

# Winter 2017-2018 Season

# Week 1

# 4th November 2017

# Doubles League

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Well the season got off to a slow start with just 4 matches being played and two of those by Alice & Brigitte Ibitson who played one match in advance from week 2 (18th November).

 Alice & Brigitte fought back from losing the first game against Keith & Sue Pinel 13 -11 to gain a valuable draw in their scheduled match.  They top the league though as they beat one of their week 2 opponents Colin Myers & Steve Simpkin quite easily, well at least that’s what the score line suggests.  Colin & Steve already look to have an uphill struggle.

 The only other fixture in the Premier league was between two of the big four teams, as Geoffroy Buffetrille & James Gennoe took on Matt Pinel & Toby Northern.  It was a tight affair in the first game at 5 -4 to James & Geoffroy, before Matt fired Toby’s boule out, instead of James and four poor placing attempts left an easy 6 for James & Geoffroy, how ran out 13 – 5 winners.  Game two started well again for James & Geoffroy who took for on the opening end before finding themselves 4 – 8 down.  They again turned it around to lead 10 – 8, but some excellent placing by Matt and Toby through the puddle’s gave them the draw with a 13 – 10 win.

Division 1 saw just one match played between Jean Stewart & Chris Le Gallais v Harrison Marie & Richard Williams.  It was a close match with Jean & Chris starting their partnership well with a 13 – 11 win in game one, but ever growing in confidence and skill Harrison & Marie took the second game for the draw.



Did you try our new feature – Super 6, 12 people did which included 1 none member.  Look out for week 2 picks on Thursday.

Week 1 winner was Toby Northern.

***NEXT WEEK***

**Singles League**

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