



2019 Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Championships

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2019 TOWNSVILLE JUNIOR SQUASH CHAMPIONSHIPS
16 to 17 MARCH 2019



Congratulations **Jules Wone** ... our new President! Also congratulations to **Rob Fadaely** and **Moira McGovern** on their appointments to the NR Committee.

A BIG congratulations to all the winners at the Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Open.

Thank you to **Karolyn Lawrence** who has worked with me closely for over 2 months preparing all the promotional material for the Cairns Junior Open.

Thank you to **Kerry Mather** for all the photos from the Cairns event.



WORLD RANKINGS
1 March 2019

NR PLAYERS

TM: HWR:

Ben Courtice 529 333
BJ MacDonald 529 475

Courtney Mather 184 174

TM: This Month
HWR: Highest World Ranking



AGM 9.30am
Sat 23rd March 2019
Griffith University,
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2019 NORTHERN REGION CALENDAR

MAR	16	17	J	Juniors Bronze	Townsville Junior Open Dalrymple
MAR	23	24	M	Masters	QMSA Squash 52 Mixed Graded Individual
APR	19	22	S	Masters Juniors	QMSA Ingham Masters Juniors
MAY	4	5	J	Juniors Silver	Mackay Junior Open Mackay Leisure Centre (Compulsory)
MAY	11	12	O	Open	Moranbah Open Tournament Moranbah Squash Centre
JUL	20	21	O	Open	West's Squash Club Open Championship Kirwan Tenpin & Fun Centre

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President's Court

With Jules Wone

As this is my first time writing this as the NR President, I find myself wondering what I might share about the region and what you might all be hoping to learn about the region through this monthly piece.

I would like to introduce the new NR Committee but first I think it more fitting to thank the outgoing President Dean Morzone and Treasurer Karen Dyer and a few others.

Firstly Karen, Karen has served on the committee for 6 years. So by my calculations this means soon after making Mackay and Australia her family's home, Karen stepped up to take a position on the NR Committee. Karen has a family and with her husband, together they operate two businesses. Over the past 12 months, even through the very difficult times for her family, Karen remained dedicated to the NR, continued being a pleasure to work with and her wit remained intact. Thanks Karen for your dedication to the NR.

And then there is Dean Morzone. Well, when I was a kid and going to tournaments and chatting with Dean Morzone (yes juniors, Dean and I were juniors once too!) I never thought we would work together to progress the NR and certainly had no clue that in 2018 we would share the greatest privilege to be part of the Northern Redbacks winning the 2018 Queensland State Championships after 16 years of Brisbane taking the title. What a great achievement by our juniors.

Dean has vision, commitment, inspiration and communication skills second to none. He is solution focussed and inclusive. Dean is a born leader. It has been the NR's good fortune he came on board as the NR President for the past 2 years.

Under Dean's presidency the standard of the junior tournament events in the region has been raised. Sponsorship packages were introduced, making it possible for clubs to suitably reward juniors for their hard work and participation in tournaments. Novice events were introduced to the junior tournaments and juniors who started in the novice events are now playing in the age events.

Doubles events are now a feature at all junior tournaments, giving our juniors experience that was previously lacking. The NR has successfully transitioned to the SportyHQ system.

The NR By-Laws have been reviewed. Dean cared for all the juniors and arranged for some who were struggling on the court to be supported. Dean is personally responsible for building a relationship between the NR and Dominos. Dean has also influenced the functioning of the NR due to his work on the QLD Board, most obviously due to his contribution to the current ranking policy. We can also not forget to mention Dean has the greatest speeches EVER!

I realise I have the biggest shoes of all time to fill. Thanks Dean, it has been my pleasure to serve as your deputy and as you take up the reigns at the Cairns Club as President, the NR thanks you and wishes you well. Of course we look forward to your continued support, as you will still be put to work within the region.

As I'm thanking the hard work and dedication of people to the NR, I must also thank



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Kim Schramm for this publication and also Karolyn Lawrence for years of time she has volunteered to building the NR brand and her contribution to organising the junior tournaments.

Kim and Karolyn have been working very hard together behind the scenes. Kim produces this very high quality newsletter each month and it is our opportunity to contribute our thoughts, stories, our achievements, share information with each other and to celebrate all things in regard to squash. I encourage everyone to please contact Kim and offer to contribute. Contributions do not have to be lengthy. It just takes a few paragraphs and some photos and Kim will do the rest. 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.

Karolyn Lawrence is our outgoing NR Ranker/Selector (Chairperson). Karolyn has been meticulous in being sure our juniors have been appropriately ranked within the state and region. Karolyn definitely left no stone unturned and was also always a strong advocate for the juniors in the wider arena when collaborating with her other regional counterparts. Karolyn also steered a very steady ship as we navigated the new ranking policy.

Karolyn has also been quietly working away in the background of our junior tournaments. Karolyn does lots of work with Kim Schramm to get promotional products created to recognise our sponsors. Karolyn updates the NR facebook and website. For most of the NR tournaments over the past 2 years Karolyn has done the most tedious and difficult job associated with organising tournaments and that is the scheduling of matches. Karolyn also weaved her way through the SportyHQ system to have the NR transition to this system. Karolyn never backs away from a challenge and managed to be on top of changes within the NR and changes that were bestowed upon the NR. Karolyn set a very high standard, made many great recommendations and contributed to building the NR brand.

So this brings me to introduce the new NR Committee:

President: Jules Wone

Vice President: Rob Fadaely

Treasurer: Moira McGovern

Secretary: Di Whitchurch

Selectors:

Kerry Mather (Chairperson) - Cairns

Scott Menta - Townsville

Tim Dann – Ingham

Player Representative: Courtney Mather

Court Centre Representative: Tim Dann

Thanks to Di, Scott and Tim for your continued support on the committee this year. Welcome to our new members Rob, Moira and Kerry.

We will need some helpers as we have a lot to do in the NR in the coming 12 months. My thoughts are we need to focus on participation, particularly the u/9 and u/11 and



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girls in the older age groups. We need to build the capacity of our coaches in the region and we need to focus on bringing funding into the region. Grants are a vital sources of funding and we need to tap into this. I continue to wonder about how to attract a major sponsor for the Northern Redbacks. We also need to focus on the general squash population and the master's players.

The committee would like to hear from everyone with thoughts and solutions about how to improve the NR and how to address the concerns within the region. We also need people to come forward with skills and a willingness to get involved. We need people in IT, grant writing experience and in promotions. Every club needs more volunteers to support tournaments, following up sponsors and to keep every day activity and functions such as fixtures and coaching up and running. As Dean has said for 2 years "too few are doing too much". More people need to get involved and work together to build the region.

2019 Q Squash AGM

Date: Saturday 23 March 2019 Time: 9.30am

Place: Griffith University, Nathan QLD 4111.

If you are interested to nominate for a Q Squash Board position please contact me immediately to discuss your nomination.

AFFILIATION IS DUE

Affiliation fees are now due for 2019: \$73 for a full 1 year; or \$44 for seasonal (6 months). Please remember affiliation comes with all sorts of benefits – especially personal insurance with participating in the game or related activity. Affiliation is compulsory for all juniors to compete in the NR Junior tournaments and in the State and National Championships. Affiliation status will be checked prior to all 2019 NR Junior Squash Championships.

Please note players living in Mackay, Townsville, Ingham and Cairns and all areas in between along the coast are not considered remote and do not qualify for the Remote Member Registration.

RANKINGS

The next state junior rankings will be published (I hope) on 1 April 2019.

The State rankings and associated combined seedings will be relied upon by the NR tournament hosts to set draws. Timely appeals will be essential. 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.



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BY-LAWS

At the AGM a draft of the amended NR By-Laws was discussed and the changes have been made and the updated By-Laws are included in this newsletter. This will be discussed at the next committee meeting at the 2019 Townsville Junior Championships. The major amendments are shown in red.

NR JUNIOR TOURNAMENTS

Get ready for the balance of the 2019 Northern Region Junior tournament series:

Townsville BRONZE	16-17 March 2019	Dalrymple Squash Centre 330 Bayswater Rd, Garbutt QLD 4814 dalrymplesquashcentre.com.au
Mackay Compulsory Qualifier SILVER	4-5 May 2019	Mackay Leisure Centre 95 Broadsound Rd, Paget QLD 4740 mackayleisurecentre.com.au

The NR Committee will soon be calling for clubs to provide their expression of interest for the 2020 Junior Tournaments.

QUEENSLAND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS (QJC)

The 2019 Queensland Junior Championships are being played at the Daisy Hill Squash and Racquet Club in Brisbane.

Individual Events:

Commences: Sunday 30 June 2019
Finishes: Wednesday 3 July 2019

Team Events:

Commences: Friday 5 July 2019
Finishes: Sunday 7 July 2019

Presentation Dinner: Wednesday 3 July 2019
Rest day: Thursday 4 July 2019

To assist with NR planning please register your intention to stay with the NR and apply for the manager, coaches and house parent positions by completing the form at this link: [Bit.ly/2TZBtLR](https://bit.ly/2TZBtLR) This form will be available until the 24 March 2019.

ESTIMATED COSTS to stay with the NR: \$55/day/person. This includes 3 x meals daily and accommodation. No transport included.

If you do not complete the form and do not make contact with the NR committee, it will be assumed you and your child/ren do not intend to access the NR accommodation at the 2019 QJC.



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SPORTYHQ

Squash Australia (SA) has advised SA will cover subscription cost for affiliated clubs. Please do not pay for any SportyHQ subscriptions prior to discussing your clubs status and encourage all your club members to pay their affiliations to take advantage of this. In regard to SportyHQ, SA announced a number of other improvements are coming to provide a better user experience and there will be 6 monthly updates.

As this edition goes to publication we will be gearing up for the 2019 Townsville Junior Championships. I look forward to seeing you all in Townsville. Please drive carefully and good luck on the court and as usual we will have a fun Saturday night with pizzas provided by the NR and Dominos.

Keep Squash Fun!

Jules Wone
President

2019 MAJOR JUNIOR EVENTS

Apr 11-12	Trans Tasman Test Series	Auckland NZ
Apr 13-16	Oceania Junior Championships	Auckland NZ
Apr 18-21	Australian Junior Open Championships	Thornleigh, Sydney
Sep 28-Oct 1	Australian Junior Closed Championship	Devonport, Tasmania
Oct 3-6	Australian Junior Teams Championship	Devonport, Tasmania

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NR Redbacks Qualifier 2019 #3

16-17 MARCH 2019



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Cairns Junior Championships

Tournament Director Steve Finitis Reports

The 2019 Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Squash Championships were held on the 16th-17th of February.

Sportsworld Fitness Centre in Cairns hosted the 2nd NR Tournament of the 2019 season. The Tournament attracted players from Mackay, Townsville, Ingham, Innisfail, Cairns and Papua New Guinea.

All the games were played in great spirit with the players showcasing a high level of squash along with fantastic attitudes on and off the court.

It was wonderful to see two Novice events and quite a few players, playing their first ever Junior Tournament. It is also great to see past novice players making the leap to playing age events.

The final couple of hours on Saturday was a fun Mixed Doubles Event with 7 teams playing in a round robin timed event. The age events were also hotly contested and seems everyone is playing very hard to make the Redback team to compete at the QJC.

A big thank you must go to the Major Platinum Sponsor Meglin Rathnasamy of Smithfield Dental and all the other sponsors who made generous contributions to make this tournament possible.

To the NR Committee and Parents that helped out before, during and after the event ... Thank You ... your time and support was very much appreciated.

A special thanks to Jules Wone for all that you do.

63 players contested the 9 main age group events on offer. Kurstyn Mather was the star of the show winning two events (U17 & U19 Girls).

U9 & U11 Mixed	Michael Lawrence	Hayley Menta	Aiden Stroud
U13 Boys	Francis Morove	Michael Lawrence	Liam Fascetti
U15 Boys	Josh Porter	Matthew Finitis	Matthew Brazier
U17 Boys	Josh Penfold	Wes Dyer	Kyle Hoani-Vincent
U19 Boys	Wes Dyer	Josh Penfold	Chris Whitchurch
U13 Girls	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	Ally Rhodes	Hannah O'Toole
U15 Girls	Kiara Stubley	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	Charlotte Erba
U17 Girls	Kurstyn Mather	Sophie Fadaely	Kiara Stubley
U19 Girls	Kurstyn Mather	Sophie Fadaely	Amy Condon



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Cairns Junior Presentations

Dean Morzone and Steve Finitsis made the presentations.
Photos courtesy of Kerry Mather.



U11B Michael Lawrence



U11G Hayley Menta & Teneille Lambert



U13B Sponsor Dan Carmody, Liam Fascetti,
Francis Morove & Michael Lawrence



U13G Sponsor Dan Carmody, Sarah Brazier,
Kayce Hoani-Vincent & Ally Rhodes



U15B Matt Brazier, Josh Porter, Sponsor
Josh McDiarmid & Matthew Finitsis



U15G Sponsor Josh McDiarmid,
Kayce Hoani-Vincent, Kiara Stubley &
Ally Rhodes



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U17B Sponsor Meglin Rathnasamy, Kyle Hoani-Vincent, Josh Penfold, & Wes Dyer



U17G Sponsor Meglin Rathnasamy, Sophie Fadaely, Kurstyn Mather, Kiara Stubley & Amy Condon



U19B Kyle Hoani-Vincent, Chris Whitchurch, Josh Penfold, Sean Julius-Wright, Sponsor Meglin Rathnasamy & Wes Dyer



U19G Sponsor Meglin Rathnasamy, Sophie Fadaely, Kurstyn Mather, Amy Condon & Caitlin Porter



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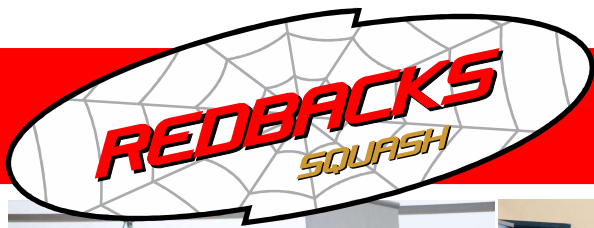
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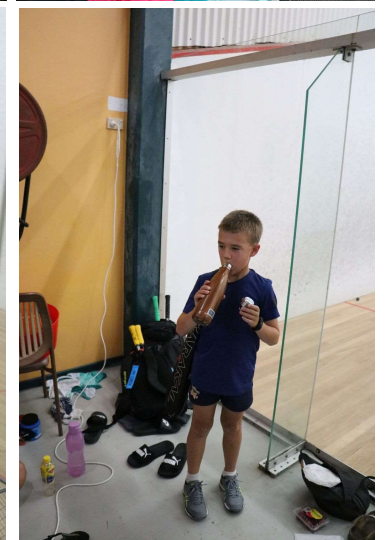
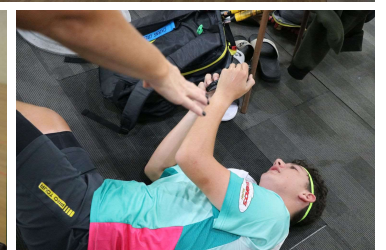
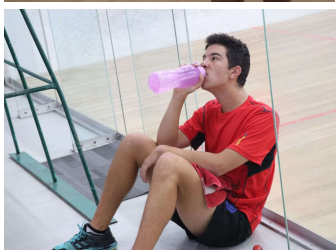
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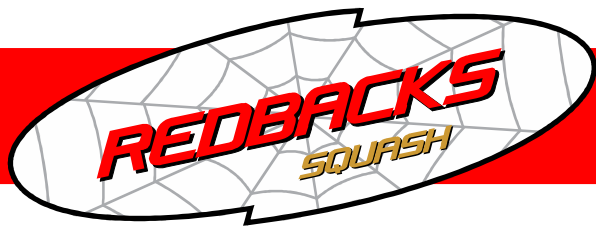


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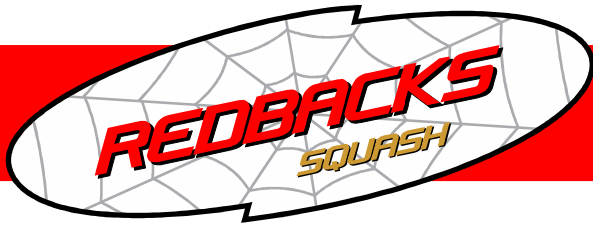
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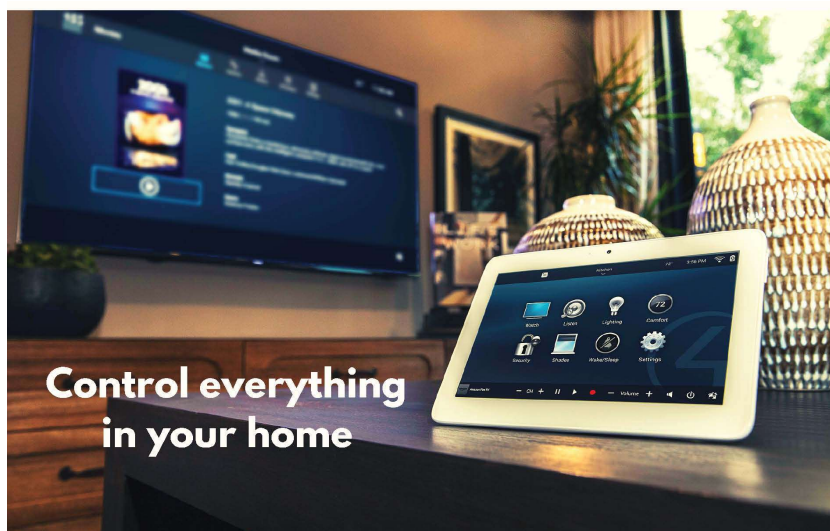
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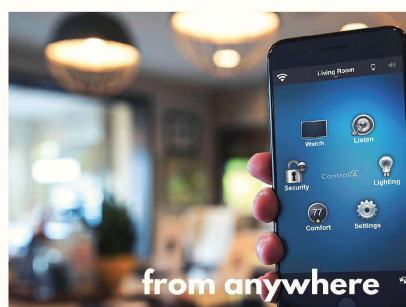
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Cairns Junior Squash has started doing this and it has been simple to place some recycle bins in the centre and have someone deliver the recycling once a week to the collection centre. The registration was done online and was very easy and quick. The recycle centre counts up the containers and deposits the money directly into the junior bank account.

Here is the web address for more information, including where recycling can be dropped off:
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Contacts for anyone wanting more information:
Rob Fadaely 0403 962 289 and
Jules Wone 0400 450 298.





Progressing from Region to State to National

Play in the
Ingham Qualifier
*Strive for selection in
the 2019 Redbacks
Team*



20-21 OCT
*Entries Close
5/10/18*

Are you **Under 19 years of age and love Squash?**

*Do you want to improve, test your skills against others your own age,
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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*



**COMPULSORY
16-17 FEB**
*Entries
Close
1/2/19*

Play in the
Cairns Qualifier

*Keep striving for
selection in the 2019
Redbacks Team*



**Dalrymple
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.
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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
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after this event.*



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**COMPULSORY
4-5 MAY**
*Entries Close
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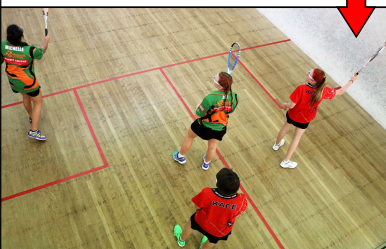
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2019 A&L SMASH REPAIRS NORTHERN REGION JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

NR Redbacks Compulsory Qualifier 2019 #4

4-5 MAY 2019



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Age & Novice Events + Doubles

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Mackay Squash Club

Susan Palmer Reports:

"Play for Kay" is a yearly event in remembrance of **Kay Barclay**. It is played February each year and this year it was held on Saturday 23rd February.

It was fantastic to see most of the juniors and some adults having a playful hit around on the courts. The atmosphere was electric and certainly very noisy. Some of the older juniors, took a moment to themselves sitting quietly in the training area where Kay used to instruct and impart her vast wisdom.

If Kay were present for the event, she would have been tickled pink with the new and upcoming juniors of the Mackay Squash Club. Hands down to Kayce Hoani-Vincent, who wore the best pink outfit, she was really decked out!

On the day we raised \$310. People who couldn't make it, have said they would like to donate some money to the cause. Best of all the Mackay Leisure Centre kindly and proudly donated court hire for the day so all nomination fees will be going directly to the Mackay Cancer Council.

Juniors that made it on the day were Hayley, Kyle, Kayce, Courtney, Henry, Shana, Jackson, Dylan, Braydon, Payton, Miller, Quinn, Sam, Max, Seun, Dylan and Lachie to name a few. Hope to see more people on the courts next year.



Mini Junior Tournament Schedule for 2019

30th March **Autumn #1**

27th April **Autumn #2**

8th June **Winter #1**

17th August **Winter #2**

7th September **Spring #1**

16th November **Spring #2**

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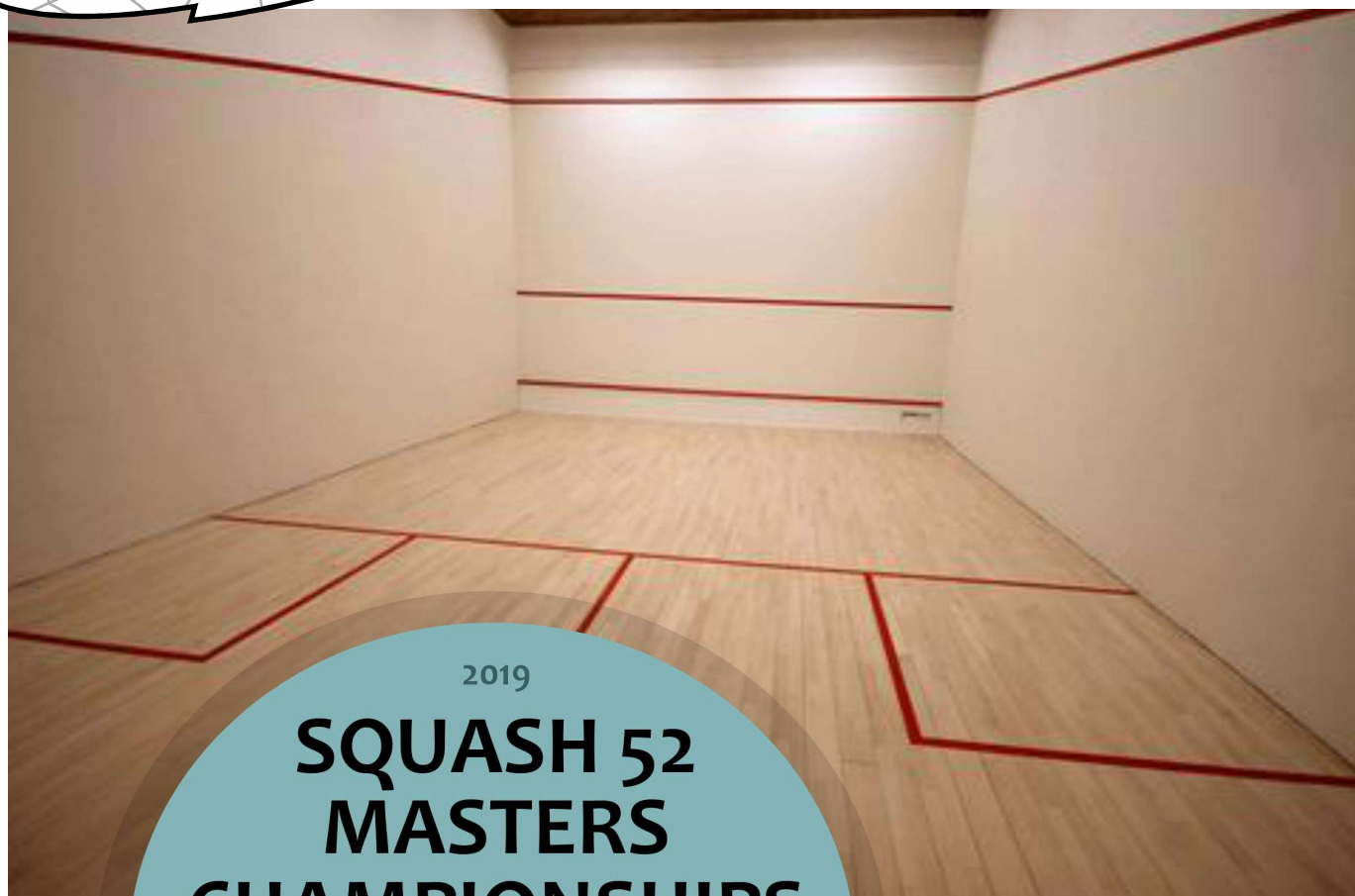
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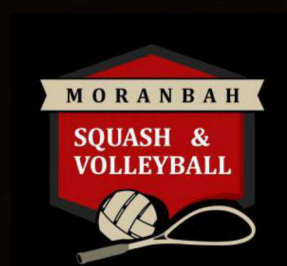
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2018 REDSTAR AWARDS



Our aim is to recognise as many NR juniors as we can with the **RedStar** Performance Recognition System. **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 2018 it is still a 2019 qualifier so the results from that event will contribute to the **2019 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.



2019 REDSTAR AWARDS

The Northern Region Player of the Year will be announced in the December 2019 edition



ACHIEVEMENT AWARD					
	Pts	Cairns		Ingham	
Sophie Fadaely	9	Q17-2	Q19-2	Q15-1	Q19-2
Kurstyn Mather	9	Q17-1	Q19-1	Q19-1	
Michael Lawrence	8	U13-2		Q11-1	Q13-1
Matthew Finitsis	7	U15-2		Q15-1	Q17-2
Kiara Stublely	7	Q15-1	Q17-3	U15-2	U19-3
Jordan DiBella	6			Q17-1	Q19-1
Wes Dyer	5	Q17-2	Q19-1		
Kayce Hoani-Vincent	5	Q13-1	U15-2		
Miller Douglas	3			Q9-1	
Payton Douglas	3			Q13-1	
Hayley Menta	3	U11-1			
Francis Morove	3	Q13-1			
Josh Porter	3	Q15-1			

ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD					
	Pts	Cairns		Ingham	
Liam Fascetti	5	U13-3		U11-2	U13-2
Ally Rhodes	4	U13-2		U13-2	
Xavier Morzone	3			U17-3	U19-2
Amy Condon	2	U19-3		U15-3	
Lachlan Erba	2			U15-2	
Teneille Lambert	2	U11-2			
Hannah O'Toole	2	U13-3		U13-3	
Guvir Singh	2			U9-2	
Matthew Brazier	1	U15-3			
Quinn Douglas	1			U11-3	
Charlotte Erba	1	U13-3			
Alex Fox	1			U19-3	
Tyler Harris	1			U15-3	
Kyle Hoani-Vincent	1	U17-3			
Shareif Kabay	1			U13-3	
Chris Whitchurch	1	U19-3			



NR JUNIOR RANKINGS

Rankings as at **1st February 2019.**

Extracted from the Queensland Rankings

U11 Boys

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

U13 Boys

- | | |
|------------------|---|
| 1 Francis Morove | C |
|------------------|---|

U15 Boys

- | | |
|--------------------|---|
| 1 Matthew Finitsis | F |
| 2 Josh Porter | C |
| 3 Matthew Brazier | M |
| 4 Lachlan Erba | I |

U17 Boys

- | | |
|----------------------|---|
| 1 Wes Dyer | M |
| 2 Josh Porter | C |
| 3 BJ MacDonald | M |
| 4 Jordan DiBella | I |
| 5 Sean Julius-Wright | C |

U19 Boys

- | | |
|-----------------|---|
| 1 Brad Martin | T |
| 2 Brody DiBella | I |
| 3 Jake Webb | M |
| 4 Anthony Bush | C |



Josh Porter



Hayley Menta

U11 Girls

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

U13 Girls

- | | |
|-----------------------|---|
| 1 Kayce Hoani-Vincent | M |
| 2 Sarah Brazier | M |

U15 Girls

- | | |
|------------------|---|
| 1 Kiara Stubley | C |
| 2 Amy Condon | C |
| 3 Shantelle Ale | C |
| 4 Payton Douglas | M |
| 5 | |

U17 Girls

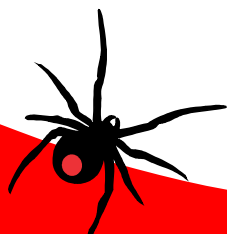
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| 1 Kurstyn Mather | C |
| 2 Hayley Hankinson | M |
| 3 Sophie Fadaely | C |
| 4 Caitlin Porter | C |

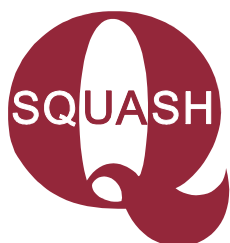
U19 Girls

- | | |
|----------------------|---|
| 1 Courtney Mather | C |
| 2 Danielle Hankinson | M |
| 3 Kaci Newman | I |

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

Next ranking determination
due on **1st April 2019**





State Junior Rankings - **Top 5**

Next ranking
determination
due on **1st**
April 2019

Rankings as at 1st February 2019

U11 Boys			U13 Boys			U15 Boys		
1	Michael Lawrence	NR	Zane Wolpers	BR		Matthew Finitzis	NR	
2	Nickolai Wolpers	BR	Jack Hansen	BR		Josh Porter	NR	
3	Liam Fascetti	NR	Joshua Rahul Raj	BR		Matthew Brazier	NR	
4	Flynn Bartlett	SR	Francis Morove	NR		Ben Murray	BR	
5	Quinn Douglas	NR	Deeptangsu Maitra	BR		Andrew Palmer	SR	

U17 Boys		
1	Wes Dyer	NR
2	Josh Penfold	SR
3	Luke Eyles	BR
4	BJ MacDonald	NR
5	Declan Cashman	BR



Liam Fascetti

U19 Boys		
	David Turner	CR
	Cameron Darton	SR
	Lachlan Michel	BR
	Brad Martin	NR
	Oskar Deacon	BR

U11 Girls		
1	Orla Clarke	BR
2	Sarbani Maitra	BR
3	Hayley Menta	NR
4	Alexandra Millan	CR
5	Teneille Lambert	NR

U13 Girls		
	Kayce Hoani-Vincent	NR
	Elaine Cheung	BR
	Caitlin Clarke	BR
	Sarah Brazier	NR
	Shana Gao	SR

U15 Girls		
1	Madison Lyon	BR
2	Kiara Stubley	NR
3	Shona Coxsedg	SR
4	Amy Condon	NR
5	Shantelle Ale	NR

U17 Girls		
	Katie Davies	BR
	Kurstyn Mather	NR
	Hayley Hankinson	NR
	Ella Burge	BR
	Ariel Lyon	BR

U19 Girls		
	Courtney Mather	NR
	Mackenzie Sleep	BR
	Karissa Barclay	SR
	Lauren Stieler	SR
	Tasmin Swan	SR



Kurstyn Mather



Michael Lawrence



Amy Condon

National Junior Rankings - **Top 5**

Rankings as at 1st March 2019

U11 Boys		U13 Boys		U15 Boys	
1	Eric Marsh WA	Aryan Madan SA		Oscar Curtis WA	
2	Aiden Finlay-Mulligan SA	Joshua Rahul Raj QLD		Dylan Classen WA	
3	Jay McTavish SA	Zane Wolpers QLD		Andre Lynn VIC	
4	Lachlan Mann SA	Pranay Bhutani VIC		Ben Murray QLD	
5	Nickolai Wolpers QLD	Jack Hansen QLD		Daniel Marsh WA	
U17 Boys		 <p><i>Wes Dyer</i></p>		U19 Boys	
1	Dylan Molinaro VIC			Jack Hudson TAS	
2	Josh Penfold QLD			Sam Sergo NSW	
3	Connor Manzie NT			Abel Jin WA	
4	Remi Young WA			Toby Moore TAS	
5	Wes Dyer QLD			Jacob Ford NSW	
U11 Girls		U13 Girls		U15 Girls	
1	Orla Clarke QLD	Isla Harris WA		Erin Classen WA	
2	Sarbani Maitra QLD	Maja Maziuk NSW		Maggie Goodman NSW	
3	Kiara Ward ACT	Dakshyani Muniandy SA		Courtney Scholtz VIC	
4	Maxine Salter WA	Elaine Cheung QLD		Caitlin Pratt WA	
5	Hayley Hegazy VIC	Joanne Joseph VIC		Tanai O'Brien NSW	
U17 Girls		U19 Girls			
Katie Davies QLD		Alex Haydon SA			
Michaela Pratt WA		Courtney Mather QLD			
Ella Burge QLD		Anna Goodman NSW			
Eishaanii Sukunesan VIC		Pascale Louka WA			
Georgia Lane NSW		Kiara Chen ACT			

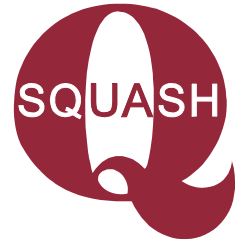




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Q Squash Club Registration - See Note 2 - \$250 per year

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.

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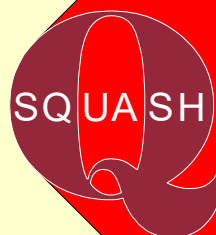


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BY-LAWS OF Q SQUASH NORTHERN REGION INC.

DANGEROUS PLAY

1. The powers of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and the Northern Region Committee are as follows:
 - (a) Members may warn players for what is considered dangerous and unfair play.
 - (b) The Region may suspend players who fail to heed such warnings.
 - (c) Members may intervene when it is considered that referees and or markers are not correctly enforcing the rules, except where the referee and/or marker is a qualified member for the Queensland Referees Association.

INTERPRETATION OF THE BY-LAWS

2. The Northern Region Executive Committee shall decide any question arising as to the interpretation or construction of these by laws.

PENALTIES FOR BREACH OF THE BY-LAWS

3. The Committee shall have the power to impose penalties for the breach of all or any of these by-laws, including using any Q Squash disciplinary and tribunal procedure, and powers under the constitution, which may result in termination of membership of Northern Region.

APPEALS

4. Appeals against any Committee decision within the ambit of the By-Laws must be made in writing and be in the hands of the Secretary of Northern Region Inc within 14 days of the notification of the decision.

NORTHERN REGION CLOSED TITLES ELIGIBILITY AND SELECTION CRITERIA.

5. Juniors and Seniors who are affiliated with the Region are eligible to play in the Northern Region Closed Championships.
6. Juniors wishing to represent the Region in the U11, U13, U15, U17 & U19 Boys and Girls MUST play in the Closed Championships unless exempted by the committee.
7. Juniors playing in the Closed Championships must to be under the age as at the completion of the Compulsory tournament to win the Northern Region Perpetual Trophy for their age group. This date will vary year to year depending on the date set for this tournament.

THE SELECTION SERIES FOR NORTHERN REGION STARTS 1st JUNE THE CURRENT YEAR.

8. To be eligible for an age group juniors have to be under the age as at the completion of the QJC Teams Event in the upcoming year. The date will vary each year due to the school holidays.
9. Players must be affiliated (or subject of mutual recognition) and play in two nominated compulsory qualifying tournaments and at least one non-compulsory tournament, to be eligible for selection for the Redbacks Team to represent Northern Region unless exempted by the committee.
10. Exemption is at the sole discretion of the committee if the player shows in writing exceptional circumstances, including senior school and university exams; international and national squash representation; death or critical illness or critical injury of an immediate relative; and incapacity from playing due to serious illness or injury (evidenced by a medical report identifying the condition, severity and period of incapacity). Work is not considered an exceptional circumstance.

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11. Favourable consideration will be given to players who show a continuing commitment by playing fixtures, competing in Northern Region and other tournaments (including any non-compulsory events), and compete in the Northern Region Closed Championships. Talented players who relocate out of the Region for higher competition and training may represent their Region of Birth in compliance with the Q Squash policies.

CONDITIONS OF PLAY.

12. All matches will be played in accordance with the rules as adopted by the International Squash Rackets Federation or when modified from time to time by these by laws

VENUE FOR JUNIOR QUALIFYING TOURNAMENTS AND NORTHERN REGION CLOSED

13. The dates and venues for the Northern Region qualifying tournaments and closed championships will be determined by the committee each year, but the following will be the default sequence: First qualifier Ingham August/October Second qualifier (Compulsory) Mackay February Third qualifier Townsville March Northern Region Closed (Compulsory) Cairns May
14. The Secretary will seek expressions of interest from affiliated centres and clubs in each host area.

RESPONSIBILITY OF HOST CENTRE & CLUB

15. The responsibilities of host centres and clubs will be determined by the committee, and each host must sign and comply with the requirements agreed between the hosts and the Northern Region.
16. Generally, the centres hosting the qualifying tournaments are responsible for supply of trophies, Balls, and Entry Forms and must provide its members to help with the running of the tournament. The host centre and club must also obtain sponsorship for tournament administration, prizes and trophies, account to Northern Region for any levy, and dedicate any surplus to junior development.
17. The hosts centres will also facilitate the Northern Region raffle at each qualifying tournaments to help fund sending officials with the team to Queensland Junior Championships and other major events.
18. Hosts of the Northern Region Closed Championships will receive payment of court hire and balls from entries and supplemented by Northern Region.
19. Tournament hosts must seed players for Regional Junior Selection Series Events in accordance with the Q Squash combined seedings. Failure to do so may result in the results being excluded from ranking at the discretion of the Q Squash Board.
20. Tournament hosts must administer the tournament using the same system adopted by Q Squash, and ensure all event results are accurately recorded in the State system and available for the selection committee and chairperson within seven (7) days of completion of the tournament for selection and ranking purposes.

ENTRY FEE

21. Each year the committee will decide on the cost of entries for the current year, including levy for each player in the graded/novice events and each player in the age events will be charged by Northern Region for administration and travelling officials. These must remain the same for all tournaments in the season.
22. The Northern Region committee will determine a levy to be charged per entry to be ratified at the Annual General Meeting. The levy will be applied to assist players, coaches, managers and officials travelling on behalf of Northern Region to the Queensland Junior Championships and other major events as determined by the committee.

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NORTHERN REGION SELECTION COMMITTEE.

23. Three (3) Selectors are appointed by Northern Region Committee **with a preference of each from different areas.** The Selection Committee will decide representative teams members on results obtained from all tournaments in the current year. The criteria to apply for position of selector being – Current Blue Card, knowledge of the sport, have an intimate knowledge of the current standard of each player, be prepared to attend the qualifying tournaments, be aware of any inconsistent results, and **must** be totally unbiased.
24. The Chairperson has the casting vote for any unresolved issues and is also responsible to be the Q Squash Northern Region representative **on Q Squash ranking committee and carry out the duties required by the Q Squash Ranking Policy, including** applying the Policy to decide and update regional rankings, combined seedings, and State Rankings within 14 days of each Northern Region tournament.

NORTHERN REGION TEAM SELECTION.

25. **A valid Team Member is generally a player who resides in Northern Region permanently, is affiliated with Q Squash, and has competed in the necessary qualifying tournaments unless exempted by the committee. Players who change residency within 3 months prior to the QJC will have the option to play for the Region of their choosing.**
26. **Players wishing to play the qualifiers for selection in the Redbacks Team must be under the age as at the completion of the QJC Teams Event. A player who has turned 19 is eligible to represent the Region in any Senior Representative Team.**
27. The top four players selected in boys and girls, providing they have satisfied the selection criteria will be chosen to represent Northern Region from their overall results. Players must compete in their own eligible age group as first option.
28. Players may compete in an additional age group. It is recommended that they compete in the next highest age group or if they wish to represent the Region, they should strive to compete in the two age groups in which they are eligible for selection.

For example a player already competing in the 15 year age group may compete in the 17 year age group to enhance their chance of selection.

29. When selecting the Northern Region Team the Selectors will focus mainly on the results achieved within the player's own eligible age group. However, a player may be selected to represent Northern Region in a higher age group if necessary.
30. **Players selected to represent the Northern Region, and associated responsible adults, must sign and comply with the code of conduct and accommodation rules relevant to the event.**

TEAM UNIFORMS

31. The Northern Region Representative Teams will be known as NORTHERN REDBACKS. Specified uniform must be worn during any teams event. Only members of a team representing the Region is entitled to order the Team Uniform. The Travel Shirt may be purchased by anyone wishing to do so, in order to support the Region.

AFFILIATION

32. **Players, clubs and centres must maintain current affiliation with Q Squash. Only affiliated players will be eligible to compete, and only affiliated centres and clubs are eligible to host, northern region qualifying tournaments, northern region closed championships, Queensland Junior Championships or Queensland open.**

PLAYERS RISK

33. It is compulsory for Juniors under 19 to wear protective Eyewear and also for Seniors playing Doubles. **Juniors**

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under 13 years of age must wear a mouth guard when playing doubles.

ACCOMODATION FOR REPRESENTATIVE TEAM.

34. When travelling to the QJC it is preferred that team members stay at the Northern Region booked accommodation for the duration of the individual tournament, but it is compulsory for team members to stay at the Northern Region booked accommodation for the duration of the teams event.
35. Absolutely NO ONE outside Northern Region will be allowed to stay overnight and any visitors to the accommodation must be approved by the Team Manager. Players wishing to leave the Officials care on the free day must give Northern Region written permission from a parent.
36. Accommodated players, and associated responsible adults, must sign and comply with the code of conduct and accommodation rules relevant to the event.

COACHES & OFFICIALS FOR QJC.

37. Position for coaches to travel with the Northern Redbacks team will be advertised and appointment made by the Northern Region committee on receipt of resumes.
38. Minimum requirements will be – holding a current blue card, be an accredited Level 1 coach or higher, been working with juniors 9 – 19 age group in the current year, be available for the duration of the individual and teams event plus any other criteria deemed necessary by the executive of Q Squash Northern Region Inc.
39. A member of the Q Squash Northern Region Inc. executive, or its nominee, is to be appointed as a representative to attend the Q Squash Ltd Annual General Meeting as spokesperson for the Region and be available for election to the Board of Q Squash Ltd. This representative is appointed at the Annual General Meeting of Q Squash Northern Region Inc. each year.
40. The committee will determine the nature and extent of any subsidy for costs of travel, accommodation and meals of coaches, managers and officials travelling on behalf of Northern Region to the Queensland Junior Championships and other major events.

RANKINGS

Eligibility, determination and appeal in relation to rankings and seedlings will be in accordance with the relevant Q Squash Ranking Policy.

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