

Saxby & Lau Cairns Champions



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Well the **Australian Junior Championships** are over for another year. In short the AJC is the pinnacle event on the junior calendar and the final test for many of our talented juniors.

The junior pathway leads a player through the various junior events each year. Many will start their journey by competing in a NR Qualifier hoping to be selected in the Redbacks team.

From there the players compete in the QJC and strive to perform well enough to gain selection in the Queensland Sharks team.

The players then compete at the **AJC** and look to perform well enough to get noticed and ultimately get selected to represent Australia.

Along the way all our juniors can compete in the Australian Junior Open, the Oceania Junior

KAY BARCLAY

Championships and State
School Championships to
help with their ongoing
development.

So train hard and make a statement in 2018!

2018

FEB 17-18 Cairns: Cairns Junior Qualifier (AJST Bronze Event)

MAR 17-18 Townsville: Townsville Junior Qualifier (AJST Bronze Event)

MAY 5-6 Mackay: Mackay Junior Qualifier (AJST Silver Event)



1 November 2017 TM: HWR:

Ben Courtice 538 333

Lisa Camilleri 86 28 Courtney Mather 207 207

TM: This Month

HWR: Highest World Ranking

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RANKINGS

CALENDAR



President's Court



By Dean Morzone

Junior Tournaments

We proudly welcome home and congratulate our AJC athletes. The atmosphere of the trip is captured in the many photographs and posts. Thank you also to the dedicated supporters, family and friends.

The Ingham qualifier tournament was very successful. It has buoyed our enthusiasm to foster the multi-tiered – aged, graded and doubles events, managed by SportyHQ.

Nominations for the graded event almost matched those for the aged championships. Our championship players provided terrific inspiration for the graded players.

Thank you to Ingham Squash Courts and club, especially Kim and Mario Di Bella, Rhys Mountford-Jones, and Jules Condon for their hospitality and stewardship.

Cairns also recently hosted the most prestigious PSA tournament north of Brisbane, along side the Cairns Open. The club hosted professional international athletes from all parts of the world.

These events are good testament to the efforts of dedicated helpers, and our collective effort to build junior (and senior) squash and increase participation in our region.

Kay Barclay Award

The committee is proposing to launch a perpetual "Kay Barclay Memorial Trophy" in respectful memory of our beloved Kay who passed on 5 February 2017. It is likely to be awarded at the last regional tournament each year.

The criteria for this annual award will reflect the positive leadership qualities Kay personified, eg: "The player who showed passion, commitment and dedication on and off the court," or perhaps, "An inspirational individual who knows the way, goes the way and shows the way." Your suggestions are most welcome.

State Rankings

The timeliness Q Squash State rankings continues to vex our selectors, players and parents, alike. On our behalf, Janelle Fox has ensured that our player's rankings have been timely and reflect policy and merit.

Janelle has decided its time to retire as a state selector, but she will continue working as a regional selector with Mario Di Bella and Lucas Nielsen. Thank you Janelle for your tireless work as a state selector, which was characterised by your



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formidable advocacy, sheer hard work and dedication, to ensure fair, accurate and credible rankings.

Lucas Neilsen will take on the role of selector on the Q Squash Selection Committee. It is pleasing to see one of our best athletes matriculate into the position. He has very big shoes to fill, but I'm confident he'll take Janelle's baton to emulate her passionate and tireless work ethic.

QJC Payment Plans

The NR committee is also offering for parents/players to make periodic payments towards their 2018 QJC accommodation costs. Payments are flexible and fully refundable if plans change. Arrangements can be made with Karen Dyer by emailing her at qsnrtreasurer@gmail.com

Tournament Prizes & Sponsorship

The committee is finalising benchmarks for regional tournaments and prizes from 1 January 2018. Clubs will be expected to fund these prizes, and require local club support to secure necessary fundraising, grants, sponsorship and voluntary assistance. Northern Region will soon launch its own sponsorship drive throughout the region.

We still have some 'irons in the (grants) fire' – for tournament computer hardware, training, etc. We have also lent support to the Cairns Squash Centre who is the grateful beneficiary of grant funding to upgrade their facilities.

See you on the court.

Dean Morzone





Australian Junior Championships







Under 15 Boys - Playoff 3 v 4
BJ MacDonald (QLD) def
Eric Gray (WA)
7-11, 11-6, 11-7, 11-5 (28m)

Under 15 Girls - Playoff 3 v 4
Hayley Hankinson (QLD) def
Ella Burge (QLD)
4-11, 7-11, 13-11, 11-9, 11-5 (32m)

Under 19 Girls - Playoff 3 v 4 Courtney Mather (QLD) def Grace Pattison (TAS) 7-11, 11-9, 11-9, 7-11, 11-5

CONGRATULATIONS

U11G Kayce Hoani-Vincent 7/8 U13B Francis Morove 18th U13B Lachlan Erba 11th U13B Josh Porter 6th U15B Jordan DiBella 13th U15B BJ MacDonald 3rd U15G Kiara Stubley 17th U15G Amy Condon Re U15G Caitlin Porter 21s U15G Kurstyn Mather 6th U17B Kyle Hoani Vincent 28th U17B Wes Dyer 6th U19B Corey Condon 28th			
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U13B Lachlan Erba 11tl U13B Josh Porter 6tl U15B Jordan DiBella 13tl U15B BJ MacDonald 3rd U15G Kiara Stubley 17tl U15G Amy Condon Re U15G Hayley Hankinson 3rd U15G Caitlin Porter 21s U15G Kurstyn Mather 6tl U17B Kyle Hoani Vincent 28tl U17B Wes Dyer 6tl U19B Corey Condon 28tl	U11G	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	7/8
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U17B Kyle Hoani Vincent 28tl U17B Wes Dyer 6tl U19B Corey Condon 28tl	U15G	Caitlin Porter	21st
U17B Wes Dyer 6tl U19B Corey Condon 28tl	U15G	Kurstyn Mather	6th
U19B Corey Condon 28tl	U17B	Kyle Hoani Vincent	28th
	U17B	Wes Dyer	6th
U19G Courtney Mather 3rd	U19B	Corey Condon	28th
	U19G	Courtney Mather	3rd



Australian Junior Championships

Nine (9) NR Players have just represented the Queensland Sharks at the Australian Junior Teams Championship held in Geelong.

Courtney Mather was chosen as a co-captain of the Sharks and was judged by the players as their **Most Valuable Player**.

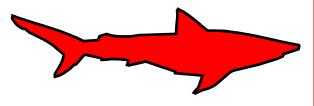
Courtney received the **Kay Barclay Supershark MVP Award** - her 3rd MVP in a row! She helped her team finish runner up in the U19 Teams but most importantly led her Queensland team (with co-captain Nick Calvert) to an overall victory for the 14th consecutive year.

Lachlan Erba, Kayce Hoani-Vincent and Josh Porter got an early taste of what it is like to win a National Title when they helped their team mates Shona Coxsedge, Madison Lyon and Ben Murray to win the U13 Team title.



The U15 team which included **Jordan DiBella**, **Hayley Hankinson**, **BJ MacDonald** tried hard but had to settle for 2nd behind the very strong Western Australian team which boasted two Australian Champions.

Wes Dyer and Kurstyn Mather made valuable contributions to the U17 team but despite the team winning the most competition points they came 3rd overall because they lost one additional tie when compared to WA and Victoria.





U13
National Team
Champions
(L to R)

Kayce Shona Ben Lachlan Madison Josh



Australian Junior Championships



Each year following the Teams event at the AJC the Queensland Sharks recognise 4 players who have achieved significant results and contributed to the team's performance.

They receive prestigious awards named after three coaches who made significant and valuable contributions to junior development in our State.

Austin Adarraga Achievement Medal: **Nick Calvert**Kay Barclay Achievement Medal: **Madison Lyon**Noel Forster MVP Supershark Award: **Josh Porter**Kay Barclay MVP Supershark Award: **Courtney Mather**

The **Supershark Award** especially relates to the Team event. Through a system of daily voting each player selects who they think was the Most Valuable member of their team and the Sharks team overall. So the winners are judged by their peers which makes the award just that little extra special.



Australian Junior Team Championships

MENACING RED SHARKS













CONGRATULATIONS



Play in the **Ingham Qualifier** Strive for selection in the 2018 Redbacks Team





Now is a GREAT TIME to get some coaching, do some training and get ready for 2018.

Are you Under 19 years of age and love Squash?

Do you want to improve, test your skills against others your own age, explore other and higher forms of competition and travel?

If so we would love to hear from you ...

Play in the **Townsville Qualifier** Keep striving for selection in the 2018 Redbacks Team





There are many ways to improve your squash.

Do some fitness training. Get some coaching - Private or Group.

Play in junior tournaments. Work with a ball machine (if available).

Do some routines with a friend. Seek out stronger competition.

.18 FEE **Entries** Close 2/2/18

Play in the **Cairns Qualifier** Keep striving for selection in the 2018 Redbacks Team





Entries Close

2/3/18

You still have one more chance to make the team. Keep training and working hard ...



Frankie finished 2nd at the QJC in U11 Boys

Play in the **Mackay Qualifier** The 2018 Redbacks Team will be selected after this event.



If you are selected in the Redbacks team you will represent NR at the Queensland Junior Championships

Northern Region Junior Qualifiers

There are 4 per year. They are great fun and you get to play against kids your own age. Meet new friends. Strive to do your best and you may get to represent the Redbacks Junior Team.

In the QJC teams event the Redbacks play the other 3 regions. You even get to play Doubles!

At the QJC you get to play a major event individuals and teams - over 8 days in the school holidays







At the QJC players strive for selection in the Queensland Sharks team

At the AJC you get to play a major event individuals and teams - over 8 days in the school holidays









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The **Pacific Toyota Cairns Squash International** was held for 4 days from the 26th to 29th of October. Qualification started on Thursday lunchtime with 16 men and 8 women vying for the 4 spots available in the main Draw.

Local Steve Finitsis (a former Australian Representative) and youngster Courtney Mather cruised though to the Main Draw. Courtney unluckily met #2S Tamika Saxby and went down in straight games. Finitsis took out Brisbane's Tom Calvert and in form player Chris Van Der Salm on his way to the semi finals to meet the #2S Tsz Kwan Lau. The women produced no surprises with the Top 4 Seeds cruising through to the semi finals.



Tsz didnt have it all his own way in the final with Dimitri pressing hard in the 3rd game to take it 11-9 but had nothing left to give in the 4th game and the ever casual Tsz won it 11-3 to take the match. The women's final produced everything, and a few screams along the way, the heat was suppressing but in a torrid affair Saxby came out the winner 11-9, 11-7, 14-12

The Club Graded Draw produced some really great squash and provided big crowds for the PSA event. Mark Gwynne finally took out his

first Club Championship downing Marc Forster in 5 Games. Division 2 was won by Terry Pagano over old stalwart Ken Coffey. Division 3 was an all junior affair with another battle between Xavier Morzone and Kurstyn Mather taking place. After 5 games Morzone emerged the victor 17-15 in the 5th.

All positions in Div 4 were taken by Juniors but it was Innisfail Junior Lachy Forster taking the title from Cairns Junior Shantelle Ale in 4 great games.

All in all a fantastic event and spectacle for all to see. Media Coverage from the Cairns Post and 9 Television was ongoing all weekend and great promotion for our sport.









21 yo Lau Tsz Kwan from Hong Kong has taken out the Cairns International from Switzerland's Dimitri Steinmann.

It was a slight upset with the WN120 beating the Wn102 but a pleasing result for Lau who takes his PSA career titles to two.

10 countries were represented in the opening round.





PSA M5 Cairns International

Final

[2] Lau Tsz Kwan (HKG) bt [3] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) 11-9, 11-9, 9-11, 11-3 (56m)

Semi Finals

- [3] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) bt [1] Evan Williams (NZL) 12-10, 11-6, 11-2
- [2] Lau Tsz Kwan (HKG) bt [Q] Steven Finitsis (AUS) 11-7, 11-9, 13-11

Quarter Finals

- [1] Evan Williams (NZL) bt Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) 11-6, 11-4, 11-5
- [3] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) bt [Q] JaeJin Yoo (KOR) 11-5, 11-9, 11-6
- [Q] Steven Finitsis (AUS) bt [Q] Chris van der Salm (NZL) 11-4, 11-6, 11-2
- [2] Lau Tsz Kwan (HKG) bt [8] David Haley (WAL) 11-3, 11-7, 11-2

Round 1

- [1] Evan Williams (NZL) bt Scott Galloway (NZL) 11-4, 11-4, 11-5 (25m)
- Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) bt [5] Matthew Hopkin (AUS) 11-7, 7-11, 11-7, 11-8 (45m)
- [Q] JaeJin Yoo (KOR) bt [7] Joel Luca (AUS) 11-6, 11-2, 11-4 (29m)
- [3] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) bt Jean-Pierre Brits (RSA) 11-8, 6-11, 11-8, 8-11, 11-4 (55m)
- [Q] Chris van der Salm (NZL) bt [4] Roee Avraham (ISR) 11-8, 11-13, 11-2, 11-7 (34m)
- [Q] Steven Finitsis (AUS) bt [6] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-7, 11-3, 11-3 (24m)
- [8] David Haley (WAL) bt Alex Eustace (AUS) 6-11, 11-8, 11-9, 6-11, 14-12
- [2] Lau Tsz Kwan (HKG) bt [Q] Naoki Hayashi (JPN) 11-5, 11-5, 11-7 (24m)







Tamika Saxby notched up her 5th PSA title for 2017 with victory in the final of the Cairns International.

Saxby was too good for #2S Tong Tsz-Wing from Hong Kong winning a tight contest 11-9, 11-7, 14-12. In fact Saxby didn't drop a game during the tournament.

The Women's event boasted players from Australia, Hong Kong, New Zealand and Wales.





PSA W5 Cairns International

Final

[2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [1] Tong Tsz-Wing (HKG) 11-9, 11-7, 14-12 (31m)

Semi Finals

- [1] Tong Tsz-Wing (HKG) bt [4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) 11-8, 11-3, 8-11, 11-9
- [2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [3] Vanessa Chu (HKG) 11-9, 11-7, 12-10

Quarter Finals

- [1] Tong Tsz-Wing (HKG) bt Selena Shaikh (AUS) 11-1, 11-4, 11-2
- [4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [7] Abbie Palmer (NZL) 8-11, 11-9, 11-7, 7-11, 11-6
- [3] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bt Kaitlyn Watts (NZL) 11-2, 11-9, 11-7
- [2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [6] Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-7, 11-8, 11-6

Round 1

- [1] Tong Tsz-Wing (HKG) bt [Q] Kerry Mather (AUS) 11-2, 11-1, 11-0 (16m)
- Selena Shaikh (AUS) bt [8] Samantha Calvert (AUS) 11-2, 11-2, 11-4 (19m)
- [7] Abbie Palmer (NZL) bt [Q] Jenny Haley (WAL) 11-4, 11-5, 11-8 (28m)
- [4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt Lauren Aspinall (AUS) 11-6, 11-5, 11-5 (24m)
- [3] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bt Taylor Jones (AUS) 11-3, 11-5, 11-0 (17m)
- Kaitlyn Watts (NZL) bt [5] Lee Ka Yi (HKG) 12-10, 11-7, 8-11, 11-7 (27m)
- [6] Taylor Flavell (AUS) bt [Q] Olga O'Neill (AUS) 11-1, 11-7, 11-4 (19m)
- [2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [Q] Courtney Mather (AUS) 11-5, 11-8, 11-1 (22m)









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2017 Cairns International - Graded Club Event

Winner Runner up Special plate Plate **Consolation Plate**

Division 1	Division 2	Division 3	Division 4
Mark Gwynne	Terry Pagano	Xavier Morzone	Lachy Forster
Marc Forster	Ken Coffey	Kurstyn Mather	Shantelle Ale
Peter Anich	Peter Pritchard	Adam Peut	Michael Lawrence
Luke Downes	Glen Cuddy	Chris Whitchurch	Sophie Fadaely
Jordan Brand	Sharon Ale	Jeff Anning	Matthew Kaponits









Want to see more photos from the Cairns International? Go to squashmedia.com.au **Select Event Photos** Click on 2017 Cairns International **Photos courtesy of Karolyn Lawrence**



INGHAM JUNIOR QUALIFIER

Two new events were introduced at Ingham: the graded events and the doubles. iPad scoring was also trialed.

It was exciting to see so many new faces due to the graded events. We really hope these players travel to future tournaments in Cairns, Townsville and Mackay.

The doubles were great fun and will provide our NR players with the opportunity to practice and hopefully give us a competitive advantage at the state titles.

iPad scoring was very popular with the kids and also with Rhys as it transferred results directly to SportyHQ. It was super easy for everyone to use.

Brody DiBella and

Charlotte Erba





AGED	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
U11M	Michael Lawrence	Liam Fascetti	Kayce Hoani-Vincent
U11B	Michael Lawrence	Liam Fascetti	
U11G	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	Ally Rhodes	
U13B	Josh Porter	Lachlan Erba	Michael Lawrence
U13G	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	Kate Butcher	
U15B	Matthew Finitsis	Jordan DiBella	Xavier Morzone
U15G	Kurstyn Mather	Kiara Stubley	Amity Alarcos
U17B	Matthew Finitsis	Kyle Hoani-Vincent	Jordan DiBella
U17G	Kurstyn Mather	Amity Alarcos	Kaci Newman
U19M	Brad Martin	Courtney Mather	Brody DiBella
U19B	Brad Martin	Brody DiBella	Corey Condon
U19G	Courtney Mather	Summer Palmer	
GRADED	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
A	Sharief Kabay	Darnell Thompson	Zac Forster
В	Ethan Kauppila	Noah Reincastle	Ally Rhodes
DOUBLES	FIRST	SECOND	PLATE

Jordan DiBella and

Lachlan Erba

Alex Fox and

Summer Palmer



INGHAM JUNIOR QUALIFIER

Although Ingham is not a compulsory tournament it does define the commencement of the new Redback selection period. It is acknowledged it can be difficult for players returning from AJC to attend but many did attend.

Goes to show the kids love to play and be with their friends and parents are doing an excellent job to support local, state and national participation. Thank you ... your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Again Ingham put on a fantastic Saturday night social event. The BBQ dinner was a treat and the desserts were divine. I know many went back for seconds! Thanks to all involved.

Please keep in mind the next NR Tournament is in Cairns 17/18 February 2018.



Story and photos courtesy of Jules Condon





JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

Bucasia State School Squash Program

Story by Gillian Nielsen

October 6th saw the inaugural School Squash program begin at the Bucasia State School. With 2 x Grade 5 classes and 2 x Grade 6 classes involved, 110 students were introduced to the game of Squash.

With the program running over 5 weeks, students were taught the basics of ball-control, eye-hand co-ordination and footwork, eventually progressing onto playing a modified game of Squash in their school covered area.

Lisa Camilleri travelled to Mackay to kick-start the program and talk to the students about her career, training, passion for the game and her life now that she has retired from the Professional circuit. There were some interesting and in-depth questions asked of Lisa, ranging from "how long have you been playing" and "are you sponsored by anyone".



Lisa then put the students through their paces with various activities designed to get them moving and hitting the ball against the walls. All of the students responded positively and seemed to enjoy the activities.

In the following weeks, the students had to "make do" with just me turning up to run the program. It has been challenging at times to keep all of the students involved, but definitely rewarding and well worth the effort.

A big thank you to **Kylie Harbour** (PE teacher) and Bucasia State School for giving me the opportunity to work with the students each week. With the "wet season" fast approaching, it is hoped that we will have some new beginners coming into our Squash centres to get hooked on this fabulous game that we all love.

The more schools that we as a sport can get on board with the Sporting Schools Program, the more potential we have to build a strong base of new players which will only be a positive for all involved.



2018 REDSTAR AWARDS



In an effort to recognise more NR juniors we have revised our system of performance recognition. From now on every placegetter (1-2-3) will be recognised. Each winner of an aged event will be listed in the Achievement category and every player who finishes second or third will be listed in the Encouragement category.

Once a player has won an event they will be elevated and listed in the Achievement category even if they finish runner up or third in other events. If players are equal they will be listed in alphabetical order.

Players receive 3 points for winning a qualifier, 6 points for winning a Queensland State title and 9 points for winning a National title (AJO & AJC). Players will receive 2 points for finishing runner up in a qualifier, 4 points for runner up in a State final and 6 points for runner up in a National final. Players will receive 1 point for finishing third in a qualifier, 2 points for third in a State final and 3 points for third in a National event. U19 Players will also receive 1 bonus point for each result because they cannot enter 2 events.

Even though the Ingham qualifier was played in October 2017 it is still a 2018 qualifier so the results from that event will contribute to the **2018 NR Player of the Year Award.** A 2019 qualifier played in 2018 will not be included.

The player who accumulates the most points will be declared the Player of the Year. There will be joint winners if 2 players finish on the same number of points. The aim of the points system is to automate the selection and player results determine the outcome. The system is also designed to encourage players to support all events in their quest to accumulate points.

If an event is combined eg U17 and U19 Combined then it will be analysed to ensure points are allocated to both U17 and U19. A direct match up of the best two players in an age group will determine the winner of that age group. Otherwise the highest finishing position in an age group will receive the maximum points. **To be awarded points there must be at least two players competing in an age group.**

A player can only enter up to 2 events so they can only be rewarded with 2 results. An U9 player who might win a combined event eg **U9**, **U11 and U13 Combined** can only be rewarded for the U13 victory and their own age group U9 providing there are two U9 players competing. If there is only one player in U9 they will earn points for U13 only. If there was one player in U9 and one in U11 they will still only be rewarded for their efforts in U13.





2018 REDSTAR AWARDS

ACHIEVEMENT AWARD			
	Pts	Ingl	nam
Mathew Finitsis	6	Q15-1	Q17-1
Kayce Hoani Vincent	6	Q11-1	Q13-1
Kurstyn Mather	6	Q15-1	Q17-1
Michael Lawrence	4	Q11-1	Q13-3
Courtney Mather	4	Q19-1	
Bradley Martin	4	Q19-1	
Josh Porter	3	Q13-1	

of the YEAR



ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD				
	Pts	Ingl	nam	
Amity Alarcos	3	Q15-3	Q17-2	
Brody DiBella	3	Q19-2		
Jordan DiBella	3	Q15-2	Q17-3	
Summer Palmer	3	Q19-2		
Kate Butcher	2	Q13-2		
Corey Condon	2	Q19-3		
Lachlan Erba	2	Q13-2		
Liam Fascetti	2	Q11-2		
Kyle Hoani-Vincent	2	Q17-2		
Ally Rhodes	2	Q11-2		
Kiara Stubley	2	Q15-2		
Xavier Morzone	1	Q15-3		
Kaci Newman	1	Q17-3		



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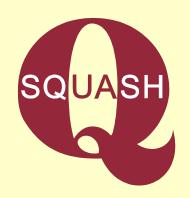
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Individual Championship
Sunday 1st July to
Wednesday 4th July

Team Championship
Friday 6th July to
Sunday 8th July

This poster is an early event notice to help you plan. Further dates, costs, sponsors and other information will be added in due course.

For more information contact:

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NR JUNIOR RANKINGS

Rankings as at 1st November 2017.

BOYS U9	BOYS U11	BOYS U13
1 Quinn Douglas	1 Michael Lawrence	1 Josh Porter
	2 Liam Fascetti	2 Lachlan Erba
	3 Shiven Sharma	3 Francis Morove
	4 Anshul Sharma	4 Tyrone Ale
		5 Tyler Harris
BOYS U15	BOYS U17	BOYS U19
BOYS U15 1 BJ MacDonald	BOYS U17 1 Wesley Dyer	BOYS U19 1 Brody DiBella
1 BJ MacDonald	1 Wesley Dyer	1 Brody DiBella
1 BJ MacDonald2 Matthew Finitsis	1 Wesley Dyer2 Sean Julius-Wright	1 Brody DiBella2 Bradley Martin

	TOP 5 RANKING	S
GIRLS U9	GIRLS U11 1 Kayce Hoani-Vincent 2 Sarah Brazier 3 Olivia McDermott 4 Ally Rhodes	GIRLS U13 1 Payton Douglas 2 Kate Butcher
GIRLS U15 1 Hayley Hankinson 2 Kurstyn Mather 3 Kiara Stubley	GIRLS U17 1 Kaci Newman 2 Chloe Thompson	GIRLS U19 1 Courtney Mather 2 Summer Palmer 3 Danielle Hankinson
4 Caitlin Porter 5 Amy Condon		





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INGHAM COURTS UP FOR LEASE











FOR LEASE:

Ingham Squash Courts, 96 Cartwright Street, Ingham.

The dwelling contains an upstairs fully refurbished apartment consisting of 2 bedrooms and 1 bathroom, large lounge, dining and kitchen area. A laundry and large study/gym room are situated on the ground floor level. The

dwelling also contains a lock up 2 bay garage.

The centre consists of 4 courts with showers and toilet facilities. A generous size working sauna room is an added feature. A fully fitted kitchen exists off the retail shop area on the ground floor.

For more information contact:

Frank and Chris Erba on 07 4776 2639



YOUR NR COMMITTEE

President: Dean Morzone
VP: Jules Condon
Secretary: Di Whitchurch
Treasurer: Karen Dyer



Main Contact: Jules Condon 040 0450 298

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\$66 pa or \$40 per half year Junior Pathway
Junior Rankings
Queensland Sharks
Player, Coach and Referee Development
Player Accident Insurance

SQUASH

Your affiliation to squash is invited and would be very much appreciated.



Squash Media has introduced a new feature to their website. Check out photos from our major events. Go to squashmedia.com.au and select Event Photos. Photos from the recent Cairns International have been uploaded. If you would like to upload photos for your PSA event simply contact Kim on 0407126911 ... its FREE!





17-18 FEB18 CAIRNS



2018 JUNIOR QUALIFIERS

COMPULSORY

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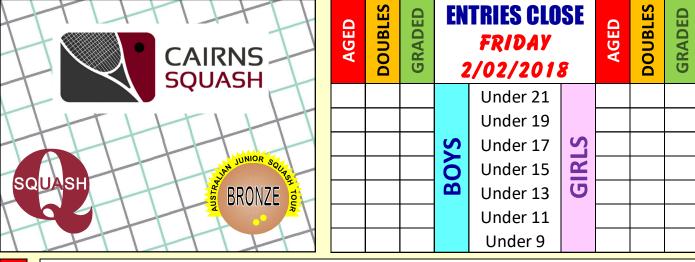


5-6 MAY18 MACKAY

Northern Region Junior Qualifier # 2 17-18 February 2018



SPORTSWORLD 268 GATTON STREET, CAIRNS QLD 4870



Aged Championship: \$40 for one event plus \$10 for each additional age group **Doubles:** \$5 (for Aged Championship players only)

Graded: \$20 which includes limited affiliation. Age Championship players ineligible.

Name:				
DOB:				
Mobile:				
Email:				
Club:				
Grade:				
VISITORS:	Do you	requi	re a BILLET?	
	YES	NO	Please circle	
Availability times for Friday 16 February 2018 (after 4pm):				
I have read the tournament conditions of entry				
and agree to abide by them.				

Players Signature:





Email your entry to qsnrtournamentdirector@gmail.com

Northern Region Junior Qualifiers Conditions of Entry



- 1 Games may be scheduled for Friday evening for available players.
- 2 Otherwise players are expected to be available between 8:30 am and 5 pm on Saturday and Sunday except with prior approval.
- 3 Doubles teams will be determined to maximise experience in that format.
- 4 The Graded draw is intended for new or less experienced players who wish to compete in a separate draw with players of similar ability and proficiency regardless of age/gender. The players will be graded based on ability by tournament organisers.
- 5 Graded events are not eligible for rankings or Redbacks team selection.
- 6 All grading will be made relative to Q Squash guidelines and the tournament committee reserves the right to regrade any player.
- 7 **Best of 5 Games to 11 PARS** Tie break at 10 all. To win a game you must win it by 2 points
- 8 XX Yellow Dot balls will be used.
- 9 The wearing of Protective Eyewear is **COMPULSORY** at this tournament. Players Under 13 must also wear a mouth guard.
- 10 Players are to be present and checked in with Tournament Control 30 MINUTES before the scheduled time of their match.
- 11 All Players are to mark and referee the next match at the completion of their own match.
- 12 All players MUST BE Financial members of Q Squash and under their respective age group as at **18 February 2018**.
- 13 Entry fees are due and payable once the draw has been completed.

 No refunds will be made.
- 14 Photos may be taken during the championship for use by media outlets, the Northern Region website and REDBACKS Newsletter.
- 15 All players must abide by the Q Squash JUNIOR PLAYER BEHAVIOUR Policy Version 2 Effective 1/1/09, which can be read on the Q Squash website.