



NEWSLETTER
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**A very happy Christmas and a successful 2010 to all our members
and your families.**

CHRISTMAS TIMETABLE

**The normal Saturday, Sunday, Wednesday & timetable will go ahead
every week except**

Sat 19th Dec, 26th Dec & 2nd Jan – No Sessions

**Sun 20th Dec – Super Series & Auction all day – no normal evening
sessions**

Sun 27th Dec – No Session

**Tues 22nd & Wed 23rd Dec – All day coaching (No normal Wed evening
sessions)**

Wed 30th Dec – No Sessions

Back to normal from Sunday 3rd Jan 2010.

SUPER SERIES FINALE / BUFFET / AUCTION OF PROMISES

The final Super Series event on Sunday 20th December will follow the normal
format from 9am to 5.30pm & entries will close on 18th December. Entry
forms are available at all club sessions & the whole day is suitable for **all**
standards

The evening timetable will be (approx)

5.30pm Super Series Presentations

6pm Auction of Promises

7pm Christmas Buffet

8pm Auction of Promises (cont)

All the evening events are **free of charge** to all club members & their families & all competitors in the day's events.

Auction of Promises

You do not have to book places at the Auction in advance. All are welcome and admission is FREE.

For those who are not familiar with such events, almost any talent, service or saleable item can be offered for auction – below are some of the lots from our last auction.

Three Course Italian Meal for Four cooked in your home by former professional chef

Two seats at a Plymouth Argyle Championship match

New Youth Medium White UK School Games 2008 England Shirt

Large Donic Shirt worn by Jorgen Persson (1991 World Champion & Beijing Olympics Semi-Finalist)

1 Litre bottle Martini

Nearly New Schneider Television Set in full working order

A dozen home-laid organic eggs

Two CityBus All Zone 7 Day Adult Passes

Large Chocolate Trifle

Sally's Big Red Cake!!

8" Round Christmas Cake (to order)

Large Celebration Sponge Cake (to order)

Rich Marshall (Youth International & County Junior No 1) as partner in Devon Junior Boys Doubles

Vicky Smith (County No 1 Junior Girl & County Senior Mixed Doubles Champion) as partner in Devon Junior Mixed Doubles

The possibilities are endless & to make the evening a success we need

- lots of items for auction
- lots of people bidding on the evening

Please don't be shy!

Contact John Smith for more ideas or information about offering lots, & come along to an evening which will be great fun.

A booklet with details of the Auction lots will be provided in advance to anyone indicating that they will be attending, and will also be available on the day of the event.

WEEKLY COACHING SESSIONS

Firstly another reminder about **Saturday's** coaching sessions from 10am to 11.30am. The turnout has been disappointing recently & we may need to stop them without more support but this just creates a great opportunity for any of you that do come to get really excellent coaching. £3.50 or £3 per week if you block book.

The **Sunday** coaching sessions are full (but let John Smith know if you are interested in taking up any future vacancies) but you can still come along any time (no booking required) for practice & competition for just £2.50

- Beginners to Intermediate 4pm to 6.15pm
- Intermediate to Advanced 6.15pm to 9pm

There are still a few vacancies on **Wednesdays** for coaching from 5.30pm to 7pm so anyone can come along without booking, cost £3.50.

DEVON CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Devon Junior Closed Championships will be on Sunday 31st January & Senior Closed Champs on Sunday 21st March 2010, both at Okehampton. Further details will follow soon.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY COACHING

Tuesday 22nd Dec & Wednesday 23rd Dec 10am to 4pm

Both days suitable for **all** standards.

Coaches – at least two from Paul Whiting, Harry Cutler, Helen Lambert, Sally Smith each day.

£11 per day or £19 for both days. Limited to 20.

First come, first served.

JUNIOR SQUADS

For those interested in joining our club groups to the National junior tournaments the entry form for the Derby Junior Grand Prix on 13 & 14 March is now on the ETTA website. Enter asap to give yourselves the best chance of getting in.

There is still time to enter the E Midlands Junior Grand Prix but you stand a much better chance of getting in if you enter early.

Contact John Smith with any queries about the arrangements.

CLUB KIT

We have very limited supplies of club kit available – a final order has gone in & will be available early in the New Year. There will be no further supplies so if you want any of the club kit please let John Smith know now.

Prices are below & are less than cost, subsidised by the club.

Shirts (Blue or Yellow or Red) £14 (XS & smaller £12)

Shorts £10 (£8)

Tracksuits £30 (£25)