

## Day Five, 2011 Super-Seniors World Championships, Turkey

### FIVE AUSSIE PLAYERS SURVIVE TO PLAY EITHER THE SEMIS OR THE FINALS OF THE INDIVIDUAL SINGLES

On day five the fields are down to the last FOUR in most age groups. Eleven Aussies played today in the singles but, of the women, only Wendy Gilchrist miraculously survived elimination after being down a set 2-5, love 40. Of the men, Andrew Rae, Adrian Alle, Doug Corbett and Peter Froelich are there for the semis or the finals.

In the 60+ men, only Andrew Rae won his way to the quarters and he had a titanic battle against Brazilian Joao Soares winning 7-5, 7-5 in 2 ½ hours

In the 70+ men's singles only Bob Howes remained and faced Peter Pokorney the number 1 seed. Bob lost 1 and 0. In the men's 75+ singles, Peter Froelich won 1 and 0 against Herbut Althaus of Germany. Alan Hocking lost in straight sets to King Van Nostrand 1 and 0.



*Peter Froelich on his way to a comfortable 6-1, 6-0 win over Herbut Althaus of Germany*

(photo courtesy of Paul Zimmer)

In the men's 80+ Adrian Alle won his semi-final today after being down 2-5 to win in a third set tie-break 6-3, 5-7, 7-6 (5) against Hemborg. Doug Corbett won his semi today against Pehr Svenhammer (Sweden) 2 and 2 but Neville Halligan lost his match to Angelo Sala 2 and 4 in the men's 85+singles. The finals of the men's 80 and 85+ will be played tomorrow.



*Doug Corbett winning through to the final of the Men's 80+* (photo courtesy of Paul Zimmer)

Also, the women played their round of quarters today. In the women's 60+ singles, Wendy Gilchrist won, however, Adrienne Avis lost in three after winning the first but losing the second in a tie-break; 6-4 , 6-7 (4), 6-3. In the 65+ singles Carol Campling, ninth seed, again played her sister Gail Benedetti (France) losing 5 and 3. Judy Hancy lost to the fourth seed, Barbara Von Ende of Germany, 1 and 1.



*Sisters doing battle: Gail Benedetti and Carol Campling* (photo courtesy of Paul Zimmer)

All of the results can be found at:

<http://itfseniors.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/draws.aspx?id=71930484-753F-43F3-B110-A9BE3E850DA1>

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