

KENT vs. ESSEX

Across the Queen Elizabeth II Bridge to the Six in One Club, Tonbridge for the opening 2022/2023 UKDA Premier fixture against promoted Kent.

The **Ladies 'B'** started poorly with only Jade Gofford (16.46) recording a win. Ann Farmer, Karen Breen, Dawn Kennedy, Kerry Rudd and Sharon Wakeling all suffering defeats; Sue Bird (17.87) was Kent's lady of the match.

The **Men's 'B'** lost 5-7 with Darren Richardson (28.63) the man of the match. Essex's other winners were Jason Murphy (25.37), Phil Brewster (25.36), Bryan Margerison (25.04) and Jamie Peetoom (24.44). Losing out were Scott Lawrie, Keegan Brown, James Allison, Andrew Currivan, Shaun Fox, Danny McIntyre and Robert Donat; Peter Mitchell (28.90) being Kent's man of the match.

The **Ladies 'A'** was victorious, winning 4-2. The lady of the match was Donna Gleed (22.77); also winning were Karen Williams (19.84), Stacey Ellis (19.03) and Wendy Collins (15.18). Emma Martin (19.25) beat Carol Pinfold to claim Kent's award; Leanne Halls also lost out.

The **Men's 'A'** won 9-3 with an impressive win from Essex's man of the match, Darren Peetoom (31.31); there was also wins from Keegan Brown (30.36), Richie Howson (2.04), Phil Halls (28.25), Craig Vickers (27.38), Paul Marsh (27.04), Lennie Holmes (26.29), Ben Adams (25.26) and Wayne Gleed (25.21). Kent's man of the match was Peter Allen (29.91) who beat Joe Russell; Bradley Halls and Steve Haggerty also lost out.

A close fought match with Essex winning 22-17; Warwickshire at Chelmsford up next!