**Table-tennis Report**

**31st January, 2014**

**Leamington Veterans C suffered their second Midland League defeat of the season when going down 3-7 to Stafford whose Cyril Merriman accounted for 4 of the points. Malc Macfarlane with 2 and Rob Warnes with a single were Spa’s scorers.**

**St. Georges B posted two good wins in Division 1. A Mark Jackson treble plus a double from Luke Hobbins, a single from Alan Hewitt and the doubles, saw them home 7-3 against WCC A and then they edged their A team 6-4 with Jackson claiming another impressive maximum. Rugby A had a rewarding visit to Wellesbourne taking 9 points. Ryan Lines and James Ward won three apiece and Jesse Kendrick-Hill just found Alan Cotton too good.**

**In Division 2 Enigmas continued their recent hot streak, disposing of St Georges D 9-1, Gary Jackson 3, Dong Wei 3, Steve Proctor 2 plus the doubles. Whitnash A held St Georges E to a draw with Paul Riman and Richard Smith taking braces and the doubles. Man of the match was the visitors’ Richard Grover who won his three. Andy Caine and Tracey Fletcher chipped in with singles. Nomads A thumped Eathorpe A 9-1 as Ian Beasley and Tony Thomas notched hat-tricks. Sam Weaving continues to impress and won twice. Rugby C had Anshul Satsangi to thank for a hard fought success, 7-3, at Phoenix O. He held his three and helped Danny Orr to the doubles. Orr won two and Niall Herbert one. Paul Calloway with two was the Phoenix mainstay.**

**Millennium let Division 3 know of their promotion aspirations when they narrowly beat highly placed Free Church E 6-4. Christian Ward remained unbeaten and Rob Warnes won 2. Harry Purewal starred for Church with 2. FC E remain just outside the promotion spots however after a 9-1 trouncing of Nomads C in Division 3, with triples for Tom Harris and Tom Meldrum. County Council C also kept up their challenge, overcoming Nomads B 8-2 through a Tony Ford hat-trick and braces from Mark Freeman and Cliff Jackson. German star Sarah Barkowski took her first League treble as Free Church F overcame their G team 7-3. Josh Wyatt-Smith and Kim Wong both tasted victory twice with Olivia Fletcher taking two for the visitors.**

**In Division 4 Rugby E nailed Eathorpe B 7-3 with Mark Wilson taking his three and Milly Bradshaw two plus the doubles with Wilson. Grace Newman gained the other point. Eathorpe B bounced back to whitewash Free Church K, Sophie Cooper, Paul Deavall and Michael Rossington giving no quarter. Eathorpe C collared Ashorne A 6-4 when Jon Ablett and Charlie Wragg scored twice and John Ablett once. Jon and Cahrlie took the doubles. Steve Bolton with two was the visitors’ best. Free Church I beat their J team 8-2. Jack Green took a hat-trick and Tom Fletcher and James Robertson took twos and the doubles. Lewis Singleton recorded Js’ points.**

**Flavels B are chasing the Division A title and hammered Eathorpe E 5-0, Steve Lyons and Dot Macfarlane doing the damage. Topspinners are likely to be their main challengers and Bradley Matthews and Steve Shaw collected all 5 points against Free Church N.**

**Division B saw Free Church M defeat their L team with Keith Knott and son Jeremy winning all 5 points. FISCC defeated one man Free Church L 4-1 with Brian Marston winning a single. Dan Shaw made the most of his night by taking one win.**

**Free Church O claimed their first win in the C division, winning 3-2 against Eathorpe G. Miles Wyatt-Smith had a hand in all 3 points with Cory Hancock and Max Turvey replying.**

**Norton Lindsey pipped Free Church P 3-2 as Gareth Hepworth won his singles and the doubles with Jocelyn Coulter. Oscar Dalrymple and James Wilson scored for Church.**

**Free Church T sit equal top of Division D with Milly Green and Ciara Hancox keeping a clean sheet against Free Church R. Free Church Q are the other table-toppers and also took all 5 points against Free Church S though Elaine Bradley and Carolyn Dorning would be the first to admit that it was no easy ride. New team Free Church V had a first (5-0) victory against their U side with Ricardo Bolanos and Nicholas Ho, with his first League wins, wrapping up the points.**