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**Jessica Turnbull wins
maiden PSA title**



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GOLDEN OPEN FOR TURNBULL

Queensland's **Jessica Turnbull** has broken through to win her maiden PSA title.

The 22 year old received an early birthday present when she beat Malaysian Wen Li Lai in four to take out the 2018 Golden Open in Kalgoorlie.



It was a strong performance by Turnbull to firstly beat #1 seed Sarah Cardwell in a tough semi final and then back up and defeat the Malaysian who had secured her place in the final by beating #2 seed Tamika Hunt (Saxby) 16-14 in the fourth.

Turnbull joined the PSA in 2010 and received an initial ranking of 252. She has now built that to #69 in the world (PSA July Rankings). She broke into the World Top 100 in July 2012. For the past six years Turnbull's world ranking has hovered between 73 and 103. She has now broken into the Top 70 and has her sights set on breaking into the World Top 50. It just shows persistence pays off.

PSA W5 City of Kalgoorlie Boulder Golden Open

Final

[3] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) 11-9, 11-8, 9-11, 11-4 (47m)

Semi Finals

[3] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) 8-11, 8-11, 11-6, 11-5, 11-9

[4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) bt [2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) 9-11, 11-7, 11-8, 16-14

Quarter Finals

[1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) bt [5] Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-3, 11-6, 11-4

[3] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [7] Angie Ooi (MAS) 11-6, 10-12, 11-1, 11-7

[4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) bt [8] Challen Stowell (AUS) 11-4, 11-1, 13-11

[2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [6] Aika Azman (MAS) 11-9, 8-11, 11-7, 11-9

Round 1

[1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) bye

[5] Taylor Flavell (AUS) bt Maria-Rose Kalafatis (AUS) 11-1, 11-4, 11-3

[7] Angie Ooi (MAS) bt Trace Johnson (AUS) 12-10, 11-2, 11-5

[3] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bye

[4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) bye

[8] Challen Stowell (AUS) bt Jade Woods (AUS) 11-2, 8-11, 11-6, 11-3

[6] Aika Azman (MAS) bt Anantana Praserttratanakul (THA) 11-5, 11-2, 11-4

[2] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bye

HEDRICK FALLS SHORT IN NZ

Victoria's **Rex Hedrick** (#2 seed) reached the final of the NZ Southern Open but just couldn't get past Malaysian Ivan Yuen (#1 seed).

Our World #61 was competitive but just didn't have the finishing touches to end the rallies. Despite achieving a career high WR of 51, Hedrick was up against an opponent with possibly just a little more experience having achieved career high of 40.

His semi final win against fellow Aussie Josh Larkin (#3 seed) was good. Hedrick dropped the first game but came home strongly to win the match in four. It was his second win of the year against Larkin.

For more information and photos go to <http://www.squashcity.co.nz/>



PSA M10 NZ Southern Open

Final

[1] Ivan Yuen (MAS) bt [2] **Rex Hedrick** (AUS) 11-7, 7-11, 13-11, 11-8 (72m)

Semi Finals

[1] Ivan Yuen (MAS) bt [4] Angus Gillams (ENG) 11-8, 11-4, 4-11, 11-8 (42m)

[2] **Rex Hedrick** (AUS) bt [3] Joshua Larkin (AUS) 6-11, 11-3, 11-8, 11-4 (53m)

Quarter Finals

[1] Ivan Yuen (MAS) bt [5] Victor Crouin (FRA) 11-9, 11-8, 7-11, 11-6 (50m)

[4] Angus Gillams (ENG) bt [7] Evan Williams (NZL) 7-11, 11-7, 11-9, 11-6 (46m)

[3] Joshua Larkin (AUS) bt [6] Rhys Dowling (AUS) 11-8, 11-9, 12-10 (39m)

[2] **Rex Hedrick** (AUS) bt [8] Addeen Idrakie (MAS) 11-5, 13-11, 11-4 (40m)

Round 1

[1] Ivan Yuen (MAS) bt [Q] Asyraf Azan (MAS) 11-2, 11-5, 14-12 (45m)

[5] Victor Crouin (FRA) bt Darren Rahul Pragasam (MAS) 11-7, 11-5, 8-11, 11-5 (40m)

[7] Evan Williams (NZL) bt Sean Conroy (IRL) 6-11, 11-5, 11-6, 11-2 (38m)

[4] Angus Gillams (ENG) bt [Q] Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) 13-11, 11-8, 11-6 (34m)

[3] Joshua Larkin (AUS) bt [Q] Velavan Senthilkumar (IND) 11-8, 11-4, 8-11, 11-2 (40m)

[6] Rhys Dowling (AUS) bt [Q] Luke Jones (NZL) 11-9, 11-9, 11-7 (24m)

[8] Addeen Idrakie (MAS) bt Joe Green (ENG) 7-11, 11-7, 11-6, 11-7 (40m)

[2] **Rex Hedrick** (AUS) bt [WC] Scott Galloway (NZL) 11-5, 11-9, 11-7 (30m)