

Cheerless Swedish Open for juniors

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There was little to cheer about for the four English juniors that travelled to Sweden for the Junior & Cadet Open as only Igor Morais was able to progress to the first round.

The remaining trio, Liam McTiernan, Adam Harrison and Joseph Langham-Ferreira were all knocked-out in their respective qualifying groups.

Morais, meanwhile, after reaching the first round was then knocked-out by the host nation's Kim Nilsson 4-1.

There was some positive news for McTiernan, however, as he did manage to reach the quarter-finals of the consolation event. He beat Abdelrahman Rahmou (EGY), Oh Juhyeong (KOR) and Conor Edwards (WAL) en route.

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Results:

Junior Boy's Singles:

Group 2:

Paul Gauzy (FRA) bt Igor Morais 3-1 (10-12, 11-3, 12-10, 11-6)

Igor Morais bt Malte Moregard (SWE) 3-2 (8-11, 11-5, 10-12, 11-7, 12-10)

Group 4:

Elia Schmid (SUI) bt Liam McTiernan 3-1 (10-12, 11-4, 11-8, 11-3)

Marc Kynde (DEN) bt Liam McTiernan 3-2 (14-12, 5-11, 11-9, 7-11, 11-3)

Masato Kakitsuka (JPN) bt Liam McTiernan 3-0 (11-7, 11-7, 11-6)

Group 8:

Gleb Shamruk (BLR) bt Joseph Langham-Ferreira 3-1 (9-11, 11-6, 11-7, 11-7)

Abdulrahman Al-Naggar (QAT) bt Joseph Langham-Ferreira 3-0 (11-6, 11-8, 11-5)

Can Akkuzu (FRA) bt Joseph Langham-Ferreira 3-0 (11-7, 11-6, 11-8)

Group 21:

Simon Berglund (SWE) bt Adam Harrison 3-1 (11-3, 11-3, 10-12, 11-8)

Marko Medjugorac (CAN) bt Adam Harrison 3-0 (11-4, 11-9, 11-8)

Lionel Weber (SUI) bt Adam Harrison 3-1 (12-10, 11-9, 8-11, 11-8)

Junior Boy's Doubles:

Elias Ranefur/Jonas Stener (SWE) bt Joseph Langham-Ferreira/Igor Morais 3-1 (11-2, 11-1, 7-11, 11-4)

Abdulrahman Al-Naggar/Jassim Al-Sanadi (QAT) bt Adam Harrison/Liam McTiernan 3-2 (11-9, 10-12, 11-13, 11-7,

11-9)

Junior Boy's Singles Last 64:

Kim Nilsson (SWE) bt Igor Morais 4-1 (11-8, 5-11, 11-9, 11-7, 11-3)

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