

Sunday's third Britannia Senior Super Series of table tennis this season, proved to be one of the most exciting in it's history with a very strong field.

18 players took part in four groups with the top two going through to band one and the remainder into band two.

In group one both Arias Kapsanakis and Jakob Kurowski took an end of top seed Victor Guang Shi as he won all his matches, Jakob Kurowski who was seeded to come second finished fourth but took legs in all his games as Adam Wilson came second with wins over both Kurowski and Kapsanakis.

In group two both Ashley Marsh and Sylvain Floury took legs off second seed Sam Wilson, but it was sixth seed Marcin Szram with wins over Floury, Marsh & Kit Marsden that came second, Floury came third, Marsh fourth and Marsden fifth,

In group three third seed Rory Scott won all his matches 3-0 as Steven Gray and Remy De Lynen fought a hard five setter to decide second place which went the way of Gray, De Lynen beat Piotr Kopczyk for third and fourth spot in what was a tough group.

Group four had five players and in an early Match Kelly Yuenyoungpknan pushed Andrew Doshier all the way to five sets before losing, Doshier then played against a former winner of this event Mathiew Jabault which would eventually determine the second band one qualification spot, and a pulsating five setter just went the way of Doshier, James Davies Stokes carried all before him and only Jabault was able to take a leg off him, while Yuenyoungpknan beat Jack Perkins for the battle of fourth and fifth.

In band one, the first quarter final was won 3-0 by Victor Guang Shi over Steven Gray, in the second quarter final James Davies Stokes went 2-0 up against Marcin Szram just nicking the second end, before Szram responded superbly to easily take the next two sets, a tough final end saw Davies Stokes just do enough to get through, the third quarter final saw Rory Scott home 3-0 over Adam Wilson and the fourth quarter final was comfortable for Sam Wilson who beat Andrew Doshier 3-0.

In the first semi final James Davies Stokes did really well to take the first end over Victor Guang Shi, but from there on had to concede to the all round quality of his opponent, while the second semi final saw Sam Wilson easily account for Rory Scott.

The final between the top two seeds totally lived up to it's billing and Victor Ghang Shi braved off a come back in the first end from Sam Wilson to take it and he opened up in the second to take it more easily, Wilson responded by taking the third comfortable and a tense fourth leg saw Ghang Shi lead 9-7 before Wilson showed his quality to nick it 11-9, Wilson got the perfect start in the fifth end to lead 5-1 and try as he might Ghang Shi was unable to catch him as Wilson took his first title in this series at the first time of asking

Scores from the dome

Band one

Quarter finals

Victor Guang Shi, beat Steven Gray 6 8 8
James Davies Stokes beat Marcin Szram 7 10 -5 -5 7
Rory Scott beat Adam Wilson 5 8 10
Sam Wilson beat Andrew Doshier 2 8 5

Semi finals

Victor Guang Shi beat James Davies Stokes -10 6 3 6
Sam Wilson beat Rory Scott 4 5 3

Final Sam Wilson beat Victor Guang Shi -12 -6 4 9 6

3rd/ 4th Rory Scott beat James Davies Stokes

5th / 6th Andrew Doshier beat Steven Gray -9 5 12 -8 11

7th / 8th Marcin Szram beat Adam Wilson -5 5 6 5

Band two Mathiew Jabault beat Remy De Lynan 10 7 -7 8 9th / 10th

11th / 12th Jakob Kurowski beat Piotr Kopczyk -9 7 6 9

13th / 14th Aias Kapsanakis beat Sylvain Flouty 6 7 -8 3

15th / 16th Ashley Marsh beat Kit Marsden 6 9 5

17th / 18th Kelly Yuenyoungpknan beat Jack Perkins 4 4 8