



ALL SMILES AT CAIRNS JUNIOR CHAMPS



**NR Squash welcomes the
Cairns Regional Council as the
major sponsor of the 2021 QJC**



Issue 100 !!!

Who said we wouldn't make it? I consider 100 editions a significant achievement and I would like to thank everyone who has made a contribution along the way!

The aim of the newsletter has always been to **promote**, **recognise** and **thank** ... I hope it is still doing that.

Even after 100 issues some NR clubs contribute very little. That is a shame because here is the perfect opportunity to do so.

I often hear excuses like "I don't have enough time" or "nothing is happening here" as the reasons.

It honestly doesn't take too much time to contribute a page each month to the newsletter. A photo and a few paragraphs is all it takes.

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<https://squashaustralia.sportyhq.com/xsavu>

For more information contact:

JULES WONE on 040 0450 298

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(C) Cuff	330	350	370	390	405	425	445	460	480	485	505	520	530
(D) Clothes Length	705	720	740	755	770	780	795	805	825	835	845	860	875

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Finished Measurement (mm)	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
(A) Half Chest	415	435	455	480	520	540	550	585	615	655	710
(B) Sleeve Length	225	250	255	270	295	300	330	335	350	385	420
(C) Cuff	270	280	290	300	310	320	330	340	360	380	420
(D) Clothes Length	555	575	595	610	630	655	685	695	705	720	735

KIDS

Finished Measurement (mm)	2	4	6	8	10	12	14
(A) Half Chest	370	390	410	445	475	495	515
(B) Sleeve Length	275	295	310	330	345	365	370
(C) Cuff	235	235	240	260	275	285	300
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**Cost: \$50
per shirt.**



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With Jules Wone



Northern Region Committee

With the Northern Region AGM held on 14 Feb 2021 in Cairns we extend a warm welcome to Vice President Gayle Baxter and Secretary Kirsty Hoani. Thanks to Karlye Rhodes for staying on for another year of service as our Treasurer. We are already a very busy committee with both Ingham and Townsville Junior tournaments this month and we are rolling along with the QJC.

Thanks again to the outgoing Vice President Susan Palmer and Secretary Di Whitchurch.

Squash Queensland Board

At our AGM it was requested the NR Committee request information from the Squash Queensland Board in regard to the new \$5/player Sanctioning levy for our junior tournaments. On behalf of the Squash Queensland Board Colette Sultana's response:

"At this point it is sanctioned events that are incurring the \$5 per entry sanctioning fee. Sanctioned events include QJC, Q Open and Regional Junior Events. We are also waiting to hear back on whether one other branch of events will be sanctioned and hence contribute to the fund.

The fund itself is for Coaching and Development of Queensland players, however how exactly the money will be used, we have not yet determined. We would like to make sure that those who contributed to the fund are benefiting, and we plan to utilise the money in consultation with the regions to determine the fairest way to spend it.

I would be happy to provide a few dot points to explain, but it would be after the Board (with the regions) has determined exactly how the money is to be used."

As above Squash Queensland are now enforcing for all Squash Queensland sanctioned tournaments, \$5/participant Levy to be paid to Squash Queensland. The NR Junior tournaments must all be Squash Queensland and Squash Australia sanctioned tournaments to be approved ranking events.

As stated above these funds will be used specifically to develop junior squash in Queensland but no specific plan is in place as yet. The Squash Queensland Board and the 4 regions will develop this plan. The NR committee has decided this fee will need to be added to the tournament nomination fee as the current nomination fee could not absorb this new levy. This was discussed and approved at the NR AGM in Feb 2021.

Colette wants to hear about all the good news stories from around the regions to put into a Queensland newsletter. Please contact Colette directly to share your stories. E: info@squashQueensland.com.au

Squash Queensland are continuing to add to the value of affiliation. Dunlop Squash balls have been hard to source, if you are having trouble please contact me and please order directly with Colette, who has been offering large group orders through Squash Queensland. For more details on this offer, including costs please contact Colette Sultana directly E: info@squashQueensland.com.au

If you have sponsors and partners who may wish to be recognised as Queensland partners



21RQ Redbacks Qualifier



2021 Townsville Junior Squash Championships

6 to 7 March 2021

West's Squash Club
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ENTRY FEES - TO BE PAID ON SATURDAY DURING CHECK IN

Divisions Entry Fee - \$55 per player

Doubles Entry Fee - \$10 per player

(Redbacks team practice for the QJC Team event)

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please contact Colette to discuss this further. If you have current local sponsors please also contact Colette to discuss this so these deals work in everyone's favour.

If are considering painting your squash court walls or your house, please contact Colette as Dulux are providing players and clubs with 30% discount on premium lines of paint (applicable to house paint and court paint requests) when purchases are made through the Squash Queensland cash account.

The Squash Queensland AGM is to be held on Sunday 14 March at 11am. The NR has 2 members who have nominated for Board positions. Steve Finitsis has been a Squash Queensland Board member for 2 years and has again nominated for a third term. Dean Morzone who is the current President of Cairns Squash, past President of the NR and past Vice President of Squash Queensland has also nominated for a Board position.

Steve offers a unique and invaluable contribution to the Squash Queensland Board as he has experience on the world squash circuit and is now involved in squash at the grass roots level as a coach in Cairns but also as a NR Redbacks and Queensland Shark's coach. Dean Morzone likewise brings his very own unique skills to the Board. Dean has proven to be an exceptional leader and has the ability to propel a committee in to gear, to identify new initiatives and to make things happen.

Thank you to Steve and Dean for representing the NR.

2021 Junior Tournament dates are:

Cairns	13/14 Feb 2021	Cairns Squash Club	Bronze
Townsville	6/7 Mar 2021	West Squash Club	Bronze
Ingham	20/21 Mar 2021	Ingham Squash Centre	Bronze
Mackay	1/2 May 2021	Squash 52	Silver

Please note Mackay and Cairns are the compulsory tournaments. To qualify for selection to the Redbacks team, juniors must play three (3) of the four (4) NR Junior tournaments. A junior must play both compulsory tournaments in Cairns and Mackay and at least 1 tournament in Ingham (TBC) or Townsville. Juniors who meet this criteria will be given priority consideration when the Redbacks are selected regardless of strength of an individual who has not fully qualified or strength of the overall team. Please do not assume you will be selected to the NR Redbacks if you have not qualified by attending the required tournaments or have not provided medical evidence to remain eligible.

For 2021 Junior Season:

Compulsory tournaments (Mackay and Cairns) will be age and gender format.

Non-Compulsory tournaments (Ingham and Townsville) will be divisions.

Blue Cards

NR are now set up online to renew Blue Cards. Please contact me if you need to renew or apply



21RQ Redbacks Qualifier



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for the first time.

2021 QUEENSLAND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

The QJC to be held in Cairns in June/July 2021. The Queensland Squash Administrator will manage the QJC. The functions the administrator will manage are the setup of SportyHQ, setting the seedings according to the Queensland seedings list, setting the draws, match scheduling and being at the championships to run the individual and team events.

Squash Queensland, NR and Cairns Squash are coordinating to make this event successful and memorable. There is lots to be done and we welcome everyone to get involved. Contact me if you have any ideas or you can offer your time to help. In particular we are seeking sponsors and people to help with social media.

QUEENSLAND JUNIOR RANKINGS

Since January 2020, the Queensland Junior rankings have been updated by the Squash Queensland Administrator. So far this is working very well and reducing the burden on the NR Selectors to apply the actual ranking policy after junior tournaments. Also provides consistency across the regions.

1 Feb 2021 Queensland Junior rankings are available on the Squash Queensland Webpage.

The State junior 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.

AFFILIATION WITH SQUASH QUEENSLAND

If you were not affiliated in 2020, please affiliate now. If you were affiliated in 2020, your affiliation will be due for renewal on 31 March 2021. Squash Queensland initially extended the affiliation period due to Covid shutdowns in 2020 and then again provided an extension as Squash Australia are currently reviewing the Insurance arrangements.

Affiliation is compulsory for all juniors to compete in the NR Junior tournaments and in the State and National Championships. Juniors must have full affiliation to play for the Northern Redbacks. Affiliation status will be checked prior to all 2021 season NR Junior tournaments and the Queensland Junior Championships.

The 2021 Affiliation fees will soon be announced.

Please remember affiliation comes with many benefits – especially personal insurance with participating in the game or related activity, such as fundraising.

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.



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NORTHERN REGION MEETING

The next NR meeting will be at the 2021 Mackay NR Closed Junior Championships Saturday 1 May 2021.

Please send your agenda items to Kirsty Hoani E: hoanikr23@hotmail.com

Standing items on the agenda are coaching clinics, regional participation, grants, 2021 QJC.

FUNDING/GRANTS

Cairns Squash have been successful to be awarded a grant from the Cairns Regional Council for \$6,500 towards the QJC. These funds will contribute to court hire and promotion of Cairns Squash to the locals. This grant also ensures more funds will remain available to the NR to contribute to NR members in the future.

Cairns Squash are so close to completing the redesign of Sportsworld thanks to grant funds.

We have 6 new grandstands, a monitor on every court to display scores and also to promote our sponsors and 2 live streaming courts. We still need to replace the old tables and chairs with some new ones to match the new and very stylish grandstands. This funding came from grants from the Active Restart Infrastructure Recovery Fund worth \$15,500 and a grant worth \$35,000 from the Queensland Gambling Community Fund.

It was very nice to hear the positive feedback from everyone who attended the 2021 Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Championships and also from the Cairns Squash members. Thanks to Shane and Trish Stroud from Decked Out Fabrications, who designed, manufactured and delivered the grandstands.



Grant money is really free money available to all clubs if you are willing to spend some time seeking suitable grants and completing the applications. Organisation applications vary in complexity. However, most applications are relatively simple and do not take too much time to complete. All centres should be applying for grants. Please consider how you can help your club and if you have any ideas or you can help with identifying grants and writing applications please contact Karlye Rhodes E: doug.rhodes@bigpond.com for assistance.

Currently Squash Australia are also offering all squash clubs the opportunity to have support to apply for grants. For more information E: facilities@squash.org.au or go to <https://www.squash.org.au/w/membership/facility-grant-writers>.

Cash for Cans is a great fundraising idea for clubs. The Bunnings Sausage Sizzle days are back on with very strict Covid-19 restrictions. In the past 3 months Cairns Squash raised \$3,270 doing 3 Bunnings BBQ days and we will be applying for another BBQ day to raise money for the State Masters being hosted in Cairns in May 2021. Thanks to everyone who has helped at the Bunnings BBQ days.

Please consider getting a group together to fundraise for your club.



THE REDBACKS NEED YOU!

PLEASE HELP!
The NR needs some
awesome people!

NR President Jules Wone is appealing to some **awesome people** to step up and do a little volunteering to help NR Squash. You don't have to be a committee member to help but that is still an option if that interests you.

"Please consider what you can do to help out. Too few are doing everything in the NR and in the clubs. I hear the struggle from those in the NR that are feeling a bit burnt out."

Everyone has skills that can be helpful at the junior tournaments, as committee members, writing grant applications, attending meetings, providing information for the newsletter, taking photos at events, fundraising, promoting squash, following up sponsors, there is so much each of us can do at our local clubs and for the NR.

Please get involved".

Are you an **awesome person**?

An **awesome person** is one who has a passion for squash (sport), has a little spare time on their hands who in turn could volunteer to their local club, to junior squash, to the Northern Region or to promotion.

An **awesome person** has energy and a positive outlook. An **awesome person** is one who does as opposed to sitting back and just being critical.

An **awesome person** is one who wants to make a difference. One who cares about our sport and wants to contribute to its development and growth.

If you are an **awesome person** please step up and show us what you can do! We would love to welcome you aboard the NR Express ... yes, we are serious about building a healthier squash program in the NR.

For more information about how you can get involved contact:
Jules Wone on **040 0450 298**



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SPORTYHQ

Please do not pay for any SportyHQ club subscriptions prior to discussing your clubs status Squash Queensland and encourage all your club members to pay their affiliations to take advantage of the club affiliation.

Squash Queensland have announced they are currently trialling a few different court and player online management tools which are programs that provides similar functions to SportyHQ. This trial is to understand which system is most adequate to meet the needs of Squash in Queensland.

NR VOLUNTEERS * HELP IS NEEDED IN THE NR *****

CAN YOU HELP? Everyone has skills that can be helpful at the junior tournaments, as committee members, writing grant applications, attending meetings, providing information for the newsletter, taking photos at events, fundraising, promoting squash, following up sponsors, there is so much each of us can do at our local clubs and for the NR. Please get involved.

COACHING

If anyone is keen to consider hitting the court in the capacity as a coach and do their Level 1 In coaching please let me know so we can support your development.

I look forward to seeing you all at the 2021 Townsville and Ingham Junior Championships.

Drive safe and remember keep squash fun!

Jules Wone

President

Squash Queensland – Northern Region.

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Queensland Masters Squash Association



State Titles 2021

30 April – 2 May 2021

Friday through to Sunday Evening

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Tournament Director

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Tournament Director - Helen 0417 005 747

email: tournaments@qmsa.asn.au

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Membership \$30 per year

Saturday Evening Dinner Dance

Sunday Evening Presentations

Non-players welcome



Entries close 16th April 2021



EARLY BIRD ENTRIES CLOSE: 01/4/2021



“ Thanks Lisa for stopping by and inspiring our junior players! You are a true legend who continues to give your expertise and time to those who love the game. Safe travels and we hope to see you again soon! Kim De Bella

“ Thank You so much Lisa for your time and experience coaching Liam this weekend. He thoroughly enjoyed himself. Also, thanks to Chris Erba and the Ingham Squash Centre for bringing such a high profile coach to town. Robyn and Rodney Fascetti



Tully's former World #28 and Commonwealth Games Representative **Lisa Camilleri** has continued her Regional Squash Coaching Tour with a visit to Ingham.

“We were in Ingham Friday to Saturday and I ran 4 clinics and 7 private lessons. Loved getting on court with the Ingham juniors and meeting the Ingham squash community” Lisa said.

Travelling around in a motorhome with her family, Lisa desires to help regional squash players by visiting as many squash centres as possible to run weekend clinics and do private lessons. Are you a rural centre interested in having Lisa visit your centre? You can contact her by email:

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2021 SMITHFIELD DENTAL CAIRNS JUNIOR SQUASH CHAMPIONSHIP



13-14 February 2021

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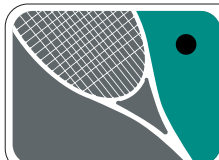
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Story by Steve Finitsis.

The first Northern Region Qualifying event had players travelling from Ingham, Townsville and as far as Mackay.

Forty-four players attended the 2021 Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Squash Championships held at the Sportsworld Fitness Centre. Out of those 44 players, there 10 x Under 9 boys, which is an amazing number and were a joy to watch.

It was a great atmosphere at the Courts with a newly renovated Cairns Squash Club (thanks to Government Grants) testing out the 6 x 3-tier Grandstands, 2 live streamed Cameras, 6 new iPads & 8 display monitors to display scores of the matches.

Congratulations to all the winners, runners-up and all the participants who played over the weekend. It was all played in great spirit, sportsmanship and was a very smooth and seamless tournament to run.

A big thank you to Jules Wone for the tireless hours put in for the event, Rhys Mountford-Jones for his IT expertise with the live streaming and Marc Forster for co-ordinating & running the Under 9 event. Also a big thanks to both our Cairns Squash Club Junior and Senior Committees.

Thanks to Smithfield Dental again, for being the Naming Rights Sponsor and supporting our Junior Tournament. To all our other sponsors WCG Lawyers, O'Connor Law, Brothers Leagues Club, Cairns Truck School, Astute, Decked Out Fabrications, Morzone Pharmacy, Pearl's Books & Music, Cairns Colonial Club, Palm Royale, Sportsworld Fitness, Sportz Look, Cazaly's, Fit4Squash & Squash Media.



Photos: Thank you Kerry Mather



2021 SMITHFIELD DENTAL CAIRNS JUNIOR SQUASH CHAMPIONSHIP

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2021 Smithfield Dental Cairns Junior Championships

Event	Winner	Runner Up	Third
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U11 Boys	<i>Aiden Stroud</i>	<i>Lachlan Caruana</i>	<i>Kai Dumbleton</i>
U13 Boys	<i>Michael Lawrence</i>	<i>Aiden Stroud</i>	<i>Liam Hartsliet</i>
U15 Boys	<i>Francis Morove</i>	<i>Michael Lawrence</i>	<i>Liam Fascetti</i>
U17 Boys	<i>Josh Porter</i>	<i>Lachlan Erba</i>	<i>Henry Bush</i>
U19 Boys	<i>Brendan MacDonald</i>	<i>Josh Porter</i>	<i>Christopher Whitchurch</i>
U9 Girls	<i>Chloe Baxter</i>		
U11 Girls	<i>Claudie Burger</i>	<i>Emily Walter</i>	
U13 Girls	<i>Hayley Menta</i>	<i>Jasmin Dumbleton</i>	
U15 Girls	<i>Kayce Hoani-Vincent</i>	<i>Ally Rhodes</i>	<i>Hanna O'Toole</i>
U17 Girls	<i>Kayce Hoani-Vincent</i>	<i>Kiara Stublely</i>	<i>Ally Rhodes</i>
U19 Girls	<i>Kurstyn Mather</i>	<i>Sophie Fadaely</i>	<i>Kiara Stublely</i>
DOUBLES	<i>Ally Rhodes and Michael Lawrence</i>		
		<i>Mackenzie Rhodes and Brayden Keough</i>	



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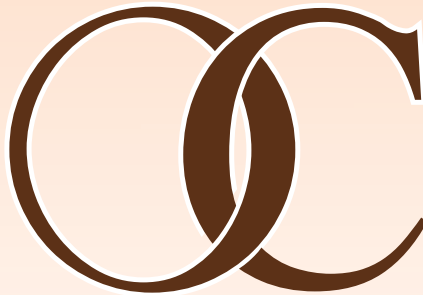
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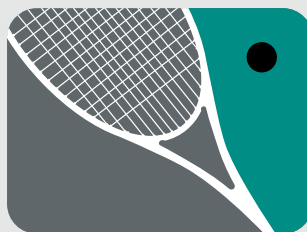
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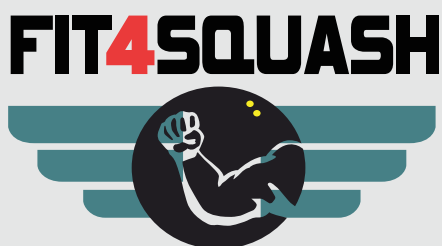
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2021 JUNIOR CALENDAR

Well 2021 is already here! It is time to begin the process of promoting your event.

Now is the time to secure your major sponsor and let's give them some good exposure in the Redbacks Newsletter.

Many clubs wait until the last minute to put things together. Yes, we are all busy but at the end of the day if we want to run a successful event it is imperative that you start sooner rather than later.

I'm happy to help all NR clubs hosting a Junior Qualifier in 2021 with a free design of their A4 poster which I will also use in the Redbacks Newsletter.

PROMOTION is the key to success ... the more you promote your event the more participants you will attract. The more you promote the sponsors the greater your chances are that you will retain them for future events.

Do something different at your next event. Do something different in the build up to the event. *If you keep doing the same old thing you will achieve the same old results.*

Venture out of your comfort zone and strive to make your event more exciting, more attractive, more memorable.

If you would like my help please contact me ASAP so we can discuss some ideas.

All I want to do is **PROMOTE** your event, **PROMOTE** your sponsors, **RECOGNISE** the achievements of the players and **THANK** your sponsors, and volunteers for all their help.

All I need from you is information, logos and photos and I will do the rest.

Please don't keep putting things off ... now is the time to get started.

Need help attracting a major sponsor? I'm sure Jules Wone would only be too happy to help.

I look forward to hearing from you soon!



2021 JUNIOR QUALIFIERS





Have you got a junior ranking?

*If so ... awesome! Continue to compete and build your ranking.
If not ... here's how to get one.*

NR RANKING

Participation in Regional Qualifiers is a good place to start. NR Qualifiers are sanctioned by Squash Australia and form part of the National Ranking system.

Depending on the level of the event and where you finish will determine just how many points you earn.

NR offers 4 events to help you build your ranking with 3 being BRONZE events and one being SILVER.

You can even compete in other sanctioned events in Queensland and interstate to build your ranking faster. You are not limited to just competing in NR.

The Qualifiers are used to select our NR junior team to compete at the QJC. Depending on how many times you compete will determine if you qualify for selection in the NR Redbacks team. There are positions available in the team providing you affiliate and compete in the required number of qualifiers.

Players of all ages and abilities are welcome to compete in NR Junior events. Begin building your ranking by entering the next junior qualifier.

STATE RANKING

The Queensland Junior Championship is a GOLD event. Some players compete to win the state title but many compete to qualify for selection in the Queensland Team ... the Sharks!

NATIONAL RANKING

All players are eligible to play in the Australian Junior Closed Championships, the Australian Junior Open Championships and the Oceania Junior Championships.

All three events are PLATINUM and winning one of those would reward you with excellent National Ranking points.

Now not everybody can win a State or National title but by competing in these events and striving to finish as high as you can will still allow you to build your ranking.

Participation at all levels is the key to your success!





2012 RED FLASHBACKS



BJ MacDonald & Jordan Di Bella



It was the 2012 Ingham Qualifier.

Mackay's BJ MacDonald won the Boys 9A and 11A age group and Jordan Di Bella won the Boys 13 A and B. Then in 2019 BJ became an Australian U17 Champion. Ahhh from such humble beginnings.

Inspirational !!!



Nomination fees

for the 2021 NR Junior Qualifiers

Age events:

\$50 (1 event) or \$65 (2 events)

Age Doubles: \$10 per player

Division events: \$55 per player

Graded (Novice) events: \$20 per player

At each NR junior tournament a portion of the nomination fees is paid to the NR for the purpose of subsidising coaches to attend the QJC:

\$10 (Age) and \$5 (Graded)

is collected from each player.

From 1/1/21 all NR Junior Qualifiers must now be sanctioned by **Squash Queensland**. Accordingly a \$5 Fee is collected and paid to Squash Queensland.



NR JUNIOR RANKINGS

MARCH 2021

U11 Boys

Aiden Stroud

U13 Boys

Michael Lawrence

Liam Fascetti

Carter Bates

U15 Boys

Francis Morove

Jack Nash

Noa Burger

U17 Boys

Josh Porter

Matthew Brazier

Matthew Finitsis

Lachlan Erba

Henry Bush

Brayden Keough

Dylan Perkins

U19 Boys

BJ MacDonald

Jordan Di Bella

Kyle Hoani-Vincent

Christopher Whitchurch

Sean Julius-Wright

Xavier Morzone

Jacob Devereux

Lachlan Howarth

U11 Girls

1 Claudi Burger

U13 Girls

1 Hayley Menta

2 Jasmin Dumbleton

3

U15 Girls

1 Kayce Hoani-Vincent

2 Ally Rhodes

3 Sarah Brazier

U17 Girls

1 Kiara Stublely

2 Mackenzie Rhodes

3 Payton Douglas

4 Mackenzie Rhodes

5 Hannah O'Toole

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U19 Girls

1 Kurstyn Mather

2 Sophie Fadaely

3 Amy Condon

4 Caitlin Porter

5

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7

8

*These NR rankings are extracted from the
Squash Queensland State Rankings.*





STATE

Top 5 JUNIOR RANKINGS

March 2021

NATIONAL



U11 Boys

Max Aitken
Morgan Jean-Baptiste
Alby Truscott
Aiden Stroud
James Boswell

U11 Girls

Claudi Burger

U11 Boys

Alexander Marsh
Kieran Willathgamuwa
Harlan Guziak
Sterling Slyth
Thomas Wang

U11 Girls

Olivia van Zon
Nadia van Zon
Elizabeth Wang
Ella Matthews
Carmela Christou

U13 Boys

Flynn Bartlett
Michael Lawrence
Joel Roshan Raj
Liam Fascetti
Eric Chiang

U13 Girls

Sarbani Maitra
Orla Clarke
Hayley Menta
Lilly Wilson
Sarah Hattingh

U13 Boys

Flynn Bartlett
Aiden Finlay-Mulligan
Marcus Wang
Michael Lawrence
Joel Roshan Raj

U13 Girls

Sarbani Maitra
Hala Hegazy
Maxine Salter
Lilly Wilson
Madison Nargar

U15 Boys

Joshua Rahul Raj
Jack Hansen
Francis Morove
Deeptangsu Maitra
Jack Nash

U15 Girls

Kayce Hoani-Vincent
Ally Rhodes
Elaine Cheung
Caitlin Clarke
Sarah Brazier

U15 Boys

Aryan Madan
Joshua Rahul Raj
Haider Naqvi
Darcy Hayes
Henry Siviour

U15 Girls

Isla Harris
Hannah Slyth
Amelia Guziak
Katlyn Hall
Maja Maziuk

U17 Boys

Kijan Sultana
Josh Porter
Matthew Brazier
Matthew Finitis
Lachlan Erba

U17 Girls

Madison Lyon
Shona Coxsedge
Kiara Stubley
Kate Payne
Mackenzie Rhodes

U17 Boys

Oscar Curtis
Andre Lynn
Dylan Classen
Harvey Allan
Connor Hayes

U17 Girls

Madison Lyon
Maggie Goodman
Erin Classen
Kaitlyn O'Neill
Courtney Scholtz

U19 Boys

Josh Penfold
BJ MacDonald
Luke Eyles
Declan Cashman
Nicholas Briggs

U19 Girls

Katie Davies
Kurstyn Mather
Sophie Fadaely
Ariel Lyon
Lauren Luck

U19 Boys

James Lloyd
Greg Chan
Remi Young
Diego Hernandez
Luke Eyles

U19 Girls

Kurstyn Mather
Caitlin Purvis
Katie Davies
Sophie Fadaely
Jana Hegazy

BR CR NR SR

ACT NSW NT QLD

SA TAS VIC WA



Pathway to represent the Redbacks Junior Squash Team in 2021



To qualify for selection to represent the **Redbacks** team, juniors **must play** three (3) of the four (4) NR Junior tournaments. A junior **must play** both compulsory tournaments in Cairns and Mackay and at least 1 tournament in Ingham or Townsville.

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Compulsory

13-14 FEB 2021

268 GATTON ST **CAIRNS**



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6-7 MAR 2021

101 BAMFORD LANE **TOWNSVILLE**



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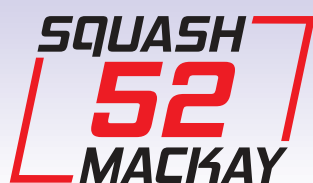


20-21 MAR 2021

96 CARTWRIGHT ST **INGHAM**



4 **NR CLOSED**



Compulsory

1-2 MAY 2021

52 BRISBANE ST **MACKAY**



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27-30 JUN 2021

268 GATTON ST **CAIRNS**





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