



# CIPPENHAM NEWS

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Gemma Chapman wins her fourth Cippenham Open title in less than a year

## GEMMA AGAIN

*Cadet Open*

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**G**emma Chapman was once again the local star performer at the Cippenham Cadet 3 Star Open Championships on 28<sup>th</sup> March which attracted another maximum entry of 108 players. Gemma has always performed well at her home club tournaments and this was no exception, being a convincing winner of the Girls' Singles with a win in the final over Abigail Embling from Essex. In the semi-final top seed Gemma had overcome her Cippenham colleague Joanna Parker, seeded fourth, while third seed Embling had overturned the rankings with a win over second seed Grace Brown. Such was the power of Gemma's performance that she decimated a field that contained four of the top twelve players in England.

Another success for Cippenham came in the form of the emerging Emily Tucker who won her group after beating Reading's Kerry Matthews, ranked twenty places higher, then disposed of Melanie Farquhar in the second round before falling to Joanna.

The Boys' Singles went almost entirely according to seeding with England number 4 Dominic Hall (Kent) beating tenth ranked Tim Holtam (Middlesex) in the final. Cippenham's last representative was John Camilleri who justified his third seeding by reaching the semi-final, losing to Hall, while Thomas Mitchell fell one round earlier to fourth seed Neil Cartwright.



### Gemma's Record in Opens at Cippenham

4.4.98 GS champ at Junior 3 Star  
13.6.98 U12GS champ at U12 2 Star  
5.12.98 GS champ at Junior 3 Star  
28.3.99 GS champ at Cadet 3 Star

The consolation events provided Cippenham players with more glory. In the girls' final, which was an all Cippenham affair, Francesca Parnell held off the challenge of Katherine Tweedy, while Helen Smith reached the semi-final before losing to Francesca. In the boys' event Chris Hansell reached the final but lost to Liam Thomas who was one of the party that had travelled from Wales for the event. Thomas had earlier accounted for the home club's James Milton in his semi.

## COMMUNITY CLUB OF THE YEAR

Cippenham Table Tennis Club picked up another award at the prestigious Mayor of Slough's Annual Sports Awards held at The Centre (not the TTC!) on 19<sup>th</sup> March. Having won the Junior Club of the Year award last year, this time it was the Community Club of the Year that came our way. This is a new award and so Cippenham TTC is the first name to be engraved on the trophy which now proudly resides in the trophy cabinet at the Club.

In the citation for the award the Club was praised for raising over £500,000 to build its own purpose built centre, the work going on in the junior section and links with local schools, especially the new partnership formed with special needs school Arbour Vale.

### Other nominations:

Junior Club of the Year - Cippenham TTC  
Junior Sportsman of the Year - Warren Brooks  
Junior Sportswoman of the Year - Gemma Chapman  
Most Promising Sportsperson - Bradley Evans  
Senior Sportsman of the Year - Gareth Herbert  
Sports Coach of the Year - Ken Phillips

### Past Winners from the Club:

1987 Service to Sport - Graham Trimming  
1992 Junior Sportsman - Gareth Herbert  
1994 Sports Coach of the Year - Ken Phillips  
1996 Most Promising Sportsperson - G Herbert  
1997 Junior Club of the Year - Cippenham TTC  
1997 Junior Sportsman - Gareth Herbert  
1998 Community Club of the Year - Cippenham



### Cippenham's Web Site

Cippenham Table Tennis Club now has its own web site. This has been created by the Club's General Secretary, Graham Trimming, and can be found on his web space at:

<http://freespace.virgin.net/graham.trimming>



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## Picture Parade -

Some of the successful juniors at the Club Championships in January



(l-r) - David Hayes; Emily Tucker; Gavin Evans; Chris Hansell; Catherine Hayes; William Mitchell; Robert Hansell; Myles Evans; Thomas Mitchell

## Cippenham Cadet 3 Star Open Results

### Boys' Singles:

D Hall (Kent) bt T Holtam (Middx) 15, 18

### Girls' Singles:

G Chapman (M'hd) bt A Embling (E) 12, 13

### Boys' Consolation:

L Thomas (Wales) bt C Hansell (HW) 19, 19

### Girls' Consolation:

F Parnell (Slough) bt K Tweedy (HW) 10, 11

## MIKE AND SUE WIN TITLES AT BUCKS CLOSED

Cippenham's Mike Rhodes nearly pulled off a sensational double at the Bucks Closed Championships held at Milton Keynes on 28<sup>th</sup> March. Mike won the Veteran Men's Singles beating High Wycombe's Ken Philipson 21-19 in the third game of a close final. Mike then contested the final of the Men's Singles against Brent Skuse who he had beaten easily earlier in the day in the veterans' event. This time, however, the tables were turned and Mike lost the chance to be county men's champion by the narrowest of margins at deuce in the third.

Cippenham's Sue Hayes also won an event, the Women's Doubles with Jan Curtis of High Wycombe. Sue also lost in the finals of both the Women's Singles and Mixed Doubles events.

## Slough win Bucks Men's and Vets' Titles

The Slough Men's "A" team have won the Bucks Inter-League title played over two weekends in November and January. Details below.

Meanwhile the Slough veterans' team, comprising Cippenham members Mike Rhodes, Derek Wood, Paul Baker and Graham Trimming have also won the Bucks Inter-League Veterans' "A" Division by beating High Wycombe 6-3 in the final match in March. League details are not yet available.



Bucks champions - Mike Rhodes; Sue Hayes

## British League tables

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>Division 2 South</b>							
Horsham II	11	8	1	2	62	26	17
Cippenham I	12	8	1	3	58	38	17
Norwich TF	11	8	0	3	65	23	16
Ellenborough	12	7	1	4	57	39	15
Aylesbury	12	6	0	6	48	48	12
KCD Stiga I	12	3	2	7	34	62	8
Fellows Cranleigh	12	2	2	8	32	64	6
Launceston III	12	1	1	10	20	76	3
<b>Division 3 South &amp; West</b>							
CAT Adeyfield	10	8	2	0	64	16	18
Harvey Barnet III	10	6	1	3	49	31	13
Brent Progress II	11	5	3	3	46	42	13
Westbury II	10	3	3	4	36	44	9
OLOP AWCS III	10	4	0	6	31	49	8
Guildford	11	2	3	6	36	52	7
Cippenham II	10	1	2	7	26	54	4

## League Tables:

	P	W	D	F	A	Pts
<b>Men's Division A</b>						
Slough A	4	4	0	34	6	8
Aylesbury A	4	2	1	26	14	5
High Wycombe A	4	1	2	17	23	4
Chalfont A	4	1	0	12	28	2
Milton Keynes A	4	0	1	11	29	1
<b>Men's Division B</b>						
High Wycombe B	3	3	0	29	1	6
Slough B	3	2	0	16	14	4
Aylesbury B	3	1	0	11	19	2
Milton Keynes B	3	0	0	4	26	0
Chiltern						record expunged

## Players' Averages:

	M	P	W	Av
<b>Men's Division A</b>				
Tetso Kasahara (SI)	2	6	6	100
Mike Levene (SI)	2	5	5	100
Mike Rhodes (SI)	12	11	10	91
Nick Hansell (HW)	2	6	4	67
Chris Lusher (SI)	1	3	2	67
Kevin Rowe (SI)	3	8	5	63
<b>Men's Division B</b>				
Robert Hansell (HW)	3	9	9	100
Nick Hansell (HW)	1	3	3	100
Graham Trimming (SI)	1	2	2	100
Warren Brooks (HW)	3	9	8	89
Kevin Rowe (SI)	1	3	2	67
Hamid Bahader (SI)	4	11	6	54
Ben Beveridge (SI)	2	6	3	50
Chris Lusher (SI)	3	8	3	38
Gareth Lovell (SI)	1	3	0	0

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## Top seeds win the Veterans' titles



Both of the top seeds came through to win the main titles at the Cippenham Veterans' 2 Star Open Championships on 6<sup>th</sup> March. For Stephen Davis of Surrey, it was his first title at his first attempt, while for Marilyn Bawden of Essex it was her third such title.

In his final Davis overcame surprise finalist Ken Philipson in three games. The Buckinghamshire county player from Aylesbury had come though unseeded to win his group over Tony Taylor, and then won through against Mike Wilkins, the conqueror in his group of fifth seed Mike Rhodes, fourth seed Terry Guymer and seventh seed Trevor Campbell. Meanwhile Davis had disposed of Cippenham's Mike Rhodes, Norman Swift and then Tony Taylor in the semi-final.

The last surviving Cippenham members were Maurice Isaacs and Graham Outrim who both departed at the quarter-final stage. Mike Rhodes, Derek Wood and Chalfont's John Barclay were beaten one round earlier.

After struggling to win all her matches in her group, Bawden really got going in the competition proper beating Haruko Brown in the semi-final and Hampshire's Gill Larking with ease in the final.

### Men's Singles:

S Davis (Sy) bt K Philipson (Bu) 12,- 17,16

### Women's Singles:

M Bawden (E) bt G Larking (Ha) 13, 9

### Men's Consolation:

K Childs (Ha) bt A Tashjian (Mi) 8, 18

### Women's Consolation:

S Adamson (Sy) bt S Mitchell (Bk) 14, -15,19

## Thanks, Terry!

A big thank you is due to Terry Boxall who has used his superb skills as an electrician to the Club's benefit recently. Terry has fitted hand dryers in the toilets (and managed to salvage these for the Club free of charge!) and also fitted an extractor fan in the kitchen. Hopefully now we will be able to clear the air in the lounge of the smell of sizzling bacon at weekends (who said "shame!"?).

## All the WJL titles come to Cippenham

After some extraordinarily close finishes on the final date in the Slough Woolwich Junior League season, Cippenham teams came out on top in all three divisions and won the Tunes Cup to boot!

Just one point separated the top two teams in both Division 1 and Division 2 and that was one more than in Division 3! Division 1 was eventually won by the Cippenham Waifs team of Ross Drabble and Stuart Tweedy from the Terrors of David Hayes and Bradley Evans. In Division 2 it was Imps (David Chaytor; Emily Tucker) who prevailed at the expense of Elves (Francesca Parnell; Katherine Tweedy) who had the consolation of beating Chalfont "E" in the Tunes Cup final on the same day.

It was so desperately close in Division 3 that the winners could not even be determined at the event. The computer was called upon to decide on games aggregate between the winners Cippenham Vagrants (Myles Evans; William Mitchell) and Bourne End Sharks.

However, it has to be said that Chalfont "E" would have won Div 2 except for an administrative faux pas on their part.

### League Tables:

	P	W	Pts
<b>Division 1</b>			
Cippenham Waifs	12	9	46
Cippenham Terrors	12	9	45
Cippenham Urchins	12	8	36
Cippenham Strays	12	5	28
Cippenham Sprites	12	5	26
Cippenham Gremlins	12	5	25
Chalfont D	12	1	4
<b>Division 2</b>			
Cippenham Imps	12	8	43
Cippenham Elves	12	11	42
Cippenham Fugitives	12	6	34
Chalfont E	12	6	30
Chalfont F	12	4	28
Cippenham Goblins	12	6	27
Cippenham Devils	12	1	4
<b>Division 3</b>			
Cippenham Vagrants	12	9	42
Bourne End Sharks	12	8	42
Cippenham Beggars	12	7	34
Cippenham Scoundrels	12	5	32
Cippenham Desperadoes	12	5	22
Bourne End Pythons	12	6	21
Cippenham Scamps	12	1	12

### Tunes Cup Final:

Cippenham Elves 199; Chalfont E 176

## Slough on the Web

The Slough League also has a new web site - the address is the same as Cippenham's:  
<http://freespace.virgin.net/~graham.trimming>

### Players' Records:

	M	P	W	Av
<b>Waifs:</b>				
Ross Drabble	10	20	16	80%
Stuart Tweedy	10	20	16	80%
Richard Boaden	1	2	0	0%
Alexandra Hedley	1	2	0	0%
<b>Terrors:</b>				
David Hayes	10	20	17	85%
Bradley Evans	9	18	15	83%
Emma Human	3	6	3	50%
Andrew Dickens	1	2	1	50%
Emily Tucker	1	2	1	50%
<b>Urchins:</b>				
Thomas Mitchell	7	14	14	100%
David Chaytor	1	2	2	100%
Paul Zeun	8	18	4	22%
Mark Bannister	1	2	0	0%
Eleanor Tweedy	1	2	0	0%
<b>Strays:</b>				
Chris Hansell	6	11	8	73%
James Milton	9	17	7	41%
Francesca Parnell	2	4	1	25%
Andrew Milton	3	6	1	17%
Harjote Grewal	1	2	0	0%
Katherine Tweedy	1	2	0	0%
<b>Sprites:</b>				
Helen Smith	9	17	9	53%
Hannah Stone	7	14	7	50%
Myles Evans	3	6	0	0%
William Mitchell	2	4	0	0%
<b>Gremlins:</b>				
Gemma Chapman	2	3	3	100%
Claire Smart	10	19	6	32%
Jasjote Grewal	3	6	1	17%
Jon Attenborough	3	6	0	0%
Gavin Evans	1	2	0	0%
Terry Milton	1	2	0	0%
<b>Imps:</b>				
David Chaytor	12	22	18	82%
Emily Tucker	12	22	13	59%
<b>Elves:</b>				
Francesca Parnell	10	18	13	72%
Katherine Tweedy	10	18	12	67%
Myles Evans	1	2	0	0%
William Mitchell	1	2	0	0%
<b>Fugitives:</b>				
Harjote Grewal	12	22	17	77%
Jasjote Grewal	12	22	6	27%
<b>Goblins:</b>				
Andrew Dickens	11	21	11	52%
Alexandra Hedley	8	15	4	27%
Catherine Hayes	2	4	0	0%
Eleanor Tweedy	1	2	0	0%
<b>Devils:</b>				
Matthew Tucker	4	8	1	13%
Frazer Harper	4	8	0	0%
Andrew Milton	4	8	0	0%
Mark Bannister	3	5	0	0%
Richard Swan	3	5	0	0%
Gavin Evans	2	4	0	0%
Prabdeep Panesar	2	4	0	0%
Jhaapjeet Panesar	1	2	0	0%
<b>Vagrants:</b>				
Myles Evans	7	14	12	86%
Edward Flower	2	4	3	75%
William Mitchell	10	20	11	55%
<b>Beggars:</b>				
Gavin Evans	8	14	13	93%
Matthew Tucker	4	8	4	50%
Rebecca Tweedy	12	22	7	32%
<b>Scoundrels:</b>				
Eleanor Tweedy	9	17	11	65%
Jenny Hansell	7	14	6	43%
Catherine Hayes	8	15	6	40%
<b>Desperadoes:</b>				
Terry Milton	6	11	7	64%
Nathan Milton	8	15	6	40%
Billy Savage	1	2	0	0%
Jack Savage	1	2	0	0%
<b>Scamps:</b>				
Andrew Milton	3	6	3	50%
Prabdeep Panesar	6	12	3	25%
Jhaapjeet Panesar	8	16	0	0%
Frazer Harper	5	10	0	0%

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## Weekend Diary April/May

### April

Sat 10th 9.00am Cippenham 2 Star Open  
 Sun 11th 3.00pm BL: Team I v. TAD-Ellenborough  
 BL: Team II v. CATSoft Pumas Adeyfield  
 OLOP AWCS I v. DMLWH Launceston I

Sun 18th 9.00am Slough Closed - junior events  
 Sat 24th 9.00am Barclays Bank Championships  
 Sun 25th 9.00am Barclays Bank Championships

### May

Sun 8th 9.00am Cippenham Under-12 2 Star Open  
 Sat 22nd National Junior/Cadet Masters  
 Sun 23rd National Junior/Cadet Masters



## The Season's Calendar

### Future Events at Cippenham

Jun 5 Cippenham Veterans' 2\* Summer Open  
 Jun 26 Cippenham Summer Jamboree (U8/9/10)  
 Jun 27 Cippenham Summer Jamboree (U11/13)

### British League Results:

7th March:  
 Cippenham 1 5; Aylesbury League 3

## Weekday Diary

**Mon** 5.30 Advanced Coaching  
 7.30 Excellence Coaching

**Tues** 5.15 Beginners' Coaching  
 5.15 One-to-One Coaching  
 7.15 Local league matches  
 7.30 Practice Tables

**Wed** 5.00 England squad training

**Thurs** 5.15 Beginners' Coaching  
 5.15 One-to-One Coaching  
 7.15 Local league matches  
 7.30 Practice Tables

**Fri** 7.00 Elite Coaching

### Bar Opening Times

Tuesday & Thursday  
 9pm - 11pm

## Results Round-Up

### English National Championships (16/17 Jan)

U21WS: Shelley Ruocco, winner  
 This is in addition to the report last month

### Bucks Closed Championships (28 Mar)

WD: Sue Hayes, winner  
 VMS: Mike Rhodes, winner  
 MS: Mike Rhodes, runner-up  
 WS: Sue Hayes, runner-up  
 XD: Sue Hayes, runner-up

## Slough's Cadets win through but Juniors go out

Slough's cadet boys' team won through to the national finals of the Leach Cup recently despite finishing second in their group to High Wycombe. Both local teams thus qualify for the semi-final stage. The Slough team was Tom Mitchell, David Hayes and James Milton. Bradley Evans was unavailable due to another ETTA clash of dates!

Slough's junior boys' team, however, crashed out of the Carter Cup - a competition that it has won for the last two years. Despite finishing second in their group it was not good enough for the team of Martin Rule, Nicholas Wilson and Daniel Jacobs.

### Cippenham Table Tennis Club Fees Season 1998-9

	Full	Conc'n
Annual Membership (1/9 to 31/8)	£10.00	£5.00
Family Membership (1/9 to 31/8)	£17.50	n/a
Slough League Registration	£10.00	£5.00
Maidenhead League Registration	£15.00	£7.50
Practice Fees	*£2.50	*£1.25
Match Fees	£3.00	£1.50
Slough Woolwich Junior League Match Fees	£0.50	£0.50
Coaching Fees	**£3.00	**£1.50

\* plus £1.00 (50p) for non-members

\*\* plus 50p (25p) for non-members

Have you noticed how well stocked the trophy display cabinet is looking? Take a peek at the trophies won by the Club and its teams!

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