**Table Tennis**

**Date:** Friday 20th March 2020

**Venue:** Bishop Barrington

**Age Group:** Year 7 / 8

**Gender:** Mixed

**Team Requirements:** Each team can consist of a maximum of 4 players (either male, female or mixed). Each player must be seeded 1 – 4. These seeds will determine the games and order of playing.

**Match Structure –** Each match between schools will consist of eight sets:

Game 1 – Ranked 1 V 2 Ranked Game 5 - Ranked 1 V 1 Ranked

Game 2 – Ranked 2 V 1 Ranked Game 6 - Ranked 3 V 2 Ranked

Game 3 – Ranked 3 V 4 Ranked Game 7 - Ranked 2 V 3 Ranked

Game 4 – Ranked 4 V 3 Ranked Game 8 - Ranked 4 V 4 Ranked

Each game will be played to 11 points.

After serving for two points the serve swaps to the receiving player for two serves. A good serve is when a player rests the ball in the palm of their hand, throws the ball up and hits the ball on its way down. The ball then hits the server’s side of the table first then hits the opponents side of the table on the diagonal service box. In singles matches serves can bounce anywhere on the receivers side of the table.

Servers have to stand behind the end of the table when serving; serves cannot be from the side of the table. A good return is when the receiver hits the ball back over the net without the ball hitting their side of the table and hits anywhere on the opponent’s side of the table. White lines are in.

A let is called and the point played again if the serve hits the net after hitting the server’s side of the table first and continues to hit their opponent’s side of the table.

Each set shall be the best 3 games. A game shall be won by the player first scoring 11points unless both players score 10 points, when the game shall be won by the first player subsequently gaining a lead of 2 points.

The winning team will be awarded 2 points and, in the case of a draw, each team will be awarded 1 point.

A league system will be used to determine the winners in each category. In the cases of equality of points final placing will be decided by:

1) Tied teams result, 2) sets won, 3) games difference 4) points difference.

Each competition will played on the principle of a round robin format of appropriately sized pools, depending on the number of teams entered.

Players will be responsible for umpiring their own games however players not participating at the time in their match will be expected to umpire games as directed.

For further information please visit: [www.yourschoolgames.com](http://www.yourschoolgames.com) or [www.tabletennisengland.co.uk](http://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk)

**TABLE TENNIS – MATCH SCORE SHEET**

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| Home Team | Away Team |
| School: |  | School: |  |
| **1** |  | **1** |  |
| **2** |  | **2** |  |
| **3** |  | **3** |  |
| **4** |  | **4** |  |

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|  |  |  | Game Score |  | Match Score |
| Match | Player Name | 1 | 2 | 3 | Winner | Home | Away |
| 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  | Final Match Score |  |  |

Winners:

Each Game to 11 points – Best of 3 Games

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| Number of Teams in group |
| 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 |
| F-H | B-C | A-B | A-D | A-C |
| B-C | D-G | C-D | B-C | B-D |
| A-E | A-E | E-F | D-E | A-D |
| D-G | D-F | A-C | A-C | B-C |
| B-H | A-B | B-E | B-E | A-B |
| C-F | C-E | D-F | C-D | C-D |
| D-E | F-G | A-E | A-B |
| A-G | B-E | C-F | C-E |
| D-H | A-C | B-D | B-D |
| A-C | D-E | A-F | A-E |
| B-E | B-F | D-E |
| F-G | A-G | B-C |
| A-H | C-D | A-D |
| B-G | E-F | B-F |
| C-D | B-G | C-E |
| E-F | A-D |
| A-B | C-F |
| D-F | E-G |
| C-E | B-D |
| G-H | A-F |
| B-D | C-G |
| A-F |
| E-H |
| C-G |
| A-D |
| B-F |
| C-H |
| E-G |

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| Winner |  |
| Runner up |  |
| Group |  |

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| Team | Letter |
|  | A |
|  | B |
|  | C |
|  | D |
|  | E |
|  | F |
|  | G |
|  | H |