

Bristol Closed

REMINDER. Entries for the Bristol Closed on Sunday 10th February need to be with Alan Brailey by noon on Saturday 2nd February

WILL YOU PLEASE CHECK THAT THE ENVELOPE YOU SEND YOUR RESULTS IN CONFORMS TO THE SIZE LIMIT FOR THE NORMAL POSTAL RATE. SO FAR THIS SEASON I HAVE HAD TO PAY £1.06 ON THREE OCCASIONS FOR THE USE OF OVERSIZE ENVELOPES.

Premier Division

Leaders. Panthers were surprisingly beaten by Academy B, Trevor Lloyd going down to Jonny Crawford and Will Bayley in five game sets. Brigands big win over two player Knowle B took them level with Panthers.

Two player Failand A held their B side to a draw thanks to three from Emma Rose. Failand B hold onto third spot but Yate A's big win over two player Knowle B took them to within a set of them.

Academy A fielding probably the strongest side of the season whitewashed struggling Almonds A, Eddie Roofe and Kevin Satchell being untroubled.

Division 1

Nomads win against Hercules took them into second place two sets behind Almonds C. Winterbourne A whitewashed struggling Knowle C but were held to a draw by Adders and moved into third spot.

Hercules had a big win over two player Adders to move into fourth place one set behind Winterbourne. Two wins for Bristol C over close rivals Yate A and Portishead B took them clear of the bottom four.

Division 2

Stokedene's win over Fromeside F took them to the top of the division level with non-playing Failand C. Civets win against struggling Knowle D takes them into third place two sets behind the leaders. Bristol E defeated Warriors to remain in fifth place and Almonds B got the better of Bobcats to remain just behind them.

Division 3

Westbury D defeated third placed Almonds E but were then surprisingly beaten by lowly Creams but nevertheless remain in top spot. A late sheet gave Olympus a narrow win against Gladiators, William Annan taking all three for Olympus. This year's return reversed the score and the narrow victory kept them in third spot.

Division 4

Westbury A gained a close win against struggling Failand E to remain in second place. Portishead C had a big win at their D team's expense to move into third spot. Almonds H went down to both Failand D and Portishead D but remain just above the danger zone.

Division 5

Pythons, without Graham Budd narrowly went down to Pegasus and missed the chance of becoming outright leaders of the division. Thanks to three from John Hodson Cougars defeated Longwell to pull away from the relegation zone.

Division 6

Tigers whitewashed bottom club Page D to hold on to second place. Page E whitewashed second from bottom Almonds F who were without John Ruderham, but were held to a draw by Vipers and hold third place. A weakened Ninjas went down to Tornados for whom Brian Ellison took a very good three to remain just below mid-way. Westbury C had a close win against two player Almonds F.

Division 7

Runaway leaders, Merlins, had a big win against lowly Shoguns and Knowle G. Paul Allen and Dave Nipper being number one and two in the averages. Third placed Bristol F were narrowly beaten by Page F but are struggling to keep in touch with the promotion places.

Portishead F had a comfortable win over Shoguns to keep in the second place battle. Fromeside D drew with Knowle F but have a fight on their hands to avoid the drop. Knowle G and Showguns drew with fellow strugglers, two player KCC C, in relegation battles although Shoguns are looking very vulnerable.

Division 8

Leaders, Portishead G, defeated third placed Kestrels but lost their hundred percent record but remained unbeaten thanks to three from Tim Coles when with only two players they were held to a draw by Cheetahs.

Zhiri Zheng took her unbeaten run to 27 games but Typhoons went down to Eagles who also defeated Britannias to be in fifth place. Dennis Conyers took a fine three for Portishead H in their draw with KCC D

RESULTS

Premier

Brigands 8 Knowle B 2; Panthers 4 Academy B (Crawford 3 Bayley 3) 6; Academy A (Roofe 3 Satchell 3 Russell 3) 10 Almonds A 0; Knowle B 2 Yate A 8; Failand A (Rose 3) 5 Failand B 5;

Division 1

Bristol C 7 Portishead B 3 Winterbourne A (Cox 3 Baldwin 3 Whittaker 3) 10 Knowle C 0; Hercules 9 Adders 1; Adders 5 Winterbourne A (Cox 3) 5; Nomads (Freeman 3) 7 Hercules 3; Bristol C 6 Yate C (Edser 3) 4;

Division 2

Bristol E (Anstey 3) 7 Warriors 3; Almonds B (Smith 3) 7 Bobcats 3; Stokedene (Qian 3 P Jones 3) 7 Fromeside C 3; Knowle D 3 Civets (Newell 3) 7;

Division 3

Creams (Nesbitt 3) 8 Westbury D 2; Gladiators (Wyatt 3) 6 Olympus 4; Almonds E 2 Westbury D (Hollingbury 3 Youngs 3) 8; Olympus (Annan 3) 4 Gladiators 6;

Division 4

Failand E 4 Westbury A (Towers 3 Sherring 3) 6; Portishead C (Doidge 3 Beynon 3) 8
Portishead D 2; Almonds H 3 Failand D (Wright 3) 7; Portishead D (Bishop 3) 8 Almonds H
2;

Division 5

Pythons (Peters 3) 4 Pegasus 6; Longwell 3 Cougars (Hodson 3) 7;

Division 6

Almonds F 0 Page E (Baker 3 Schofield 3 Durbin 3) 10; Page E (Baker 3) 5 Vipers 5;
Westbury C 6 Almonds F (Ruderham 3) 4; Tigers (Harris 3 Elliot 3 Hudson 3) 10 Page D 0;
Tornadoes (Ellison 3) 6 Ninjas 4;

Division 7

Knowle g 5 KCC C (Stone 3) 5; Merlins (Nipper 3 Allen 3) 9 Knowle G 1; Portishead F (J
Muscati 3) 8 Shoguns 2; Shoguns 3 Merlins (Allen 3) 7; Shoguns 6 KCC C 4; Page F 6
Bristol F 4; Fromeside D (Brookes 3) 5 Knowle F 5;

Division 8

Eagles (Cryer 3) 8 Britannias 2; Portishead G (Coles 3) 7 Kestrels 3; Typhoons (Zheng 3) 3
Eagles 7; Cheetahs 5 Portishead G (Coles 3) 5; Portishead H (Conyers 3) 5 KCC D 5;