

## **Dorchester Tennis & Squash Club - Junior Tennis Championships May 2019**

Dorchester Tennis & Squash Club has been playing its Junior Club Championships throughout the half term week in May 2019.

Events for all age groups took place, with the outstanding star of the week being 13 year old Ethan Robinson who won both the boys 16 & under singles and the boys 14 & under singles, with the loss of only 1 game in total.

In the Boys 16 & under singles Ethan beat Eddie Keegan in the final, in a high quality, big hitting match. But Ethan's agility and consistency were far too great for Eddie to overcome. His all round game proved too much for Nathaniel Skinner in the 14 & under final. Nathaniel had a very long semi-final match against Raffy Davies, with both boys playing extremely consistent tennis, with long rallies, neither player wanting to give in.

Immi Reid managed to defend her girls singles title in a convincing manner, beating Sophie Perry in their final. The girls event had an age range of 11-16 as there aren't enough players in any one age group, but they are all capable of playing to a similar standard forcing the referee to get the calculator out to determine the finalists!

The week started with the 12 & under boys singles. This was a very closely contested event, with some tight matches, but the youngsters all displayed good technique, and are gaining a great deal of match experience. Josh Jackson came from the brink of defeat in his first round match, to beat Ollie Schwinge into second place.

The younger age groups were also displaying their skills. The 8 & under event, for which the Club's team has got through to the County finals for the 4th consecutive year, had the largest number of entrants. They play a mini form of the adult game, but were still demonstrating their potential, with good technique and footwork. The older players were brought on court to umpire these matches, giving them responsibilities and ensuring they show those new to the game how they can get involved in helping out.

The 8 and under champion was Sufyaan Haynes, beating Austin Biddle in a very close match, with Gregory Varghese 3rd and Ren Ren Zhou 4th.

The 9 and unders also play a mini version of the big game, and were umpired by the older players. Herbie Andrews held off a very competitive and determined Felix Sloley to take this title and he then went on to also win the 10 & under event the following day, coming from behind to beat a very inspired Joe Sanders.

**Full Results & Photos Below:**

## Full results:

### 8 & Under:

Sufyaan Haynes beat Dexter Osborne	10-4
Ren Ren Zhou beat Katrina Schmidt	12-10
Austin Biddle beat James Langlands	10-4
Gregory Varghese beat Joel Wickham	10-6
Sufyaan Haynes beat Ren Ren Zhou	10-4
Katrina Schmidt beat Dexter Osborne	10-3
Austin Biddle beat Joel Wickham	10-6
Gregory Varghese beat James Langlands	21-20
Sufyaan Haynes beat Katrina Schmidt	10-4
Ren Ren Zhou beat Dexter Osborne	10-4
Austin Biddle beat Gregory Varghese	10-6
Joel Wickham beat James Langlands	10-4
Sufyaan Haynes beat Gregory Varghese	10-5
Austin Biddle beat Ren Ren Zhou	10-4
Katrina Schmidt beat James Langlands	10-2
Dexter Osborne beat Joel Wickham	10-8
Katrina Schmidt beat Joel Wickham	10-2
James Langlands beat Dexter Osborne	10-4
Gregory Varghese beat Ren Ren Zhou	10-1
Sufyaan Haynes beat Austin Biddle	12-10



**8 & Under runner up Austin Biddle**



**Umpires behind left to right**

**Joe Sanders, Ben Sanders, Nathaniel Skinner, Ethan Robinson, Raffy Davies.**

**8 & Under players left to right**

**Dexter Osborne, Gregory Varghese, Ren Ren Zhou, Katrina Schmidt, Joel Wickham, James Langlands, Austin Biddle**

## 9 & Under:

Leon James beat Sufyaan Haynes	7-4 7-5
Felix Sloley beat Sam Moore	7-1 7-3
Ben Randall beat Alexander Cook	7-2 3-7 7-4
Herbie Andrews beat Leon James	7-0 7-6
Felix Sloley beat Ben Randall	7-2 7-4
Sufyaan Haynes beat Sam Moore	7-3 6-7 7-1
Alexander Cook beat Sam Moore	7-4 7-0
Alexander Cook beat Sufyaan Haynes	7-5 6-7 7-5
Ben Randall beat Leon James	3-7 7-5 7-5
Herbie Andrews beat Felix Sloley	7-6 7-5



***Under 9 Competitors: Left to right***

***Ben Randall, Alexander Cook, Leon James, Felix Sloley, Herbie Andrews, Sam Moore***



## 10 & Under:

Herbie Andrews beat Thomas Edwards 4-0 4-0

Joe Sanders beat Thomas Edwards 4-1 4-2

Herbie Andrews beat Joe Sanders 5-3 4-2



***10 & Under Competitors: Left to right***

***3rd - Thomas Edwards***

***1st - Herbie Andrews***

***2nd - Joe Sanders***

### **12 & Under Boys:**

Josh Jackson beat William Stein	7-5
Daniel Green beat Max James	6-1
Ollie Schwinge beat Daniel Green	6-2
Josh Jackson beat Max James	6-1
Daniel Green beat William Stein	6-4
William Stein beat Ollie Schwinge	7-6
Josh Jackson beat Daniel Green	6-3
Max James beat William Stein	7-5
Ollie Schwinge beat Max James	7-6
Josh Jackson beat Ollie Schwinge	6-2



*Left to right winner Josh Jackson, Runner-up Ollie Schwinge*



*12 & Under Competitors: Left to right  
Max James, Josh Jackson, Ollie Schwinge, Daniel Green, William Stein*



### 14 & under boys:

Ethan Robinson beat Joe Arthy	4-0 4-0
Raffy Davies beat Tait Tindall	4-2 4-0
Joe Arthy beat Noah Smith	4-2 2-4 10-5
Nathaniel Skinner beat Tait Tindall	4-2 4-0
Ethan Robinson beat Noah Smith	4-0 4-0
Nathaniel Skinner beat Raffy Davies	4-1 5-3
Noah Smith beat Tait Tindall	4-1 2-4 13-11
Raffy Davies beat Joe Arthy	4-0 4-2
Ethan Robinson beat Nathaniel Skinner	4-0 4-0



*Left to right winner: Ethan Robinson, runner up Nathaniel Skinner*



*14 & Under Competitors: Left to right  
Tait Tindall, Joe Arthy, Ethan Robinson, Noah Smith, Nathaniel Skinner, Raffy Davies*

**16 & under boys:**

Ethan Robinson bt Raffy Davies	4-0 4-0
Ben Sanders bt Nathaniel Skinner	4-0 4-2
Raffy Davies bt Noah Jarvis-Woodbridge	4-2 4-5 10-8
Eddie Keegan bt Nathaniel Skinner	4-2 4-0
Ethan Robinson bt Noah Jarvis-Woodbridge	4-0 4-0
Eddie Keegan bt Ben Sanders	1-4 5-3 10-5
Nathaniel Skinner bt Noah Jarvis-Woodbridge	4-2 4-2
Ben Sanders bt Raffy Davies	4-0 4-2
Ethan Robinson bt Eddie Keegan	4-0 4-1



*left to right: runner-up Eddie Keegan, winner Ethan Robinson*



*16 & Under Competitors: Left to right  
Noah Jarvis-Woodbridge, Eddie Keegan, Ethan Robinson, Nathaniel Skinner, Raffy Davies, Ben Sanders*



## Girls:

Becky Stein beat Arabella Stillman	4-0 4-0
Freya Barrington beat Sophie Perry	2-4 4-1 10-5
Immi Reid beat Becky Stein	4-2 4-0
Sophie Perry beat Rachel Walsh	4-1 4-0
Immi Reid beat Arabella Stillman	4-0 4-0
Rachel Walsh beat Freya Barrington	2-4 4-1 10-5
Rachel Walsh beat Arabella Stillman	4-2 4-0
Becky Stein beat Freya Barrington	5-3 4-1
Immi Reid beat Sophie Perry	4-0 4-1



*Left to right: Runner-up Sophie Perry, winner Immi Reid*



*Girls Competitors Left to right : Arabella Stillman, Becky Stein, Immi Reid, Freya Barrington, Rachel Walsh, Sophie Perry*