



# KENT COUNTY GOLF UNION

League / Friendly

**KENT** vs. **HAMPSHIRE**  
 -----  
 at **Hockley GC** on **SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST 2010**  
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## Foursomes

Match		<u>Match Result</u>	<u>Match Pts.</u>		<u>Match Result</u>	<u>Match Pts.</u>
1.	Tom Sherreard Levi Johnson	1 Hole	1	Martin Young Ryan Henley		
2.	Michael Saunders Darren Timms	AS	0.5	Neil Raymond Jordan Ainley	AS	0.5
3.	James Smith Connor Holyoake	AS	0.5	Jonathan Watt Colin Walsh	AS	0.5
4.	Alfie Plant Jack Colgate	1 Hole	1	Sam Robertshawe Mark Burgess		
Foursomes Totals			<b>3</b>			<b>1</b>

## Singles

Match		<u>Match Result</u>	<u>Match Pts</u>		<u>Match Result</u>	<u>Match Pts</u>
1.	Darren Timms			Neil Raymond	4&2	1
2.	Michael Saunders	2&1	1	Martin Young		
3.	Levi Johnson	4&3	1	Jonathan Watt		
4.	James Smith			Ryan Henley	6&4	1
5.	Connor Holyoake	3&1	1	Colin Walsh		
6.	Alfie Plant	3&1	1	Mark Burgess		
7.	Jack Colgate			Sam Robertshawe	1 hole	1
8.	Tom Sherreard	1 hole	1	Jordan Ainley		
Singles Totals			<b>5</b>			<b>3</b>
<b>KENT</b>			<b>8</b>	<b>HAMPSHIRE</b>		<b>4</b>

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### Match Report

Kent's final league match against Hampshire was played at Hockley GC near Winchester and with Surrey already being victorious in the league this year, the match was all about pride. Kent welcomed back James Smith who returned to amateur status after a few years in the professional ranks.

The morning foursomes showed the most exciting golf of this season with all four matches going down the 18th hole. With Tom Sherreard/ Levi Johnson and Alfie Plant/ Jack Colgate winning the 18th and Michael Saunders/ Darren Timms and James Smith/ Connor Holyoake halving Kent went into lunch ahead by 3 matches to 1. A situation which looked unlikely early on. Great fighting spirit.

Darren Timms as Kent Youth Champion from the previous week led the team out and was perhaps a little unlucky to find Neil Raymond in such fine form with Darren losing 4&2. With Michael Saunders 2 down after 10 holes and James Smith struggling to retain his morning form, Levi Johnson was the only Kent man ahead in the top four matches. Kent's hopes rested with getting points from Connor Holyoake, Alfie Plant, Jack Colgate and the ever reliable Tom Sherreard. As is golf Michael Saunders hung in and with the pressure turning on his opponent Martin Young managed a very good win for Kent 2&1. With Levi Johnson returning to his best form of the year in beating Jonathan Watt 4&2 Kent then needed 2 points from the last four matches out on the course. With Connor Holyoake and Alfie Plant both playing sensibly both winning 3&1 brought the needed win for Kent. With Jack Colgate finishing 1 down to Sam Robertshaw's fine eagle on the last hole this just left Tom Sherreard to fight back from one down to win on the 18th against the very promising Jordan Ainley. A Kent win by 8 matches to 4 reflecting the excellent team spirit.

The County thanked Hampshire for the excellent match, and Hockley GC for the use of their course. The Captain thanked the President and his Wife for their support on the day and Kent's Coaching Manager Allister Raphael for all his help for the whole weekend.

With 2 wins out of 2 matches Kent will hopefully finish in second place when all the results are known. A good second half to the year after the disappointments against Surrey and Dorset. Lots to work on for 2011.