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**The Pros will be in Cairns
for the Cairns International
from 25-28 October**



**Good Luck
to our RED Sharks
at the AJC in Darwin**



**52 Squash will conduct their
Squash Open from 2-4 November**

**The first Redbacks
Qualifier for 2019
will be played at
INGHAM on 20-21 October**

**BJ MACDONALD PERFORMED
BRILLIANTLY AT THE SCHOOLS
AND IN THE TEST SERIES
AGAINST NEW ZEALAND**



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EDITORIAL

Well it is that time of the year again ... the Redback Qualifiers are about to start! The 2019 season kicks off with the Ingham tournament on the 20-21 October 2018.

A week later will see the first of three senior events to be conducted from late October through to early December.

The Cairns International will get the ball rolling (25-28 October) before the 52 Open takes place in Mackay a week later.

The Mackay Open makes a welcome return to the tournament calendar in early December.

It is vitally important that players (both senior and junior) support these events to ensure they remain on the Tournament Calendar for years to come.

Good luck to all our RED SHARKS who will travel to Darwin in late September to compete in the Australian Junior Individual and Team Championships.

Fingers crossed Queensland will win its 15th straight National Junior Team title.



OCT 20-21 Ingham:
Ingham Junior
NR Redbacks Qualifier 2019 #1
(AJST Bronze Event)

OCT 25-28 Cairns
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NOV 2-4 Mackay
Squash 52 Open

DEC 1-2 Mackay
Mackay Open



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Courtney Mather 198 185

TM: This Month
HWR: Highest World Ranking

CALENDAR

RANKINGS

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President's Court

By Dean Morzone



JUNIOR TOURNAMENTS

This month we will see the talent of Australia converge in Darwin for the AJC. It will be an exciting competitive journey for all, with a special end for NR athletes competing for the Sharks team. We wish all the very best. Be great ambassadors for our region.

AJC Individual 29/9/18-2/10/18 and Teams from 4/10/18

Darwin Squash Centre, 6 Marrara Drive Marrara, Northern Territory, 0812

Time has also whipped by and we are already looking towards the start of our regional tournament series with Ingham in October. Ingham will again feature a multi-tiered format of age championships, grade/novices and doubles.

Please do your best to promote the event and support this event. Nominations will open soon and close in early October 2018.

2019 Redbacks 2019 Qualifier Ingham 20-21 October 2018

Ingham Squash Centre, 96 Cartwright Street, Ingham

COMMITTEE

The committee's priorities for this month will include:

- Amendments to the By-Laws.
- Introduction to the new State Ranking policy.
- Ideas to better support centres and Clubs with marketing & promotion; competition & tournaments, and Junior development & participation.
- Improvements and ideas for future QJCs.

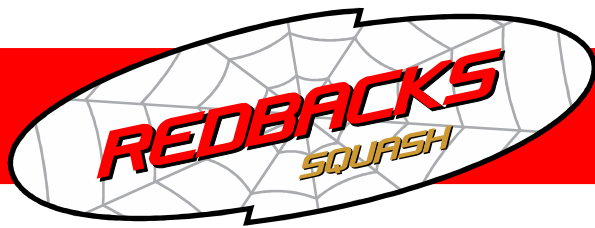
CLUBS & CENTRES

Cairns has also participated in the annual Cairns Festival handing out almost 1 thousand "Come & try for Free Vouchers". It is essential that we actively bring new players to the sport, including exploring ways to engage with and promote the sport to schools and convene vocational coaching clinics and camps. I urge clubs and members to introduce and promote squash using social media across the popular platforms eg. Facebook and Snap chat.

RANKINGS

I'm thrilled to confirm that Karolyn Lawrence has accepted the role of representing Northern on the Q Squash ranking committee, as well as leading our own Northern Region Rankers.

The New Ranking Policy also binds regional bodies and will be applied by our selectors. Regional selectors will take on a greater role updating its own and State rankings after qualifiers. I know that Karolyn will bring a much-needed critical eye to



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the efficacy of the New Ranking Policy during its probationary period.

Please look at the Q Squash website to check your ranking. The appeal process in the policy provides for an internal review (like the old policy to give the rankers a chance to affirm or change their mind), and if the appellant remains aggrieved by that review decision, the appeal must be decided by an independent decision maker.

FUNDRAISING AND SPONSORSHIP

We remain committed to forging regional sponsorship partnerships to help our junior athletes develop to their full potential, through specialist coaching assisted by new technology and equipment.

If you or someone you now has potential to support our region please contact Jules Condon at qsnvicepresident@gmail.com, as chair of our Fundraising and Sponsorship committee.

PROMOTION

We'd also love to see your photos on and off the court, especially at the AJC. Keep sharing your passion for our great game with your club, Facebook, and other social media friends.

Also send your tips, stories and photographs (with names and places depicted) to kim@squashmedia.com.au. If you use a smart phone take and send your photos in high resolution. Published photos are always a valuable keep-sake for years.

See you on the court.

Dean Morzone

President



1st NR Qualifier for 2019

**20-21
OCT 18**

**AJST
BRONZE**

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2017 Champion: Lau Tsz Kwan (HKG)



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25-28 October 2018

GRADED

A graded event will be held in conjunction with the PSA event
Divisions 1,2,3,4 will be played on Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 October.

Entries for the open graded event will close **Monday 22 October**.
Cost \$35/event. Entries to be sent to cairnssquash@hotmail.com

Don't miss out on playing yourself and seeing the Pros in action.
It's an exciting event and one which produces fantastic Squash!



PROMOTER:

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TRANS TASMAN SCHOOLS

A number of NR Juniors represented Queensland at the recent Trans Tasman Schools challenge between NZ, Queensland and New South Wales and the Test Series between Australia and New Zealand. The event was held at Thornleigh in NSW from 20-23 August.

Queensland finished runner up to New Zealand but most importantly beat NSW. On the eve of the AJC this is a positive indicator as to what might transpire at the AJC in September / October.

Our Open Boys and Girls struggled somewhat finishing last and will need to lift considerably if they are going to help Queensland win their 15th Overall National Team title at the AJC.

Our U15 Boys were successful overall with Mackay's **BJ MacDonald** leading the way for Queensland. MacDonald was clearly our only star winning every match in three including the test match. The U15 Girls did well but lacked consistency against NZ.

The test match between NZ and the Aussies saw the Kiwis thrash Australia 15 rubbers to 5 with MacDonald and Hayley Hankinson recording good wins.

Open Boys		Winning team	Match Score	Score	NZ	QLD	NSW
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 1					
WESLEY DYER	TEMWA CHILESE	NZ	0-3	15-33	5	0	
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	KOBE FLEMING	NZ	0-3	17-33	5	0	
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	RILEY VETTE-BLOMQUIST	NZ	0-3	10-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 1					
WESLEY DYER	ALEX BAINES	QLD	3-1	44-34		4	1
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	HAANI QURESHI	NSW	0-3	23-36		0	5
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	JACK QUINLIVAN	NSW	0-3	16-33		0	5
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 2					
WESLEY DYER	WILLZ DONNELLY	NZ	0-3	22-33	5	0	
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	GLENN TEMPLETON	NZ	0-3	16-33	5	0	
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	RILEY VETTE-BLOMQUIST	NZ	0-3	20-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 2					
WESLEY DYER	DANIEL CHU	QLD	3-0	33-18		5	0
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	ETHAN BIRD	NSW	0-3	26-38		0	5
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	JACK QUINLIVAN	NSW	0-3	26-35		0	5
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 3					
WESLEY DYER	TEMWA CHILESE	NZ	0-3	17-33	5	0	
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	KOBE FLEMING	NZ	0-3	12-33	5	0	
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	RILEY VETTE-BLOMQUIST	NZ	0-3	15-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 3					
WESLEY DYER	ALEX BAINES	QLD	3-1	40-27		4	1
KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	HAANI QURESHI	NSW	1-3	28-40		1	4
SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	JACK QUINLIVAN	QLD	3-2	49-43		3	2

Open Girls		Winning team	Match Score	Score	NZ	QLD	NSW
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 1			5	0	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	WINONA-JO JOYCE	NZ	0-3	11-33			
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 1			2	3	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	GEORGIE LANE	NSW	2-3	52-53			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 2			5	0	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	ANNALEISE FAINT	NZ	0-3	18-33			
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 2			0	5	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	ANNA GOODMAN	NSW	0-3	16-33			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 3			5	0	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	WINONA-JO JOYCE	NZ	0-3	0-33			
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 3			0	5	
HAYLEY HANKINSON	GEORGIE LANE	NSW	0-3	0-33			
U15 Boys		Winning team	Match Score	Score	NZ	QLD	NSW
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 1			0	5	
BRENDAN MacDONALD	MASON SMALES	QLD	3-0	33-21			
JORDAN DI BELLA	BRAEDYN HENDERSON	NZ	0-3	11-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 1					
BRENDAN MacDONALD	LUKE BARRY	QLD	3-0	33-24	5	3	0
JORDAN DI BELLA	JUSTIN CHU	QLD	3-2	42-51			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 2			0	5	
BRENDAN MacDONALD	JOE SMYTHE	QLD	3-0	34-22			
JORDAN DI BELLA	BRAEDYN HENDERSON	QLD	3-1	38-33	1	4	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 2					
BRENDAN MACDONALD	KEN LAMB	QLD	3-0	33-26	5	3	0
JORDAN DI BELLA	JUSTIN CHU	QLD	3-2	52-38			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 3			0	5	
BRENDAN MacDONALD	MASON SMALES	QLD	3-0	34-17			
JORDAN DI BELLA	BEN McCURRAN	QLD	3-2	48-40	2	3	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 3					
BRENDAN MacDONALD	LUKE BARRY	QLD	3-0	33-22	5	4	0
JORDAN DI BELLA	COOPER BOARDMAN	QLD	3-1	42-37			
U15 Girls		Winning team	Match Score	Score	NZ	QLD	NSW
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 1			5	0	
KURSTYN MATHER	DIANA GALLOWAY	NZ	0-3	23-24			
KIARA STUBLEY	ANNE LEAKEY	NZ	0-3	16-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 1					
KURSTYN MATHER	TANAI O'BRIEN	QLD	3-0	36-28	5	2	0
KIARA STUBLEY	MARLEY O'SHANNESSY	NSW	2-3	50-41			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 2			5	0	
KURSTYN MATHER	JENA GREGORY	NZ	0-3	16-33			
KIARA STUBLEY	ANNE LEAKEY	QLD	3-2	42-39	2	3	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 2					
KURSTYN MATHER	MAGGIE GOODMAN	NSW	2-3	48-47	2	1	3
KIARA STUBLEY	MARLEY O'SHANNESSY	NSW	3-1	45-36			
Queensland	New Zealand	DAY 3			4	1	
KURSTYN MATHER	KATIE TEMPLETON	NZ	1-3	34-47			
KIARA STUBLEY	SHEA FERGUSON	NZ	0-3	24-33	5	0	
Queensland	New South Wales	DAY 3					
KURSTYN MATHER	ANNIE CHRISTENSEN	QLD	3-0	33-7	5	1	0
KIARA STUBLEY	GABRIELLE BAINES	NSW	1-3	39-49			

TEST MATCH : NZL v AUS		Winning team	Match Score	Score	NZ	AUS
New Zealand Open Boys	Australia Open Boys					
TEMWA CHILESE	WESLEY DYER	NZ	3-0	37-28	5	0
WILLZ DONNELLY	ALEX BAINES	NZ	3-0	33-22	5	0
GLENN TEMPLETON	DECLAN CASHMAN	NZ	3-0	33-16	5	0
KOBE FLEMING	DANIEL CHU	NZ	3-0	33-19	5	0
RILEY VETTE-BLOMQUIST	ETHAN BIRD	NZ	3-0	33-10	5	0
New Zealand Open Girls	Australia Open Girls					
WINONA-JO JOYCE	GEORGIE LANE	NZ	3-0	33-16	5	0
ANNALEISE FAINT (C)	ANNA GOODMAN	NZ	3-0	33-18	5	0
AMELIA WADSWORTH	HAYLEY HANKINSON	AUS	1-3	31-40	1	4
JESS DEAN	LAUREN LUCK	NZ	3-0	33-9	5	0
LEONIE MARSHALL	NICOLA BAINES	NZ	3-1	42-25	4	1
New Zealand U15 Boys	Australia U15 Boys					
MASON SMALES	BRENDAN MACDONALD	AUS	0-3	22-33	0	5
JOE SMYTHE	LUKE EYLES	NZ	3-2	48-51	3	2
APA FATIALOFA	LUKE BARRY	NZ	3-2	52-39	3	2
BEN McCURRAN	NICHOLAS BRIGGS	NZ	3-1	45-38	4	1
BRAEDYN HENDERSON	KEN LAMB	NZ	3-0	33-11	5	0
New Zealand U15 Girls	Australia U15 Girls					
JENA GREGORY	ELLA BURGE	NZ	3-0	33-22	5	0
DIANA GALLOWAY	MAGGIE GOODMAN	AUS	0-3	22-33	0	5
KATIE TEMPLETON	KURSTYN MATHER	NZ	3-0	33-22	5	0
SHEA FERGUSON	ARIEL LYON	AUS	0-3	19-33	0	5
ANNE LEAKEY	MADISON LYON	AUS	2-3	51-49	2	3
NZ Open Doubles	Australia Open Doubles					
TEMWA CHILESE & WILLZ DONNELLY	WESLEY DYER & ALEX BAINES	NZ	4-1	25-18	4	1
GLENN TEMPLETON & KOBE FLEMING	DECLAN CASHMAN & DANIEL CHU	NZ	5-1	40-16	5	1
RILEY VETTE-BLOMQUIST & WINONA-JO JOYCE	ETHAN BIRD & GEORGIE LANE	NZ	6-2	44-26	6	2
ANNALEISE FAINT & AMELIA WADSWORTH	ANNA GOODMAN & HAYLEY HANKINSON	NZ	5-2	36-29	5	2
JESS DEAN & LEONIE MARSHALL	LAUREN LUCK & NICOLA BAINES	NZ	5-2	35-29	5	2
NZ U15 Doubles	Australia U15 Doubles					
MASON SMALES & JOE SMYTHE	BRENDAN MACDONALD & LUKE EYLES	NZ	4-2	28-22	4	2
APA FATIALOFA & BEN McCURRAN	LUKE BARRY & NICHOLAS BRIGGS	NZ	4-1	22-19	4	1
BRAEDYN HENDERSON & JENA GREGORY	KEN LAMB & ELLA BURGE	NZ	4-1	29-20	4	1
DIANA GALLOWAY & KATIE TEMPLETON	MAGGIE GOODMAN & KURSTYN MATHER	AUS	2-4	29-32	2	4
SHEA FERGUSON & ANNE LEAKEY	MADISON & ARIEL LYON	AUS	2-6	23-49	2	6
New Zealand defeated Australia					113	50



TRANS TASMAN SCHOOLS



Summary	NZ	QLD	NSW
Day 1	175	125	73
Day 2	207	108	61
Day 3	207	84	79
Total	589	317	213

SUMMARY	NZ	AUS
OPENS	45	5
U15s	27	23
DOUBLES	41	22
TOTAL	113	50

Singles	QLD	NSW
BDay1	31	19
BDay2	27	23
BDay3	35	15
Total	93	57
GDay1	31	19
GDay2	27	23
GDay3	31	19
TOTAL	89	61
Total	182	118

Doubles	QLD	NSW
	44	29

Performance Summary

Excludes Test Match

		Matches				Games		
		Played	Won	Lost	Forfeit	Won	Lost	Forfeit
Open Boys	KYLE HOANI-VINCENT	12	0	12	0	2	36	0
Open Boys	SEAN JULIUS-WRIGHT	12	2	10	0	6	34	0
Open Boys	WESLEY DYER	12	6	6	0	18	22	0
Open Girls	HAYLEY HANKINSON	12	0	10	2	4	30	6
U15 Boys	BRENDAN MacDONALD	12	12	0	0	36	0	0
U15 Boys	JORDAN DI BELLA	12	10	2	0	30	22	0
U15 Girls	KIARA STUBLEY	12	4	8	0	18	30	0
U15 Girls	KURSTYN MATHER	12	4	8	0	18	24	0



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REDBACKS

Junior Squash Team



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Friday 5 October 2018



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Toni van der Kreek



GRANT SUCCESS

Q Squash (Northern Region) have received a grant from the Queensland Government Gambling Community Benefit Fund to purchase five defibrillators.

Defibrillators have been provided to Squash 52, Dalrymple Squash, Ingham Squash and Cairns Squash.



NR Vice President Jules Condon advised "we purchased HeartSine Samaritan PAD 500P Defibrillators from St John

Ambulance Queensland".

Condon went on to say "We would like to sincerely thank the **Queensland Government Gambling Community Benefit Fund** for their generous support of squash and the Northern Region".

Photo: NR President Dean Morzone presenting a defibrillator to Cairns Squash President Wade Jorgensen.



Gambling

Community Benefit Fund

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Squash 52 Open
2-4 Nov 2018

Nominations close 27/10/18

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52 OPEN UPDATE

By Gillian Nielsen

With the 3rd annual 52 Open fast approaching (2-4 Nov), work has commenced in preparing the courts to welcome players. The pool will be a necessary luxury as the weather heats up and players break into a sweat just walking onto the courts!

The tournament will commence on the Friday afternoon for those players who are able to arrive early in an effort to get all of the games played over the weekend. We are aiming for a 2pm finish on the Sunday to allow travelling players to get away at a reasonable hour.

Saturday night will be the Xmas party once again, with dancing, celebration and the announcement of the coveted "52 Member of the Year" award. Same venue and band as last year with the theme this year to be "60's" in honour of the courts turning 50 earlier this year, so dust off your flares and bogey shoes for a fabulous night (remembering that there will be more games in the morning, we may have to bring in the "52 mercy rule" again for those who over-indulge in boogying).

All players abilities will be catered for from Open to Novice with nominations closing on 27th October.

52's favourite barman, Brett, has showed great courage in offering to shave the goatee that has adorned his face for the last several years to raise funds for the Beyond Blue Foundation. With over \$600 raised by the generous players at 52, the goatee was removed in front of a crowd of loved ones and stirrers. Footage of this event can be seen on the Squash 52 Facebook page.

The 52 Squash & Fitness Club Inc has also been doing extra fundraising throughout the year in an effort to raise funds to help with the refurbishment of the floors for the two glass-back courts. We have been lucky enough to hold two major fundraising events this year and would like to thank the Courtice family for their ongoing support of the club and its members.

A big thank you also to James for his efforts in coaching our junior players throughout 2018. His enthusiasm is infectious and his love of the game shows whenever you talk to him. Plans are in the works for more clinics to be held in 2019 for both beginners and top juniors.

**Squash 52 Open
2-4 Nov 2018**

Nominations close 27/10/18

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Ingham Qualifier
Strive for selection in
the 2019 Redbacks
Team



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20-21 OCT
Entries Close
5/10/18

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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 ...

Now is a GREAT
TIME to get some
coaching, do some
training and get
ready for 2019.

Play in the
Townsville Qualifier

*Keep striving for
selection in the 2019
Redbacks Team*



CAIRNS SQUASH
COMPULSORY
16-17 FEB
Entries
Close
1/2/19

Play in the
Cairns Qualifier

*Keep striving for
selection in the 2019
Redbacks Team*

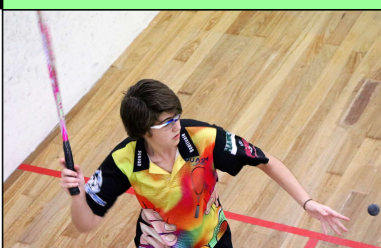


WESTS SQUASH CLUB
TOWNSVILLE
16-17 MAR
Entries Close
1/3/19

There are many ways to **improve** your squash.

*Do some fitness training. Get some coaching - Private or Group.
Do some routines with a friend. Seek out stronger competition.
Play in junior tournaments. Work with a ball machine (if available).*

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



Play in the
Mackay Qualifier
*The 2019 Redbacks
Team will be selected
after this event.*



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COMPULSORY
4-5 MAY
Entries Close
19/4/19

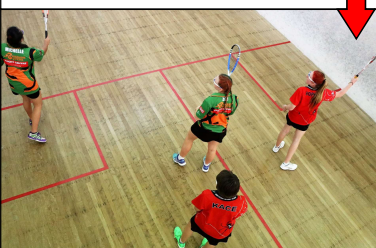
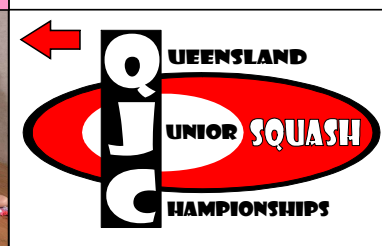
Northern Region Junior Qualifiers

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against kids your own age. Meet new friends. Strive to do your
best and you may get to represent the **Redbacks Junior Team**.*

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

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



Do you want **more information?**

Phone Jules Condon on 040 0450 298

Send her an email qsnvicepresident@gmail.com

Check out the NR Website www.northernregionsquash.net

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

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





1-2 December 2018

ENTRIES CLOSE 5pm 16/11/18

For more information contact:

Susan Palmer on
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Spotlight on Wes Dyer

By Susan Palmer

The Mackay Squash Club has a champion in its midst and we are so fortunate that he is volunteering his spare time back into the club by helping out with the junior coaching. Wes stated that he finds coaching "interesting and rewarding because he is giving back to the sport".

I have known Wes since he was a little whipper snapper on the squash courts - keen as ever to learn as much as possible. Attending training sessions without fail. Junior fixtures was not enough for Wes, he also attended as many night-time fixtures as his parents would allow. If that wasn't enough when the international squash players arrived in Mackay for the PSA events, Wes took time out from school to attend the courts to learn more killer moves and advanced training techniques.

Wes's dedication has paid him back in full. Wes this year became the U17 State Champion with intentions of fighting for the National U17 Champion title in Darwin at the end of September this year. Wes's squash goal is to "make it into the top 100 players in the world".



The current Mackay Club's beginner juniors are benefiting from Wes's advanced skills and knowledge already as their skill levels have improved big time. Wes now holds a Squash Australia's Foundation Coaching Certificate with plans on furthering his coaching career by studying to become a Level 1 coach.

Mackay Leisure Centre holds training sessions on Monday 4:00-5:30pm and Saturday 9:00-10:30am with Wes attending the Monday sessions. Come on down and get inspired by this true champion. It is such a pleasure to work with Wes as he always makes time for squash and helping others.

Did you know? ... Wes Dyer won the 2016 Australian U15 Junior Title beating Dylan Molinaro (Vic) 5-11, 9-11, 11-8, 11-8, 11-8.



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

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ACHIEVEMENT AWARD							
	Pts	QJC		Mackay		Townsville	
BJ MacDonald	30	S15-2		Q15-1		Q15-1	Q19-3
Kurstyn Mather	30	S15-2	S17-2	Q15-1	Q17-1	Q15-1	Q19-2
Michael Lawrence	29	S11-1	S13-3	Q11-1	Q13-1	Q11-1	Q13-3
Kayce Hoani Vincent	22			Q13-2		Q11-1	Q13-2
Wes Dyer	21	S17-1		Q17-1		Q17-1	Q19-1
Courtney Mather	19	S19-1		Q19-1		Q19-1	
Payton Douglas	14	S13-1		Q13-1		Q13-1	
Mathew Finitis	10			Q15-2			
Hayley Hankinson	10	S17-1				Q19-3	
Josh Porter	10					Q13-1	Q15-3
Bradley Martin	7			Q19-2			
Hayley Menta	7	S11-3		Q11-1		Q11-2	
Jake Webb	5			Q19-1		Q17-2	

Who will be the **2018 Redstar Player of the Year**? Two players (**BJ MacDonald** | Mackay and **Kurstyn Mather** | Cairns) are leading the Achievement Award table locked on 30 points each. Just one point away is another high achiever (**Michael Lawrence** | Cairns).

Ingham's **Liam Fascetti** is well clear on the Encouragement Award table.



Would like to invite you to make a contribution to this newsletter. We want to help you to promote events, recognise people and thank sponsors and volunteers.

Please help us to

PROMOTE RECOGNISE & THANK

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ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

	Pts	QJC		Mackay		Townsville	
Liam Fascetti	14	S11-2		Q11-2	Q13-2	Q11-2	
Kiara Stubley	7			Q15-2		Q15-2	
Brody DiBella	6					Q19-2	
Lachlan Erba	6					Q13-2	
Summer Palmer	6			Q19-2			
Sean Julius Wright	5			Q17-2	Q19-3		
Amity Alarcos	4					Q15-3	
Matt Brazier	4			Q15-3		Q15-2	
Kate Butcher	4					Q13-3	
Kyle Hoani-Vincent	4			Q17-3		Q17-3	
Kaci Newman	4			Q17-2			
Jordan DiBella	3						
Sophie Fadaely	3			Q17-3			
Ally Rhodes	3			Q13-3			
Jack Butcher	2					Q11-3	
Corey Condon	2						
Quinn Douglas	2			Q11-3	Q13-3		
Alexis Harris	2			Q11-2			
Teneille Lambert	2			Q11-3		Q11-3	
Shantelle Ale	1			Q15-3			
Xavier Morzone	1						

20-21
OCT18
INGHAM



16-17
MAR19
TOWNSVILLE

16-17
FEB19
CAIRNS

2019 JUNIOR QUALIFIERS

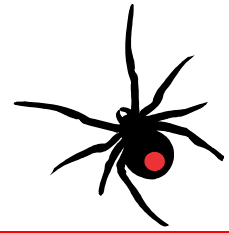
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NR JUNIOR RANKINGS

Rankings as at **1st September 2018.**



U11 Boys

- | | |
|--------------------|---|
| 1 Michael Lawrence | C |
| 2 Liam Fascetti | C |
| 3 Quinn Douglas | M |

U13 Boys

- | | |
|------------------|---|
| 1 Lachlan Erba | I |
| 2 Francis Morove | C |

U15 Boys

- | | |
|--------------------|---|
| 1 BJ MacDonald | M |
| 2 Matthew Finitsis | F |
| 3 Matthew Brazier | M |
| 4 Josh Porter | C |
| 5 Tyler Harris | T |

U17 Boys

- | | |
|----------------------|---|
| 1 Wes Dyer | M |
| 2 Jordan DiBella | I |
| 3 Jake Webb | M |
| 4 Sean Julius-Wright | C |
| 5 Kyle Hoani-Vincent | M |

U19 Boys

- | | |
|-----------------|---|
| 1 Brad Martin | T |
| 2 Brody DiBella | I |
| 3 Anthony Bush | C |



U11 Girls

- | | |
|--------------------|---|
| 1 Hayley Menta | T |
| 2 Teneille Lambert | T |

U13 Girls

- | | |
|-----------------------|---|
| 1 Payton Douglas | M |
| 2 Kayce Hoani-Vincent | M |
| 3 Sarah Brazier | M |

U15 Girls

- | | |
|------------------|---|
| 1 Kurstyn Mather | C |
| 2 Sophie Fadaely | C |
| 3 Kiara Stubley | C |
| 4 Amy Condon | C |
| 5 Shantelle Ale | C |

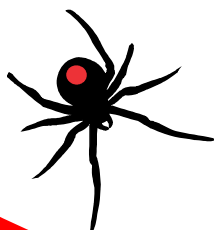
U17 Girls

- | | |
|--------------------|---|
| 1 Hayley Hankinson | M |
| 2 Caitlin Porter | C |
| 3 Kaci Newman | I |

U19 Girls

- | | |
|----------------------|---|
| 1 Courtney Mather | C |
| 2 Summer Palmer | M |
| 3 Danielle Hankinson | M |

C = Cairns F = Innisfail I = Ingham M = Mackay T = Townsville



National Junior Rankings - **Top 5**

Rankings as at 1st September 2018

U11 Boys

1	Eric Marsh	WA
2	Lachlan Mann	SA
3	Flynn Bartlett	QLD
4	Michael Lawrence	QLD
5	Nickolai Wolpers	QLD

U13 Boys

Aryan Madan	SA
Daniel Marsh	WA
Finlay Galt	WA
Ben Murray	QLD
Zane Wolpers	QLD

U15 Boys

Greg Chan	WA
Oscar Curtis	WA
BJ MacDonald	QLD
Dylan Classen	WA
Andre Lynn	VIC

U17 Boys

1	Sam Sergo	NSW
2	Dylan Molinaro	VIC
3	Josh Penfold	QLD
4	Wes Dyer	QLD
5	Remi Young	WA



U19 Boys

Jack Hudson	TAS
Ben Ratcliffe	VIC
Abel Jin	WA
Jacob Ford	NSW
Tate Norris	VIC

U11 Girls

1	Joanne Joseph	VIC
2	Charlotte Evans	SA
3	Tara Davies	QLD
4	Haylee Besant	NSW
5	Orla Clarke	QLD

U13 Girls

Maja Maziuk	NSW
Isla Harris	WA
Dakshyani Muniandy	SA
Payton Douglas	QLD
Elaine Cheung	QLD

U15 Girls

1	Erin Classen	WA
2	Ella Burge	QLD
3	Eishaanii Sukunesan	VIC
4	Courtney Scholtz	VIC
5	Maggie Goodman	NSW

U17 Girls

Mackenzie Sleep	QLD
Katie Davies	QLD
Michaela Pratt	WA
Hayley Hankinson	QLD
Kate Winters	SA

U19 Girls

Alex Haydon	SA
Grace Pattison	TAS
Courtney Mather	QLD
Anna Goodman	NSW
Jade Woods	WA

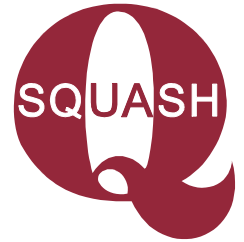




2018 Q Squash Affiliation



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2018 Affiliation

Full Registration \$73 per year

Seasonal Registration \$44 per season (Season maximum of 6 Months)

Monthly Registration \$15 per month

Remote Member Registration - See Note 1 \$33 per year

Associate / Social Registration \$33 per year (Non-playing members)

Q Squash Club Registration - See Note 2 - \$250 per year

Note: 1. Remote Member definition is for players whose primary club is greater than 300km from a major squash centre (Brisbane, Gold Coast, Townsville, Cairns, Rockhampton, Mackay) and entitles players to Player Insurance.

Note 2. Q Squash Club Registration is for Clubs who wish to be Q Squash Affiliated and entitled to Public Liability Insurance and the other club entitlements including Government Grants, Sanctioned Events, etc. but do not have 80% of members registered.

Personal Squash Affiliation Covers

- Q Squash affiliation
- Squash Australia affiliation
- Squash Personal Accident Insurance – Info: <http://goo.gl/5yctXZ>
- Free access to Squash Matrix / Sport HQ Portal
- Member Benefits Portal – Info: <http://Goo.gl/ZtmzPF>

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To pay simply use the following link:

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If you already have a SportyHQ account you just need to login.

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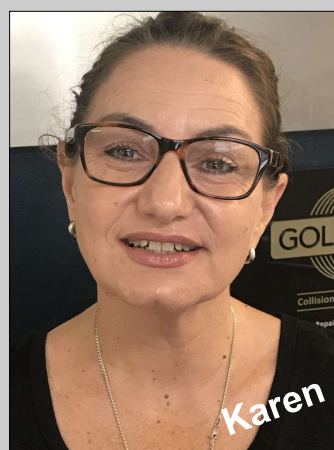
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