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# THAT'S GOLD!

Mike Corren wins his 6th Golden Open in Kalgoorlie



# CORREN 52

Corren wins his 52nd PSA title

# EDITORIAL

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**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Mike Corren** on winning his 6th Golden Open in Kalgoorlie.

The "Moose" also racked up his 52nd PSA title. Not bad for a 43 year old!

Check out the exclusive interview with Mike in this month's edition of the **Australian Squash Player Monthly**. Simply go to [squashmedia.com.au](http://squashmedia.com.au) and click on the latest news item



Congrats also to **Tamika Saxby** for winning the inaugural W5 event against Samantha Foyle.

Club President **Peter Siebert** and his band of wonderful volunteers did an amazing job running 3 events (PSA, Graded and Junior) over the long weekend. They looked after around 200 entries!

The **Southern Grand Prix** series of 5 one day tournaments ventured to Bunbury for the 2nd event. Well done to all the winners.

The 2017 Southern Grand Prix Points Table has also been included in this edition of the newsletter. **Jacqui Gray** leads the series. Awesome effort!



## WORLD RANKINGS

1 July 2017

WA MEN:	TM:	HWR:
Mike Corren	199	38
David Ilich	291	291 ★
Tim Cowell	375	178
William Curtis	475	359

TM: This Month

HWR: Highest World Ranking



### JUNIOR SQUASH-A-THON

A **Junior Squash-A-Thon** is being held at Squash World Mirrabooka from **14-15 July 2017**.





# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open

## CORREN & SAXBY 2017 GOLDEN OPEN CHAMPIONS



**Mike Corren** beat three young guns to take out his 6th Golden Open. The “Moose” beat 2016 Australian Junior Representative Joseph White 11-7, 11-1, 11-2 (21min) to set up a semi final clash with Tom Calvert.

#4S Corren beat #2S Calvert in 34 minutes 11-5, 11-7, 11-6 to reach yet another PSA Final.



Meanwhile #1S Rhys Dowling took care of Australia’s premier junior from 2016 Alex Eustace beating the #8S 11-5, 11-3, 11-7 (34min) before destroying Solayman Nowrozi (AUS) 11-9, 11-2, 11-2 (28m) to reach the final.

The final was a tense battle between “youth” and “experience”. “Experience” won out in the end 16-14, 8-11, 11-9, 11-6 (60m) giving Corren back to back titles and his 6th Golden Open.

**Tamika Saxby** beat Samantha Foyle 7-11, 11-6, 11-4, 11-5 (32m) to claim the inaugural Women’s Golden Open Title.



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# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open

## PSA M5 Golden Open

### Final

[4] Mike Corren (AUS) def [1] Rhys Dowling (AUS) 16-14, 8-11, 11-9, 11-6 (60m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Rhys Dowling (AUS) def [3] Solayman Nowrozi (AUS) 11-9, 11-2, 11-2 (28m)

[4] Mike Corren (AUS) def [2] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-5, 11-7, 11-6 (34m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Rhys Dowling (AUS) def [8] Alex Eustace (AUS) 11-5, 11-3, 11-7 (34m)

[3] Solayman Nowrozi (AUS) def [7] David Ilich (AUS) 11-5, 11-9, 2-11, 12-10 (47m)

[4] Mike Corren (AUS) def Joseph White (AUS) 11-7, 11-1, 11-2 (27m)

[2] Thomas Calvert (AUS) def [5] Courtney West (AUS) 12-10, 11-6, 11-4 (29m)

### Round 1

[1] Rhys Dowling (AUS) Bye

[8] Alex Eustace (AUS) def [WC] Tim Cowell (AUS) 9-11, 11-6, 11-7, 11-6 (40m)

[7] David Ilich (AUS) def Kashif Arif (PAK) w/o

[3] Solayman Nowrozi (AUS) Bye

[4] Mike Corren (AUS) Bye

Joseph White (AUS) def [6] Nathan Lindner (AUS) 11-5, 11-5, 11-7 (27m)

[5] Courtney West (AUS) Bye

[2] Thomas Calvert (AUS) Bye

## PSA W5 Golden Open

### Final

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) def [2] Samantha Foyle (AUS) 7-11, 11-6, 11-4, 11-5 (32m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) def Amanda Hopps (AUS) 11-1, 11-4, 11-6 (19m)

[2] Samantha Foyle (AUS) def Zoe Petrovansky (AUS) 11-3, 11-5, 11-4 (17m)

### Round 1

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) def Cindy Meintjes (AUS) 11-5, 11-6, 11-3 (21m)

Amanda Hopps (AUS) def [3] Aika Azman (MAS) 11-8, 14-12, 11-13, 11-7 (37m)

Zoe Petrovansky (AUS) def [4] Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-6, 11-5, 12-14, 11-7 (27m)

[2] Samantha Foyle (AUS) def [5] Lauren Aspinall (AUS) 11-7, 11-6, 11-7 (13m)



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# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open



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**Joe Mihaly**



# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open



## EGSRA President Peter Siebert Reports

Everyone had a great time at the Annual Kalgoorlie-Boulder Golden Open over the long weekend in June. This year was extra special for a couple of reasons. Firstly, it was held at the new purpose-built Ray Finlayson Sporting Complex which boasts 6 brand new courts, canteen and viewing areas. Equally as important was the fact that this was the first time the Golden Open included a Women's PSA draw. It was fantastic to see some of the best women in squash battle it out over the weekend.

Kalgoorlie turned on the weather for the weekend with players enjoying unseasonably 20 degree days over the entire weekend. The tournament had around 200 entries, making it the biggest tournament in WA for a very long time. People travelled from interstate and within WA to participate in the highly regarded tournament. Like any new venue, there were a few glitches, mainly with the power surging – this was overcome by the EGSRA team quickly with minimal interruption to the draw.

Tamika Saxby was victorious in the PSA Women's whilst Mike Corren won the Men's event. Local U17 girl **Jade Woods** also had a stellar tournament taking out the Junior Division 2 and Ladies Division 2 events.



# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open



Heddwyn Ethan Jade



Melanie Michaela



Daniel Liam



Jodie Sally Naomi



Rita Dianne

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**Adam Taylor**



**41 local players were among the  
200 who played in the tournament  
24 events were conducted**

**Richard Argus Fluid Line Services  
(Sponsor) and Gary Brown (Councillor)  
made the presentations with Peter  
Siebert.**

**Thank you for playing in this year's GOLDEN OPEN.  
We look forward to seeing you all again next year.**

# City of Kalgoorlie & Boulder Golden Open

	MENS	WOMENS	JUNIORS
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 1</b> Glenn Hitch	<b>DIVISION 1</b> Sue Hillier	<b>DIVISION 1</b> Remi Young
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Jason Patmore	Amanda Hopps	Greg Chan
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Joshua Fiorentino	Cindy Meintjes	Eric Gray
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 2</b> Charlie Yin	<b>DIVISION 2</b> Jade Woods	<b>DIVISION 2</b> Jade Woods
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Dylan Classen	Sandy Paterson	Heddwyn Brahma
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Tyron Holloway	Kiara Rogers	Ethan Baldwin-Wright
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 3</b> Heddwyn Brahma	<b>DIVISION 3</b> Melanie Crockett	<b>DIVISION 3</b> Kieran Byles
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Mark Pattrick	Michaela Florisson	Jackson Kiely
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Peter Siebert	Isabella French	Liam Brennan
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 4</b> Cooper Kennedy	<b>DIVISION 4</b> Michaela Pratt	<b>DIVISION 4</b> Lachie Hovingh
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Dave Rogers	Rita Baldwin	Augustus Davis
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Brad Dalton	Dianne Watts	Caitlin Pratt
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 5</b> John Marchant	<b>DIVISION 5</b> Bronwyn Brennan	<b>DIVISION 5</b> Connor Hogan
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Wayen Astill	Anne Truman	Ben Hobson
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Mark Rogers	Caitlin Pratt	Zac Hovingh
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 6</b> Jackson Kiely	<b>DIVISION 6</b> Sally Kelly	<b>DIVISION 6</b> Ebony Slyth
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Dean Fraser	Naomi Naveh	Cambel Hobson
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Dave Tobin	Jodie Koh	Rohan Brennan
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 7</b> Ben Staaden		
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Brennan Pratt		
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Reece Piggott		
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>DIVISION 8</b> Liam Brennan		
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Daniel Hogan		
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Brad Pattrick		
<b>Winner:</b>	<b>MASTERS:</b> Glenn Hitch	<b>MASTERS:</b> Sue Hillier	
<b>Runner Up:</b>	Paul Campbell	Joannah Yue	
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Shane White	Leigh-Anne Kaye	





# **S** *Serifs* 2017 **Southern Grand Prix**

**Eva French** had just played Jonathan Groenewald. They hadn't played each other in ages. It was a terrific match, with Eva coming out the victor this time in four. Both players put in maximum effort and were top sports!

**Apparently this is a typical pose for Eva after a big game!**



# **Southern Grand Prix**

Story by Olivia Lindsay

The 2017 **Grays Squash Bunbury Junior Classic** was held on Saturday 17th June at Bunbury Squash Club.

The Grays Bunbury Junior Classic was a Bronze ranked event and was also the second of five events in the 2017 Southern Grand Prix Series.

The Southern Grand Prix Series allocates points to players in each event and an overall point winner will be announced at the final tournament in November.

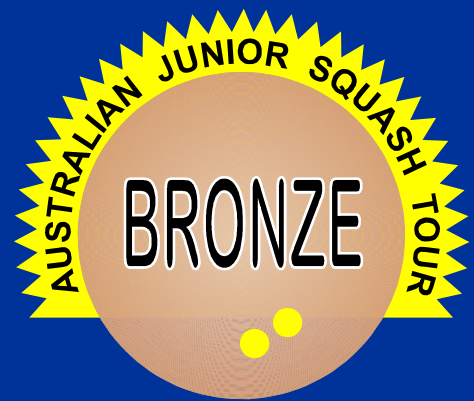
The South West Sports Centre welcomed 48 entries, participating in six ability-based divisions. The tournament drew entries from regional and metro areas; some travelled as far as Kalgoorlie for this one-day event!

Hopefully next year, the tournament will attract a larger amount of entries, so that it can be extended over a two-day period.

Like other junior tournaments throughout the year, the Grays South West Junior Classic used the popular ability based tournament grading system, in which players had to qualify for a division.

Juniors started to arrive in Bunbury at 8:30 am, before the tournament commenced for a 9:00 am start. The juniors enjoyed a fun, action packed day where the last matches were scheduled for 4:30 pm. Luckily, this year's tournament ran on time and was not disrupted by a fire alarm!

The tournament produced some surprising results and some excellent squash over the course of the day. While on court, all juniors presented remarkable sportsmanship and played in good spirit, which was pleasing to see. Congratulations to all the winners!



**Katanning  
Junior Champs**  
20 May 2017

**Grays Squash  
Bunbury Junior Classic**  
17 June 2017

**Narrogin  
Junior Champs**  
19 August 2017

**Manji Mozzies  
Junior Open**  
25 November 2017

**Busselton  
Junior Champs**  
TBC

**The Point Allocation  
for the series will be:**

1st place = 32 points  
2nd place = 28 points  
3rd place = 24 points  
4th place = 20 points  
5th place = 16 points  
6th place = 12 points  
7th place = 8 points  
8th place = 4 points

# **Southern Grand Prix**

An enormous thank you goes to the main sponsor, Grays Squash, who provided amazing prizes to the winner and runner up in each division. Squash Magic, 5 Star Sports Management, Neverfail South West, South West Sports Centre and Bunbury Squash Club should also be acknowledged for their contribution towards the tournament. Without them, this tournament would not have been possible.

Thank you to all the players, parents and everyone else involved, who made this tournament such a success. Another huge thank you also goes out to **Nigel and Leanne French** for running the tournament and the hard work they maintained throughout the day to ensure all matches ran on schedule.

The next event in the Southern Grand Prix is the **Narrogin Junior Champs** scheduled for Saturday, **19th August 2017**.



## **SOUTH WEST JUNIOR CLASSIC WINNERS**

### **CONGRATULATIONS**

Div 1 Remi Young (Mar)  
 Div 2 Kael Owen (Bun)  
 Div 3 Finlay Galt (Mar)  
 Div 4 Jacqui Gray (Hil)  
 Div 5 Aiyana Morris (Bun)  
 Div 6 Morne Fritz (Kal)



### **Division 1**

1st	Remi Young	Marmion
2nd	Eric Gray	Hilton
3rd	Kane Holman	Marmion
4th	Josh Mitchell	Busselton
5th	Olivia Lindsey	Marmion
6th	Ethan Baldwin-Wright	Vic Park
7th	Oscar Lindsey	Marmion
8th	Georgia Charles	Marmion

### **Division 2**

1st	Kael Owen	Bunbury
2nd	Kiran Byles	Marmion
3rd	Max Forbes	Manjimup
4th	Riley Wilding	Mirrabooka
5th	Jackson Kiely	Maddington-Gosnells
6th	Michaela Pratt	Narrogin
7th	Austin Pianta	Manjimup
8th	Kaleb Sands	Marmion

### **Division 3**

1st	Finlay Galt	Marmion
2nd	Daniel Marsh	Maddington-Gosnells
3rd	Jake Hall	Bunbury
4th	Ethan Wynbergen	Marmion
5th	Augustus Davis	Bunbury
6th	Jaxon Wells	Marmion
7th	Isla Harris	Moora
8th	Caitlin Pratt	Narrogin

## 2017 Southern Grand Prix Series Points Table

	K	BU	T		K	BU	T
Jacqui Gray	32	32	64	Rhys Eiffler	4	20	24
Eric Gray	28	28	56	Ryan Reeves	24	0	24
Finlay Gault	24	32	56	Elliot Martin	0	24	24
Cooper Johnson	32	24	56	Riley Wilding	0	20	20
Aliviya Arends	32	24	56	Ethan Wynbergen	0	20	20
Max Forbes	16	24	40	Jhett Bosshard	20	0	20
Austin Pianta	32	8	40	Josh Mitchell	0	20	20
Michaela Pratt	28	12	40	William Kuchel	0	20	20
Jonathan Groenewald	28	12	40	Tom Cook	20	0	20
Eric Marsh	12	28	40	Olivia Lindsey	0	16	16
Jackson Kiely	20	16	36	Josh Reeves	16	0	16
Aiyana Morris	4	32	36	Harvey Pianta	0	16	16
Greg Ghan	32	0	32	Rohan Byles	0	16	16
Remi Young	0	32	32	Ethan Baldwin-Wright	0	12	12
Augustus Davis	16	16	32	Isabella French	12	0	12
Toby Quartermaine	24	8	32	Kai Whittaker	12	0	12
Kael Owen	0	32	32	Caitlin Pratt	8	4	12
Dylan Morris	16	16	32	Isla Harris	4	8	12
Morne Fritz	0	32	32	Ben Robbins	12	0	12
Kiran Byles	0	28	28	Matilda Blakey	0	12	12
Daniel Marsh	0	28	28	Simon Whitehouse	12	0	12
Eva French	8	20	28	Addison Fell	0	12	12
Sam Menagh	0	28	28	Jaxon Wells	0	12	12
Bowen Reeves	28	0	28	Erick Jennings	8	0	8
Alexander Marsh	20	8	28	Kaleb Sands	4	4	8
Kere Collier	0	28	28	Jackson Barberien	8	0	8
Millar Johnson	28	0	28	Sammy Reeves	8	0	8
Oscar Lindsey	24	0	24	Georgia Charles	0	4	4
Kane Holman	0	24	24	Ava Pianta	0	4	4
Jake Hall	0	24	24	Josh Whitehouse	4	0	4
Mitch Milton	20	4	24	Hannah Fell	0	4	4
Khyla Cheema	24	0	24				0
Morne van der Riet	16	8	24				0

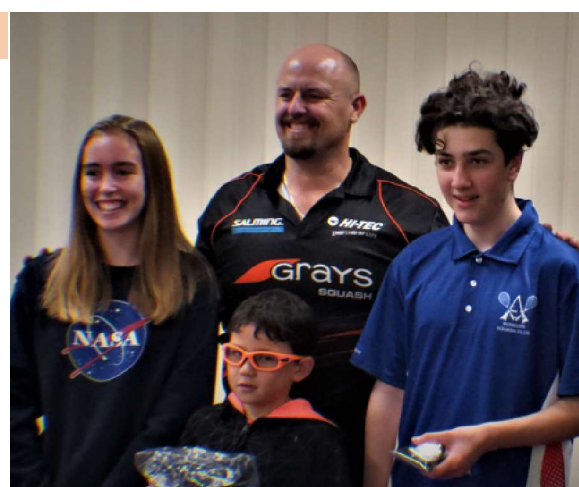
**NEXT EVENT**

**Narrogin Junior Champs**  
**Saturday, 19th August 2017**



## Division 4

1st	Jacqui Gray	Hilton
2nd	Eric Marsh	Maddington-Gosnells
3rd	Elliot Martin	Hilton
4th	Eva French	Bunbury
5th	Dylan Morris	Bunbury
6th	Jonathon Groenewald	Marmion
7th	Toby Quartermaine	Katanning
8th	Mitch Milton	Narrogen



## Division 5

1st	Aiyana Morris	Bunbury
2nd	Sam Menagh	Marmion
3rd	Cooper Johnson	Manjimup
4th	William Kuchel	Bunbury
5th	Harvey Pianta	Manjimup
6th	Addison Fell	Bunbury
7th	Morne Van der Riet	Narrogen
8th	Ava Pianta	Manjimup



## Division 6

1st	Morne Fritz	Eastern Goldfields
2nd	Kere Collier	Bunbury
3rd	Aliviya Arends	Bunbury
4th	Rhys Eiffler	Bunbury
5th	Rohan Byles	Marmion
6th	Matilda Blakey	Marmion
7th	Alexander Marsh	Maddington-Gosnells
8th	Hannah Fell	Bunbury





# Southern Grand Prix

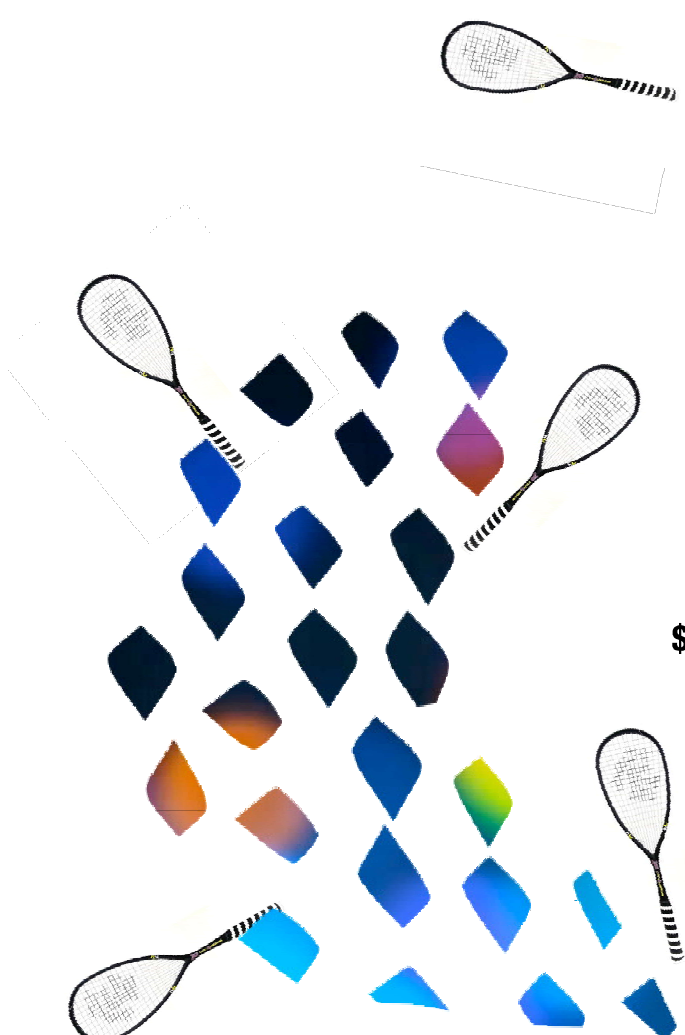
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## JUNIOR SQUASH-A-THON

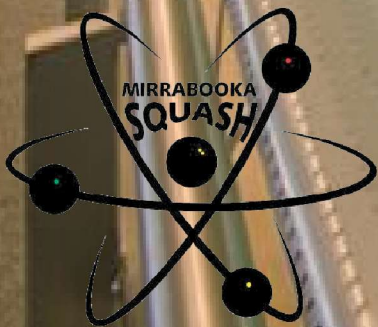
**Dates: 14-15th of July**

**Start: 6pm Friday; Finish 12pm Saturday**

**Adult Supervision throughout the night**

**Fundraiser for junior squash players**

**All money raised goes to juniors**



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# JUNIOR SQUASH-A-THON

**14-15 JULY 2017**

**Mirrabooka Squash Club** is hosting our first **SQUASH-A-THON**, an Annual Event designed to raise money to assist Juniors and we ask for your assistance to get the word out to as many clubs as possible.

Mirrabooka Squash Club, like many other clubs, would love to see the numbers of juniors increase. With your help with the promotion of the **SQUASH-A-THON** we seek to enlist as many juniors as possible with the aim of each junior raising funds to go back to their respective Junior Squash Club.

We would like to see each Junior pledge their funds raised, to go directly to the needs of their junior club, i.e.: equipment, junior club prizes, interstate trips, uniforms.

The juniors will be asked how the funds they raise will be distributed within their own Clubs, of course with the help of their coaches, parents and organiser of their club (i.e. helping out their club, interstate trips, uniforms, equipment).

For this event to be successful, we will require as many juniors as possible to participate and of course a few adults from their clubs to supervise on the night.

Our club will help by supplying majority of supervisors. All supervisors will have a current Working with Children Check. This event is an alcohol free event.

The event will be on the 14th of July 2017, starting at 6pm and finishing at 12 noon the following day.

Squash will be played continuously on one/two/three courts, depending on the numbers.

As this is a sizable initiative, we are hoping to attract the media to the event, and possibly manage an article in the local papers.

To kick off the evening, we are planning to host a pot luck supper for the parents and members to come and enjoy. Details will follow.

There will be consistent adult supervision throughout the night, with help from many of our older juniors?

# JUNIOR SQUASH-A-THON



Vic Park Squash Club Coach, **Sue Hillier** has joined the **CoachMade** project, which is led by experts in sport motivation and anti-doping.

The team was led by Prof Nikos Ntoumanis (Psychology and speech pathology) and Prof Daniel Gucciardi (physiotherapy and exercise science) from Curtin University. The project is being undertaken in conjunction with the International Olympic Committee involving Curtin University, Aristototele University of Thessaloniki and Leeds Beckett University.

The workshops promote healthy athlete development and sustained engagement in sport, with a specific focus on:

- 1) Effective motivation strategies that promote high quality motivation and adaptive outcomes associated with performance and well-being and
- 2) Proactive and anti-doping strategies that minimize athletes' willingness to engage in doping activities and other immoral behaviours (eg: cheating)

“Before I attended the workshop, I needed to complete a survey, so too did the players I coach, with the intention of completing a further survey 6 weeks and 3 months after the workshops” said Hillier.

### **Motivation:**

The first workshop in May was on Motivation strategies. There were coaches from Hockey, AFL, Cricket, Tennis and Rugby; interestingly Hillier was the only female coach. The workshop focused on the words used as a Coach exploring how/why subtleties in communication styles and how to apply motivation principles to support athlete motivation.

“Following this workshop, I had four weeks of homework putting these skills into practice. Although I was not looking forward to doing the homework it was very beneficial and ensured that I focused on how I was communicating. We have had lots of laughs during my coaching sessions where, with input from my juniors, I have tried to change some of the words I generally use when coaching. Although, most of the principles I already follow I wasn't aware that it leads to a players motivation. Having recently witnessed bad behaviour on the squash court I'm more determined to help those I coach to have intrinsic motivation” said Hillier.



## Anti-Doping

The second workshop was on Anti Doping, with some very interesting facts and websites to help part with the information.

“I learnt for the purpose of anti-doping information and education any person who participates in sport under an organisation is an athlete and any athlete can be tested, at any time”.

The group looked at what motivates athletes to dope and some of the points the attendees came up with were:

- To be #1
- Injury recovery
- Take the easy way
- To be famous (or most likely infamous once you're caught!)
- Pressure from self or others
- Money

We looked at what it means to be a clean athlete:

- Playing by the rules of the sport
- Not putting prohibited substances in their bodies
- Upholding the spirit of sport and
- Prioritizing athlete welfare over performance (my biggest concern)

Question: If we took away the rewards would you still play squash?? The answer for most players is “yes”. So we wonder why some athletes try to cheat.

The group then discussed medication and supplements.

“My advice to any of you is to check all medication on the **GlobalDRO app** - its easy, even I managed it! Make sure you tell your doctor you are an athlete as they too can check what they prescribe for you to ensure its not banned and they can also recommend something else” explained Hillier.

**FACT:** Did you know 1 in 5 supplements are contaminated with banned substances? You can check [www.informed-sport.com](http://www.informed-sport.com) for supplements, but still there is a risk. Best supplement ever is FOOD, but if you are prescribed supplements look up this website.

Hillier still has another four weeks of homework on Anti-doping/cheating ahead of her: “I think this will be difficult to achieve, but will see how I go. My first suggestion is to try and own up to our double bounces, play fair and have fun!”

“If there are any coaches wanting to be part of this workshop, and coach 8 people

# PERTH DAY LEAGUE PENNANT

Story by Raelene Marriott

Our first Day League Grand Final for the year was held at Squashworld Mirrabooka in June. We had 3 Divisions competing with outstanding sportsmanship and squash played by all.

## Division 1

Congratulations to winners **Chilli Peppers** team of Vanessa Van Beek, Rob Baints(Reserve) Con Mast, Tanya Skidmore and Carmel Jardim.

A great grand final with 3 matches going to 5 games. First to go on court Tanya Skidmore defeated Natalie Arrindell in a thrilling match 3-2. Followed next by Vanessa Van Beek defeating Ray Bell 3-0. The next match was another thriller with Rob Baints (reserve for Con Mast) defeating Raelene Marriott 3-2. The final match was again another 5 games with Carmel Jardim defeating Mick Bruno 3-2.

**Final results Chilli Peppers defeated Cheap Trick 4-12-139 to 0-6-115.**

## Division 2

Congratulations to winners **The Wiggles** team of Rachel Percival, Nikki McCullough, Julie Scott and Ken Ridsen. Division 2 also had a great grand final with 3 matches going to 5 games starting with a thrilling match with Rachel Percival defeated Sharon Franklin 3-2. Next on court Ken Ridsen lost to Heather Jacques 0-3. Following next was another outstanding 5 games with Nikki McCullough losing to Quita Cass 2-3. Final match and yet again another 5 games being played with Julie Scott defeating Michele Hendry 3-2.

**Final results The Wiggles defeated INXS 3-11-136 to 1-7-113.**

## Division 3

Congratulations to winners **Aussie Crawl** team of Jill Newland(Reserve), Lyn Chandler, Liana Gunzburg, Jacqui Cox and Lauren Hogan. Division 3 also had a great Grand final with 3 matches going to 4 games. Starting off first Liana Gunzburg defeated Kay Brooks (Reserve for Kathy Fanetti) 3-0. Followed by Lauren Hogan losing to Ingrid Driffill 1-3. Next Jacqui Cox lost to Joan Dreghorn (Reserve for Shirley Duggleby) 1-3 and the final match Jill Newland (Reserve for Lyn Chandler) defeating Andrea Williams 3-1.

**Final results Aussie Crawl defeated Mental as Anything 2-8-113 to 2-7-88.**

**MVP (Most Valuable Player):** Congratulations to this season's MVPs

**Division 1: Con Mast Division 2: Rachel Percival Division 3: Lyn Chandler**

**PERPETUAL CLUB TROPHY: Blue Gum**

Players of all levels are welcome to nominate for next season.

The next season runs from July to December with all teams and Divisions playing at the same centre.

Please contact **Lyn Chandler** on **0400 766 521** for more information.

# PERTH DAY LEAGUE PENNANT



MVP: Division 1:  
Con Mast



MVP: Division 2:  
Rachel Percival



# OUR VERY OWN GOLDEN GIRLS

Story by Doug Minchin

Sue Volzke, Anne Richards and Sue Hillier

WA Masters Squash would like to congratulate past and current World Masters Squash champions **Sue Volzke, Anne Richards** and **Sue Hillier**, all from WA, for being selected in the Australian Masters' Test Team to compete against New Zealand in the three Trans Tasman Tests to be held at Ballarat in early September 2017.



WA (3) has the second largest State representation in this TTT series behind QLD (6), with NSW (2), VIC (2) and SA (1). We should be proud of these squash players, whose stellar performances have earned their TTT selection.

So what is the background of our three Golden Girls?

**Sue Volzke** has won her age division at the Australian Masters Squash Association championships 10 times and also been chosen to represent Australia for Trans Tasman Tests 7 times. A triple World Masters Squash champion, Sue was runner-up in two other World Masters finals and also in the World Masters Games in Auckland this year. Sue is a member of Subiaco Kings Squash Club WA



**Anne Richards** has won her age division at the AMSA Championships 9 times and was selected to represent Australia 6 times in the TTT. Anne is a multiple World Masters Squash and WMG champion, was runner-up in WMS at Johannesburg last year and became WMG Squash Champion in Auckland in May 2017. Anne is also a member of Subiaco Kings Squash Club WA

**Sue Hillier** is a former WA State Open squash champion who has excelled in Masters Squash since entering this form of competition four years ago. Sue has won her age division at the AMSA Championships over the last four years, has been selected to represent Australia twice in the TTT series and became the Over 50 World Masters Squash Champion in 2014 (Hong Kong) and the WMG Squash champion in 2017 (Auckland). Sue is a member of Victoria Park Squash Club, conducts coaching programmes for juniors and is an executive officer of WA Squash.



# OUR VERY OWN GOLDEN GIRLS

## Masters' Trans Tasman Test Series History

The inaugural TTT (best of 3 tests) was conducted in Southport Qld in 1984. Initially there was a total of only nine men and women's age divisions that year. Current AMSA President and past World Masters Squash champion, Peter Wright AOM, represented Australia in that first series in the Men's O/40 division.

There have been 22 TTT series held between 1984 and 2015, with Australia winning 18 times and New Zealand 4 times.

It was very close to a draw in Napier NZ in 2015 with the Test match results being: 5/7, 7/5, 6/6 with Australia narrowly winning by a single game in the last test, in a remarkably exciting and enjoyable series.

With the TTT series alternating between countries and played every two years, Australia hosts New Zealand in Ballarat this year.

The TTT has been expanded to include the O/65 age division in 2017, so there will now be 14 matches per TTT.

Whilst fiercely contested on court, great camaraderie is enjoyed off court, with both teams participating in social occasions, that typically include an opening ceremony and dinner, a local landmark tour and lunch, then a wind-up dinner dance. Team supporters are welcome to attend the matches and the social outings.

AMSA Life Member Garry Irwin has again been selected as Team Manager in 2017, a role he has capably held since 2003.

Two TTT will be held on Sept 1 & 2, just prior the AMSA Singles Championship, with the third TTT being held on the following Saturday, 9 September.

The 2017 Trans Tasman Test Australian Team is:



O35	Sue Davis (Qld)	Jeffrey Osborne (Qld)
O40	Melissa Martin (Qld)	Jason Mudge (SA)
O45	Sarah Nelson (NSW)	Jeff Bond (NSW)
<b>O50</b>	<b>Sue Hillier (WA)</b>	Warren Miller (Vic)
O55	Sue Williams (Qld)	Kelvin Smith (Qld)
<b>O60</b>	<b>Anne Richards (WA)</b>	Jim Mobbs (Qld)
<b>O65</b>	<b>Sue Volzke (WA)</b>	Brian Cook (Qld)

This is a strong Australian team that should perform very well. However, NZ also have some World Masters Squash champions in their TTT team so we anticipate another exciting Trans Tasman Test series.



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# INTERSCHOOL CHAMPS



Sue Hillier Reports



Willetton and Manjimup Senior High Schools took out the **2017 Junior Interschool Squash Championships** held at Squashworld Mirrabooka on 27 June 2017.

Many of the junior players were exposed to squash last year through the inflatable squash program and were keen to enter this event.

## Junior Girls:

1. **Willetton Senior High School**
2. Shenton College (1)
3. Shenton College (2)

The girls cheered hard and encouraged each other to have a fantastic day. The improvement of their squash was evident throughout the day and such a pleasure to watch.

With no state players this was an even draw. The round robin draw delivered quite a few close matches however, Willetton Senior High School were too strong, winning all their matches.

## Junior Boys

1. **Manjimup Senior High School**
2. Rossmoyne Senior High School
3. Kennedy Baptist college

This year saw the return of 2016 winners Rossmoyne Senior High School who were eager to win again.

Rossmoyne SHS and Kennedy Baptist College had the #2 (Greg Chan) and #3 (Eric Gray), U15 Australian ranked players as their #1 players for their teams and were seeded to meet in the grand final.

However, it did not go according to plan. This year saw three teams from Manjimup Senior High School enter.

A special thank you to their parents for driving them the 3 hours to and from the event. The long trip was well worth it with their #1 team headed by Austin Pianta and backed up by Max Forbes and Lachy Montaldo taking out the Championship.

Manjimup team 1 beat Kennedy Baptist

# INTERSCHOOL CHAMPS



College in the semi-final setting up a grand final with Rossmoyne SHS. Manjimup whose team was too strong won the final 2 games to 1.

All teams played great squash with the new players improving throughout the day.

Mater Dei College and Leeming Senior High School took out the **2017 Senior Interschool Squash Championships** held at Squashworld Mirrabooka on 28 June 2017

## Senior Girls

1. Mater Dei College
2. Shenton College
3. Kennedy Baptist College

Mater Dei College was the team to beat with #1 Pascale Louka, ranked #3 U17 in Australia and Georgia Charles ranked #18, U19 Australian rankings, their third player Mykhaela Winchester was new to the sport, she received great support from her team members.

Kennedy Baptist and Shenton College had some great players and battled it out for second and third places. All teams improved throughout the day.

## Senior Boys

1. Leeming Senior High School 1
2. Shenton College 5
3. Shenton College 2

Several teams had Australian ranked, and WA Squash State Squad members and with another team from Manjimup also in the mix, any school had a good chance of winning. Mater Dei College was the #1 seeded

team with Kane Jaran-Holman as the #1, who is ranked #18 in U19 Australian rankings. Unfortunately, it was not their day.

Shenton 5 and Leeming 1 won their way through to the grand final.

Shenton 5 was led by Cambridge players Connor and Zane Strong and Sabih Rehman. Leeming team 1 was led by Australian U17 #7, Abel Jin, with Mac and Shane Turner completing the team line up.

Shaping up to be a tense final, Leeming came out strong and ended up winning all three rubbers.

I would like to thank the students for two days of squash and great sportsmanship. They represented their schools with pride and it was a pleasure to organize this event.

Thank you to all the teachers and parents who drove the students to the event.

Thank you to SquashWorld Mirrabooka, for hosting the event again. Kane and Tyron are extremely accommodating, making my job so much easier.

Thanks also to Rodd Boughton and Peter Webster for their help prior to the event and Kiara Rogers for her help on the day.

Lastly, thank you to Healthway **"Smarter than Smoking"** for their positive message to the students and the Department of Sport and Recreation for their continued support.

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**July 2017**

**BOYS U19**

1. Tye Harland - ESP
2. Remi Young - MAR
3. Abel Jin - VP
4. Trey Mackenzie - ESP

**BOYS U17**

1. Remi Young - MAR
2. Abel Jin - VP
3. Gregory Chan - VP
4. Oscar Curtis - VP

**BOYS U15**

1. Remi Young - MAR
2. Gregory Chan - VP
3. Oscar Curtis - VP
4. Eric Gray - HIL

**BOYS U13**

1. Oscar Curtis - VP
2. Dylan Classen - MAR
3. Kaleb Sands - MAR
4. Mitchell Ferrari - EXM

**BOYS U11**

1. Augustus Davis - BUN
2. Jonathon Groenewald - MAR
3. Eric Marsh - MG
4. Harvey Pianta - MAN

**GIRLS U19**

1. Kiara Rogers - MAR
2. Jade Woods - EG
3. Pascale Louka - VP
4. Olivia Lindsey - MAR

**GIRLS U17**

1. Jade Woods - EG
2. Pascale Louka - VP
3. Erin Classen - MAR
4. Isabella French - BUN

**GIRLS U15**

1. Erin Classen - MAR
2. Isabella French - BUN
3. Michaela Pratt - NAR
4. Bayley Ponton - MAR

**GIRLS U13**

1. Erin Classen - MAR
2. Caitlin Pratt - NAR
3. Isla Harris - MOR
4. Eva French - BUN

**GIRLS U11**

1. Isla Harris - MOR
2. Hannah Slyth - SUB
3. Ruby Brandon-Stewart MAR
4. Maxine Salter - MAR



# EXMOUTH SQUASH CLUB HOSTS THE

## 2017 Northwest Junior Tournament

**Tournament:** Saturday 9am 19<sup>th</sup> August at Exmouth Squash Club.

**Training Session:** Sunday 8am 20<sup>th</sup> August at Exmouth Squash Club.

**Registration Fee (includes dinner Saturday):** \$30 per player. To be paid before registrations close.

An extra \$10 each for any additional family/friends having dinner.

**Registrations close:** 4pm Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2017.

The tournament is ability based as well as a WA ranking competition. All players are guaranteed competitive games which will be according to their skill level determined by their coach.

There are also some amazing prizes to be won.

Mike Cornish will be running a Squash Clinic on the Sunday at the club for any players who would like to take advantage of his knowledge and skills, this will depend on numbers.

Registration Forms and inquiries are to be sent to Derek Nunn at:

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# EVENT CALENDAR

**JUL 1-2** Mirrabooka: **WA Junior Championships** (AJST Gold)

**JUL 3-4** Mirrabooka: **WA State Junior Teams**

**JUL 21-23** Venue TBC: **Masters State Championships**

**JUL 28** Squash Factory: **Masters/Junior Tournament**

**AUG 5** Brentwood: **Squashworld Brentwood Junior** (AJST Bronze)

**AUG 5-6** Dampier: **FeNaClng Championships**

**AUG 19** Narrogin: **Narrogin Junior** (AJST Bronze)

**Southern Grand Prix Series**

**AUG 19** Exmouth: **Exmouth Junior Championships** (AJST Bronze)

**AUG 25-26** Mirrabooka: **Squashworld Mirrabooka Open <DC>**

**SEP 2** Terrace: **Prince Super Series #1** (AJST Bronze)

**SEP 9** Terrace: **Prince Super Series #2** (AJST Bronze)

**SEP 16** Terrace: **Prince Super Series #3** (AJST Bronze)

**SEP 24-26** Venue TBC: **WA Country Teams Championships**

**OCT 3** Fitzpatrick's: **Maddington/Gosnells Junior Graded**

(AJST Bronze)

**OCT 13-14** Cambridge: **Squashworld Cambridge Open <DC>**

**OCT 22-23** Cambridge: **Cambridge Junior** (AJST Bronze)

**OCT 27-29** Busselton: **Halloween Open**

**NOV 4** Manjimup: **Manji Mozzies Junior Open**

**Southern Grand Prix Series**

**NOV 18-19** Squash Factory: **Masters Spring Teams Tournament**

**AST: Australian Squash Tour**

**AJST: Australian Junior Squash Tour**

**WAMS: WA Masters Squash**

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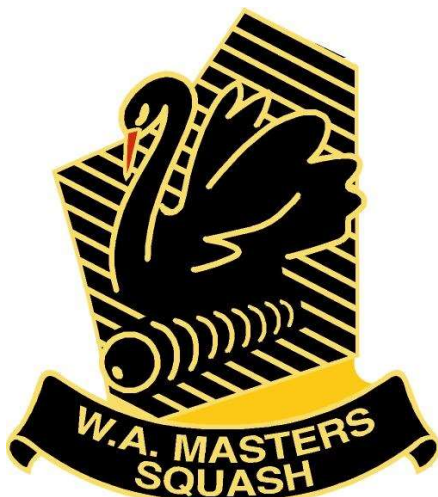
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