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CRAIG STEWART



*Aussie World Doubles Champions  
Donna Lobban & Cameron Pilley*

Just a reminder ... the ASP Newsletter has moved to a Quarterly Edition. The publication will move back to a monthly production when there is sufficient "Aussie" action to warrant a more regular publication.

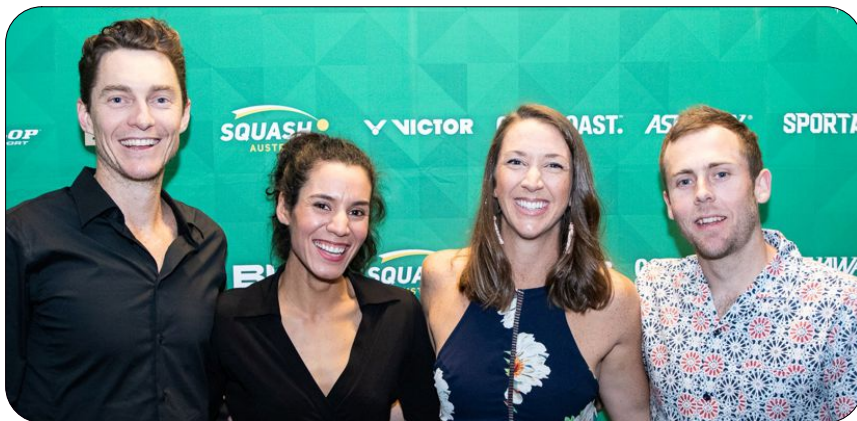
It was disappointing to see only 4 PSA events on the Aussie Tour last quarter. Congratulations and thank you to those promoters who accepted the challenge of delivering these events in 2019 despite the risk and the sometimes difficult task of finding sponsors and/or raising funds.

Our only success during the 2nd quarter was **Jessica Turnbull** who won the Squash MS Sandgate Open (Tour 5). She was also the runner up at the Golden Open in Kalgoorlie.

Only one Aussie did well overseas in the last quarter. Well done to **Rex Hedrick** for winning the NZ International Classic (Tour 10) in Palmerston North.

I'm going to say it again **C'mon Australia ... let's build a Tour of Significance!** So far in 6 months in Australia we have had 5 Tour 5 events: 3 mens and 2 womens!

CONGRATULATIONS to World Doubles Champions: **Cameron Pilley, Christine Nunn, Donna Lobban and Ryan Cuskelly.**



Without taking anything away from your fantastic wins, because all you can do is beat the opposition you face, but the depth and quality of the fields at this year's WDC were disappointing.

There were 10 teams in the Men's Doubles, 7 in the Mixed Doubles and 5 in the Women's Doubles. Of the 22 teams 9 were

Australian and we won 3 Gold, 3 Silver and 2 Bronze medals.

In comparison the 2016 World Doubles in Darwin attracted 11 Mixed Teams, 10 Men's Teams and 8 Women's Teams. Of the total 29 teams there were 6 Aussie teams. On that occasion we won 2 Silver and 2 Bronze medals.

Congratulations also to Ryan Cuskelly and Donna Lobban for winning your respective titles the ANC. Also, Donna Lobban won the Senior Athlete of the Year at the Squash Australia Squash Awards. Well done Donna ... you thoroughly deserve such recognition.

Finally, thank you to Craig Stewart for all your wonderful photos.





# WORLD RANKINGS



## WORLD RANKINGS 1 JULY 2019

### Australian Squash Players



	TM	LM	HR	WHEN		TM	LM	HR	WHEN
Ryan Cuskelly	20	20	12	Mar-17	Rachael Grinham	26	27	1	Aug-04
Cameron Pilley	36	36	11	Jan-11	Sarah Cardwell	59	62	41	Feb-17
Rex Hedrick	65	68	48	Sep-18	Christine Nunn	64	65	36	Jul-16
Nicholas Calvert	186	195	186	Jul-19	Donna Lobban	65	66	13	May-11
Thomas Calvert	204	197	155	Dec-17	Jessica Turnbull	70	69	68	Jan-19
Alex Eustace	208	203	160	Oct-18	Selena Shaikh	114	130	94	Sep-15
Joseph White	213	206	206	Jun-19	Taylor Flavell	123	112	91	Jan-18
David Ilich	220	211	210	Jan-19	Shehana Vithana	135	145	119	Oct-18
Rohan Toole	227	226	209	Apr-17	Tamika Saxby	137	124	48	Nov-17
Courtney West	264	278	218	Feb-12	Maria Kalafatis	158	167	158	Jul-19
Lachlan Coxsedg	281	275	260	Nov-18	Courtney Mather	168	169	168	Jul-19
Zac Alexander	302	297	36	Sep-12	Trace Johnson	171	178	163	Mar-19
Rhys Dowling	316	407	93	Feb-18	Alex Haydon	202	218	202	Jan-19
Jason Turner	325	314	257	Aug-17	Jessica Osborne	213	213	164	Nov-18
Shahzad Khan	359	351	297	Nov-17	Katie Davies	235	244	235	Jul-19
Damon MacMillan	381	407	381	Jul-19					
Tim Cowell	385	362	178	Feb-13					
Ethan Eyles	392	404	392	Jul-19					
Sam Ejtemai	399	384	302	Feb-14					
Benjamin Ratcliffe	409	402	338	Jan-19					
Jacob Ford	409	425	363	Feb-18					
Tye Harland	461	512	365	Jul-15					
Ben Courtice	526	579	333	Jan-16					
Bj Macdonald	550	579	475	Jan-19					
David Turner	550	-	550	Jul-19					
Dylan Molinaro	550	579	550	Jul-19					
Jack Hudson	550	579	550	Jul-19					



All Australian PSA players are listed.

**Rex Hedrick** beat Kiwi Evan Williams 3-1 to capture the NZ International Classic (Tour 10). Malaysian Wen Li Lai won the Ladies crown (Tour 5).



# WORLD RANKINGS



## NEW CAREER HIGHS IN 2019-Q2



Nicholas Calvert	186	Jul-19
Joseph White	206	Jun-19
Damon MacMillan	381	Jul-19
Ethan Eyles	392	Jul-19
David Turner	550	Jul-19
Dylan Molinaro	550	Jul-19
Jack Hudson	550	Jul-19

Maria Kalafatis	158	Jul-19
Courtney Mather	168	Jul-19
Katie Davies	235	Jul-19



## 2019 CALENDAR

**PSA** CHALLENGER TOUR

### 2019 PSA CALENDAR as at 21/7/19

JUL	3		7	P	MC10 WC10	Australian Open Bega
JUL	12		14	P	MC10 W Closed	Tasmanian Open Devonport
AUG	1		4	P	MC5 WC5	City of Greater Bendigo International Open Bendigo
AUG	9		11	P	MC5 WC5	Steel City South Australian Open Whyalla
AUG	14		18	P	MC5 XXX	City of Greater Shepparton International Open Shepparton
AUG	22		25	P	MC5 WC5	Roberts & Morrow North Coast Open Coffs Harbour
OCT	2		6	P	MC20 WC10	Squash Melbourne Open Moorabbin, Melbourne
OCT	31	NOV	3	P	MC5 WC5	Queensland Open Redcliffe PCYC
NOV	7		10	P	MC5 WC5	Pacific Toyota Cairns International Sportsworld Cairns

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# OUR STARS



PSA Matches played during **the 2nd Quarter of 2019**  
by our **Top 10 players**



## ***Ryan Cuskelly: Aussie #1***

## ***Cameron Pilley: Aussie #2***

May-19	Lucas Serme	L	R1	British Open	7-11, 7-11, 4-11 (38m)
Apr-19	Ali Farag	L	R2	El Gouna International Open	12-14, 7-11, 11-9, 6-11 (54m)
Apr-19	Mazen Gamal	W	R1	El Gouna International Open	11-1, 11-4, 6-11, 11-5 (38m)
Apr-19	James Willstrop	L	R1	DPD Open	11-6, 7-11, 11-8, 9-11, 5-11 (65m)

## ***Rex Hedrick: Aussie #3***

Jun-19	Victor Crouin	L	F	Victorian Open	2-11, 4-11, 2-11 (36m)
Jun-19	Roshan Bharos	W	SF	Victorian Open	11-5, 11-4, 11-2 (48m)
Jun-19	Bryan Lim Tze Kang	W	QF	Victorian Open	11-6, 11-3, 11-8 (25m)
Jun-19	Zac Alexander	W	R1	Victorian Open	11-3, 5-4 ret. (12m)
Jun-19	Evan Williams	W	F	NZ International Classic	7-11, 11-6, 12-10, 11-7
Jun-19	Sean Conroy	W	SF	NZ International Classic	8-11, 11-4, 11-3, 11-3 (49m)
Jun-19	Lwamba Chileshe	W	QF	NZ International Classic	11-8, 11-5, 11-3 (33m)
Jun-19	Gabe Yam	W	R2	NZ International Classic	11-4, 11-3, 11-3 (26m)

## ***Nick Calvert: Aussie #4***

Jun-19	Victor Crouin	L	QF	Victorian Open	6-11, 3-11, 3-11 (33m)
Jun-19	Alex Eustace	W	R1	Victorian Open	8-11, 2-11, 11-8, 11-4, 12-10 (70m)
Jun-19	Lwamba Chileshe	L	R2	NZ International Classic	11-13, 11-6, 5-11, 10-12 (45m)
Jun-19	Darren Chan	L	R2	Golden Open	11-9, 7-11, 7-11, 3-11 (44m)
Apr-19	Amir Amirul	L	R2	SRAM PSA 2	8-11, 9-11, 13-11, 9-11
Apr-19	Duncan Lee	L	R2	SRAM PSA 1	8-11, 5-11, 5-11 (32m)

## ***Tom Calvert: Aussie #5***

Jun-19	Darren Chan	L	R1	Victorian Open	2-11, 7-11, 9-11 (30m)
Jun-19	Sean Conroy	L	QF	NZ International Classic	5-11, 11-5, 5-11, 6-11 (38m)
Jun-19	Sion Wiggan	W	R2	NZ International Classic	12-14, 11-3, 11-9, 5-11, 11-9 (65m)
Jun-19	Chung Yat Long	L	R2	Golden Open	6-11, 11-7, 7-11, 11-6, 3-11 (47m)
Apr-19	Harley Lam	L	R2	SRAM PSA 2	13-11, 11-4, 6-11, 6-11, 6-11 (60m)
Apr-19	Ryosei Kobayashi	L	R1	Rochester Pro-Am	4-11, 5-11, 8-11

## ***Alex Eustace: Aussie #6***

Jun-19	Nicholas Calvert	L	R1	Victorian Open	11-8, 11-2, 8-11, 4-11, 10-12 (70m)
Jun-19	Ido Burstein	L	R1	Tel Aviv Open	9-11, 5-11, 7-11 (43m)



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## Joseph White: Aussie #7

Jun-19	Miko Äijänen	L	R2	Prague Open	6-11, 9-11, 8-11 (38m)
Jun-19	Nilo Vidal	W	R1	Prague Open	12-10, 11-9, 11-2 (36m)
May-19	Robert Downer	L	R2	West of Ireland Open	11-8, 8-11, 8-11, 6-11 (55m)
May-19	Roe Avraham	W	R1	West of Ireland Open	16-14, 11-9, 11-6

## David Ilich: Aussie #8

Jun-19	Addeen Idrakie	L	QF	Golden Open	11-9, 9-11, 0-11, 8-11 (40m)
Jun-19	Courtney West	W	R2	Golden Open	11-6, 11-7, 8-11, 11-9 (42m)

## Rohan Toole: Aussie #9

Jun-19	Shady El Sherbiny	L	R1	Victorian Open	9-11, 8-11, 12-10, 9-11
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## Courtney West: Aussie #10

Jun-19	Bryan Lim Tze Kang	L	R1	Victorian Open	7-11, 9-11, 8-11 (35m)
Jun-19	David Ilich	L	R2	Golden Open	6-11, 7-11, 11-8, 9-11 (42m)



**NZ International Classic Champion**  
**REX HEDRICK**

## Rachael Grinham: Aussie #1

May-19	Tinne Gilis	L	R1	British Open	5-11, 5-11, 6-11 (24m)
May-19	Natalie Townsend	W	F	British O35 Open (Non PSA)	11-4, 11-5, 11-7 (24m)
Apr-19	Nour El Tayeb	L	R2	El Gouna International Open	2-11, 4-11, 7-11 (18m)
Apr-19	Lisa Aitken	W	R1	El Gouna International Open	11-7, 12-14, 11-8, 12-10 (49m)
Apr-19	Sarah-Jane Perry	L	R2	DPD Open	4-11, 12-10, 7-11, 6-11 (35m)
Apr-19	Olivia Blatchford Clyne	W	R1	DPD Open	11-8, 11-9, 7-11, 8-11, 11-6 (45m)



**British Over 35 Open Champion**  
**RACHAEL GRINHAM**



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## ***Sarah Cardwell: Aussie #2***

May-19	Jessica Turnbull	L	F	Sandgate Open	11-13, 8-11, 11-7, 11-8, 2-11 (50m)
May-19	Aika Azman	W	SF	Sandgate Open	11-7, 11-3, 11-7 (23m)
May-19	Taylor Flavell	W	QF	Sandgate Open	11-5, 11-9, 11-2 (19m)
Apr-19	Low Wee Wern	L	R1	Macau Open	10-12, 11-7, 2-11, 6-11 (38m)

## ***Christine Nunn: Aussie #3***

## ***Donna Lobban: Aussie #4***

## ***Jessica Turnbull: Aussie #5***

Jun-19	Vanessa Chu	L	F	Golden Open	11-6, 9-11, 9-11, 5-11 (39m)
Jun-19	Colette Sultana	W	SF	Golden Open	11-1, 11-5, 11-8 (21m)
Jun-19	Selena Shaikh	W	QF	Golden Open	11-3, 11-7, 11-4 (27m)
May-19	Sarah Cardwell	W	F	Sandgate Open	13-11, 11-8, 7-11, 8-11, 11-2 (50m)
May-19	Abbie Palmer	W	SF	Sandgate Open	11-7, 11-7, 11-7 (21m)
May-19	Colette Sultana	W	QF	Sandgate Open	9-11, 11-7, 11-7, 11-8 (35m)
Apr-19	Ho Tze-Lok	L	R1	Macau Open	5-11, 9-11, 11-13 (30m)

## ***Selena Shaikh: Aussie #6***

Jun-19	Jessica Turnbull	L	QF	Golden Open	3-11, 7-11, 4-11 (27m)
Jun-19	Trace Johnson	W	R1	Golden Open	11-6, 11-9, 11-3 (19m)

## ***Taylor Flavell: Aussie #7***

May-19	Sarah Cardwell	L	QF	Sandgate Open	5-11, 9-11, 2-11 (19m)
May-19	Ariel Lyon	W	R1	Sandgate Open	11-5, 11-3, 11-3 (17m)

## ***Shehana Vithana Aussie #8***

Jun-19	Vanessa Chu	L	QF	Golden Open	5-11, 3-11, 9-11 (31m)
Jun-19	Habiba El Dafrawy	W	R1	Golden Open	w/o
May-19	Katie Davies	L	R1	Sandgate Open	5-11, 9-11, 11-1, 11-4, 10-12 (42m)

## ***Tamika Hunt Aussie #9***

## ***Maria Kalafatis: Aussie #10***

Jun-19	Chan Yiwen	L	R1	Golden Open	0-11, 0-11, 0-11 (15m)
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21 May 2019

## Pilley and Grinham Bow Out Of Allam British Open After First Round Defeats

Yamba-born Cameron Pilley and Toowoomba's Rachael Grinham are both out of the 2019 Allam British Open, after suffering defeats to France's Lucas Serme and Belgium's Tinne Gilis at the University of Hull Sports and Fitness Centre, respectively.

Pilley was suffering from the flu coming into the match, and he struggled to keep up with Serme, who was able to outrun the under-the-weather World No.35.

The Frenchman continued to dominate throughout the match, eventually winning out in three with a 11-7, 11-7, 11-4 victory in 38 minutes.

"It's the first time I think we have played on the Tour, but I played him a few times in European leagues. When I managed to win I was always down 2-0 and managed to claw back and impose myself physically at the end," Serme said after the victory.

"So that's what I was expecting for today, and I was very happy to take the one for once! And in the second, I noticed he looked a bit tired. He gave it a big push in the middle of the game, and I made sure I kept running for every single shot and I think that eventually, it broke his spirit."





Meanwhile, former World No.1 Rachael Grinham lost out to Belgium's Tinne Gilis. Gilis got the better of her opponent, beating the Australian in straight games.

It was her first victory over Grinham, who had won the previous two meetings between the pair, including a first round clash at the Everbright Sun Hung Kai Hong Kong Squash Open in November.

Gilis started strongly, and while the 42-year-old tried to respond, but she bowed out to the World No.39 in three games, losing out 11-5, 11-5, 11-6 in less than 30 minutes.

"I knew what to expect because I had played and lost against her on the glass court before. It was better for me to play her on a regular court today," Gilis said.



"Mentally I have been very tired lately, with so many events in a row, then off to Nottingham to train, so I arrived here very tired and with no expectations. So it meant a lot to me today to win, because I was able to push through today."

## Result - Allam British Open Men's First Round

Lucas Serme (FRA) bt Cameron Pilley (AUS) 3-0: 11-7, 11-7, 11-4 (38m)

## Result - Allam British Open Women's First Round

Tinne Gilis (BEL) bt Rachael Grinham (AUS) 3-0: 11-5, 11-5, 11-6 (24m)



# RESULTS



## 2019 Squash MS Sandgate Open

Sandgate's **Jessica Turnbull** has just won her second PSA title beating #1 seed Sarah Cardwell in a 5 game 50 minute final.

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TOUR

Turnbull got off to a flying start winning the first 2 games but Cardwell steadied the ship and locked the match up at 2-2. However, it was all one way traffic in the 5th with Turnbull dominating and taking the 5th 11-2 to seal victory.



**\$5,500 Squash MS Sandgate Open 2019**

**PSA Challenger Tour 5, 3 - 6 May 2019**

### Final

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) 13-11, 11-8, 7-11, 8-11, 11-2 (50m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) bt [4] Aika Azman (MAS) 11-7, 11-3, 11-7 (23m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [3] Abbie Palmer (NZL) 11-7, 11-7, 11-7 (21m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) bt [6] Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-5, 11-9, 11-2 (19m)

[4] Aika Azman (MAS) bt Alex Haydon (AUS) 11-1, 11-9, 11-8 (22m)

[3] Abbie Palmer (NZL) bt Katie Davies (AUS) 11-2, 11-5, 11-3 (14m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [5] Colette Sultana (MLT) 9-11, 11-7, 11-7, 11-8 (35m)

### Round 1

[1] Sarah Cardwell (AUS) bye

[6] Taylor Flavell (AUS) bt Ariel Lyon (AUS) 11-5, 11-3, 11-3 (17m)

Alex Haydon (AUS) bt [8] Anika Jackson (NZL) 11-6, 7-11, 11-4, 11-3 (24m)

[4] Aika Azman (MAS) bt Courtney Mather (AUS) 11-8, 11-2, 11-8 (16m)

[3] Abbie Palmer (NZL) bye

Katie Davies (AUS) bt [7] Shehana Vithana (AUS) 11-5, 11-9, 1-11, 4-11, 12-10 (42m)

[5] Colette Sultana (MLT) bt Madison Lyon (AUS) 11-8, 11-7, 11-1 (18m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bye



**Sandgate Open Champion**  
**JESSICA TURNBULL**



## 2019 GOLDEN OPEN

## PSA CHALLENGER TOUR



**\$5,500 City of Kalgoorlie Golden Open 2019**  
**PSA Challenger Tour 5, 31 May to 3 June 2019**

### Final

[1] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bt [2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) 6-11, 11-9, 11-9, 11-5 (39m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bt Chan Yiwen (MAS) 11-4, 11-7, 11-8 (19m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [5] Colette Sultana (MLT) 11-1, 11-5, 11-8 (21m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bt [7] Shehana Vithana (AUS) 11-5, 11-3, 11-9 (31m)

Chan Yiwen (MAS) bt [4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) 11-2, 11-5, 11-1 (24m)

[5] Colette Sultana (MLT) bt [3] Aika Azman (MAS) 6-11, 11-9, 6-11, 12-10, 14-12 (59m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bt [6] Selena Shaikh (AUS) 11-3, 11-7, 11-4 (27m)

### Round 1

[1] Vanessa Chu (HKG) bye

[7] Shehana Vithana (AUS) bt Habiba El Dafrawy (EGY) w/o

Chan Yiwen (MAS) bt [8] Maria Kalafatis (AUS) 11-0, 11-0, 11-0 (15m)

[4] Wen Li Lai (MAS) bye

[3] Aika Azman (MAS) bye

[5] Colette Sultana (MLT) bye

[6] Selena Shaikh (AUS) bt Trace Johnson (AUS) 11-6, 11-9, 11-3 (19m)

[2] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) bye



# RESULTS



## 2019 GOLDEN OPEN

## PSA CHALLENGER TOUR



### \$5,500 City of Kalgoorlie Golden Open 2019

PSA Challenger Tour 5, 31 May to 3 June 2019

#### Final

Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) bt [2] Mohd Syafiq Kamal (MAS) 11-8, 6-11, 11-6, 11-5 (42m)

#### Semi Finals

Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) bt [1] Addeen Idrakie (MAS) 11-8, 11-5, 11-5 (40m)

[2] Mohd Syafiq Kamal (MAS) bt Darren Rahul Pragasam (MAS) 11-8, 11-7, 11-6 (32m)

#### Quarter Finals

[1] Addeen Idrakie (MAS) bt [7] David Ilich (AUS) 9-11, 11-9, 11-0, 11-8 (40m)

Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) bt [5] Darren Chan (MAS) 11-5, 11-2, 11-4 (21m)

Darren Rahul Pragasam (MAS) bt [4] Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) 11-9, 5-11, 13-11, 12-10 (45m)

[2] Mohd Syafiq Kamal (MAS) bt Chung Yat Long (HKG) 11-2, 11-7, 11-5 (18m)

#### Round 2

[1] Addeen Idrakie (MAS) bt Ong Sai Hung (MAS) 11-13, 11-5, 11-5, 11-9 (52m)

[7] David Ilich (AUS) bt Courtney West (AUS) 11-6, 11-7, 8-11, 11-9 (42m)

[5] Darren Chan (MAS) bt [8] Nicholas Calvert (AUS) 9-11, 11-7, 11-7, 11-3 (44m)

Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) bt [3] Mike Corren (AUS) 11-3, 8-6 ret.

[4] Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) bt Siow Yee Xian (MAS) 11-5, 11-6, 11-9 (38m)

Darren Rahul Pragasam (MAS) bt William Curtis (AUS) 14-12, 11-7, 12-10 (34m)

Chung Yat Long (HKG) bt [6] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-6, 7-11, 11-7, 6-11, 11-3 (47m)

[2] Mohd Syafiq Kamal (MAS) bt Matthew Lai (HKG) 8-11, 11-5, 11-7, 11-6 (36m)

#### Round 1

Ryunosuke Tsukue (JPN) bt [WC] Damon MacMillan (AUS) 11-3, 11-1, 11-1 (17m)

Siow Yee Xian (MAS) bt Tim Cowell (AUS) 11-8, 11-6, 11-6 (30m)

William Curtis (AUS) bt Wee Ming Hock (MAS) 11-5, 11-9, 6-11, 3-11, 11-8 (46m)

Chung Yat Long (HKG) bt [WC] Tye Harland (AUS) 11-4, 11-6, 11-3 (27m)

## 2019 Victorian Open



#1 seed Rex Hedrick was no match for Frenchman Victor Crouin in the final of the 2019 Victorian Open.

The 20 year old #2 seed simply dominated the 36 minute final winning 11-2, 11-4, 11-2.

Crouin was a runner up in the 2017 World Junior Championships losing a close 57 minute final to Egyptian Marwan Tarek in five: 9/11, 11/3, 6/11, 11/3, 2/11.

He is currently ranked #73 in the World.

**PSA CHALLENGER TOUR**

**\$5,500 Mulgrave Country Club Victorian Open 2019**

**PSA Challenger Tour 5, 27 - 30 June 2019**

### Final

[2] Victor Crouin (FRA) bt [1] Rex Hedrick (AUS) 11-2, 11-4, 11-2 (36m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Rex Hedrick (AUS) bt [4] Roshan Bharos (NED) 11-5, 11-4, 11-2 (48m)

[2] Victor Crouin (FRA) bt [3] Enzo Corigliano (FRA) 11-3, 11-4, 11-3 (26m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Rex Hedrick (AUS) bt [6] Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) 11-6, 11-3, 11-8 (25m)

[4] Roshan Bharos (NED) bt Darren Chan (MAS) 11-8, 12-10, 12-10 (45m)

[3] Enzo Corigliano (FRA) bt [8] Shady El Sherbiny (EGY) 9-11, 11-8, 5-11, 11-7, 11-7 (59m)

[2] Victor Crouin (FRA) bt Nicholas Calvert (AUS) 11-6, 11-3, 11-3 (33m)

### Round 1

[1] Rex Hedrick (AUS) bt Zac Alexander (AUS) 11-3, 5-4 ret. (12m)

[6] Bryan Lim Tze Kang (MAS) bt Courtney West (AUS) 11-7, 11-9, 11-8 (35m)

Darren Chan (MAS) bt [7] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-2, 11-7, 11-9 (30m)

[4] Roshan Bharos (NED) bt Chua Man Tong (SGP) 11-5, 11-4, 11-3 (28m)

[3] Enzo Corigliano (FRA) bt [WC] Javed Ali (PAK) 11-5, 11-6, 11-8 (34m)

[8] Shady El Sherbiny (EGY) bt Rohan Toole (AUS) 11-9, 11-8, 10-12, 11-9

Nicholas Calvert (AUS) bt [5] Alex Eustace (AUS) 8-11, 2-11, 11-8, 11-4, 12-10 (70m)

[2] Victor Crouin (FRA) bt Faisal Riaz (USA) 11-1, 11-0, 11-1 (14m)





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## **WSF World Doubles Squash Championships**

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**Gold Coast, Australia**

### **Men's Final:**

[1] Ryan Cuskelly & Cameron Pilley (AUS) bt [2] Zac Alexander & Rex Hedrick (AUS) 11-5, 11-10 (29m)

### **Women's Final:**

[1] Donna Lobban & Christine Nunn (AUS) bt [2] Sarah Cardwell & Jessica Turnbull (AUS) 11-9, 11-4 (28m)

Pool third place play-off:

[4] Taylor Flavell & Selena Shaikh (AUS) bt [3] Laura Tovar & Maria Tovar (COL) 11-6, 11-8 (15m)

### **Mixed Final:**

[1] Donna Lobban & Cameron Pilley (AUS) bt [4] Christine Nunn & Ethan Eyles (AUS) 11-5, 11-8 (16m)

## **Lobban & Pilley Strike Double Gold As Hosts Australia Celebrate World Doubles Clean Sweep**

Australian cousins Cameron Pilley and Donna Lobban struck double Doubles gold on the final day of action in the WSF World Doubles Squash Championships as hosts Australia claimed eight medals across the three events at the Carrara Squash Centre on the Gold Coast.

Pilley and Ryan Cuskelly defended their world title, again claiming gold in the men's event with victory over fellow Australians Zac Alexander and Rex Hedrick.

Cuskelly and Pilley set the tone early racing to a lead in the first game and taking it convincingly 11-5. In the second, Alexander and Hedrick fought hard with Cuskelly taking issue with a number of refereeing decisions. The experienced duo from New South Wales managed to prevail in the second to secure a second straight world championship title.

"That second game was very much 50-50 and could have been anyone's but very happy that we pulled back that deficit at the end of the last one," Pilley said after the medal ceremony.



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Cuskelly added: "They had us a little nervous at the end but they played some good squash - we're just happy to have got the job done."

Pilley partnered Lobban to take gold in the mixed decider as well. The combination, which was victorious at the 2018 Commonwealth Games, again proved too strong against compatriots Ethan Eyles and Christine Nunn, winning 11-5, 11-8.

17-year-old Eyles, making his Australian senior debut, was impressive in the final against his more experienced opponents.

Nunn added to her silver medal in the mixed and Lobban to her gold, with the pair teaming to win gold in the women's doubles event.

The experienced duo, who were partnered for the first time in this tournament, were pushed by fellow Australians Sarah Cardwell and Jessica Turnbull.

Lobban and Nunn claimed a tight first game 11-9 and were up 2-0 in the second game before a heavy collision between Nunn and Cardwell sent the latter to the floor. Cardwell hit her head in the fall, but was cleared by medical staff and was able to resume the match.

Lobban and Nunn stayed composed despite the delay in play and went on to win the second 11-4.

"I'm really happy with how we played and stayed focus throughout the tournament," Nunn said.

"It's been a good week and we've been able to build on every match."

The two said their immediate concern after the match was for the health of their team-mate (Cardwell) but were elated with the result.

Victorian pair Taylor Flavell and Selena Shaikh ensured an Australian clean sweep of the medals, defeating Colombian sisters Maria Tovar and Laura Tovar in the 3rd-place play-off in the Pool 11-6 11-8.







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### Men's Doubles

#### **GOLD MEDAL -**

Ryan Cuskelly/Cameron Pilley  
(AUS)

#### **SILVER MEDAL -**

Zac Alexander/Rex Hedrick  
(AUS)

#### **BRONZE MEDALS -**

Jean-Pierre Brits/Christo  
Potgieter (RSA) & Andrés  
Herrera/Juan Camilo Vargas  
(COL)

### Women's Doubles

#### **GOLD MEDAL:**

Christine Nunn/Donna Lobban  
(AUS)

#### **SILVER MEDAL -**

Sarah Cardwell/Jessica Turnbull  
(AUS)

#### **BRONZE MEDALS -**

Selena Shaikh/Taylor Flavell  
(AUS) & Maria Tovar/Laura Tovar  
(COL)

### Mixed Doubles

#### **GOLD MEDAL -**

Cameron Pilley/Donna Lobban  
(AUS)

#### **SILVER MEDAL -**

Ethan Eyles/Christine Nunn  
(AUS)

#### **BRONZE MEDALS -**

Zac Alexander/Alex Haydon  
(AUS) & Catalina Pelaez/Matias  
Knudsen (COL)







## AUSTRALIAN DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIPS



### CLEAN SWEEP TO **QUEENSLAND TEAMS**

#### Men's Doubles

Gold Medal:

**Zac Alexander/Thomas Calvert**

Silver Medal:

Rhys Dowling/Alex Eustace

Bronze Medal:

Brad Freeme/Nathan Turnbull

#### Women's Doubles

Gold Medal:

**Rachael Grinham/Melissa Martin**

Silver Medal:

Christine Nunn/Taylor Flavell

Bronze Medal:

Sarah Cardwell/Selena Shaikh

#### Mixed Doubles

Gold Medal:

**Rachael Grinham/Jordan Till**

Silver Medal:

Donna Lobban/Gregory Chan

Bronze Medal:

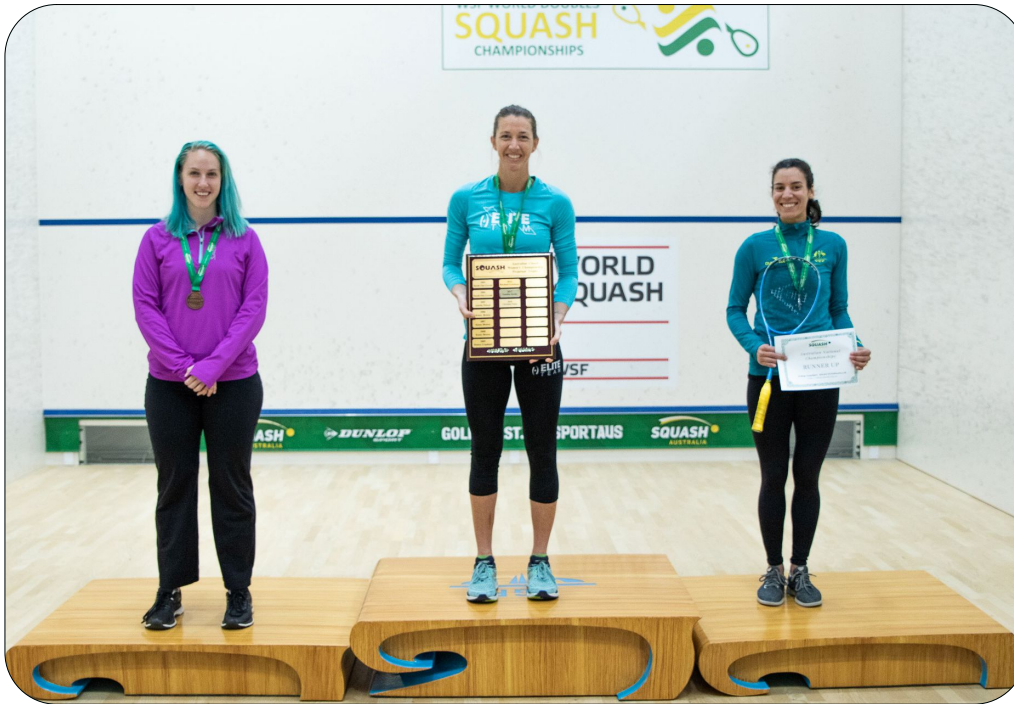
Sarah Cardwell/Ethan Eyles



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## AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPS



### Women's Closed PSA

Gold Medal:

Donna Lobban (NSW)

Silver Medal:

Christine Nunn (VIC)

Bronze Medal:

Jessica Turnbull (QLD)



### Men's Closed PSA

Gold Medal:

Ryan Cuskelly (NSW)

Silver Medal:

Cameron Pilley (NSW)

Bronze Medal:

Rex Hedrick (VIC)

### Women's Final:

Donna Lobban [3] def Christine Nunn [2] 11-7, 11-6, 6-11, 11-8

### Men's Final:

Ryan Cuskelly [1] def Cameron Pilley [2] 11-8, 11-7, 11-9



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