

Ryedale Table Tennis League



January 2008 Newsletter

A very happy New Year to all RTTL players!

I hope that you had a cracking Christmas and that Santa bought you a shiny new bat.

As usual, this mid-season newsletter contains the draw for the team KO competition, the Bower Trophy. This is a handicap event so everyone stands a chance (in theory!). Players' individual handicaps and details of how the scoring works can be found on page 2.

Apologies in advance to all players who consider their handicap to be outrageously unjust – there were only about 60 or 70 complaints last year so we can't be doing that badly...

There's also an entry form for the President's Pairs competition attached (details on the form) – why not enter this year and shed that excess turkey poundage and those funny-tasting chocs that Uncle Ron brought back from Albania.



Ryedale G's Silvio Rusu

Don't miss the first RTTL fun quiz night!

There will be a special fund-raising event for all the family on Sat Feb 2nd at Ryedale Sports Club, Pickering (starts 7pm). This will be a team quiz with questions for young and old – some easy, some hard, plus a bar, supper, prizes and a raffle – see the attached entry form.

The season so far...

Well, there is a juicy four-team battle for the title of Div 1 champions, with Amotherby A joining the usual suspects. Amazingly, all of the remaining five teams are scrapping to avoid relegation, with a 15 gap separating the two groups.

Div 2 is really open, with surprise leaders in Helmsley B and all of the teams taking points off each other, leaving promotion and relegation open to several clubs – the second half of the season is going to be very interesting.

There is no doubt about who are the top dogs in Div 3, with unbeaten leaders Helmsley C opening up a whopping 10 pt gap over their closest rivals Scarborians; an improved Laundry team are also in the promotion hunt.

A special mention must be given to three players, one in each division, who have maintained a 100% record thus far: Ian Stansfield, Gareth Bryning and Adam Ridley – a great achievement amongst such keen competition.

News

- The RTTL 50th Anniversary Presentation Evening Dinner is on Friday 23rd May, 7.30pm, at Kirkbymoorside Golf Club. There will be a top speaker from the world of table tennis, a photo display and hopefully some film of past tournaments too. Further details, menus and booking forms will be in the next newsletter.
- The date of the RTTL Annual Closed Tournament has not been fixed yet but we are aiming for Sunday 22nd March – more details soon.
- Jonathan Parkinson has moved to a new job and is no longer playing for Helmsley B in Div 2 – Cliff Edens is acting a temporary secretary for the team (tel 01653 628385 / 07764 740237)

League tables at 1 January 2008

Division 1

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	SF	SA	Pts
1	Amotherby A	8	7	0	1	55	25	38
2	Ryedale A	7	6	0	1	55	15	36
3	Helmsley A	8	6	0	2	57	23	36
4	Ryedale B	8	6	0	2	48	32	32
5	Coneysthorpe	8	3	0	5	30	50	17
6	Swinton A	7	2	0	5	26	44	14
7	Malton A	7	2	0	5	26	44	14
8	Whitby	8	2	0	6	26	54	11
9	Malton B	7	0	0	7	17	53	6

Division 2

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	SF	SA	Pts
1	Helmsley B	8	5	0	3	50	30	33
2	Ryedale C	8	6	0	2	49	31	32
3	Ryedale D	8	5	1	2	45	35	28
4	Amotherby B	8	4	1	3	42	38	26
5	CSL	8	3	2	3	37	43	21
6	Swinton B	8	2	1	5	36	44	20
7	Ryedale E	8	2	1	5	36	44	20
8	Ryedale F	8	3	0	5	34	46	19
9	Amotherby C	8	3	0	5	31	49	17

Division 3

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	SF	SA	Pts
1	Helmsley C	9	9	0	0	78	12	53
2	Scarborians	9	8	0	1	63	27	43
3	Laundry	9	6	1	2	58	32	37
4	Ryedale G	9	4	0	5	46	44	28
5	Amotherby D	9	4	1	4	41	49	23
6	Amotherby E	9	3	1	5	35	55	23
7	Hutton B	9	1	4	4	38	52	21
8	Westow	9	3	1	5	38	52	19
9	Hutton A	9	1	0	8	31	59	13
10	Helmsley D	9	2	0	7	22	68	10

The 2008 Team KO (Bower Trophy)

Ryedale E	Ryedale E			
Bye				
Hutton A	Hutton A			
Bye				
Helmsley A	Helmsley A			
Bye				
Helmsley B	Helmsley B			
Bye				
Amotherby E				
Ryedale D				
Malton B				
Amotherby D				
Coneysthorpe				
Swinton A				
Scarborians				
Whitby				
Helmsley C				
CSL				
Laundry				
Ryedale A				
Ryedale C				
Amotherby A				
Malton A				
Amotherby B				
Amotherby C				
Ryedale B				
Ryedale F				
Swinton B				
Westow				
Hutton B				
Helmsley D				
Ryedale G				

Points to note

- First round matches should be played during the week of **Jan 28th**.
- Any team unable to fulfil their first round match by Feb 8 should concede the tie.
- If your team progresses, please arrange your next match right away.
- Scorecards should clearly be marked **KO** or **Bower Trophy** and sent to Andy Seed within 3 days of the match.
- Matches consist of nine singles games. Each game is one set, first to 42, *unless a player with a minus handicap is playing*: see below for details.
- Only players listed in the handicap list attached are eligible to play in this competition.

Team KO scoring and rules

Matches consist of 9 singles sets. In the event of a tie (as shown on the right), the overall points must be added.

In games between two players on a plus handicap, there is one set up to 42 points, two serves each, change ends at 21.

The score is written on the card, as right, then the handicap points added to find the winner.

In games involving a player on a minus handicap, the lowest handicap is converted to a plus and added to 42 to determine the length of a game. Eg, if a player on -8 plays someone on +2, there will be one set to 50, change at 25.

Completed Team KO scorecard:

AWAY TEAM - X		HOME TEAM	
-7		+7	
JAN-OVE 31		VLADIMIR 34	
TIMO BOLL		WALDNER	
SANGHAI A		AMOTHERBY D	
433		423	
4 1/2		4 1/2	
A	WANG LIQIN 15	B	MA LIN 12
C	WANG HAO -4		
1 49 -7 = 42		1 49 -7 = 42	
20 15 41		29 12 41	
3 26 31 = 57		2 25 31 = 56	
42 15 57		42 12 54	
4 17 34 = 51		3 10 34 = 44	
42 15 57		46 4 42	
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Game 1 here is played to 49 because Boll has a -7 handicap (42+7, see). Boll wins 42-41 after his handicap is taken off and Wang's is added on. Game 4 is a tie at 57-57, so each team gets half a point. The match is a 4½-4½ draw, so the overall points are added up. Shanghai win by 433 to 423. I hope that's clear.

Handicaps for the 2008 Team Knockout (Bower Trophy)

Ian Stansfield	- 24	Andy Grayson	- 6	Angela Parker	20
Fred Yeung	- 24	Ian Johnson	- 4	Thomas Thorp	20
Joel Wright	- 24	Luke Lunn	- 4	Dawn Hopkins	20
Paul Swift	- 24	Howard Mayne	- 4	Stuart Ellis	22
Paul Young	- 24	Finn Needham	- 4	Liz Chadwick	24
Edward Fambely	- 24	Alec Hodgson	- 2	Roger Dunning	24
Peter Fambely	- 22	Mick Carter	- 2	Ian Dawson	24
Dave Burnham	- 20	Ken Pidgeon	0	Janet Bailey	24
Cliff Edens	- 20	Tom Wright	0	Linda Clarke	22
Steve Oldfield	- 20	Gerald Cosens	0	Doug Annan	24
Charles Allenby	- 20	Andy Paton	0	Tony Harrison	24
Ruth Purseglove	- 18	Barry Rudd	2	Richard Budgey	24
John Flintoft	- 18	Roger Wang	4	Silvio Rusu	26
Pat Swindell	- 18	Alan Kirkwood	4	Graham Izzard	26
Ross Dransfield	- 18	John Ellis	4	Josh Garcia-Hall	28
Mungo Arney	- 16	Paul Morse	4	Cameron Walker	28
Chris Londesbrough	- 16	Steve Miller	6	Richard Addison	28
John Gascoyne	- 16	Ryan Hood	6	John Boardman	28
Peter Lee	- 16	Jean Wardman	6	Mike Addison	28
John Freeman	- 16	Ken Mills	6	Peter Chugg	30
Ed Wardman	- 16	Kenny Brown	6	Andrew Cavanagh	30
John Hanson	- 16	Chet Butler	6	James Ellis	30
Dave Hildreth	- 16	Russ Grimshaw	8	Matthew Shipley	30
Charlie Allott	- 16	Tim Penrose	8	Oliver Grimshaw	30
John Eastwood	- 16	Richard Brown	8	James Stansfield	30
Gareth Bryning	- 16	Giles Budge	8	Sara Winn-Darley	32
Danny Foxton	- 14	Jon Parkinson	8	David Grayson	32
Tom Harrington	- 14	Joe Newton	8	Julie Cavanagh	34
Wendy Prest	- 14	Andrei Lozinca	8	Paul Hampson	34
Malcolm Haswell	- 14	Paul Stansfield	10	Colin Humpleby	34
Bernie Welford	- 14	Henry Peak	10	William Pile	34
Rebecca George	- 14	Adrian Voicu	10	Mary Chappell	36
John Loftus	- 14	Chris Parker	10	Niki Hampson	36
Derek Elliot	- 14	Ray Holroyd	10	Miriam Alcock	38
John Foxton	- 12	Johann Voigt	12	Carole Harrington	38
Tim Smith	- 12	Lisa Ravis	12		
Paul Cuthbertson	- 12	Terry Eames	12		
Gareth Olney	- 12	Jill Adams	14		
Ray Mitchell	- 10	George Davison	14		
Titch Temple	- 10	Katharina Heinrich	16		
Neil Raine	- 10	John Smith	16		
Stuart Brown	- 10	Nick Knight	18		
James Mayne	- 10	John Toll	18		
Steve Milner	- 10	John Clayton	18		
Andy Seed	- 8	Andrew Chappell	20		
Ken Darby	- 8	Mike Shepherdson	20		
Adam Ridley	- 8	Ron Florey	20		
Barry Todd	- 8	Colin Payne	20		
Jan Bryan	- 8	Kris Waluk	20		
John Stokes	- 6	Stephen Temple	20		



Youthful Team KO holders Helmsley C proudly display the Bower Trophy

As always you can keep up to date with KO results and how the draw is progressing online at the RTTL website www.ryedalett.net

Averages January 1 2008 NB Players must play 60% of matches to qualify for the Averages competition

DIVISION ONE				
Pos	Player	Team	P	W %
1	Ian Stansfield	Amotherby A	21	21 100
2	Fred Yeung	Ryedale A	21	18 85.71
3	Paul Young	Ryedale A	18	15 83.33
4	Dave Burnham	Ryedale A	15	12 80
5	Cliff Edens	Helmsley A	21	16 76.19
6	Steve Oldfield	Swinton A	21	15 71.42
7	Ruth Purseglove	Helmsley A	18	11 61.11
8=	John Flintoft	Ryedale B & A	15	9 60
8=	Pat Swindell	Amotherby A	15	9 60
10	Mungo Arney	Amotherby A	21	11 52.38
11	Ed Wardman	Ryedale B	18	9 50
12	John Freeman	Ryedale B	21	10 47.61
13	John Gascoyne	Amotherby A	15	7 46.66
14	John Hanson	Whitby	24	11 45.83
15	Danny Foxton	Coneysthorpe	18	7 38.88
16	Tom Harrington	Malton B & A	24	9 37.5
17	Malcolm Haswell	Coneysthorpe	17	6 35.29
18=	Bernard Welford	Whitby	24	8 33.33
18=	Rebecca George	Malton B & A	24	8 33.33
20	John Foxton	Coneysthorpe	18	5 27.77
21	Paul Cuthbertson	Swinton A	18	4 22.22
22	Ray Mitchell	Swinton A	17	2 11.76
23	Stuart Brown	Whitby	18	2 11.11
24	Ken Darby	Malton B	21	2 9.52

Played less than 60% of sets

Edward Fambely	Helmsley A	12	12	100
Joel Wright	Malton A	6	6	100
Paul Swift	Ryedale A	6	6	100
Peter Fambely	Helmsley A	6	6	100
Tim Smith	Coneysthorpe	3	3	100
Gareth Olney	Malton A	3	3	100
Charles Allenby	Ryedale B	12	9	75
Peter Lee	Malton A	3	2	66.66
Ross Dransfield	Malton A	12	7	58.33
Steve Milner	Swinton A	6	3	50
Dave Hildreth	Whitby	6	3	50
John Eastwood	Ryedale B	9	4	44.44
Charlie Allott	Helmsley A	12	5	41.66
Wendy Prest	Coneysthorpe	12	4	33.33
Chris Londesbrough	Helmsley A	3	1	33.33
John Stokes	Coneysthorpe	3	1	33.33
Neil Raine	Malton A	12	3	25
Carole Harrington	Malton B	3	0	0
John Loftus	Malton A	3	0	0
Derek Elliot	Malton A	3	0	0
Peter Chugg	Malton A	3	0	0
Ray Holroyd	Malton A	3	0	0
Tom Wright	Malton A	6	0	0

DIVISION THREE

Pos	Player	Team	P	W %
1	Adam Ridley	Helmsley C	18	18 100
2	Mick Carter	Ryedale G	21	20 95.23
3	James Mayne	Helmsley C	18	17 94.44
4	Howard Mayne	Helmsley C	27	24 88.88
5	Steve Miller	Scarborians	21	18 85.71
6	Joe Newton	Helmsley C	18	14 77.77
7	Andrei Lozinca	Laundry	21	16 76.19
8	Henry Peak	Scarborians	27	20 74.07
9	Adrian Voicu	Laundry	21	15 71.42
10=	Nick Knight	Amotherby D	27	18 66.66
10=	Andrew Chappell	Hutton B	24	16 66.66
12	John Clayton	Westow	18	11 61.11
13	Stephen Temple	Ryedale G	24	13 54.16
14=	Kris Waluk	Amotherby E	27	14 51.85
14=	Angela Parker	Hutton A & B	27	14 51.85
16	Roger Dunning	Westow	24	10 41.66
17	Ian Dawson	Amotherby E	30	12 40
18=	Linda Clarke	Amotherby D	18	6 33.33
18=	Janet Bailey	Amotherby E	18	6 33.33
20	Silvio Rusu	Ryedale G	24	6 25
21	Josh Garcia-Hall	Amotherby D	18	4 22.22
22	Sara Winn-Darley	Hutton A	18	3 16.66
23	Mary Chappell	Hutton B	24	1 4.16

DIVISION TWO				
Pos	Player	Team	P	W %
1	Gareth Bryning	CSL	21	21 100
2	Chris Londesbrough	Helmsley B	21	20 95.23
3	Mick Temple	Ryedale C	18	16 88.88
4	Andy Seed	Amotherby B	21	17 80.95
5	Barry Todd	Ryedale D	21	16 76.19
6	Andy Grayson	Swinton B	21	15 71.42
7=	Luke Lunn	Helmsley B	21	14 66.66
7=	Ian Johnson	Swinton B	18	12 66.66
9	Ken Pidgeon	Ryedale D	21	13 61.9
10=	Andy Paton	Ryedale F	18	11 61.11
10=	Alec Hodgson	Ryedale C	18	11 61.11
10=	Gerald Cosens	Ryedale C	18	11 61.11
13	Barry Rudd	Ryedale F	24	14 58.33
14	Roger Wang	Amotherby C	21	12 57.14
15	Alan Kirkwood	Ryedale E	21	10 47.61
16	John Ellis	Ryedale E	15	7 46.66
17	Ken Mills	CSL	21	9 42.85
18	Jean Wardman	Ryedale E	24	10 41.66
19	Kenny Brown	Amotherby B	15	6 40
20	Russ Grimshaw	Amotherby C	24	9 37.5
21	Richard Brown	Amotherby B	18	6 33.33
22	Paul Stansfield	Amotherby C	24	7 29.16
23	Chet Butler	Ryedale D	18	5 27.77
24	Johann Voigt	Ryedale F	21	5 23.8
25	Jill Adams	Ryedale C	18	4 22.22
26	Katharina Heinrich	CSL	18	3 16.66
27	John Smith	Swinton B	24	3 12.5

Played less than 60% of sets

James Mayne	Helmsley B	6	6	100
Jan Bryn	Ryedale D	12	8	66.66
Paul Morse	Ryedale E	12	6	50
Finn Needham	Amotherby B	9	4	44.44
Ryan Hood	Amotherby B	9	4	44.44
Howard Mayne	Helmsley B	3	1	33.33
Giles Budge	CSL	3	1	33.33
Jonathan Parkinson	Helmsley B	12	3	25
John Toll	Helmsley B	9	2	22.22
Mike Shepherdson	Swinton B	9	1	11.11
Ron Florey	Ryedale F	9	1	11.11
Nick Knight	Amotherby C	3	0	0
Richard Budgey	CSL	9	0	0

Div 3: played less than 60% of sets

Howard Wass	Hutton B	3	3	100
Lisa Ravis	Laundry	12	9	75
Tim Penrose	Scarborians	12	9	75
Christopher Parker	Hutton A	15	11	73.33
Terry Eames	Scarborians	3	2	66.66
Colin Payne	Westow	12	7	58.33
George Davison	Laundry	9	5	55.55
Thomas Thorp	Amotherby D	15	8	53.33
Dawn Hopkins	Westow	15	7	46.66
Stuart Ellis	Helmsley D	9	4	44.44
Liz Chadwick	Scarborians	12	5	41.66
Douglas Annan	Hutton B	15	6	40
Graham Izzard	Scarborians	6	2	33.33
Cameron Walker	Amotherby E	3	1	33.33
Richard Addison	Helmsley D	12	3	25
John Boardman	Ryedale G	12	3	25
Mike Addison	Helmsley D	12	3	25
David Grayson	Laundry	9	2	22.22
Tony Harrison	Helmsley D	9	2	22.22
Andrew Cavanagh	Helmsley D	15	3	20
James Ellis	Helmsley D	12	2	16.66
Matthew Shipley	Westow	6	1	16.66
Julie Cavanagh	Helmsley D	9	1	11.11
Paul Hampson	Hutton A	12	1	8.33
Colin Humpleby	Hutton B	3	0	0
Oliver Grimshaw	Amotherby E	3	0	0
Miriam Alcock	Helmsley D	3	0	0
James Stansfield	Amotherby E	3	0	0
William Pile	Westow	6	0	0
Niki Hampson	Hutton A	12	0	0