For the second successive event in the Ipswich Britannia Senior Super Series of Table Tennis a number of other events and injuries to players on Sunday kept the entries down but despite that the day produced a number of excellent matches that delighted the spectators as it was clear that the event could be won by any number of players on the day.

Frenchman Mathieu Jabault the winner in September wasn't able to play but is due to be back for the next one in November so <u>Andrew Warner</u> was the top seed seed with September's runner up Christopher Cockburn the number two seed.

Four groups in stage one with final positions determined players place in the next stage, and in group one Andrew Warner found the going hard with two tough players in his group in Ben Richmond and Dudi Dubiner, in fact these two players played a titantic first game which Dubiner won 3-2 in a seeding upset. When Warner and Dubiner went head to head it was a similar story with Warner getting a better start in the decider to win in five sets, Warner won his game over Richmond 3-1 after losing the first set with Dan Millburn not able to register a win. In group two Christopher Cockburn and Phil Waity were unbeaten leading up to their match to determine 1st and 2nd place as Kelly Yeunyongpknan beat Nigel Page 3-1 to come third, and it was the second seed that came through 3-0. Group three had five players and it was always Junior player Luke Davies Stokes that was likely to challenge for a band one place here, and he gave a good showing against number three seed Gary Young by leading 2-1 before going down, in a tight battle for first and second it was Gary Young that came through over Andrew Dosher 3-1 as both went through, there were no other seeding upsets with Davies Stokes beating Scott Morgan 3-1 and Jane Young finnished fifth.

Group four had no surprises but Daniel Young took a leg off Ryan Moore and William Cugnoni went to five sets against Young with Lewis Lewy Carby beating Ryan Moore into second spot 3-0

In the quarter finals of Band one Andrew Warner came through 3-1 over Ryan Moore who took the third leg, Gary Young had no problems with Phil Waity conceding just 15 points in their quarter and Lewy Carby went through in straight sets from Dudi Dubiner, the last quarter gave good value and Christopher Cockburn was made to sweat against a better than of late Andrew Dosher as he went 0-2 down and trailed 6-8 in the third before nicking the third end at nine and eventually looking comfortable to win 3-2.

In the first semi final Warner led 2-0 but was really tested in the third end by Young before getting home and Cockburn shared the first two sets with Carby before winning 3-1

The final was fit for the occasion as it came in ebbs and flows, Warner letting slip a lead in the first set at duece but came back to win the second, both players playing cat and mouse encouraging each other to attack and play a retriving game then looking to get in with big shots, and it was Cockburn that did it better in game three to win, then Warner made a great start to win game four, in the fifth set it was neck and neck until some gutsy play saw Warner go ahead and finnish the match with a trademark backhand to win his first ever Super Series

Scores from the Britannia TTC

Quarter finals

Andrew Warner beat Ryan Moore 8 5 -11 5
Gary Young beat Phil Waity 2 9 4
Lewis Carby beat Dudi Dubiner 8 7 8
Christopher Cockburn beat Andrew Dosher -7 -7 9 7 5

Semi finals

Andrew Warner beat Gary Young 8 6 13 Christopher Cockburn beat Lewis Carby 7 -4 9 6

Final Andrew Warner beat Christopher Cockburn -13 7 -6 5 7

3rd / 4th Gary Young beat Lewy Carby -8 4 10 8 5th / 6th Dudi Dubiner beat Phil Waity -8 9 4 10 7th / 8th Ryan Moore v Andrew Dosher not played

Band two round robin

9th Ben Richmond (Winner)
10th Luke Davies Stokes (Runner up)
11th Dan Millburn
12th William cognoni
13th Kelly Yeunyongpknan
14th Daniel Young
15th Nigel Page

16th Jame Young 17th Scott Morgan