



## Young Leopards knocked out in Hungary

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England's juniors have seen their interest in the individual events at the Hungarian Youth Open brought to an end.

Denise Payet and Charlotte Bardsley made it out of the group stage and into the knockout rounds, as did Joe Clark.

Payet ran into the sixth seed Lee Ka Yee of Hong Kong in the round of 64 and was beaten 4-0, while Bardsley lost to Sweden's Rebecca Muskantor at the same stage. Clark lost 4-1 to Germany's Felix Wetzels in the round of 128.

James Smith was unlucky to miss out having won two of his three group matches. Samuel Kwan and Megan Gidney both won one of their group matches.

In the doubles, Payet & Bardsley won their first-round match and were then eliminated by the second seeds from Serbia.

The team events take place tomorrow, with the cadet events to follow. Also competing for England at the event are Jamie Liu, Amirul Hussain, Jasmin Wong and Darcie Proud.

## Results

### Junior Boys' Singles

#### Qualifying Group 1

Patrik Juhasz (HUN) bt Joe Clark 3-0 (11-8, 11-4, 11-2)

Clark bt Heorhi Kunats (BLR) 3-0 (11-8, 11-5, 11-2)

#### Group 22

Sven Hennig (GER) bt Samuel Kwan 3-0 (11-3, 11-5, 11-3)  
David Andersson (SWE) bt Kwan 3-2 (11-5, 11-8, 9-11, 5-11, 11-8)  
Kwan bt Sasa Jankovic (SRB) 3-0 (11-6, 11-7, 11-5)

### **Group 23**

James Smith bt Sergi Grau (ESP) 3-2 (6-11, 11-7, 11-9, 3-11, 11-9)  
Smith bt Lim Dao Yi (SGP) 3-1 (9-11, 11-6, 11-7, 11-5)  
Oliver Both (HUN) bt Smith 3-1 (3-11, 11-7, 11-8, 11-9)

### **Round of 128**

Felix Wetzel (GER) bt Joe Clark 4-1 (11-7, 11-4, 11-13, 11-3, 11-8)

### **Junior Girls' Singles**

#### **Group 12**

Helga Dari (HUN) bt Megan Gidney 3-2  
Gidney bt Natalia Divinska (SVK) 3-1  
Arina Slautina (RUS) bt Gidney 3-2

#### **Group 14**

Denise Payet bt Yuliya Zaleskaya (BLR) 3-0  
Nikoleta Puchovanova (SVK) bt Payet 3-1 (10-12, 11-2, 11-4, 11-8)  
Payet bt Luiza Popescu (ROU) 3-0 (11-9, 11-5, 11-5)

#### **Group 16**

Charlotte Bardsley bt Alexandra Kaufmann (GER) 3-0  
Bardsley bt Maja Haugen Gjelle (NOR) 3-1 (12-10, 11-3, 8-11, 11-8)  
Bardsley bt Elisa Armanini (ITA) 3-0 (11-4, 13-11, 11-3)

### **Round of 64**

Lee Ka Yee (HKG) bt Denise Payet 4-0 (11-5, 11-6, 11-6, 11-6)  
Rebecca Muskantor (SWE) bt Charlotte Bardsley 4-2 (11-8, 5-11, 11-8, 3-11, 11-3, 11-7)

### **Junior Boys' Doubles**

#### **Round of 128**

Dimitrios Stamou & Konstantinos Stamou (GRE) bt James Smith & Samuel Kwan 3-1 (10-12, 11-8, 11-4, 11-9)

#### **Round of 64**

Aoto Asuzu & Takeru Kashiwa (JPN) bt Joe Clark (ENG) & Fotios Arvanitis (GRE) 3-1 (11-4, 11-9, 7-11, 11-6)

### **Junior Girls' Doubles**

#### **Round of 64**

Denise Payet & Charlotte Bardsley bt Nomin Baasan & Rebecca Muskantor (SWE) 3-1 (11-5, 5-11, 11-9, 11-6)

#### **Round of 32**

Izabela Lupulesku & Sabina Surjan (SRB) bt Payet & Bardsley 3-0 (11-6, 11-6, 11-6)

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