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## EDITORIAL

**The Queensland Sharks have won their 13th consecutive Combined Team Title - what a fantastic and remarkable achievement.**

To develop, coach and nurse 24 players to overall victory each year for 13 years is just a mind blowing statistic.

Zac Alexander won his 3rd Queensland Open with victory in four over #1 seed Josh Larkin.

Kiwi Amanda Landers-Murphy fought back from 0-2 down to win a tough match against South African Milnay Louw in the women's final.

A week later Alexander and Landers-Murphy added the Mackay Open titles to their record.

Both players are chasing the "Triple Crown" when they line up in the Cairns International in November.

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Brisbane's **Ella Burge** has just been awarded the Junior Sportsperson of the Year at her school's sports presentation night.

The award covers Grades 7, 8, 9 and 10. The Grade 7 student was recognised for her sporting achievements in squash (regional, state, national school's squash representation against NZ) and discus, cricket and tennis at regional level.



(L to R) Professor Geoff Coombes UQ with Senior Sportsperson of the Year, Maggie Miller, Ella Burge and former Indooroopilly High students now Olympians: Caitlin Sargent-Jones (4x400m Relay Finalist) and Dane Bird-Smith (Race Walking Bronze Medallist).

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# OUR PSA PLAYERS

**Zac Alexander** won the Queensland Open and Mackay Open in October. It was his 7th PSA title for the year and his 12th victory in succession. The latest PSA rankings saw Alexander move from W#83 to W#64.

**Thomas Calvert** has now reached three quarter finals in a row. That consistency has paid off with the talented 21 year old achieving a new career high W#179.

**Lisa Camilleri** finished runner up in the Mackay Open. Camilleri played well to beat Jessica Turnbull in a tough semi 16-14, 11-4, 10-12, 12-10 (45m) before putting in a much improved performance against Kiwi Amanda Landers-Murphy in the final. Camilleri lost the 39 minute final 7-11, 10-12, 11-6, 3-11.

**Rachael Grinham** returned to the World Top 20 and back to Aussie #1. Grinham was knocked out of the US Open in the first round by #13 seed Sarah-Jane Perry (ENG) 11-7, 11-5, 11-8 (26m).

**Matt Hopkin** reached the semi finals of the Queensland Open. Hopkin nearly caused an upset against Joshua Larkin stretching the #1 seed for the Queensland Open all the way 11-7, 7-11, 11-7, 10-12, 11-8.

**Jessica Turnbull** was bundled out of the Queensland Open in Round 1 but regrouped and reached the semi final of the Mackay Open. Turnbull lost to Camilleri but the score line was close 14-16, 4-11, 12-10, 10-12 (45m).

Thomas Calvert achieved a new HWR.  
Soleyman Nowrozi achieved a new HWR.  
Taylor Jones achieved a new HWR.

## PSA WORLD RANKINGS AS AT 1 NOVEMBER 2016

TM	LM	PLAYER	HWR	TM	LM	PLAYER	HWR
64	83	Zac Alexander	36	19	22	Rachael Grinham	1
101	98	Matthew Hopkin	89	66	65	Lisa Camilleri	28
179	196	Thomas Calvert	179	83	81	Jessica Turnbull	81
208	213	Soleyman Nowrozi	208	100	112	Samantha Foyle	73
240	233	Joel Luca	232	105	103	Lakeesha Rarere	75
250	249	Courtney West	218	124	123	Samantha Calvert	111
348	331	Alex Eustace	238	151	166	Taylor Jones	151
377	367	Ben Courtice	333				
404	389	TJ French	255				
405	390	Nicholas Calvert	360				
407	431	Lachlan Coxsedg	398				

# Q SQUASH NEWS

## PSA M5 Q OPEN



As predicted #2 seed and defending champion **Zac Alexander** defeated #1 seed Josh Larkin 11-9, 6-11, 11-8, 11-7 in 56 minutes to raise the Queensland Open trophy for a third time.

Alexander (World #83) has now met Larkin in 4 finals in the past 12 months for 4 wins. In last year's Queensland Open Alexander won 11-7, 11-5, 11-9 in 37 minutes.

It was a much improved performance from Larkin. At the North Coast Open in September Larkin lost 11-13, 4-11, 2-11.

A spectacular performance from Brad Freeme and a strong effort from Matt Hopkin certainly boosted Alexander's edge in the final.

Qualifier Freeme turned back the clock and stretched the #4 seed Patrick Rooney from England all the way to lose narrowly in five: 8-11, 11-9, 10-12, 12-10, 10-12 (71min). Rooney had very little left in the tank going down to Alexander in the semi 8-11, 13-15, 7-11 in 42 minutes.

#3 seed Hopkin stretched Larkin to five in the other semi going down 7-11, 11-7, 7-11, 12-10, 8-11.

Alexander and Rooney will now compete in the Mackay Open.



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## PSA M5 Q OPEN



### Final

[2] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) bt [1] Joshua Larkin (AUS) 11-9, 6-11, 11-8, 11-7 (56m)

### Semi Finals

[1] Joshua Larkin (AUS) bt [3] Matthew Hopkin (AUS) 11-7, 7-11, 11-7, 10-12, 11-8

[2] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) bt [4] Patrick Rooney (ENG) 11-8, 15-13, 11-7 (42m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Joshua Larkin (AUS) bt [6] Manuel Wanner (SUI) 11-3, 11-6, 9-11, 11-7 (65m)

[3] Matthew Hopkin (AUS) bt [8] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-9, 11-4, 11-8 (35m)

[4] Patrick Rooney (ENG) bt [Q] Bradley Freeme (AUS) 11-8, 9-11, 12-10, 10-12, 12-10 (71m)

[2] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) bt [5] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) 11-9, 5-11, 11-9, 11-7 (55m)

### Round 1

[1] Joshua Larkin (AUS) bt [Q] Jean-Pierre Brits (RSA) 11-8, 11-1, 11-7 (20m)

[6] Manuel Wanner (SUI) bt [Q] Mohamed Saied (EGY) 11-3, 11-1, 11-3 (20m)

[8] Thomas Calvert (AUS) bt Joel Luca (AUS) 11-7, 11-5, 11-4 (20m)

[3] Matthew Hopkin (AUS) bt [WC] Lachlan Coxsedg (AUS) 11-3, 11-6, 11-2 (17m)

[4] Patrick Rooney (ENG) bt Rohan Toole (AUS) 11-6, 11-7, 14-12 (20m)

[Q] Bradley Freeme (AUS) bt [7] David Clegg (AUS) 11-2, 14-12, 11-3 (30m)

[5] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) bt Solayman Nowrozi (AUS) 11-9, 11-3, 11-7 (30m)

[2] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) bt [Q] David Ilich (AUS) 11-5, 11-6, 11-5 (20m)



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## PSA W5 Q OPEN



It was no surprise to see Kiwi **Amanda Landers-Murphy** win the 2016 Queensland Open title.

The 25 year old from Rotorua is way better than her World Ranking of 78. Landers Murphy achieved a career high World Ranking of 35 in February 2013. It has only been in the last 5 months that her ranking has slipped out of the World Top 50.

Things began to turn around for Landers Murphy after winning the World Women's Doubles Championship in Darwin in August with partner Joelle King.

The Kiwi pair beat doubles specialist Rachael Grinham and her partner Donna Urquhart 11-7, 11-4 in the final.

The final against South Africa's Milnay Louw wasn't easy. Landers Murphy found herself 2 games to love down before finishing off strongly to win 11-7, 13-11, 9-11, 7-11, 9-11 in 56 minutes.

#1 seed Tamika Saxby fell to Landers Murphy in the semi final 9-11, 5-11, 11-9, 9-11 (52m) whilst Louw took care of surprise packet Jemyca Aribado (PHI) 11-5, 11-7, 11-3 (25m) in the other semi.

Aribado had to qualify for the event before knocking out #2 seed Lisa Camilleri 3-11, 11-7, 11-9, 13-11 (40m) in the quarters.

Two other qualifiers turned back the clock and beat their first round opponents. Former World # 25 Melissa Martin beat Samantha Foyle 3-0 but fell to Landers Murphy in the quarters.

Sue Davis caused the biggest upset when she knocked out #4 seed Jessica Turnbull 6-11, 11-9, 11-3, 14-12 (35m).



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## PSA W5 Q OPEN



### Final

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) def [5] Milnay Louw (RSA) 7-11, 11-13, 11-9, 11-7, 11-9 (56m)

### Semi Finals

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) bt [1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) 11-9, 11-5, 9-11, 11-9 (52m)

[5] Milnay Louw (RSA) bt [Q] Jemyca Aribado (PHI) 11-5, 11-7, 11-3 (25m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt [6] Stephanie Wighton (AUS) 11-4, 11-3, 11-5 (20m)

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) bt [Q] Melissa Martin (AUS) 11-7, 11-6, 11-4 (22m)

[5] Milnay Louw (RSA) bt [Q] Susan Davis (AUS) 11-8, 11-4, 11-3 (17m)

[Q] Jemyca Aribado (PHI) bt [2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) 3-11, 11-7, 11-9, 13-11 (40m)

### Round 1

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) bt Tiffany Hau (USA) 11-2, 11-2, 11-5 (17m)

[6] Stephanie Wighton (AUS) bt [Q] Abbie Palmer (NZL) 7-11, 8-11, 11-7, 11-4, 11-4 (45m)

[Q] Melissa Martin (AUS) bt [7] Samantha Foyle (AUS) 11-6, 11-2, 11-9 (20m)

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) bt Taylor Jones (AUS) 11-1, 11-2, 11-3 (17m)

[Q] Susan Davis (AUS) bt [4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) 6-11, 11-9, 11-3, 14-12 (35m)

[5] Milnay Louw (RSA) bt Grazia Guida (AUS) 11-1, 11-1, 11-4 (20m)

[Q] Jemyca Aribado (PHI) bt [8] Samantha Calvert (AUS) 13-11, 11-4, 11-6 (20m)

[2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) bt Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-4, 11-7, 16-14 (30m)



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## PSA M5 MACKAY OPEN



### Final

[1] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) def [5] Manuel Wanner (SUI) 11-6, 11-8, 11-3 (37m)

### Semi Finals

[1] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) def [3] Patrick Rooney (ENG) 11-7, 11-9, 11-3 (33m)

[5] Manuel Wanner (SUI) def Jean-Pierre Brits (RSA) 13-11, 11-8, 11-6 (66m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) def [7] Solyman Nowrozi (AUS) 11-4, 11-4, 11-3 (20m)

[3] Patrick Rooney (ENG) def [6] Thomas Calvert (AUS) 11-9, 11-8, 11-9 (36m)

[5] Manuel Wanner (SUI) def [4] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) 8-11, 11-5, 11-9, 11-7 (61m)

Jean-Pierre Brits (RSA) def Darcy Evans (AUS) 7-11, 11-4, 11-6, 11-9 (56m)

### Round 1

[1] **Zac Alexander** (AUS) def [Q] Robert Garcia (PHI) 11-7, 6-11, 11-8, 11-6 (37m)

[7] Solyman Nowrozi (AUS) def [Q] Graham Miao (HKG) 11-4, 11-5, 11-4 (28m)

[6] Thomas Calvert (AUS) def [Q] Ruan Olivier (RSA) 13-11, 11-2, 11-4 (28m)

[3] Patrick Rooney (ENG) def [Q] Zac Millar (NZL) 11-5, 11-5, 11-4 (30m)

[4] Dimitri Steinmann (SUI) def Mohamed Saied (EGY) 12-10, 11-7, 11-5 (30m)

[5] Manuel Wanner (SUI) def Courtney West (AUS) 11-5, 11-8, 11-9 (22m)

Darcy Evans (AUS) def [8] Joel Luca (AUS) 11-7, 12-10, 11-7 (27m)

Jean-Pierre Brits (RSA) def [2] Rui Soares (POR) 12-10, 11-4, 11-6 (38m)



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## PSA W5 MACKAY OPEN



### Final

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) def [2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) 11-7, 12-10, 6-11, 11-3 (39m)

### Semi Finals

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) def [1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) 11-7, 9-11, 11-4, 9-11, 11-8 (46m)

[2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) def [4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) 16-14, 11-4, 10-12, 12-10 (45m)

### Quarter Finals

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) def [5] Milnay Louw (RSA) 11-7, 11-9, 8-11, 11-7 (45m)

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) def [8] Samantha Calvert (AUS) 11-3, 9-11, 11-0, 11-6 (27m)

[4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) def [6] Stephanie Wighton (AUS) 11-4, 11-3, 11-1 (17m)

[2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) def [7] Samantha Foyle (AUS) 11-6, 11-8, 11-7 (12m)

### Round 1

[1] Tamika Saxby (AUS) def [Q] Teagan Ollett (AUS) 11-2, 11-3, 11-1 (11m)

[5] Milnay Louw (RSA) def [Q] Tiffany Loss (AUS) 11-2, 11-4, 11-4 (18m)

[8] Samantha Calvert (AUS) def Tiffany Hau (USA) 11-6, 13-11, 10-12, 11-7 (35m)

[3] **Amanda Landers-Murphy** (NZL) def [Q] Jemyca Aribado (PHI) 13-11, 11-7, 11-1 (21m)

[4] Jessica Turnbull (AUS) def Taylor Jones (AUS) 11-5, 11-5, 11-1 (18m)

[6] Stephanie Wighton (AUS) def [Q] Hannah Shipley (ENG) 10-12, 11-9, 11-7, 11-8 (27m)

[7] Samantha Foyle (AUS) def Taylor Flavell (AUS) 11-7, 9-11, 11-4, 11-9 (36m)

[2] Lisa Camilleri (AUS) def Katie Smith (ENG) 11-3, 11-5, 11-9 (18m)



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# Q SQUASH NEWS

## GRADED WINNERS

### Q Open Graded Events:

#### Men's Premier:

[8] Jean-Pierre Britz (South Africa) def [2] Ruan Olivier (South Africa) 13-15, 11-7, 13-11, 6-11, 11-3

#### Men's Division 1:

Robert Garcia (Philippines) def [10] Chris Soldi 12-10, 11-2, 11-1

#### Men's Division 2:

[3] BJ MacDonald def [1] Shane Forgan 11-8, 11-8, 11-6

#### Men's Division 3:

[8] Matt Dunn def [5] Ari Mizis 11-5, 11-4, 12-10

#### Men's Division 4:

[1] Charlie Coad def [5] Josh Forgan 11-4, 11-5, 12-10

#### Women's Premier:

[4] Samantha Foyle def [2] Sue Davis 11-9, 11-9, 11-5



## CONGRATULATIONS

### Mackay Open Graded Events:

#### Mens Premier:

[1] Rui Soares (Portugal) def [2] Robert Garcia (Philippines) 11-4, 11-4, 11-9 (43m)

#### Mens A Grade:

[2] Chris McEldowney def [7] Ben Crook 11-4, 11-2, 11-5 (31m)

#### Mens B Grade:

[10] Thomas Houston def [6] Dan Brough 2-11, 11-9, 9-11, 11-8, 12-10

#### Mens C Grade:

[1] Daniel Wagner def [2] Steve Solomon 11-9, 11-4, 7-11, 8-11, 11-1 (59m)

#### Mens D Grade:

Tom O'Sullivan def Matt Brazier 11-8, 11-2, 11-8 (33m)

#### Womens Premier:

[1] Jemyca Aribado (Philippines) def Stephanie Wighton 11-6, 11-7, 11-9 (25m)

#### Womens B Grade:

[6] Hayley Hankinson def [2] Kerry Mather 11-3, 11-13, 11-4, 11-9

#### Womens C Grade:

[1] Karina Schuberg def [2] Kylie Daniel 11-13, 10-12, 11-6, 11-5, 11-3 (27m)

#### Womens D Grade:

Round Robin: Dee Steffen won all 5 matches



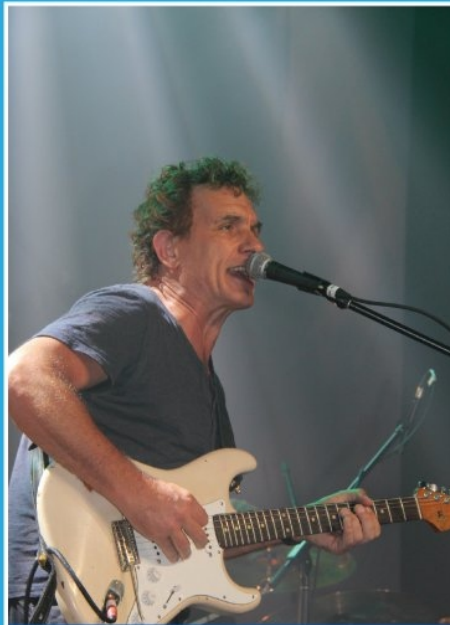


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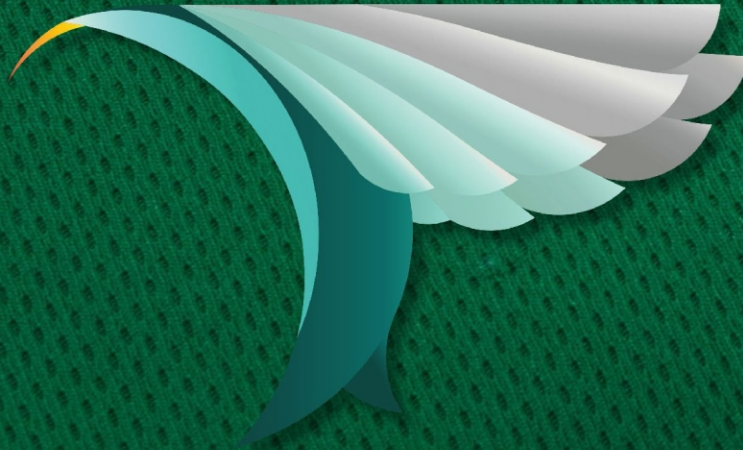
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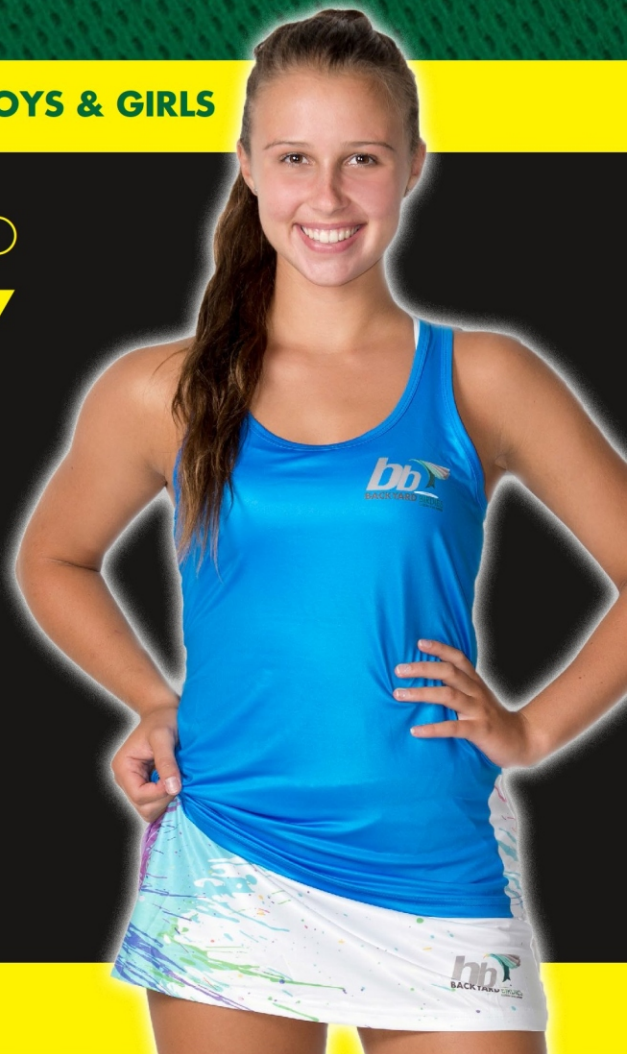
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## SHARKS WIN 13th Team Title

**13 consecutive titles from 2004 to 2016.** That is simply an awesome achievement.

To keep producing a quality 24 member team each year with players ranging in age from 11 to 18 and doing it after an exhaustive individual championship campaign is challenging to say the very least.

With changes in coaching personnel, changes to team composition, fatigue, injuries, emotions, nerves, etc it is just phenomenal that the mighty Queensland Sharks have been able to sustain their efforts for so long.

There are several reasons why Queensland has been able to dominate for so long. Firstly, Queenslanders have a wonderful culture of wanting to play sport, represent their State and win.

The Queensland Team were runners up to NSW for 5 years in a row from 1999 to 2003 so the interstate rivalry just kept building. The change to three person teams in 2002 and the Queensland Junior Championships, with their individual and team championships played together, have all contributed significantly.

The Team adopted the Sharks theme in 2003 which gave them identity, a new playing uniform and a greater strength!

Queensland has always had a number of passionate coaches who have guided their young charges to strive for success at the AJC.

The formula continues to deliver.



Want more AJC news and detail?

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They are under the Other Info tab



## AJC TEAMS @ THORNLEIGH

#1 seeds Queensland def #2 seeds Western Australia

### R5 Queensland v WA

BU19 Alex Eustace  
 BU19 Jon van der Kreek  
 GU19 Taylor Jones  
 GU19 Kirby Gill

1	3	33	6
1	3	33	6
1	3	40	5
1	3	35	5
<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>4</b>

Total Points **26**

BU17 David Turner  
 BU17 Ethan Stephenson  
 GU17 Courtney Mather  
 GU17 Mackenzie Sleep

1	3	54	4
0	1	36	1
1	3	35	6
1	3	47	4
<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>4</b>

Total Points **19**

BU15 Wesley Dyer  
 BU15 Lachlan Michel  
 GU15 Hayley Hankinson  
 GU15 Katie Davies

0	0	27	0
0	2	50	2
1	3	41	5
1	3	33	6
<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>4</b>

Total Points **17**

BU13 BJ MacDonald  
 BU13 Luke Eyles  
 GU13 Ella Burge  
 GU13 Kurstyn Mather

0	0	11	0
0	0	21	0
0	0	23	0
1	3	33	6
<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>0</b>

Total Points **6**

def Damon MacMillan  
 def Callum Blakey  
 def Kiara Rogers  
 def Olivia Lindsey

0	0	18	0
0	0	14	0
0	1	35	1
0	1	35	1
<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>0</b>

Total Points **2**

def Abel Jin  
 lost to Trey MacKenzie  
 def Jade Woods  
 def Pascale Louka

0	2	51	2
1	3	37	5
0	0	23	0
0	2	45	2
<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>0</b>

Total Points **9**

lost to Remi Young  
 lost to Eric Gray  
 def Olivia Bunter  
 def Michaela Pratt

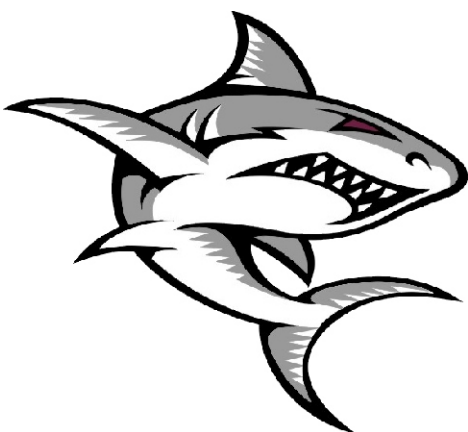
1	3	35	6
1	3	55	4
0	1	30	1
0	0	21	0
<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>0</b>

Total Points **11**

lost to Gregory Chan  
 lost to Oscar Curtis  
 lost to Erin Classen  
 def Bayley Ponton

1	3	33	6
1	3	33	6
1	3	34	6
0	0	16	0
<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>4</b>

Total Points **22**



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## AJC TEAMS @ THORNLEIGH

QLD	U19	U17	U15	U13
1 NSW	24	23	23	22
2 BYE	0	0	0	0
3 ACT	28	16	25	28
4 SA	23	20	23	24
5 TAS	28	8	26	28
6 VIC	27	22	22	21
7 WA	26	19	17	6
	<b>156</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>129</b>
	1st	2nd	1st	2nd
		TAS		WA

	U19	U17	U15	U13	
1 QLD	156	108	136	129	529
2 WA	96	79	104	150	429
3 VIC	103	89	87	96	375
4 NSW	54	69	115	117	355
5 SA	115	38	58	24	235
6 ACT	42	67	50	46	205
7 TAS	22	138	32	20	212

### Queensland Sharks Team Awards:



Austin Adarraga Achievement Award: **Alex Eustace**  
 Kay Barclay Achievement Award: **Hayley Hankinson**  
 Supershark MVP Award Male: **David Turner**  
 Supershark MVP Award Female: **Courtney Mather**

## Congratulations



## AJC TEAMS @ THORNLEIGH GOLD MEDALISTS



Katie Davies, Jayna Gill, Hayley Hankinson, Wes Dyer, Joshua Penfold, and Lachlan Michel



Taylor Jones, Skye Turner, Kirby Gill, Jon van der Kreek, Alex Eustace and Nick Calvert



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## AJC @ THORNLEIGH SILVER MEDALISTS



**U13**

**Kurstyn Mather, Ella Burge, Madison Lyon, BJ MacDonald, Benjamin Murray and Luke Eyles**



**U17**

**Zoe Lockton, Mackenzie Sleep, Courtney Mather, Brody DiBella, Declan Cashman, David Turner and Ethan Stephenson**



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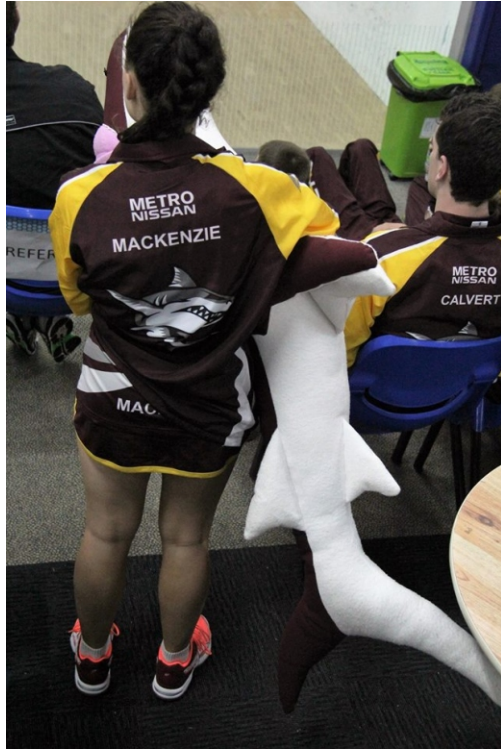
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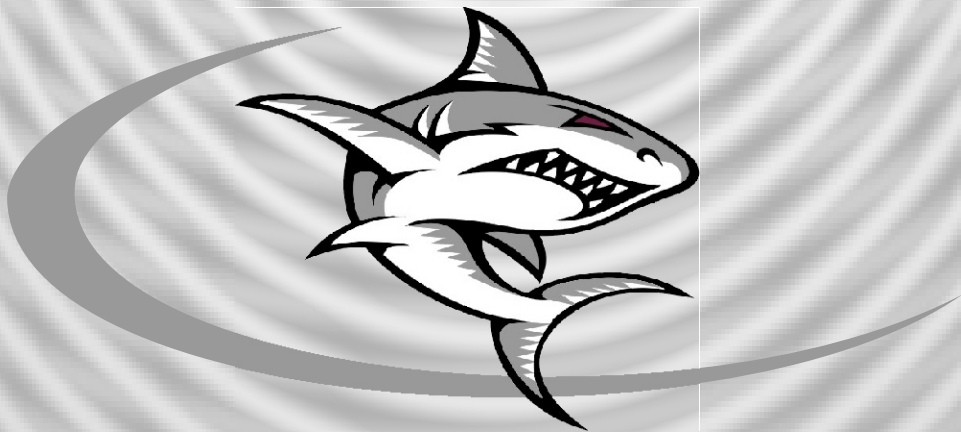
**U13** Luke Eyles, BJ MacDonald, Ben Murray,  
Ella Burge, Madison Lyon, Kurstyn Mather

**U15** Wes Dyer, Lachlan Michel, Joshua Penfold,  
Jayna Gill, Katie Davies, Hayley Hankinson

**U17** Declan Cashman, Ethan Stephenson, David  
Turner, Zoe Lockton, Courtney Mather, Mackenzie  
Sleep

**U19** Nick Calvert, Alex Eustace, Jon van der Kreek,  
Kirby Gill, Taylor Jones, Skye Turner

**Champions for the 13th consecutive year  
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# 2016 BRISBANE OPEN

## SQUASH TOURNAMENT

**Redcliffe** is a beautiful place to be just before summer! The weather is just perfect ...

So getting on the squash courts at the **Redcliffe PCYC** is a great option. Watching some of the best players in the World competing in the **Brisbane Open** is also a motivating experience. So why not do both?

Yes, **YOU** are invited to play in the **2016 Brisbane Open** from **Friday 11 to Sunday 13 November**. **Entries close on the 8th November**.

There will be grades to suit all skill levels so it's a great way for "squashies" to have some quality matches, gain extra Matrix points and watch some high level squash in the Open divisions.

The 2015 Men's Champion was Zac Alexander, a Brisbane based squash player who achieved a career high ranking of #36 on the Professional Squash Association (PSA) World Tour. Alexander has already won five professional events this year and is favourite to win the Queensland and Mackay Opens this month.

The 2015 Women's Champion was Cheyna Tucker, a professional squash player from South Africa.

This year the **Brisbane Open** will be a **PSA Closed Satellite**. That means the entry for the Open events will be restricted to our very own Queensland squash stars.

The following stars have been confirmed for 2016:

**Rachael Grinham**, former World #1 and World champion, now ranked World #23

**Jessica Turnbull**, currently ranked World #83

**Samantha Foyle**, local PCYC representative, currently ranked World #116

**Zac Alexander**, Brisbane player, currently ranked World #92

**Matthew Hopkin**, currently ranked World #100

**Brad Freeme**, local PCYC representative, ranked 5 in Brisbane

**Alex Eustace**, current Australian U19 Junior Champion

Players came from near and far last year and the same is expected this year.

The **Moreton Bay Regional Council** is our Major Sponsor once again ... Thank you.

For more information contact **Josh Foyle** on **0424 612 993**

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# CENTRAL REGION NEWS

## GLADSTONE JUNIOR OPEN



38 players participated in the **Gladstone Junior Open** on the 22-23 October.

Gladstone had 16 players competing. 20 players traveled down from Rocky, one from Emerald and there was one player from Brisbane. Four Mixed Divisions were conducted.

Rockhampton's Joel Arscott defeated Gladstone's David Turner in the Division 1 - U19

### DIVISION 1 - U19

<b>1st</b>	<b>Joel Arscott</b>	<b>Rockhampton</b>
2nd	David Turner	Gladstone
3rd	Kobe Weder	Rockhampton

### DIVISION 2 - U17

<b>1st</b>	<b>Zoe Aust</b>	<b>Brisbane</b>
2nd	Blake Jordison	Gladstone
3rd	Danielle James	Rockhampton

### DIVISION 3 - U15

<b>1st</b>	<b>Marnie Herdman</b>	<b>Rockhampton</b>
2nd	Aaron Bryant	Rockhampton
3rd	Wykeakea Wasin	Rockhampton

### DIVISION 4 - U13

<b>1st</b>	<b>Ryder Simpson</b>	<b>Rockhampton</b>
2nd	Beau Van Hese	Rockhampton
3rd	Jacob Weder	Rockhampton

Final. 10 male players participated in Division 1.

Division 2 saw two Round Robin groups play off before a final was conducted between Zoe Aust from Brisbane and Blake Jordison from Gladstone. 7 players fought out the Division but Zoe Aust reigned supreme.

It was an all Rocky Division 3 final with Marnie Herdman too good for Aaron Bryant. 8 players took part in Division 3.

Rocky players dominated Division 4 as well with Ryder Simpson defeating Beau Van Hese in the final.

With 13 participants in U13 that is a great sign for the future.

# CENTRAL REGION NEWS

## BAF MOURA OPEN

### Kylie Myles Reports

The 30th Annual Brandt Afton Fechner tournament was held in Moura on the 15th and 16th October.

The annual tournament is held in memory of Brandt Fechner, a young member of our club who tragically lost his life in the 1986 Moura underground disaster.

Players traveled from Bundaberg, Brisbane, Gladstone, Rockhampton and even a plane flew in from Gympie!

8 divisions were contested with some really tough matches being played in the top 3 divisions. Handouts to 9 really pushed most players to their limits which then resulted in long 4 & 5 set matches.

Many thanks to all of our sponsors, particularly the few juniors we have who fundraised most of the sponsorship money by the way of raffles & money boards.

Also a huge thanks to all our volunteers who helped out tirelessly over the entire weekend to make the event a great success.

Congratulations to all the winners, Until BAF 2017, Good Squashing!!!

Results as follows:

#### Open:

**Winner: Ben Tobin**

Runner Up: Zac Dowling

Third: Sue Davis

#### Division 1

**Winner: Daryl Myles**

Runner Up: Neil Hughes

Third: Jeff Hamelink

#### Division 2

**Winner: Casey Vollmer**

Runner Up: Ben Dowling

Third: Mick Laver

#### Division 3

**Winner: Mick Swan**

Runner Up: Josh Duff

Third: Rowan Pharl

#### Division 4

**Winner: Bree Dunn**

Runner Up: Frank Saunders

Third: Ralph Frankcom

#### Division 5

**Winner: Warren Luhrs**

Runner Up: Charles Attard

Third: Jace Mallet

#### Division 6

**Winner: Nathan Laver**

Runner Up: Wade Reynolds

Third: Rob Adams

#### Division 7

**Winner: Tasmin Swan**

Runner Up: Nathan Turner

Third: Jarod Marendaz

**Encouragement Award:** Nathan Adams

**Sportsmanship Award:** Nathan Laver

*What a great game!*  
**SQUASH**



# BAF MOURA 16



Jeff, Neil & Daryl



Josh



Kylie & Frank



Logan & Casey



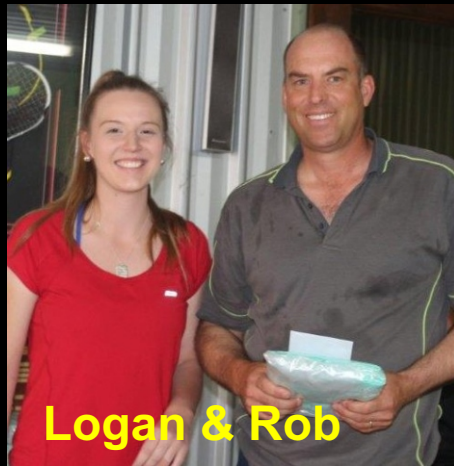
Ralph & Logan



David & Zoe



Rosy & Myles



Logan & Rob



Rebecca & Bree



Veronica, Steve & Rosy



Ben & Tasmin

**Congratulations**



## INGHAM JUNIOR QUALIFIER

The first NR junior qualifier for 2017 has been played at Ingham. Even though the first event was a little quiet there was still 61 competitors fighting it out across 9 events.

Cairns' Michael Lawrence won a double bagging the U9 and U11 titles.

Mackay's Kayce Hoani Vincent caused an upset beating Ingham's Kate Butcher to take the U11 title.

With BJ MacDonald playing in U17 and U19 the door was left open for a new champ to emerge and that's exactly what Innisfail's Matthew Finitis did winning the final 3-0.

Cairns's Kiara Stubley performed well to take the U13 title beating club mate Shantelle Ale 3-0.

The tournament featured Emerald's Courtney and Kurstyn Mather with the sisters snatching 3 titles.

Ingham's DiBella brothers, Jordan and Brody, also won 3 titles between them. Great to see Brody back from a shoulder injury which forced him out of the U17 Queensland Sharks team.

Australian champions Wes Dyer and Hayley Hankinson did not play.



### U11

Winner **Kayce Hoani Vincent**  
Runner Up Kate Butcher  
Plate Sarah Brazier

### U13

Winner **Kiara Stubley**  
Runner Up Shantelle Ale  
Plate Charlotte Erba

### U15

Winner **Kurstyn Mather**  
Runner Up Kiara Stubley  
Plate Shantelle Ale

### U17

Winner **Courtney Mather**  
Runner Up Summer Palmer  
Plate Kurstyn Mather

### U19

Winner **Courtney Mather**  
Runner Up Summer Palmer  
Plate

### U9

Winner **Michael Lawrence**  
Runner Up Jack Butcher  
Plate Shiven Sharma

### U11

Winner **Michael Lawrence**  
Runner Up Jack Butcher  
Plate Francis Morove

### U13

Winner **Matthew Finitis**  
Runner Up Matthew Brazier  
Plate Scott Lynch

### U15

Winner **Jordan DiBella**  
Runner Up Jake Webb  
Plate Josh Porter

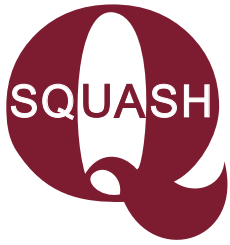
### U17

Winner **Brody DiBella**  
Runner Up Bradley Martin  
Plate Xavier Morzone

### U19

Winner **Brody DiBella**  
Runner Up BJ MacDonald  
Plate Michael Sutherland





# JUNIOR RANKINGS

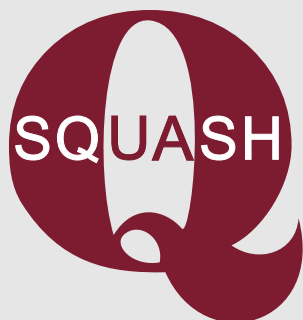
## NOVEMBER 2016

U11 Boys	U13 Boys	U15 Boys	U17 Boys
1 Zane Wolpers	Luke Eyles	Wesley Dyer	David Turner
2 Rohan Siddens	Ben Murray	Ethan Stephenson	Brody DiBella
3 Jack Hansen	Matt Brazier	Lachlan Michel	Cameron Darton
4 Tyrone Ale **	Lachlan Erba	Declan Cashman	Robert van der Kreek
5 *Michael Lawrence*	Tom Climpson	Joshua Penfold	Bradley Martin
6 Nickolai Wolpers *	Scott Lynch	B J MacDonald	Sebastian Johnson
7 Ryder Simpson	Aaron Bryant	Jordan DiBella	Zachary Houston
8 Jaxon Hughes	Charlie Jackson	Sean Julius Wright	Jack Simons
9 Quinn Douglas		Lachlan Woodforth	Nathan Laver
10		Eric Lockton	Jake Webb

U19 Boys	U11 Girls	U13 Girls	U15 Girls
1 Alex Eustace	Kayce Hoani Vincent	Ashlyn Barclay	Hayley Hankinson
2 Jon van der Kreek	Tara Davies	Kurstyn Mather	Jayna Gill
3 Nicholas Calvert	Sarah Brazier	Madison Lyon	Katie Davies
4 Lachlan Cocksedge	Olivia McDermott	Charlotte Stephenson	Ella Burge
5 Caleb Johnson		Kiara Stubley	Lauren Luck
6 Corey Sergeant		Shona Cocksedge	Kaci Newman
7 Connor McNeill		Jessamay Prior	Ariel Lyon
8 Joel Arscott		Payton Douglas	Gemma Brownsey
9 Riley Steffan		Charlotte Erba	Grace Brownsey
10 Sean Motti		Shantelle Ale	Danielle James

U17 Girls	U19 Girls	U21 Girls
1 Courtney Mather	Skye Turner	Brenda Lee Mather
2 Taylor Jones	Tegan Scobie	
3 Mackenzie Sleep	Jessica Green	
4 Kirby Gill	Zoe Aust	
5 Zoe Lockton	Caitlin Purcell	
6 Karissa Barclay		
7 Summer Palmer		
8 Danielle Hankinson		
9 Chloe Thompson		
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### 2016

4-6 NOV

5-7 NOV

11-13 NOV

19-20 NOV

3-4 DEC

4 DEC

10-11 DEC

**Cairns International - PSA & Graded Events** - Cairns

**Pan Pacific Masters** - Nerang

**Brisbane Open - PSA Closed Satellite & Graded events** - Redcliffe PCYC

**Palm Beach Masters** - Acacia Ridge

**PCYC Redcliffe Masters** - Brisbane

**Nerang Junior Open (Bronze)** - Nerang

**Barrett Property Sales Junior Classic** - Sandgate

### 2017

18-19 FEB 17

19 FEB 17

19 FEB 17

18-19 MAR 17

24-26 MAR 17

**NR Junior Qualifier (Bronze)** - Cairns

**Laidley Junior (Bronze)** - Laidley

**Brisbane Junior (Bronze)** - TBA

**NR Junior Qualifier** - Townsville

**Australian Closed Championship** - Townsville

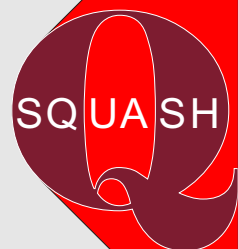


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