



JOHN ALEXANDER OAM MP
FEDERAL MEMBER FOR BENNELONG

TABLE TENNIS NSW

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Sportsmanship the winner!

The 8th annual Bennelong Cup Schools' Table Tennis Competition was again a smashing success this year, with over 40 teams from local schools participating and competing at ELS Hall Kent Rd North Ryde last Monday 5 November.

Event founder John Alexander OAM MP, the Federal Member for Bennelong, congratulated the students for their spirit of competition: "Well done to the winning students and the schools! Seeing all the young people, from so many different cultural backgrounds, coming together positively and engaging with each other, in the spirit of competition, was gratifying.

"That's why I started this tournament, to promote engagement and understanding between youngsters of all backgrounds via playing sport, this ultimately promotes a more harmonious and respectful multicultural community, where we can all win!"

Vice President of Table Tennis NSW Ted Davis said: "We were thrilled to be asked by John Alexander to partner with him to put on this event. It's a wonderful opportunity for us to showcase the sport and promote it to the young people of Bennelong."

Event sponsor Hyundai Australia funded the purchase of a table tennis table for every school in Bennelong, and provided the tables for the competition. Hyundai's General Manager of External Affairs Bill Thomas said: "We're proud to be part of the local Bennelong community, and of our Korean heritage, we will always seek to support local initiatives that promote positive engagement between young people of many different backgrounds."

Riverside Business Chamber and Andrew Hill of AJH Sports Marsfield also provided much needed support without which the event would not have been the success it was.

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Results:

Primary School Girls

St Anthony's Catholic Primary School - Isabella Barbara / Sophia Pek	Gold
Eastwood Primary School - Eva Liu / Esther Lee	Silver
Eastwood Primary School - Angela Lin / Natalie Yuen	Bronze

Primary School Boys

Eastwood Primary School - Hongyi Liu / Leo Lu	Gold
Northcross Christian School - Alex Rowe / Joshua Su	Silver
Eastwood Primary School - Nathan Gu / Kevin Shi	Bronze

Junior High School Boys

Epping Boys High School - Xander Ng / Joe Gao	Gold
Epping Boys High School - Roman Hrcic / Isaac Protogeros	Silver
Carlingford high School - Eddie Liu / Brian Ye	Bronze

Senior High School Boys

Marsden High School - Alex Lee / Jonathan Moore	Gold
Epping Boys High School - Ethan Kwok / Patrick Russell	Silver
Carlingford High School - Angus Law / Eric He	Bronze

High School Girls

Tara Anglican School for Girls - Helena Berridge / Sophie Boland	Gold
Carlingford High School - Jessica Huang / Sammie Wong	Silver
Carlingford High School - Ann Lee / Nazli Ersehin	Bronze

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