	77	35	23
Plymouth Wanderers	14	7	7	0	66	46	21
Cippenham III	14	7	5	2	67	45	19
Coffton Hackett	14	7	3	4	69	43	17
Southampton West	14	4	4	6	54	58	12
London Progress V	14	4	3	7	61	51	11
Guinness Polska II	14	2	3	9	29	83	7
Brighton III	14	1	0	13	25	87	2

This table was not available when the other British League details were published in the previous issue.

David Retains his Title

David Hayes has established himself as the top junior in his adopted Ireland for a couple of years now. The ranking was emphasised at the end of April when David retained the Irish Junior Boys' Singles championship he first won in 2005.

NJL Season Finishes

The final session of the National Junior League was held in March and the results are shown below. Unfortunately, the boys' F and G teams were unable to play but Peter Gadjus and Oliver Valdez debuted in the D team and both gained good results.

National Junior League

Final Stage League Tables:

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Boys' Division 2							
Waterside	5	4	1	0	22	8	22
Southampton West B	5	3	1	1	20	10	20
Southampton West C	5	4	1	0	20	10	20
Cippenham C	5	2	0	3	15	15	15
Chalfont Comm Ctr A	5	1	0	4	11	17	11
Ashford	5	0	0	5	0	28	0
Boys' Division 4							
Cippenham E	3	2	0	1	17	10	17
Chiltern-CHS D	3	1	0	2	17	10	17
Kingfisher	3	3	0	0	15	12	15
Southampton West D	3	0	0	3	5	22	5
Boys' Division 5/6							
Cippenham D	5	5	0	0	24	6	24
Chiltern-CHS F	5	4	0	1	22	8	22
Chiltern-CHS E	5	3	0	2	19	11	19
Chiltern-CHS H	5	2	0	3	15	15	15
Chiltern-CHS G	5	1	0	2	10	20	10
Chalfont Comm Ctr C	5	0	0	5	0	30	0
Girls' Division 1							
Chiltern-CHS A	17	16	1	0	103	29	103
Waterside	17	10	3	4	94	38	94
Southampton West	17	9	1	7	69	73	69
Cippenham C	17	8	1	8	66	66	66

Players' Averages:

	M	P	W	Av
Boys' C				
William Mitchell	17	34	20	59
Alex Polding	17	33	13	39
Frazer Harper	17	33	5	15
Boys' D				
Peter Gadjus	4	8	6	75
Usman Tanveer	14	36	23	64
Oliver Valdez	3	6	3	50
Salman Tanveer	14	36	17	47
Matthew Parkinson	7	20	9	45
Boys' E				
James Mellish	10	30	20	67
Shyam Pankhania	7	20	11	55
Piers Kemp	6	18	9	50
Ryan Wilcox	13	38	9	24
Boys' F				
Alex Parkinson	9	26	20	77
Matt Ashfield	9	26	19	73
Matt Tempest	6	18	7	39
Sam Craft	3	9	1	11
Boys' G				
Shivraj Singh	4	12	10	83
Ben Cunningham	7	21	13	62
Matt Tempest	3	7	2	28
Anthony Gardner	9	28	7	25
Sam Craft	3	9	0	0
Girls				
Angela Oetiker	10	24	16	67
Stephanie Mitchell	13	33	17	52
Mary Tetlow	9	22	4	18
Anna Summerbell	10	27	3	11

More Titles for Eddie

The Cippenham coaching conveyor belt keeps on producing top players and teams. Following on in the footsteps of Gareth Herbert, Terry Young, Joanna Parker, Bradley Evans, Gavin Evans and a host of others is eleven-years old Eddie Mitchell.

Eddie came to national prominence last year when he won the English U11 Boys' Singles title. Eddie's latest escapades include winning the English Schools U11 individual title in April to add to the team title his Farnham Common School team won a few weeks earlier. Of course, Farnham Common are coached by our very own Ken Phillips and this school has long produced some of the Club's best young prospects.

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Weekend Diary May/June

May

Sat 6th	ETTA National Junior Masters
Sun 7th	ETTA National Junior Masters
Sun 14th	Southern Region Junior Training
Sat 27th	Gareth Herbert Coaching Weekend
Sun 28th	Gareth Herbert Coaching Weekend

June

Sat 10th	Cippenham Young Players' Summer Festival
Sun 11th	Cippenham Young Players' Summer Festival
Sat 24th	Gareth Herbert Coaching Weekend
Sun 25th	Gareth Herbert Coaching Weekend

Weekday Diary

Mon	7:00	Advanced Coaching
Tues	7:15	Slough/Maidenhead League matches
	7:30	Practice Tables
	7:30	Club Ladder
Wed	7:30	Squad Training
Thurs	5:15	Beginners' Coaching
	7:15	Slough League matches
	7:30	Practice Tables
	7:30	Adult Coaching

Get better soon, Paul

News has reached us from New Zealand that Club Captain Paul Baker has suffered a badly broken leg while visiting there on holiday. All members of the Club will wish Paul, an important player in our Senior and Veterans' British and Slough League teams, a speedy and complete recovery and we hope to see him in action again at Cippenham in the not too distant future.

Cippenham Table Tennis Club Fees Season 2005-06

	Full	Conc'n
Annual Membership (1/9 to 31/8)	£15.00	£7.50
Family Membership (1/9 to 31/8)	£25.00	n/a
Annual Membership (after 30/11 per month)	£1.50	£0.75
Family Membership (after 30/11 per month)	£2.50	n/a
Slough League Registration	£15.00	£7.50
National Junior League registration	n/a	£12.00
Practice Fees	*£3.50	*£1.75
Slough League Match Fees	£3.50	£1.75
Coaching Fees (per session)	**£4.00	**£2.00
Coaching Fees (per term - 1st group)		£30.00
Coaching Fees (per term - 2nd group)		£20.00
* plus £1.50 (75p) for non-members		
** plus 50p (25p) for non-members		

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The Season's Calendar

Future Events at Cippenham

Jul 2	Cippenham Veterans' Summer 2* Open
Jul 9	Southern Region Coaches' Get-Together

Events away from Cippenham

May 13/14	Junior British League (2) (Aldersley)
May 21	Gainsford Cup Finals (Loughborough)

Annual General Meeting

of

Cippenham Table Tennis Club

will take place at

Cippenham Table Tennis Centre

on Wednesday 31 May 2006, 8 pm

All members are invited to attend

Agenda:

To receive the annual report

To receive the Financial Report

To elect Officers, Management Committee members and Auditor

Paul Baker (Club Captain) and Anne Farquhar (Bookings Officer) have indicated that they are not seeking re-election. We urgently need people to fill these posts plus National Junior League Organizer.

There will be free practice after the meeting until 10 pm for all attendees.

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