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SQUASH NEW ZEALAND
Annual Report 2011

Kiwi professional Campbell Grayson in action
on the PSA Tour at the Santiago Open.



2011 NEW ZEALAND E GRADE MENS CHAMPIONS - HASTINGS, EASTERN



2011 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS TEAMS CHAMPION - EPSOM GIRLS GRAMMAR, AUCKLAND

Back Row(L-R): Luka Unger, Eleanor Epke, Norida Perry (Manager), Taylor Flavell. Front Row(L-R): Hayley Hughes, Caitlyn Crymble, Rebecca Epke



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New Zealand's top junior girl in action,
Marlborough's Megan Craig.



Squash New Zealand Officials 2010-2011

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Dame Susan Devoy

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Neil McAra (Chairman), Warren Patterson, Wayne Werder, Linda Kenny, Tony Johnston, Tony Alexander, Toni-Maree Carnie

PROGRAMME DIRECTORS

Masters: Wayne Seebeck
Refereeing: Joss Urbahn

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Senior/Junior: Michel Galloway, Wayne Reid, Aileen Buscke, Dame Susan Devoy
Masters: Wayne Seebeck, Jill Brown, Ian Gunthorp

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Club Development Director: Pennie Ball
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Head Coach: Anthony Ricketts (until February), Paul Hornsby (from September)
Receptionist: Jan Lewis (until May)
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Roy Haddon (d)
Allen Johns (d)
Don Green (d)
Neven Barbour
Bryden Clarke
Norman Coe
Murray Day
Dame Susan Devoy
Dardir El Bakary
Butch Gifford
Bill Murphy
Ross Norman
Susie Simcock
Michael Sumpter
Don Cotter

2011 New Zealand Junior Open
Champions, Rebecca Barnett
and Paul Coll.





Squash New Zealand Honours Board 2011

PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR	2010 Joelle King	2011 Don Cotter		
CHAIRMANS AWARD	2010 Commonwealth Games Team	2011 Joseph Romanos		
CLUB OF THE YEAR	Manurewa Squash Rackets Club			
NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL MEN'S SQUASH CHAMPION	Martin Knight		North Shore	
NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL WOMEN'S SQUASH CHAMPION	Joelle King		Cambridge	
MOST IMPROVED SENIOR PLAYERS				
	Female	Amanda Landers-Murphy	Ti Street, Rotorua	
	Male	Evan Williams	Thorndon	
NEW ZEALAND SENIOR INTER-DISTRICT TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP				
	Women	Waikato		
	Men	Wellington		
NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR SQUASH CHAMPIONS				
	Men	Paul Coll	Greymouth	
	Women	Rebecca Barnett	Mitchell Park	
NEW ZEALAND AGE GROUP JUNIOR SQUASH CHAMPIONS				
	Under 19 Men	Lance Beddoes	Henderson	
	Under 19 Women	Megan Craig	Christchurch	
MOST IMPROVED JUNIOR PLAYERS				
	Female	Danielle Fourie	SquashGym Palmerston North	
	Male	Jonathan Barnett	Mitchell Park	
NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR INTER-DISTRICT TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP				
	Men	Auckland		
	Women	Auckland		
DEREK COOKE MEMORIAL TROPHY FOR REFEREEING			Joss Urbahn, Central	
NEW COACH OF THE YEAR			Nirelle McDonald, Northland	
CLUB & SCHOOL COACH OF THE YEAR			Nick Wiffen, Wellington	
DISTRICT PERFORMANCE COACH OF THE YEAR			Mark Waldin, Auckland	
NEW ZEALAND MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIP				
	35+	Men	Paul Bedford	Waikite Valley
		Women	Mickayla Kerr	Mitchell Park
	40+	Men	Rod Bannister	SquashGym Palmerston North
		Women	Lisa Cowlard	North Shore
	45+	Men	Gary Duberly	North Shore
		Women	Sonia Rinter	Australia
	50+	Men	Dale Robbins	Australia
		Women	Kaye Newman	Hamilton
	55+	Men	Kevin Smuts	Howick
		Women	Anne Richards	Australia
	60+	Men	Tony Naughton	Thorndon
		Women	Kaye Jackson	Warkworth
	65+	Men	Richard Purser	Remuera
		Women	Pat Taylor	Tauranga
	70+	Men	Barry Gardiner	Burnside
	75+	Men	Trevor Coulter	Frankton
NEW ZEALAND MASTERS INTER-DISTRICT TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP				
	Wellington			

SQUASH
TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS



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PALMERSTON NORTH

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SQUASH
CHAMPIONSHIPS

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PROFILE

Squash New Zealand 2011 Review and Reports

New Zealand's top ranked and high profile professional Joelle King, seen here being interviewed by media at the World Teams Championships.



Chairman's Review

A great deal has happened over the last 12 months with the hope that the benefits will be seen in the coming years. As a sport we continue to develop a plan for change and strive to improve the delivery of the sport. We have been working with districts and other stakeholders to develop a better structure going forward and will present this plan at the AGM.

I believe our sport needs to change and adapt. Doing nothing is not an option and we need to move forward as one organisation. The sport needs to be growing and viable. Part of the change is focused at streamlining the sport to ensure we have most efficient and effective resources being delivered.

This year has seen changes within the national office with the loss of Andrew Ricketts and the appointment of Paul Hornsby as National Coach. The sport thanks Anthony for the contribution he has made to the high performance programme and looks forward to Paul's contribution. Also during the period of transition a thanks goes to David Clarke, who not only carried on the National Coaching Director's role, but also stepped into Co-coordinating the High Performance programme.

At a club level we continue to develop valued resources through the role that Pennie Ball has as Club Development Director. Great progress throughout the country has been made in respect to sharing resources and improving club resources. We are very encouraged with the progress that has been made and receiving excellent feedback from Districts in respect to positive outcomes that are being achieved.

Jim O'Grady, Chief Executive, continues an excellent job in respect to improving the relationships between stakeholders and Squash New Zealand. Some significant work has been done in respect to realignment of the National Office, regions and clubs to try and enhance the delivery of the sport throughout New Zealand.

The SIT project is now in its third year of operation and is the platform for squash going forward. The system is now operational in respect to the delivery of live grading results, competition management, club management and access and security management. We will continue with enhancements within our financial constraints. SIT provides an excellent tool for clubs going forward and will enable significant efficiencies to be achieved and assists with the enhancement of the sport.

Last year's AGM saw the another successful Hall of Fame induction and another is planned for this year's AGM. Also completed was the book "Long or Short? The Story of New Zealand Squash". Thanks to the committee that has been working on capturing the history of the sport and our key identities. This committee is now structured as an incorporated society.

Squash is grateful for the support and assistance it receives from its partners and sponsors and particularly SPARC. They continue to invest in our sport and support our initiatives going forward and without this support we could not exist to the extent we do. Our relationship manager Michael Taylor has continued to support and commit to squash. Again this year we face a tough financial time in respect to our ability to secure sponsors and trust funding. As all organisations are aware, the decreasing level of trust funding available provides a challenge for the sport going forward to continue the same level of service on reducing revenue. Our thanks to our sponsors including SPARC, New Zealand Community Trust, Lion Foundation, Mitchell Trust, Dunlop, Honda, Millennium Hotels and Resorts, Pelorus Trust, Pub Charity and the ASB Community Trust.

Finally I would like to thank a number of people in respect to their commitment and dedication over the past 12 months in squash. All our selectors and programme directors who worked tirelessly in delivering service to the sport. Our referees who put in numerous hours in respect to controlling the game. I would also like to acknowledge the contribution of Rob Walker and Club Kelburn. This continues to be a sound financial return to Squash New Zealand and provided a sustainable income stream to continue to fund the sport. Lastly I would like to thank the Board of Squash New Zealand, Wayne Werder, Toni-Maree Carnie, Warren Patterson, Linda Kenny, Tony Johnston and Tony Alexander. It has been a busy year during some challenging times and they commit significant hours to the development of the sport.

NEIL MCARA
Chairman, Squash New Zealand



Before



Top: Masterton Squash Club's refurbishment of courts, stairwell and lounge.

Below: The new Devoy Squash & Fitness Centre in Tauranga with ASB moveable wall courts, gym and attractive lounge/cafe area.



After

SQUASH FACILITIES THAT ARE WELCOMING





Chief Executive's Report

When looking back over the last year it is hard to imagine any twelve month period of such contrasting lows and highs. New Zealanders have had to deal with the economic and emotional costs of several major disasters including the devastating earthquakes in Christchurch, the Pike River mine disaster and the Rena grounding in Tauranga. By contrast the euphoria and excitement surrounding the Rugby World Cup has united the country and showcased the very best New Zealand has to offer.

To varying degrees these events have had an impact on squash particularly in Christchurch where clubs have had to deal with the loss of income, loss of members, rebuilding and increased insurance costs. It is a credit to the club members and their committees that most have been able to cope with these extra demands and continue to operate successfully. For some clubs it has not been as easy and it will take many years before things are back to normal.

In my report last year I focused on the key elements of our strategic plan so it is appropriate to make a comparison twelve months on.

SQUASH IS CONNECTED WITH EVERY PERSON AND FACILITY ASSOCIATED WITH THE GAME.

The ongoing development of SIT (Squash Information Technology) and completion of the remaining modules has been an important focus again this year. Along with the membership database, grading, interclub and results entry modules work has been completed on a web based court booking system, improvements have been completed with the administration and reports functions and the first stage of the competition management module has been tested and is ready for release. Other functions have been added including bulk email, district supervisor status and online membership returns.

The SIT platform underpins much of our operational activity and will be developed to incorporate more online data processing in the future. The changes to date have been positively received however we are mindful of the need to ensure there is adequate training and support for the users of the system.

Affiliation and affiliation levies remain a significant discussion point with clubs and districts and while it was the subject of a remit at the 2010 annual general meeting which generated

a lot of discussion no conclusion was reached. It was agreed that more work was needed and while the T2020 Task Force spent some time looking at the current SEM method and alternative methods of affiliation and levies it was decided that Squash New Zealand should continue to review the matter separately from the structural change work undertaken by the T2020 Task Force. Work has continued to attract unaffiliated squash clubs back to Squash New Zealand with some success however this has proven to be a more difficult challenge than envisaged.

SQUASH FACILITIES ARE HEALTHY, WELCOMING AND RELEVANT.

In a tightening market squash clubs are facing increased competition from every direction. The lingering effects of a recession, natural disasters and the rugby world cup have all contributed to a tighter economic climate and greater competition for the discretionary dollar in the sports sector. Increasingly technology is changing the way we live and how we connect with others. The challenge for clubs is how to compete in that environment and offer products and services that meet the needs and expectations of the customers. Pennie Ball, Club Development Director for Squash New Zealand, has been working with clubs and districts over the last twelve months to educate them on the benefits of SIT and how this technology can make a difference at club level. Along with these initiatives, other resources are also available to assist clubs including audit tools, facility maintenance programmes and management guidelines.

It is encouraging to see new courts being built and the Tauranga Squash Club is to be congratulated on the opening of the new Dame Susan Devoy Squash and Fitness Centre. The state of the art complex, which is sited adjacent to the Sport Bay of Plenty offices and located on school land, features four ASB courts with a further two planned and will eventually include a gym.

A significant upgrade was also completed at the Masterton Squash Club this year and this is a great example of how an old, traditional squash club can be transformed into a vibrant, modern facility. This was a major undertaking for the committee and they are to be congratulated on their vision and determination to breathe new life into the club. It is encouraging to see a number of major developments which

include squash being planned throughout the country in the near future. Increasingly there is a trend toward multi use facilities and sports hubs where a number of sports share common resources and costs. There are already a number of such examples where squash is a partner in this type of environment and it may well be the shape of the future for some of our clubs.

A sign of the changing times is the use of the internet to market squash. Sites such as "Treat Me" and "Grab One" are being used to offer short term deals and have been used very effectively by Club Kelburn and the National Squash Centre to increase turnover; in the latter case by over 20%. The success of these promotions show that people want to play squash, particularly the 20-30 age group, but the traditional methods of attracting participants don't apply in this market.

THE LEADERSHIP AND SUPPORT PROVIDED BY A CAPABLE AND ALIGNED NATIONAL OFFICE AND REGIONS IS VALUED BY ALL.

Early in 2011 the board of Squash New Zealand recognised the need to complete the previous work undertaken as part of the T2020 project. Discussion documents were circulated prior to the midyear presidents meeting reviewing the work to date and possible recommendations for the future. That meeting generated a healthy discussion and the outcome was the formation of a Task Force charged with making recommendations to the board of Squash New Zealand for adoption at the 2011 annual general meeting.

The task force comprised four district presidents and three Squash New Zealand representatives and they reviewed the options discussed at the midyear meeting on possible structural reforms. The recommendations, outlining a staged approach to change, were tabled and accepted at the Squash New Zealand board meeting held October 10. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the task force for their input and congratulate them on the report.

The task force recommendations included –

- Having a stronger national office
- National plans implemented regionally
- Regions concentrating more on programme delivery
- More co-ordination, collaboration and resource sharing at an operational level
- Improved involvement and representation for clubs

The recommendations are now with the districts for feedback and comment with workshops scheduled at the annual general meeting for further discussion on the various elements of the proposals. We are encouraged by the response to date and have already had an indication of support from SPARC for the next stage of the project. It is an interesting time for squash with many other sports facing their own changes and challenges and our future success will

be determined by how well we deal with our own reforms and the progress we make over the next twelve months.

EVERYONE IS SUPPORTED BY A CLEAR PATHWAY. THEIR SUCCESS PROFILES THE GAME AND INSPIRES PARTICIPATION.

At the heart of our sport are the operational programmes that support coaching, national events, refereeing, masters and high performance. Squash is fortunate to have some very good people working in these areas that can and do make a real difference.

The national coaching strategy, led by Dave Clarke, continues to go from strength to strength. The number of facilitators and participants is growing steadily each year and is only limited by the time and resources available. The success of the programme has been recognised by SPARC and is held up as a model for other sports and the credit for this is due to Dave's dedication and hard work. Squash New Zealand would like to thank the New Zealand Community Trust for their support of the Coach Force officers this year; we hope to build on that success in the coming years.

In the programme areas of masters and refereeing squash has been lucky to have two very dedicated people taking on these roles. Joss Urbahn, who will be stepping down as director of referees at this year's agm, has done an outstanding job. Apart from the organisational aspects of the role Joss has actively promoted development and training opportunities for our referees and prepared the annual referee's management plan. It is a demanding role but one that she has performed efficiently and professionally at all times and I would like to take this opportunity to thank Joss and wish her well for the future.

2011 has a very good year for master's squash with the highlight being the test series win over the Australians in Nelson. New Zealand last won this contest eleven years ago and our congratulations go to the team on their achievement. In particular I would like to acknowledge the work of Wayne Seebeck, the team manager, who not only put in countless hours organising the test series but then had the task of selecting the team to play in the series. The result was an outstanding success for the team and hosts, the Nelson Squash Club.

As the director of master's squash, Wayne continues to promote and improve the profile in this area of the game and with the bulk of our players now in the master's category there will be an increasing focus on catering for the needs of these players in the future.

It has been pleasing to see an increase in the number of participants at major national tournaments this year particularly in the junior events. The Millennium Hotel and Resorts Player Series has been a successful factor in promoting a number of national and regional events and provided an



additional incentive for the players to participate. The work of the Squash Director is focused on how existing events can be improved while looking at new opportunities not only for our competitive players but also the recreational player.

Our high performance programme focus remains very clearly on world class performances, which is critical to achieving funding from High Performance Sport New Zealand (SPARC). I am pleased to say that Squash New Zealand was successful in securing investment funding at a similar level to previous years, however the term is for two years, not four and future funding will depend on the performances of our top athletes with no guarantee of continued support after the two year period. The performance expectations for our athletes are now more aligned to pinnacle events such as world championships rather than Commonwealth Games which is a shift in emphasis from the previous investment and more demanding.

Earlier this year Anthony Ricketts resigned as head coach to take up a role in Australia and I would like to thank Anthony for the work he did in shaping the programme. He was replaced in September by Paul Hornsby from the UK and Paul has spent the first few months getting to know the details of the programme, the players and coaches around the country. Paul has been closely associated with the high performance programme in the UK and this experience along with his extensive coaching background will be of great benefit to our own high performance programme in New Zealand.

ONE STRONG BRAND

One of the recommendations from the T2020 report is for squash to move to a unified single national body model with one strong brand for the sport. The importance of having a clearly identified and recognisable brand for squash cannot be underestimated as demonstrated by the approach that has been adopted by WSF in its Olympic bid where it is seeking to bring the collective support of every squash nation to the bidding process. It remains a key part of our strategic vision to achieve this goal while also looking at other marketing opportunities for squash.

As part of this process Squash New Zealand will undertake a redevelopment of its website early in 2012. The changes

are designed to improve the appearance and functionality of the site from a customer and user perspective. The upgrade will offer a number of new features that will make the site easier to navigate and be more informative.

The New Zealand Squash Hall of Fame is now in its third year and following the second successful induction ceremony in 2010 a further four inductees will gain membership to the Hall of Fame this year. The organising committee led by Don Cotter continues to promote the aims and objectives of the group and will look to continue the good work done to date. The launch of the book "Long or Short? The Story of New Zealand Squash" was a major highlight for the Hall of Fame during the last twelve months and with over 1000 copies sold was very well received by squash players across the country and overseas.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge a number of people. A big thank you to my staff who work hard to make squash better in New Zealand, thanks also to our patron Dame Susan Devoy, Neil McAra (Chair) and the board of Squash New Zealand, Rob Walker from Club Kelburn, the National Squash Centre Trustees and the centre manager Trevor Colyer, the programme directors Joss Urbahn and Wayne Seebeck and our referees, selectors and coaches.

I would like to acknowledge the support and assistance that we receive from the district administrators who provide the connection between the national office and the clubs. It is a link that will become increasingly more important as the organisation and technology changes in the future.

Lastly I want to thank the many volunteers who make squash such a great sport. Their contribution at every level is invaluable and they are the lifeblood of our sport. Squash could not exist without them.

JIM O'GRADY
Chief Executive, Squash New Zealand



High Performance Programme

During 2011 High Performance has undergone a few fundamental changes and as a result has seen a slight disruption to the running and operation of the programme. Clearly, the significant change has been the departure of Anthony Ricketts, who left Squash New Zealand back in February to begin a role within the Australian Institute of Sport. This obviously created a void and a period without a full time appointed coach. We must pay huge appreciation to the many people who made sure the programme was kept afloat and functioning in the interim period prior to myself being appointed as the new High Performance Coach. Dave Clarke stood in during this time, ensuring that the logistics behind squads, junior tours and selection panel meetings were in place. Mark Waldin was able to come into the Squash Centre to work with our national squad players on a weekly basis. Robbie Wyatt, Joanne Williams and Mike Allred continued to do an excellent job of delivering World Junior Squads. It is a tribute to these people, as well as others, that our juniors have gone on to represent New Zealand so successfully in international events (see reports below) and therefore sending a clear message to the squash world that we are a nation to watch for the future.

Thanks must also go to Lindsey Walters and Edmund Bradford who managed and delivered the National Development Squads ensuring that excellent support and guidance has been given to our most talented junior players with their sights on future selection for World Junior Squad selection.

Squash New Zealand would like to thank the players, parents and coaches for their patience and understanding throughout what has been a challenging period.

NZ JUNIOR BOY'S AND GIRL'S SQUAD MALAYSIAN TOUR

Mike Allred and Robbie Wyatt took our World Junior Boys and Girls Squad to Malaysia for two tournaments at the beginning of June. This provided an opportunity for our players to be exposed to the styles of play of competing nations as well as experience playing in contrasting conditions and environment to which they are used to. The tour presented several unanticipated challenges along the way, which will only help our younger players to appreciate and learn to adapt to life on tour as a squash player.

The report from Mike is below:

Both Robbie and I found working with the Boy's and Girl's squads in Malaysia as individual players and as a team to be a great privilege and pleasure because of the way these players acted so professionally. The way the squad worked and acted professionally both on and off the court, is a great tribute to Squash New Zealand.

Both Robbie and I would have no hesitation if asked again to work with these players in the future.

All the arrangements for flights and accommodation for the squad to Kuala Lumpur and Penang tournaments were arranged by Dave Clarke. The experience of Dave's management skills were valuable when dealing with the large number of players and parents going on this tour and it made Robbie's and my logistical job in Malaysia very easy to do. Dave's experience and help while we were in Malaysia was very much appreciated by both Robbie and I.

On the way back to New Zealand via Singapore Jet Star cancelled this flight due to the ash cloud over Australia and New Zealand, this meant we had to arrange to stay in Singapore until such time as Jet Star reopened flights to New Zealand again, this delay meant we stayed in Singapore for 4 extra days.

The two tournaments were run very differently with the Kuala Lumpur tournament using a Prince double yellow and traditional draw with players refereeing the game after theirs for the whole tournament, while the Penang Tournament used Dunlop and a Swiss draw with official referees doing most of the refereeing. The heat and humidity were factors for our players to deal with and it was great to see them all adapting to the conditions and the two different styles on running the two tournaments.

At both tournaments we were invited to the opening and closing functions which was great for the players to experience.

Mike Allred

WORLD JUNIOR GIRLS INDIVIDUAL & TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS - Boston, USA.

Joanne Williams was appointed as the Team Coach/Manager and did an outstanding job during preparation and performance at the major international junior event of the season. It is fair to say that the girls made a real impact and will have taken a few people by surprise as to the quality of players being produced here in New Zealand.

The report from Joanne read as follows:

Team Coach/Manager: Joanne Williams

Squad: Megan Craig
Rebecca Barnett
Danielle Fourie
Abbie Palmer

This is an exceptional group of girls. They gave their very best and behaved and performed in a very professional manner.

The values identified by the girls in January (and revisited on occasions since then) were;

Team work, Professionalism, Commitment, Determination, Fun. These were abided by totally, by all the players on tour.

An indication of the determination of the girls was during the



all important Canada match in the team's event. We were in the toughest pool and seeded 9th, 2 below Australia who the girls have beaten consistently this year. After 3 tough matches against South Africa in the morning we played Canada. Megan played poorly, lost her confidence to play shots and was mostly retrieving. She thought there was something wrong with her as her legs were "numb" and she "couldn't breath". She was in tears at 2-2. With lots of encouragement and sheer guts she won in 5. It was a grueling match.

Danielle played very well winning the first 2 games. After losing the 3rd game I walked out the back with her and she said "I am going to be sick" and she threw up in a rubbish bin. She then stood up and said "I am not tired" and then she marched back onto the court to carry on. She lost closely in 5. Rebecca was able to come on and play her match of the tournament.

I would like to add there were never any runs of lost points through silly errors. Overall concentration and self control was excellent throughout the whole event.

It was an absolute pleasure taking these girls away. I could not have asked for anything more from them. They made an impression at this event and no country would take them lightly. To have other coaches from leading countries asking me what we are doing in NZ was very pleasing when you think of the resources we have compared to them.

There were no incidences of disharmony in the NZ camp.

Having Megan at number one who was so positive throughout the tournament (and the year but peaking at this tournament) made my job easy as she led by example.

A wonderful group of girls who could all go on from here and do well if they choose to do so.

The Harvard Squash Coach approached me asking if any of the girls might be interested in attending Harvard University and playing squash. They would like to talk to them. They thought the Kiwi girls looked like good candidates which says a lot for them. They did not ask everyone.

Joanne Williams

**WORLD MENS TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS.
Paderborn, Germany. 20th – 28th August 2011**

Team Coach/Manager: Paul Hornsby
Squad: Martin Knight
Campbell Grayson
Evan Williams
Paul Coll

Pool Matches

Seeded 15th, the draw hadn't been kind to the team. Not only were we in a pool with Hong Kong (unseeded, but strong in depth), we had to play them in the opening match- which



**NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR
GIRLS TEAM**
L-R: Danielle Fourie,
Rebecca Barnett,
Megan Craig and Abbie Palmer.



2011 COUSINS SHIELD MEN'S PREMIER CLUB TEAMS CHAMPIONS - HERNE BAY, AUCKLAND

looked like a tie which would 'make or break' the outcome of the entire event for New Zealand. The players were well aware that despite the seedings, this would be a tough match against 3 players with exceptional racket skills and quick, smooth movement. Campbell was first on court against Dick Lau. The momentum of the match swung one way then the other, but seemed to slip away from Campbell towards the end of the 5th. Martin was up next against Max Lee, another great mover with good hands. Martin played a tactically sound match, making the rallies tough for his opponent, keeping the ball off his racket and forcing errors. However, at 1-1, Martin had been made to work very hard and couldn't quite maintain the same intensity towards the end of games 3 and 4. Evan started strongly against the talented Leo Au, playing very aggressive squash and finishing the ball well. He was unlucky not to take the first, but Leo found more and more accuracy in games 2 and 3, with Evan not able to get in front and being able to attack effectively. It was an extremely disappointing result for the team, making it seemingly impossible to reach the top 16 and justify our seeding.

Match 2 was against Sweden and a much needed win both for team moral and for the scoreboard. Martin played his usual controlled squash to overcome the strong resistance of Christian Drakenberg, an experienced player with great accuracy. Campbell moved much better in this match and went on to beat another skilful player in 3 sets, having complete control over his opponent for the majority of the match. Paul's senior debut was marked by a great attacking performance against Joakim Larson. There were clearly no nerves or tension as Paul dominated the match with high intensity, accurate squash. A great team performance all round, setting up a clash against defending world champions Egypt, NZ needing a 3-0 win to qualify for top 16.

The final pool match was clearly a mammoth task for the team, but an amazing opportunity to test themselves against the very best of the best players in the world in the biggest team event in the world. The opposition's current world

rankings were 3, 9 and 13, whilst ours were 46, 211, 251. During the pre-match team meeting, the plan was to prepare well, be relaxed, play without fear, and throw everything into the match to stop the Egyptians from playing their games. That is certainly what all 3 of our boys did and each player got very close to winning a game, often taking control of the court and making the Egyptians look uncomfortable. The players did themselves proud, never stopped pushing. In particular for Evan and Paul, this was a memorable day and an experience they should learn from which I hope will pay dividends in future world championships. Martin put in a very credible performance against World number 3 Karim Darwish and was unlucky not to be at 1-1 after leading 10-8 in the second game.

17/32 Play Off

With the best case scenario a 17th place finish, the boys maintained a positive outlook and professional approach to the play off stages. The first match was against Korea and saw 3 solid performances against some pretty tricky opposition! The Korean guys could play and took some breaking down at times. Paul got the team off to a great start and played with great intensity to contain a potentially dangerous player with good racket skill. Martin then sealed the win in a strange match where he played brilliant, attacking squash at times and then his opponent would put together a run of brilliance too! At 2-2 I simply told Martin that I didn't care how he did it, but to find a way of winning! He went back on and won 11-0 in the fifth (I didn't realize coaching was so simple!!!). Campbell had the luxury of a dead rubber but, following a day off previously, took advantage of the opportunity to play a full match winning 3-1.

17/24 Play Off

This was to prove a very tough test against a team with great strength at the top and bottom end. Another disappointing result unfortunately. Martin was outclassed at number 1, his opponent Nicolas Mueller dominated from the outset and



didn't allow Martin to get any control of the rallies. Campbell was exceptional, by far the best squash he has played all week. His movement and shot making was far more clinical and he levelled the scores to set up a decider. Evan was up against John Williams, a former top 20 ranked player who is still very fit and obviously experienced in winning big matches. Evan didn't really impose his game and was dominated from the outset, making far too many unforced errors.

21/24 Play Off

We now had the depressing scenario of competing to finish 21st overall and found ourselves up against Pakistan who had had a very strange event having already lost to Malaysia, Denmark and Ireland. The feeling was that their players didn't want to be at the event and were not interested whether they won or lost. I told our boys that they needed to be as professional as possible and assume that they will be up against tough opposition. What actually happened during the match was something impossible to prepare for. Campbell was on court first and was put in an impossible position by a combination of a disruptive (putting it lightly) opponent and an incompetent referee (leading to a letter of complaint to the WSF to which we have now received an official apology). Putting this aside, Campbell managed to produce some great squash throughout the match against an incredibly talented player, narrowly losing 15-13 in the 5th. Martin then went onto court against Amir Atlas Khan, whose recent form in PSA events suggests he is playing at top 16 standard. Whether it was a result of what had taken place in the previous match, I don't know, but Khan was definitely playing at his maximum and worked hard for every rally, never really giving Martin a chance to play his own game.

23/24 Play Off

Following the controversy, and the outcome of our match with Pakistan, I was pleased with how the boys picked themselves up and were very professional in their preparation and on court performances. Our opponents were Argentina. Martin went on first and was very ruthless, clinical and played error free squash to dispatch his opponent with ease. Evan then went on to come back from 2-1 down and showed he is capable of a much more mature style of play, being more patient and cutting out the errors when under pressure.

Finishing 23rd was a huge disappointment to all involved, but moving forward I believe that there were several benefits and positives from the event. The event highlighted that, in comparison to other nations we lacked strength in depth, but our team was relatively young. Paul and Evan have now been exposed to squash of the highest standard and have had a taste of what is required to be competitive at world senior level. I am sure that their reaction to this will be positive and will inspire them to be focused on preparing for future events of this nature for many years to come.

Paul Hornsby

PROFESSIONALS

Joelle King has been our most successful player on the World circuits over 2011. One of her major goals for this year was to break into the worlds top 10. At the time of printing, the October rankings have been published with Joelle sitting in 10th spot. Huge congratulations go out to Joelle and her achievement is due to some consistently excellent performances on the WISPA Tour. Recently, she has beaten several of the world's top 10 players including Madeline Perry (WR 4) and Omneya Abdel Kawy (WR 6). Joelle has also put in great performances against World number 1 and World Champion Nicol David- losing in 4 tight games and also taking Jenny Duncalf (WR 2) to 5. These results clearly show that Joelle is a serious contender to make it to the very top and the next season will be another crucial opportunity for Joelle to climb further.

Our other National Squad players competing on the world tours and featuring in the world rankings include:

WISPA

Jaclyn Hawkes	(WR 15)
Kylie Lindsay	(WR 48)
Amanda Landers-Murphy	(WR 59)
Amanda Cranston	(WR 90)
Megan Craig	(WR 123)
Larissa Stephenson	(WR 130)

PSA

Martin Knight	(WR 43)
Campbell Grayson	(WR 61)
Kashif Shuja	(WR 81)
Alex Grayson	(WR 197)
Paul Coll	(WR 209)

LOOKING TO 2012

Looking ahead, I am tremendously excited by the challenges that my new role presents, and so far have been impressed with the players I have seen. I believe that the future is bright and New Zealand's presence on the World stage will once again be strong, producing performances and results that we all hope for and expect of our athletes. I look forward to knuckling down to plenty of hard work with the players involved in High Performance in 2012.

PAUL HORNSBY
High Performance Coach

Club Development Report

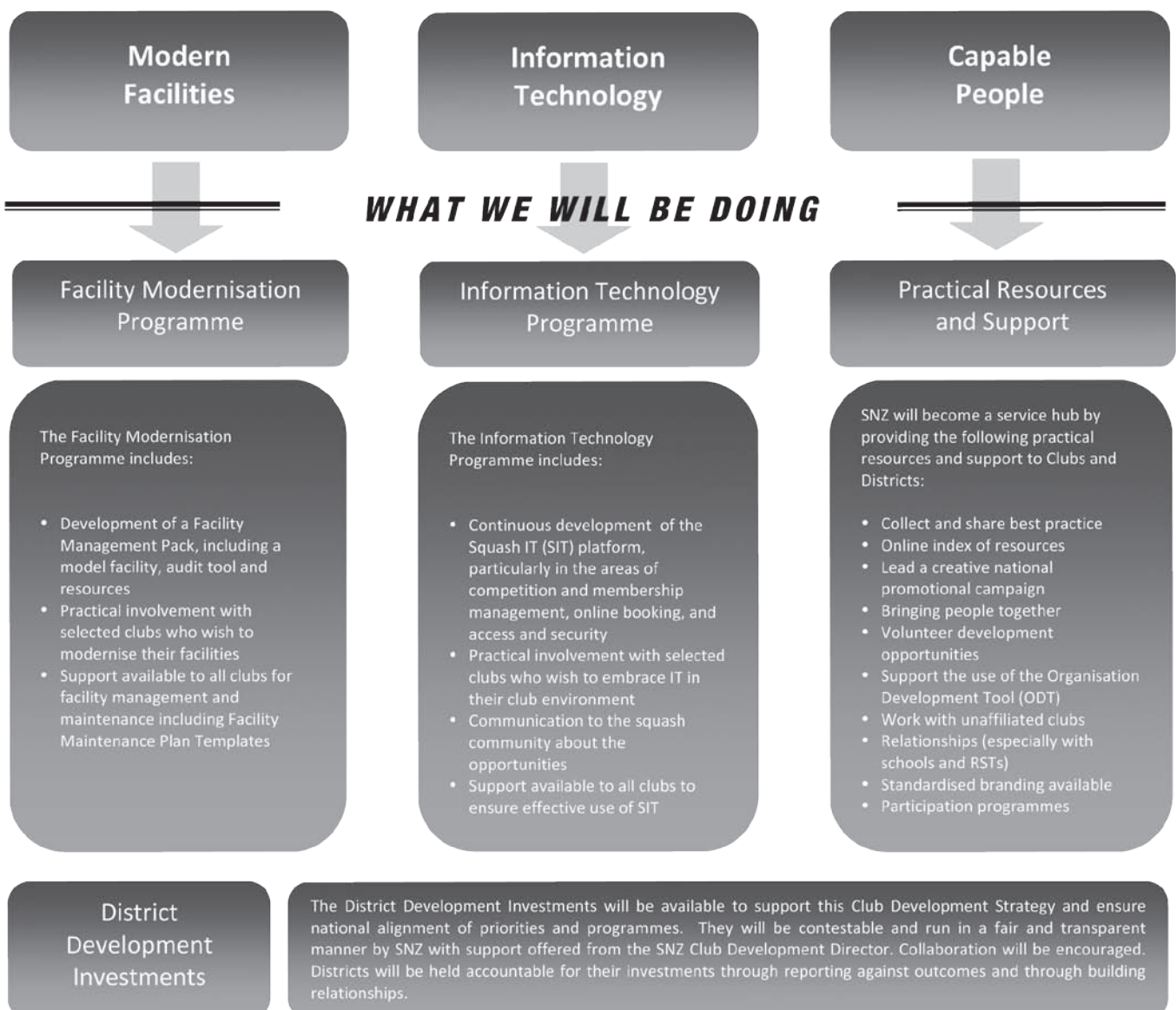
Squash NZ highlighted the importance of club development in its strategic plan and therefore a national strategy was needed to direct the national office, the districts and the clubs in this area. The strategy would also be useful when working with partners such as Regional Sports Trusts (RSTs) and SPARC to show the priorities for squash in the area of club

development. The strategy needed to identify the priorities and outline what Squash NZ would be doing. Below is the strategy that was launched in January 2012 and followed with a national roadshow which included meetings with all Districts and RSTs.

NATIONAL CLUB DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY 2011-2012

Vision: to have healthy, welcoming and relevant squash clubs that will grow and transform our sport

PRIORITIES





From this national strategy, Squash NZ then came up with 12 aligned Club Development projects.

PROJECT OVERVIEWS

1. **Unaffiliated Clubs:** *Work with the Districts to re-affiliate unaffiliated clubs, including development of an Affiliation Benefits document for all clubs*

Squash NZ will be ready to offer a Re-affiliation Grant to clubs from 2012 onwards to encourage them to realign themselves to the National Office. SNZ now has a database of 41 known disaffiliated clubs and will work with Districts in 2012 to target clubs to work with. Affiliation benefits will be published to clubs in 2012.

2. **SIT Education:** *Work with Districts and Clubs to educate all administrators on the full functionality of SIT, for existing modules and as new ones are developed.*

Squash NZ have introduced a regular newsletter to Club Administrators specifically on SIT (Hints & Tips) and also feature a "SIT 101" feature in the monthly SNZ newsletter. A new level of access was introduced to provide Districts with more rights and manageability – 13 new District Supervisors were trained and are now confidently using the system to a much higher level with regular communications and continuous support from SNZ. SIT Information Sheets created for five different topics and will be introduced to clubs prior to the 2012 season, this includes an Information Sheet that clubs can give to new users about the system.

3. **SIT Online Booking and Access:** *Market the SIT Online Booking and Access modules to all clubs and work with selected clubs to implement the systems.*

10 new clubs now have the SIT Online Booking system and Squash NZ is currently working with an additional 27 clubs. Two clubs are now using the full SIT Access system (Hoon Hay and SquashCity Invercargill) whilst Otago Squash Club will have the Access system before next season. An Information Sheet is available but plans for the new SNZ website include a section to market the Online Booking system, with plans for a more direct marketing campaign to clubs in 2012.

4. **Communications:** *Improve communications within the squash community.*

An eight-page "From the Balcony" newsletter was introduced in November 2010 and has been sent monthly to all clubs, with great feedback. Since March 2011, the newsletter has been sent directly to all squash members via SIT (with members having the ability to opt out). Squash NZ is now active on Facebook with over 400 "fans" and receives regular feedback (www.facebook.com/SquashNZ). Club Administrators now receive all communications electronically via SIT and after feedback from clubs, an

electronic Annual Membership Return was introduced, along with an electronic SEM Declaration Form.

5. **Stakeholder Relationships:** *Improve relationships with Districts, Clubs and Regional Sports Trusts (RSTs).*

Squash NZ staff completed a roadshow of all Districts early in 2011 with plans for a similar roadshow for 2012. At this time, SNZ also met with all RSTs and have introduced regular communications to this group of people. SNZ has also introduced regular updates to District staff and presidents to keep them informed on Squash NZ's activities. Squash NZ will also be hosting a District Development forum for the first time in November 2011 to bring together the development staff from Districts across the country.

6. **Facility Management Pack:** *Develop a facility resource that will be available to all clubs.*

Squash NZ has pulled together all existing resources and with the development of the new Squash NZ website, intend to make these resources easily available to squash clubs.

7. **Facility Modernisation Project:** *Work with identified clubs to modernise their facilities, or build new facilities.*

10 potential facility projects have been identified across New Zealand after working with Districts and RSTs. Squash NZ will work with Districts to plan a collaborative approach forward for these clubs in 2012.

8. **Index of Resources and Library of Best Practice:** *Introduce an online index of resources and create an online library of case studies of successful programmes, projects, structures.*

Squash NZ has pulled together all existing resources and with the development of the new Squash NZ website, intend to make these resources easily available to squash clubs. A Library of Best Practice is being established and will also be available on the SNZ website - case studies are featured in the monthly newsletter.

9. **District Development Investments:** *Manage effectively and efficiently the District Development Investments (aligned to national strategy) in an open and transparent manner and provide support to districts in their own development.*

Squash NZ redeveloped the existing District Grants into a contestable \$100,000 District Development Investment, made available to all Districts. SNZ is now working with all Districts on implementing the various projects from these investments, which include participation programmes, club forums, online booking and access projects and facility support. The Investments were conducted in an open and transparent manner with reporting back to districts throughout the process.



KIWISPORT SUCCESS. Over \$150,000 has been invested into squash in schools via KiwiSport in 2011.

10. Stakeholder Survey: *Manage a national stakeholder survey and provide report to members.*

A national stakeholder survey was completed in September 2011 with a good response rate. From this, a Response Strategy will be developed and provided to the squash community in early 2012.

11. Website Upgrade Project: *Re-design Squash NZ website to make it more focussed on players and clubs.*

After a tender process Squash NZ is now negotiating the final contract with a website developer to redevelop the Squash NZ website before February 2012.

12. National Promotional Campaign: *Plan and coordinate a national club promotion campaigns to increase awareness and participation of squash.*

Due to staff shortages at the National Offices in 2011, there was no promotional campaign this year. However, 2012 has been identified by Squash NZ as the Year of Women's Squash and SNZ will work with clubs and Districts to promote the sport to more girls and women, through social media and print media.

In addition to these 12 projects, Squash NZ has also been working with the Districts and clubs to access KiwiSport funding. To date, four Districts and six clubs have accessed a total of \$156,000 to get more children playing squash. This will be a focus for 2012 along with the Year of Women's Squash.

PENNIE BALL
Club Development Director



National Coaching Report

The part time role of National Coaching Director was established in 2009 tasked with the establishment of a National Coaching Development Framework that was much more detailed and specific to the communities that coaches were working in. In the 2010-11 year we have seen the launch of new modules and the development of others yet to be released. The 2010-11 year was extremely busy with the resignation of the National Coach which meant covering a number of tasks in relation to that role as well as my role as Coaching Team Leader with Sport Bay of Plenty.

COACHING ADVISORY PANEL

The Coaching Advisory Panel operates under a terms of reference providing advice and support to the National Coaching Director role. Paul Sykes (Northland), Graham Randolph (BOP) and Grant Watts (Central) and co-opted Pat Barwick (Canterbury) make up the panel. The group assists with the direction of the framework, budgets, compilation of modules and a variety of other tasks. I have been extremely lucky to have such a supportive and thoughtful group to work with. Their feedback is much appreciated.

COACH DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK

The Framework consists of a Strategic Plan, Athlete Pathway

and Coach Development Framework that reflects the needs of the athletes. It allows coaches to pick and choose to become experts in the fields in which they are engaged and interested in and reflects the fact that some of our very best coaches are running juniors programmes in clubs and do not necessarily have to be coaching top players. The extension modules allow coaches to add more coaching expertise to their existing squash specific knowledge. The modules can be delivered regionally at a cost of \$30.00 making them both accessible and affordable.

COACHING DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK MODULES

The framework now has 7 modules that are currently developed which are:

- Module Extension 1a (Get Started online) and Extension 1b (Safety Concepts) which are online interactive introduction modules to coaching.
- Module 1 Get Started a practical 2 ½ hour workshop aimed at coaches who are new to the coaching arena.
- Small Nix Modules 2 and 2a aimed at providing all you need to now to coach the 5-8 years age group and includes fundamental skill development, speed



National Coaching Director Dave Clarke demonstrating at a coaching conference.



and agility and fun squash activities.

- How to Coach Extension Module 2 which provides coaches with knowledge and skills around the coaching process and the art of coaching.
- Hydration and Nutrition Extension Module 8 which provides activities for learning about what to eat and drink when as well as many resources for the coach to refer to in the future.

UNDER DEVELOPMENT

The Big Nix Modules 3 and 3a aimed at 9-12 year old are expected at the end of the year as is the Sport Injury Management Extension Module 9 which with research complete now needs to be compiled and formatted. Others under construction at this time are Athlete Development and Squash Conditioning. The next cab of the rank will be Club Youth 13-19 years.

COACH FACILITATORS

Over the past year Coach Facilitators have been trained around the regions as we try to develop an army of quality coach facilitators in NZ. So far 37 have been trained in the delivery of Get Started, Small Nix and How to Coach with more to put in place in early 2012. It is hoped to have up to 50 nationwide once all the modules are developed.

COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The Coach of the Year Awards have been adapted in 2010 to align with the New Coach Development Framework offering 3 awards, New Coach of the Year, Club and School Coach of The Year and Performance Coach of the Year. Flyers and forms have been distributed across the country with entries closing on Oct 15th and presentations being made at the AGM at the Women's World Championships in Palmerston.

COACHING WORKSHOPS

A series of 13 "How to Coach" workshops were held in every District through March and April and were extremely well supported over that time with 75 coaches becoming qualified with this module on the framework. The NI Squash Coaching workshop was held in April and saw a total of 18 coaches attending the workshops. The SI day due to be held in Christchurch was postponed due to obvious reasons. In 2012 it is intended to run HP and Community workshops on both islands, earthquakes, oil spills and Rugby World Cup permitting.

NUMBERS AND FEEDBACK

So far a total of 322 individual coaches have taken part in 587 coach development modules which has far exceeded expectations with still more to come. The feedback from the modules has been extremely positive and is as follows – Very Good 1095, Good 614, Appropriate 113, Poor 3, Very Poor 3.

It should be noted that the very poor feedback related to the venue/facility from the participants own club rather than the module itself!

COACHFORCE PROJECTS

In 2010 Districts were invited to apply to Squash NZ for project funding for coaching related projects across the country. This was done in conjunction with funding from the New Zealand Community Trust whose assistance is gratefully acknowledged. Nine applications were received that saw some great projects put in place not just around the delivery of the modules but also assisting club junior and senior coaching programmes, informal workshops and ongoing coach mentoring. Districts have through till March 2012 before all projects are completed.

COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The Coach of the Year Awards were adapted in 2010 to align with the New Coach Development Framework offering 3 awards, New Coach of the Year, Club and School Coach of The Year and Performance Coach of the Year. The deserved winners for the 2009-10 year were

- New Coach of the Year - Jason Wilson (Canterbury)
- Club and School Coach Of the Year Jared Gravatt (Northland)
- Performance Coach of the Year Joanne Williams (Waikato)

Nominations closed November 4th for the 2010-11 year.

SUMMARY

The last 12 months has seen a fantastic buy in to the coach development framework and resources from around the country with some great things now happening in many Districts. One of the key outcomes that is emerging from the framework is that now people are more willing to engage in coach development. They have some resources to refer to and are gaining in confidence in their coaching deliveries. The accessibility and specific nature of modules has bought more people into our squash coaching arena who have previously sat out which can only be good for the game. We are on the right track to delivering some great resources for coaches in New Zealand.

For this to be sustainable we must work together and support each other for the benefit of the squash players across New Zealand, creating an environment where coaches are both valued and recognized for their efforts.

Keep up the good work coaches!

DAVE CLARKE
National Coaching Director



STRATEGIC COACHING PLAN

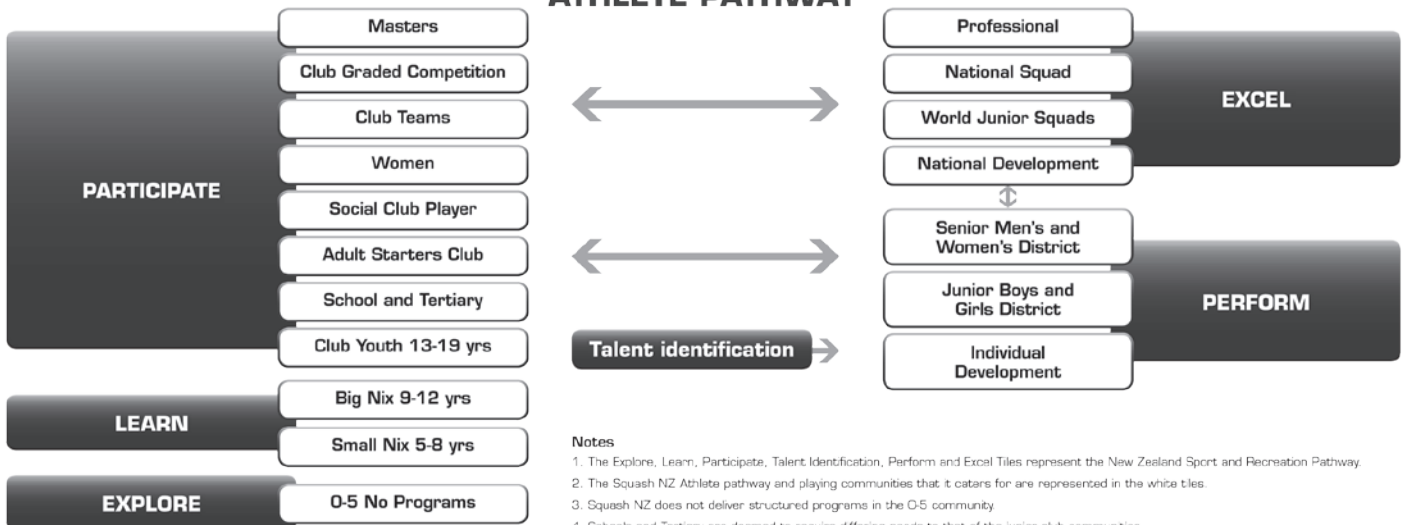
Vision: To Create a World Class Coaching Environment.

Mission: To ensure that all coaches are welcomed, valued and given the opportunity to develop their coaching to its potential.

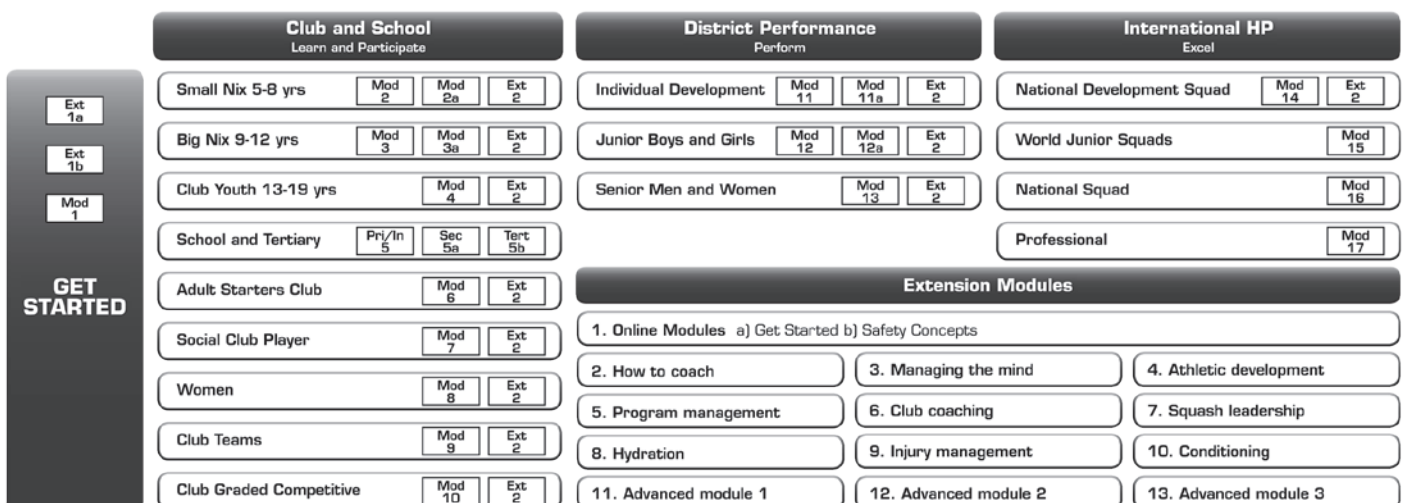
Outcomes by end 2012



ATHLETE PATHWAY



COACH DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK



WINNING PERFORMANCES

2011 Results



New Zealand's Joelle King in action at the World Teams Championships.



2011 Season Results

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS Hamilton 8 – 10 JULY

Final

Martin Knight (North Shore)	beat	Campbell Grayson (Herne Bay)	3-0 11/6 11/7 11/8
Joelle King (Cambridge)	beat	Jaclyn Hawkes (Remuera)	3-0 11/9 11/2 11/5

NORTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS Hawke's Bay SRC 10 – 12 JUNE

Final

Martin Knight (North Shore)	beat	Matt Karwalski (Australia)	3-1 7/11 11/3 11/9 11/5
Emma Millar (Cambridge)	beat	Amanda Cranston (Cambridge)	3-0 11/7 11/7 11/3

SOUTH ISLAND CHAMPS Linwood 3 – 5 JUNE

Final

Josh King (Marlborough)	beat	Matthew Nation (Marlborough)	3-1 9/11 11/7 11/5 11/8
Jutta Tuunanen (Eden Epsom)	beat	Cara Raal (Otago)	3-0 11/5 11/8 11/4

SENIOR INTER-DISTRICT TEAMS EVENT Hamilton 11 – 12 JULY

Men

1. Wellington
2. Auckland
3. Canterbury
4. Bay of Plenty
5. Central
6. Waikato

Women

1. Waikato
2. Wellington
3. Bay of Plenty
4. Auckland
5. Canterbury

NATIONAL DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIPS National Squash Centre 20-22 MAY

Men's Doubles	Paul Coll & Bryce Redman
Women's Doubles	Kylie Lindsay & Sally Guest
Mixed Doubles	Michael Sunderland & Georgina Shelton Agar

NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR OPEN North Shore Squash Club 29 APRIL – MAY 1

Final

Paul Coll (Greymouth)	beat	Lance Beddoes (Henderson)	3-0 11/6 11/9 11/2
Rebecca Barnett (Mitchell Park)	beat	Ellie Epke (Eden Epsom)	3-0 11/6 11/7 15/13

NZ NATIONAL JUNIOR AGE GROUPS CHAMPIONSHIPS Henderson 8 – 10 OCTOBER

Under 19 Final

Lance Beddoes (Henderson)	beat	Jonny Barnett (Mitchell Park)	3-1 11/7 9/11 11/5 11/5
Megan Craig (Christchurch)	beat	Danielle Fourie (SquashGym P.North)	3-0 11/8 11/7 11/6

Under 17 Final

Zac Millar (Kapiti)	beat	Theo Zbijowski (Richmond)	3-0 15/5 15/2 15/5
Hayley Hughes (Eden Epsom)	beat	Courtenay Bragg (Te Puke)	3-0 15/11 15/4 18/16

Under 15 Final

Scott Galloway (Mitchell Park)	beat	Sam Sayes (Whangarei)	3-0 15/4 15/12 15/7
Ellie Epke (Eden Epsom)	beat	Abbie Palmer (North Shore)	3-1 6/15 15/9 15/11 15/10

Under 13 Final

Finn Trimble (Whangarei)	beat	Quinn Udy (Marlborough)	3-2 8/15 15/3 15/9 13/15 16/14
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Anna Hughes (Eden Epsom)	beat	Pare Kutia (Gisborne HSOB)	3-0 15/4 15/11 15/12
Under 11 Final			
William Donnelly (Gisborne HSOB)	beat	Ronan Thornton (Reporoa)	3-0 15/9 15/8 15/12
Kaitlyn Watts (SquashGym P.North)	beat	Anika Jackson (Hamilton)	3-0 15/2 15/5 15/5

JUNIOR INTER-DISTRICT TEAMS EVENT Henderson 11 – 13 OCTOBER

Boys	Girls
1. Auckland	1. Auckland
2. Wellington	2. Wellington
3. Bay of Plenty	3. Central
4. Midlands	4. Bay of Plenty
5. Central	5. Waikato
6. Eastern	6. Northland
7. Waikato	7. Canterbury
8. Canterbury	
9. Otago	
10. Northland	

NORTH ISLAND JUNIOR AGE GROUPS Cambridge 22 – 24 JULY

Under 19 Final			
Boys: Michael Sunderland (Remuera)	beat	Tom Nash (SquashGym Palmerston North)	3-2, 7/11 9/11 11/6 11/2 11/3
Girls: Ellie Epke (Eden Epsom)	beat	Taylor Flavell (Remuera)	3-0 11/5 11/3 13/11
Under 17 Final			
Boys: Jonny Barnett (Mitchell Park)	beat	James Cooper (Mt Maunganui)	3-0 15/7 15/3 15/6
Girls: Paris Dalrymple-Mortleman (Tawa)	beat	Courtney Bragg (Te Puke)	3-2 15/11 8/15 15/7 11/15 15/13
Under 15 Final			
Boys: Scott Galloway (Mitchell Park)	beat	Montell Whatarangi (Te Kuiti)	3-0 15/4 15/13 15/9
Girls: Juee Bhide (Eden Epsom)	beat	Ellen Verry (Tawa)	3-0 15/6 15/8 15/12
Under 13 Final			
Boys: Rafa Yam (Belmont Park)	beat	Finn Trimble (Whangarei)	3-0 15/11 15/12 15/7
Girls: Anna Hughes (Eden Epsom)	beat	Camden Te-Kani McQueen (Ti Street)	3-2 12/15 9/15 15/10 15/10 15/7
Under 11 Final			
Boys: William Donnelly (Gisborne HSOB)	beat	Ronan Thornton (Reporoa)	3-0 15/5 15/12 15/8
Girls: Kaitlyn Watts (SquashGym P.North)	beat	Rhiarne Taiapa (Hastings)	3/0 15/8 15/4 15/12

SOUTH ISLAND JUNIOR AGE GROUPS Squashways, Christchurch 16 – 18 JULY

Under 19 Final			
Boys: Jonny Barnett (Mitchell Park)	beat	Zac Miller (Kapiti)	3-0
Girls: Ellie Epke (Eden Epsom)	beat	Taylor Flavell (Remuera)	3-0
Under 17 Final			
Boys: Chris Van der Salm (Oamaru Excelsior)	beat	Theo Zbijowski (Richmond)	3-0
Girls: Sophie Askin (Otago)	beat	Sophie O'Connell (Waimea)	3-0
Under 15 Final			
Boys: Sam Sayes (Whangarei)	beat	Luke Jones (SquashGym P.North)	3-0
Girls: Paris Dalrymple-Mortleman (Tawa)	beat	Emily Flett (Squash City Invercargill)	3-0



2011 NEW ZEALAND E GRADE WOMENS CHAMPIONS - PUTARURU, BAY OF PLENTY



2011 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS BOYS TEAM - CHRISTCHURCH BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

Back Row(L-R): Gavin Bird, Chris van der Salm, Jacob Turnbull, Jackson Beresford, John Brown. Front Row(L-R): Michael McCarroll, Andrew Ellis, Sam McCarroll



Under 13

Boys: Finn Trimble (Whangarei) beat Rafa Yam (Belmont Park) 3-0
 Girls: Ruby Turnbull (Christchurch Football) beat Ruby Beresford (Christchurch) 3-0

Under 11

Boys: Temwa Chileshe (Christchurch Football) beat Kobe Fleming (Mana) 3-0
 Girls: Winner - Ruby Turnbull (Christchurch Football) Runner up - Taylor Jamieson (Squash @ Upper Hutt)

NZ SECONDARY SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS Auckland 12 – 14 AUGUST

Finals

Winner Boys: Christchurch Boys High School beat Tauranga Boys' College 3-2
 Winner Girls: Epsom Girls Grammar beat Te Puke High School 4-1

MITCHELL CUP/COUSINS SHIELD Herne Bay, Auckland 24 – 26 JULY

Cousins Shield Final Placings

1. Herne Bay
2. Thorndon
3. SquashGym Palmerston North
4. Remuera
5. Henderson
6. Marlborough
7. Hamilton
8. Marlborough
9. Panmure
10. Mitchell Park
11. Manurewa
12. Khandallah
13. SquashGym Palmerston North Development
14. Eden Epsom

Mitchell Cup Final Placings

1. North Shore
2. Remuera
3. Mitchell Park
4. Hamilton
5. Tauranga
6. Herne Bay

SUPERCHAMPS TEAMS EVENT FINALS 14 – 17 SEPTEMBER

	Men's Winner	Women's Winner	Host Venue
B Grade	SquashGym Palmerston North	Tawa	Whakatane
C Grade	Tauranga	Mangakahia	Timaru
D Grade	Hawke's Bay Squash Rackets	Cambridge	Royal Oak
E Grade	Hastings	Putaruru	Tokoroa
F Grade	SquashGym Palmerston North	Putaruru	Taumarunui

MASTERS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS Nelson Squash Club 30 SEPTEMBER – 2 OCTOBER

35 – 39	Men	Paul Bedford (Waikite Valley)	beat	Corey Love (Mitchell Park)	3-1 18/16 15/8 7/15 15/9
	Women	Mickayla Kerr (Mitchell Park)	beat	Nadine Cull (Hamilton)	3-1 11/15 15/10 15/7 15/9
40 – 44	Men	Rod Bannister (SquashGym P.North)	beat	Scott Gardiner (Burnside)	3-2 13/15 15/8 12/15 15/7 15/11
	Women	Lisa Cowlard (North Shore)	beat	Mandy Kennedy (North Shore)	3-1 11/15 15/6 15/7 15/9
45 – 49	Men	Gary Duberly (North Shore)	beat	Warren Miller (Australia)	3-0 15/13 15/10 15/6
	Women	Sonia Pinter (Australia)	beat	Vicki Beker (Taupo)	3-0 15/5 15/10 15/11



50 – 54	Men	Dale Robbins (Australia)	beat	Malcolm McClarty (Australia)	3-1 15/6 15/11 12/15 15/9
	Women	Kay Newman (Hamilton)	beat	Karen Walton (Christchurch)	3-1 15/6 9/15 17/15 15/8
55 – 59	Men	Kevin Smuts (Howick)	beat	Wayne Seebeck (Christchurch Football)	3-1 15/17 15/9 15/8 15/7
	Women	Anne Richards (Australia)	beat	Michel Galloway (Tauranga)	3-2 9/15 15/11 15/9 11/15 15/9
60 – 64	Men	Tony Naughton (Thorndon)	beat	Bruce Mellor (Remuera)	3-2 13/15 15/10 11/15 16/14 15/6
65 – 69	Men	Richard Purser (Remuera)	Runner-up:	Steve Molnar (Nelson)	
65 plus	Women	Pat Taylor (Tauranga)	Runner-up:	Judy Cooper (Lugton Park)	
70-74	Men	Barry Gardiner (Burnside)	beat	Tom Hannon (Christchurch Football)	3-0 16/14 15/11 15/9
75 plus	Men	Trevor Coulter (Frankton)	Runner-up:	Eddie Delahunty (Mitchell Park)	

MASTERS INTER-DISTRICT TEAMS EVENT Nelson Squash Club 3 - 5 OCTOBER

1. Wellington
2. Bay of Plenty
3. Auckland
4. Canterbury
5. Waikato

MASTERS CLUB TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIPS SquashGym Palmerston North, 17-19 June

Winner: SquashGym Palmerston North

Runner-up: Lugton Park



2011 Rob Roach Trophy for Masters Squash presented to Richard Purser at the New Zealand Masters Championships in Nelson, from his sister; former New Zealand Masters Director; Judy Cooper.

WORLD WOMEN'S TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS Palmerston North, NZ, 28th November - 4th December 2010

POOL PLAY

New Zealand 3		Canada 0	
Joelle King	beat	Alex Norman	3-0 11/4 11/6 11/2
Shelley Kitchen	beat	Stephanie Edmision	3-0 11/3 11/5 11/7
Jaclyn Hawkins	beat	Miranda Ranieri	3-0 11/4 11/5 11/5
New Zealand 3		Hong Kong China 0	
Tamsyn Leevey	beat	Karman Siu	3-0 11/5 11/4 11/2
Jaclyn Hawkes	beat	Liu Tsz-Ling	3-0 11/6 11/2 11/5
Joelle King	beat	Carmen Lee	3-0 11/5 11/4 11/5
New Zealand 2		Malaysia 1	
Joelle King	beat	Low Wee Wern	3-1 11/6 11/4 9/11 11/9



Shelley Kitchen	beat	Delia Odette Arnold	3-0 11/4 11/7 11/4
Jaclyn Hawkes	lost to	Nicol Ann David	0-3 3/11 5/11 5/11

QUARTER-FINALS

New Zealand 2		France 1	
Joelle King	beat	Isabelle Stoehr	3-0 11/9 11/3 11/4
Jaclyn Hawkes	lost to	Camille Serme	0-3 7/11 5/11 7/11
Shelley Kitchen	beat	Colin Aumard	3-0 11/5 11/5 11/4

SEMI-FINALS

New Zealand 1		England 2	
Shelley Kitchen	beat	Tania Bailey	3-1 11/8 9/11 15/13 11/7
Jaclyn Hawkes	lost to	Jenny Duncalf	1-3 11/7 9/11 6/11 9/11
Joelle King	lost to	Laura Massaro	2-3 11/5 11/7 7/11 2/11 7/11

3rd – 4th PLAY-OFFS

New Zealand 1		Malaysia 2	
Shelley Kitchen	beat	Sharon Wee Ee Lin	3-0 11/5 11/9 11/6
Jaclyn Hawkes	lost to	Nicol Ann David	0-3 5/11 6/11 5/11
Joelle King	lost to	Low Wee Wern	1-3 13/11 2/11 8/11 1/11

FINAL RESULT: NEW ZEALAND FINISHED 4th (seeded 5th)

WORLD JUNIOR WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS Boston, USA, 20th - 30th July
INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Megan Craig

Main Draw Round One	Bye		
Main Draw Round Two	beat	Victoria Temple-Murray	3-1 11/6 17/15 4/11 11/1
Main Draw Round Three	beat	Maria Elena Ubina	3-0 11/6 11/5 11/1
Main Draw Round Four	lost to	Emily Whitlock	1-3 4/11 6/11 14/12 7/11

Danielle Fourie

Main Draw Round One	Bye		
Main Draw Round Two	beat	Bethany Brazier	3-0 11/4 11/9 11/8
Main Draw Round Three	lost to	Kanzy El Defrawy	3-0 3/11 6/11 4/11
Classic Plate Round One	lost to	Risa Sugimoto	2-3 11/5 6/11 11/4 9/11 7/11

Rebecca Barnett

Main Draw Round One	lost to	Uen-Shan Choi	3-1 4/11 6/11 12/10 6/11
Draw Plate Round One	beat	Fiona Murphy	3-0 11/7 13/11 12/10
Draw Plate Round Two	beat	Lakshya Ragavendran	3-0 11/2 11/8 11/2
Draw Plate Round Three	beat	Julie Lee	3-1 11/6 11/6 1/11 11/7
Draw Plate Quarter Final	lost to	Victoria Temple-Murray	1-3 11/9 9/11 10/12 4/11

Abbie Palmer

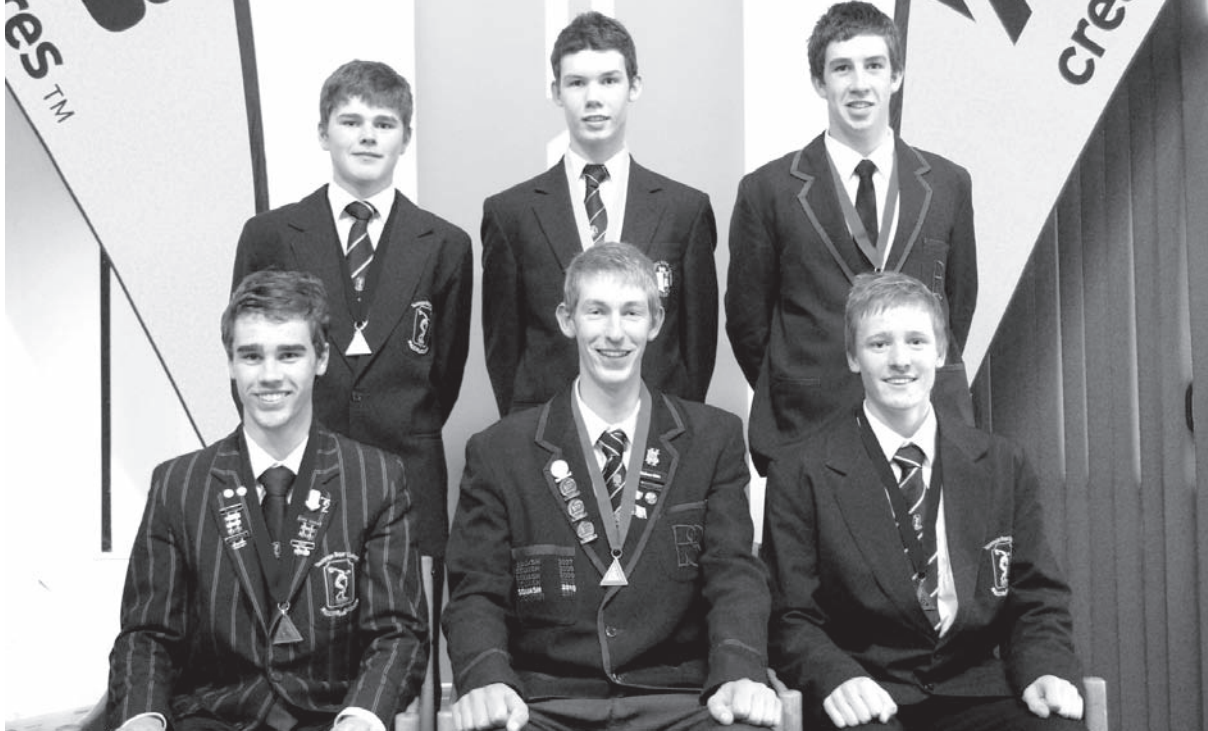
Main Draw Round One	lost to	Lume Landman	0-3 8/11 5/11 4/11
Plate Draw Round One	lost to	Elani Landman	1-2 10/12 6/11 7/11
Consolation Plate Round One	lost to	Challen Stowell	0-3 9/11 4/11 6/11

TEAM RESULTS

POOL PLAY

New Zealand 0		Egypt 3	
Abbie Palmer	lost to	Kanzy El Defrawy	0-3 2/11 4/11 2/11
Megan Craig	lost to	Nour El Tayeb	0-3 2/11 8/11 6/11
Rebecca Barnett	lost to	Nouran El Torky	0-3 7/11 6/11 5/11

New Zealand 2		Canada 1	
Megan Craig	beat	Danielle Letourneau	3-2 5/11 11/8 11/7 9/11 11/9
Danielle Fourie	lost to	Hollie Naughton	2-3 14/12 11/9 9/11 7/11 6/11
Rebecca Barnett	beat	Michelle Gemmell	3-1 11/8 7/11 11/8 11/9



2011 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS BOYS TOURNAMENT TEAM

Back Row(L-R): Alex Oakley (Tauranga Boys), Regan Smith (Palmerston North Boys), Chris van der Salm (Christchurch Boys)
Front Row(L-R): Julian Oakley (Tauranga Boys), Andrew Ellis (Christchurch Boys), Ben Grindrod (Tauranga Boys)



2011 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS GIRLS TOURNAMENT TEAM

Back Row(L-R): Taylor Flavell (Epsom Girls Grammar), Sarah Jensen (St Peter's High), Brittany Gibbons (Rodney College)
Front Row(L-R): Hayley Hughes (Epsom Girls Grammar), Eleanor Epke (Epsom Girls Grammar), Courtney Bragg (Te Puke High)



New Zealand 3		South Africa 0	
Megan Craig	beat	Alexandra Fuller	3-1 11/8 8/11 12/10 11/9
Danielle Fourie	beat	Lume Landman	3-0 11/6 12/10 11/9
Rebecca Barnett	beat	Elani Landman	3-0 8/11 4/11 8/11

QUARTER-FINALS

New Zealand 1		USA 2	
Megan Craig	lost to	Amanda Sobhy	0-3 6/11 2/11 7/11
Danielle Fourie	beat	Sabrina Sobhy	3-1 6/11 13/11 11/7 14/12
Rebecca Barnett	lost to	Olivia Blatchford	0-3 3/11 7/11 8/11

7th – 8th PLAYOFF

New Zealand 2		Wales 0	
Danielle Fourie	beat	Fiona Murphy	3-0 18/16 11/8 11/6
Megan Craig	beat	Tesni Evans	3-1 12/10 9/11 11/5 9/5

FINAL RESULT: NEW ZEALAND finished 7th (seeded 9th)

MASTERS TRANS TASMAN TEST SERIES Nelson Squash Club, 28-29 September

TEST ONE:

New Zealand 9		Australia 3	
35+ Women	Mickayla Kerr	beat	Michelle May 3-2 15/4,8/15,14/16,15/5,15/7
35+ Men	Corey Love	beat	Troy Northey 3-0 15/13, 15/3, 15/4
40+ Women	Lisa Cowlard	beat	Sonia Pinter 3-0 15/10, 15/7, 15/9
40+ Men	Scott Gardiner	beat	Warren Miller 3-0 16/14, 15/6, 15/7
45+ Women	Kathryn Austin	beat	Sue Williams 3-0 18/16, 15/6, 15/8
45+ Men	Gary Duberly	lost to	Dale Robbins 1-3 15/2 12/15 9/15 7/15
50+ Women	Kaye Newman	beat	Mandy Hamilton 3-0 15/5, 15/11, 15/12
50+ Men	Mark Waldin	lost to	Malcolm McClarty 2-3 9/15 15/4 15/17 15/6 15/7
55+ Women	Freda Walker	lost to	Anne Richards 0-3 11/15 6/15 5/15
55+ Men	Kevin Smuts	beat	Michael Brown 3-1 14/16, 15/7, 15/12, 15/10
60+ Women	Francy Stephenson	beat	Kathy Paterson 3-2 15/9, 1/15, 7/15, 15/10, 15/7
60+ Men	Tony Naughton	beat	Michael McDonald 3-0 15/8, 15/10, 18/16

TEST TWO:

New Zealand 8		Australia 4	
35+ Women	Mickayla Kerr	beat	Michelle May 3-0 15/13, 15/6, 15/9
35+ Men	Corey Love	beat	Troy Northey 3-0 15/7, 15/10, 15/9
40+ Women	Lisa Cowlard	lost to	Sonia Pinter 1-3 15/8 8/15 10/15 10/15
40+ Men	Scott Gardiner	lost to	Warren Miller 2-3 15/13 15/4 13/15 9/15 12/15
45+ Women	Kathryn Austin	beat	Sue Williams 3-2 15/7, 12/15, 15/12, 11/15, 15/5
45+ Men	Gary Duberly	beat	Dale Robbins 3-2 11/15, 16/14, 9/15, 15/11, 15/7
50+ Women	Kaye Newman	beat	Mandy Hamilton 3-0 15/8, 15/4, 15/6
50+ Men	Mark Waldin	beat	Malcolm McClarty 3-2 12/15, 17/15, 15/12, 15/17, 16/14
55+ Women	Freda Walker	lost to	Anne Richards 1-3 11/15 15/8 8/15 4/15
55+ Men	Kevin Smuts	beat	Michael Brown 3-2 17/15, 15/11, 19/21, 11/15, 18/16
60+ Women	Francy Stephenson	lost to	Kathy Paterson 2-3 21/19 8/15 15/4 15/17 9/15
60+ Men	Tony Naughton	beat	Michael McDonald 3-0 15/11, 15/5, 15/12

FINAL RESULT: NEW ZEALAND beat Australia 2-0



2011 NEW ZEALAND C GRADE WOMENS CHAMPIONS - MANGAKAHIA, NORTHLAND



2011 NEW ZEALAND MASTERS TEST TEAM v AUSTRALIA

Back Row(L-R): Wayne Seebeck (Manager), Kevin Smuts, Scott Gardiner, Corey Love, Gary Duberly, Mark Waldin, Tony Naughton.
Front Row(L-R): Francy Stephenson, Freda Walker, Kaye Newman, Mickayla Kerr, Kathryn Austin and Lisa Cowlard.



2011 NEW ZEALAND B GRADE MENS CHAMPIONS - SQUASHGYM, PALMERSTON NORTH

Back Row (L-R): Grant Smith, Jason Burton-Brown, Yeshan Ekanayake. Front Row (L-R): Regan Smith, Dylan Tasker, Jason Fletcher, Justin Brown.



2011 NEW ZEALAND B GRADE WOMENS CHAMPIONS - TAWA, WELLINGTON



WORLD SQUASH

World Squash Federation Report



2011 WORLD SQUASH AGM AT ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS.

Delegates at the AGM attended by Squash New Zealand Chairman, Neil McAra, pictured here 3rd row, 7th from the right.

It has been another busy year of events, development of the sport and the launch of the 2020 Olympic campaign.

Egypt dominated the four world titles contested in July/August this year:

The Women's World Junior Individual Championships in Boston, USA was won by Nour El Tayeb who beat fellow Egyptian Nour El Sherbini. Egypt won the WSF Women's World Junior Team Championship beating the USA 2-1 in the final. New Zealand finished 7th beating Wales in the 7th/8th place play-off.

In the WSF Men's World Junior Individual Championships in Belgium, Marwan El Shorbagy beat fellow Egyptian Mohamed Abou El Ghar in the final. In Germany Egypt beat England to win the WSF Men's World Team Championship. New Zealand finished 23rd, defeating Argentina in the play-off.

The Men's and Women's World Open Championships are being held in Rotterdam, The Netherlands alongside the World Squash AGM in November.

The squash community was heartened to have squash confirmed as a shortlisted candidate sport for inclusion in the 2020 Olympics. Immediately World Squash contracted Vero Communications as its bid management company. Vero has extensive experience in the world of sport and successfully advised the International Rugby Board in its campaign to get Rugby 7's on the 2016 Olympic sports programme, and has also successfully assisted bid cities in their quest to host the Olympic Games and other international sporting events.

World Squash subsequently launched the "Back the Bid" campaign to focus support for squash's long held passion to be an Olympic sport.

The decision on squash's inclusion will be made at the IOC session in Buenos Aires in September 2013.

On 5 November World Squash Day 2011 occurred, with a

focus on promoting the new generation of female players to the sport. Squash associations and clubs were encouraged to particularly promote squash to women and girls. Increasing recreational players is a key goal of World Squash.

A new WSF World Junior circuit has started with a new Under 19 world ranking, which will provide a much needed focus for under 19 events.

ASB Germany, who have been the leading innovator in squash, have developed an electronic three referee consol system. All three referees will have an i-pod device on which they can record their decision. The final decision of the referees is automatically collated and instantly displayed for players and spectators on screens alongside the courts. This may ease pressure on referees, who sit amongst the spectators and were required to hold up cards showing their decision.

The WSF World Coaches Conference was held in Australia in August 2011, and featured a number of high profile former players and coaches.

The WSF launched the Under 21 World Cup, with the inaugural biennial event occurring in Chennai, India in February 2012. The new championship will be for mixed teams of two men and one woman following the successful format of the biennial WSF World Cup.

The WSF World Refereeing Conference was held in Germany in August immediately preceding the Mens World Team Championship. A chance for referees to mix and discuss current issues and upskill was greatly appreciated by the referee community. There is now just one international rank of WSF Referee, which replaces the previous two step World Referee and International Referee status.

New Zealand players continue to perform creditably on the circuit, with particular congratulations to Joelle who has reached a world ranking of 11. Jaclyn Hawkes also features in the world top 20 at number 16.



2011 NEW ZEALAND C GRADE MENS CHAMPIONS - DEVOY SQUASH & FITNESS CENTRE, TAURANGA.

Back Row (L-R): Marcus Niles (captain), William Moore, Michael Dunston, Keith Dunston
 Front Row (L-R): Alex Revington, Jamie Oakley, Josh Oakley



2011 NEW ZEALAND C GRADE WOMENS CHAMPIONS - CAMBRIDGE RACKETS, WAIKATO.



Refereeing Report

Our trans-tasman relationship has continued to develop this year with Glenn Carson being invited to attend the Australian Open where he saw the best players in the world playing some brilliant squash. Glenn was given matches every day and gained valuable experience; we look forward to continued visits in the future.

National Referees attended the following national tournaments this year:

NZ Junior Open at North Shore; North Island Age Groups at Cambridge; South Island Age Groups at Timaru; North Island Champs at Hawkes Bay; South Island Champs at Linwood; Senior Nationals at Hamilton and Junior Nationals at Henderson. Unfortunately the NZ Open was not held again this year which would have given our Referees more exposure to top class players. Thanks must go to all the Referees for the time they give away from their jobs and families to attend these tournaments.

December 2010 SquashGym Palmerston North was host to the Women's World team Championships. We were lucky to have 5 World / International Referees here – Chris Sinclair, Wendy Danzey, David Atkins, Rajiv Reddy and Fayyaz Mohammed. Australia was also invited to send 4 referees and John Small. Karim Langer, Steve Murray and Russell Weatherburn attended. NZ was represented by 7 referees and me as Tournament Referee. It was a great event and thanks must go to all the referees who all worked hard as a team and did all they were asked.

We had no new National Referees qualify this year and we will be looking to using the WSF Training Programmes in the future, starting with the Introductory (District) programme. This will ensure that the referees are learning the same all around the world. Also people need to do some work on their own before approaching us to become a referee, they need to have some basic skills; reading the Rule Book first would be a start!

The Otago Squash Association must be congratulated on its efforts in qualifying District Referees; this has been an on-going programme over the last couple of years. And Heather Findlay has done some work in Northland.

The Referees Panel (Chris Buckland, Sandra Tinkler, and I) met at the start of the year and planned the programme and had many email conversations through out the year ensuring that things were running smoothly.

My thanks to Sandra Tinkler and Chris Buckland for their continuing help and support throughout the year. My thanks to Jim and the Squash NZ Office staff who were willing to do whatever asked and made my job considerably easier.

I am not standing for re-election as Director in 2012 and I thank Squash NZ for their help over many years. I have made many friends around the world with my involvement and I look forward to continuing these friendships. I am sure I will not be lost to squash and will be at some tournaments.

Joss Urbahn
Director of Refereeing

2011 National Referees

Pauline Boyle, Aileen Buscke, Heather Findley, Sally Guest, Jan McAra, Dru Reid, Sandra Tinkler, Janet Udy, Hamish Buchanan, Chris Buckland, Glenn Carson, Ian Gardiner, Peter Highsted, Mike Jack, Nigel Lloyd, Ross Minehan, Wayne Smith and Nichol Taylor.



2010 World Women's Teams Squash Championships Report



The 2010 World Women's Teams Squash Championships were hosted in Palmerston North from the 28th November until the 4th December. Organisation took over 2 years of planning with monthly meetings through to weekly meetings closer to the event. Staffing was primarily a volunteer workforce consisting of a handpicked Organising Committee of 20 with a selected skill base, a paid Championships director, a contracted media manager and over 130 volunteers to run the championships. The volunteers once again gave this New Zealand event an edge, providing first class hospitality, facilities and service.

From the beginning the Organising Committee made every effort to lift the bar in presenting a world class championships including:

1. Team liaisons allocated to each nation
2. Dedicated media campaign including TV and web streaming
3. An Opening Ceremony which showcased New Zealand, the players and all 16 competing nations
4. A school Educational Resource was developed, where schools were connected with each team
5. Full crowds watching a strong NZ team perform well.
6. A Kiwi style Closing Dinner.

Each nation from 1 to 16 left thinking New Zealand as a nation and Kiwis were superb. The country (and region) had its best week of weather all year with players, officials and supporters/spectators walking in a pleasant balmy climate to venues with ease.

Accolades about 'best World's ever' were received from many sources including current World Champion Nicol David, Dame Susan Devoy and former World Champs Sarah Fitzgerald and Michelle Martin. This was reward for all of the hard work put into the Championships.

These Championships have left a legacy for squash. The sport within New Zealand and the Palmerston North region has once again shown its capability to run superb International events. It showcased a world class facility in Palmerston North, produced a small surplus that has been put back into the sport and created a buzz throughout the sports media that has been missing from Squash for some time.

OVERVIEW

Some interesting facts from the Championships including:

- 16 nations attended, including 100+ competitors and coaches that were part of the 400+ national and international guests that attended the week long Championships.
- Semi's and Finals were sell-out crowds of 600 each with parochial, rugby type support, especially for the home nation.

- Venues for the championships were the SquashGym Palmerston North club and IPC College. The Opening, Closing Medal Ceremonies, pool play thru to the Quarters, Semis and Finals were held at the Japanese owned IPC College's International Rec Centre while early pool play rounds were held at SquashGym. IPC was a natural amphitheatre setting where the portable All-glass court was set up surrounded by a 600 tiered seat grandstand and corporate lounge.
- A highlight was the attendance of current World champion and squash superstar Nicol David with the Malaysian team, our own former World Champions Dame Susan Devoy & Carol Owens, while other former World Champions included Australia's Sarah Fitzgerald, Michelle Martin and Vanessa Atkinson from the Netherlands.
- The Championships produced a small surplus and SquashGym collected a small venue fee from an overall event budget of \$400,000. The Championships brought an economic benefit to the country and region of over \$2 million.
- The Championships had a significant sponsorship and funding component in the overall budget. Major partnerships or sponsorships included; SPARC, Simplot NZ & John West Salmon, Squash New Zealand, Inspire Net, Hotel Coachman, IPC College, Asics & Wilson and the Palmerston North City Council. Numerous Community and Gaming Trusts also contributed including; NZCT, Lion Foundation, Eastern & Central Community Trust, Central Energy Trust, Infinity Foundation and Endeavour Trust. Our grateful thanks to all.
- The official Championship website (www.womensworldsquash2010.co.nz) generated over 1.5 million hits, featured regular updates, photo galleries and web-streaming for the Quarters, Semis and Finals, which over 7000 viewed a web streamed Semis and Finals. This was our portal to the outside world.
- Team Liaison officers were appointed for each country, 2 for each nation to welcome and help teams settle in and enjoy the Championships.
- The Championships were filmed for SkyTV and was aired 3 times in an hour long highlights package, snippets were also aired on TVNZ, Maori and TV3 news. A popular Championships DVD was produced and sold.
- Australia, led by Kasey Brown and with the return of Sarah Fitzgerald, won the teams event from England, New Zealand went very close losing a tight semi to England and faded in the bronze medal match against Malaysia, finishing a creditable 4th.



Action from the 2010 Women's World Teams Squash Championships hosted at Pamerston North, New Zealand.

AN EVENT TO REMEMBER

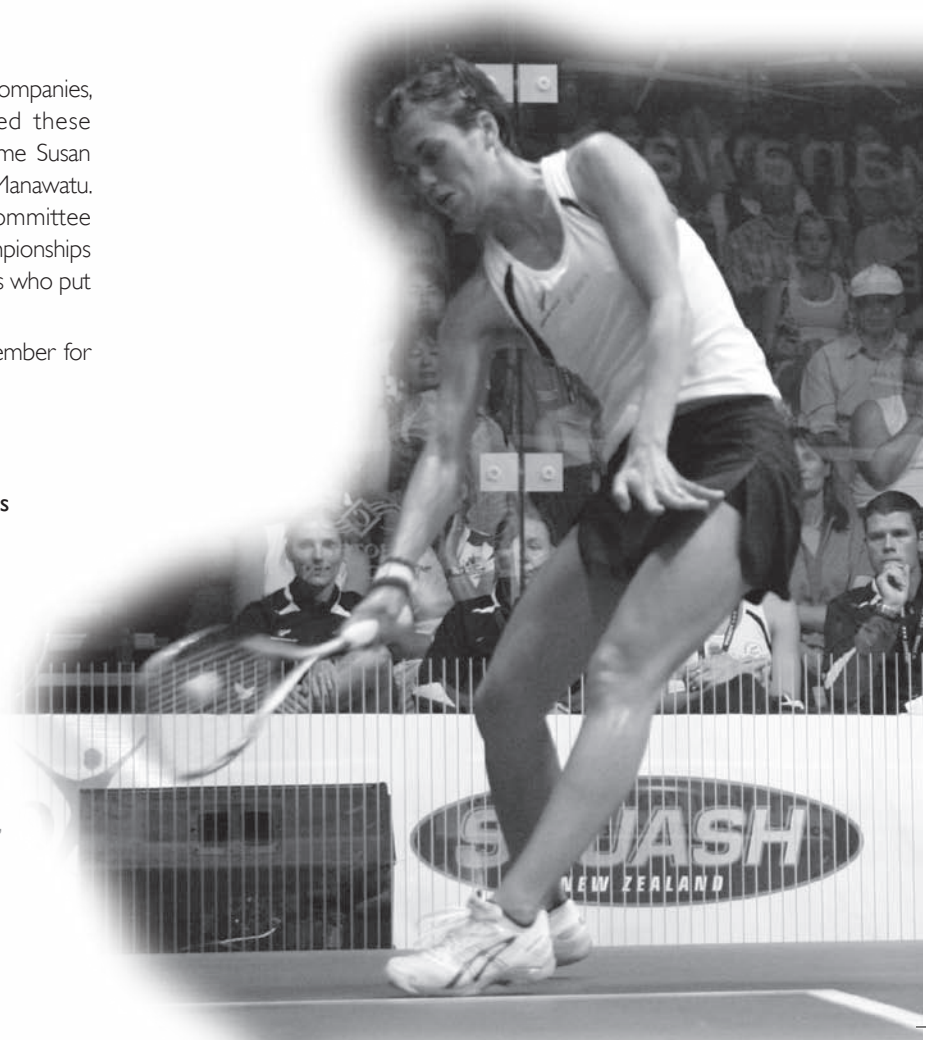
On a personal note I would like to thank the many companies, organisations and people who have supported these Championships. SPARC, Squash New Zealand, Dame Susan Devoy our Championships Ambassador, and Sport Manawatu. Not forgetting our hard working Organising Committee especially Joss Urbahn the Tournament Referee, Championships Director Vaughan Utteridge and the many volunteers who put in thousands of hours.

It was a wonderful occasion and one we will remember for many years to come.

GRANT SMITH

Chairperson, Organising Committee
2010 Women's World Teams Squash Championships

Shelley Kitchen right, in her last match for New Zealand, ended the World Teams Championships unbeaten.



New Zealand Squash Hall of Fame



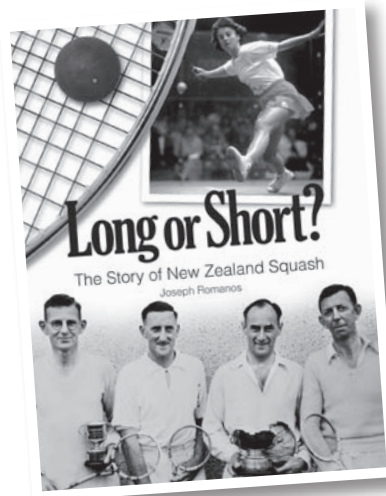
Now in its third year of existence the New Zealand Squash Hall of Fame continues to focus on its prime objectives of recognising and honouring the sport's greats, and preserving and recording the sport's history.

Our second group accorded Honoured Membership were inducted at a most enjoyable evening which coincided with the World Women's Teams Championships in December 2010. Sadly two of that night's recipients (Don Green and Nancy New) have since passed away. The pleasure both received from their induction highlights the importance of such recognition.

The 2011 honourees as selected by the Voting Panel earlier this year will be inducted at a function at this year's AGM. They are Norm Coe, Pam Davis, Paul Steel and Ann Stephens.

After three induction ceremonies the Hall of Fame now recognises twenty "greats" as Honoured Members and it is our intention that the Voting Panel should meet in early 2012 to consider further recommendations.

A major highlight for the Hall of Fame this year has been the launch and successful marketing of the Joseph Romanos publication "Long or Short? The Story of New Zealand Squash". This compelling read has received great peer reviews and been commented on enthusiastically by all who have read it. We have been delighted with its sales to date while it remains available still on the Hall of Fame website.



We were also pleased this year to provide financial support to the Canterbury Squash Foundation to assist their efforts in supporting Christchurch clubs affected by February's earthquake.

The Hall of Fame Management Board has spent some time this year considering its future structure. To this end a Memorandum of Understanding has been signed with Squash New Zealand which formalises the relationship with both parties going forward. The Hall of Fame sees this as an important step, potentially adding real value to the game in the future whilst remaining committed to its initial aims and objectives.

My thanks to all members of the Hall of Fame's Voting Panel and Management Board for their continuing support and valuable contributions.

DON COTTER
Chairman, NZSHoF Board



AT THE 2010 SQUASH HALL OF FAME INDUCTION no less than 15 national senior champions were present. From left: Charlie and Megan Waugh, Don Mochan, Pam Davis, Dame Susan Devoy, Carol Owens, Jackie Hawkes, Joelle King, Stuart Davenport, Shelley Kitchen, Neven Barbour, Don Green, Tamsyn Leevy, Val Biss, Dom Burmeister. They won 41 national titles between them.

National Squash Centre



During 2011 we have had a change in our Management Team at the NZ Squash Centre. Glen Hurley completed approximately 3 years as Manager at the end of May and it is appropriate to thank Glen for his steady stewardship over that time. Since June Trevor Colyer has been our Manager and he has brought significant growth and enthusiasm to the role. Trevor is a former top NZ Squash player and is still actively involved with squash. This added dimension and a fresh new approach is proving very successful. Our income and court usage are showing increases for the first time for a long period.

Our tenant, Subway, has continued to grow their business and the rental income we receive from them is crucial to our operation.

NZ Squash continue to make good use of the Centre for training and development, and tournaments. Unitec also makes use of the facility as do several local schools and community groups. Squash Auckland usage has also increased again.

The Board still intends to complete the Centre as originally

planned with additional courts and office space. However, the economic recession and continuing difficult financial environment has meant this has had to be deferred until the situation improves and the necessary charitable funding required proves more achievable.

During the year we lost a Trustee with the untimely death of Mike Greig, a long time stalwart of NZ Squash. Mike will be missed by all who knew him.

The remaining Trustees Michael Sumpter, Susie Simcock, Margaret Cotter, Andrew Codling and Tim Marshall all continue as does Jim O'Grady as our Board Registrar. The role of Neven Barbour as our Executive Director remains vital to the successful operation of the Centre.

The Centre remains a valuable asset and facility for all involved and the Board certainly continues to encourage increased usage by all parties.

BRUCE DAVIDSON
Chairman, Board of Trustees

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It has been another great year at Club Kelburn. When I look back and think of what a lot of businesses have gone through in the last 12 to 24 months, we have weathered the economic environment pretty well. Some areas of our club business are up, some are down, but overall we have had a successful year.

SQUASH

We have 10 courts operating at Club Kelburn. Our core products for squash are our Big Leagues, our Superleague on Monday nights, coaching, and our Sunday Club- our entry level program. Gary Aukett has done a great job this year with the coaching and Sunday Club. Tamsyn Leevey has coached a bit here with schools, and has been a great personality to have associated with our club.

But the majority of our bookings are casuals, and this area is still our core squash business. Our challenge is to continue to get new people in to try squash out, then get them into our programs mentioned above.

We have also started a Vic Uni club with the help of a keen student, and look forward to developing this more next year. With 20,000 students on our doorstep, it continues to be our biggest opportunity.

Hi Ball squash, our alternative game played with a bigger, bouncier ball and a different racket, continues to grow in popularity, and is played by people at our club most days. I

see a big future for this version of the game, and will continue to develop a market for it.

GYM

The gym continues to be an integral part of Club Kelburn. With six gym areas, we have plenty of equipment and space to provide a great workout experience. Squash and gym together are such a great combination, and I strongly encourage clubs nationwide to look at this option if you are looking for a more sustainable club model for the future. They just work well together for a whole bunch of reasons.





PRO SHOP

We continue to offer a fantastic selection of squash products both instore and online. I encourage all players nationwide to take advantage of our large range, 60 day guarantee, and great pricing. More and more individuals and clubs are buying off us online. Balls, court tape, Hi Ball gear, rackets shoes etc etc etc. CALL US ON 0800 4clubk ! Our Two Week Winner, where we put a short video of a great deal on our site every two weeks, and email the deal out to our winners database has been a great success. If you haven't already, sign up through our site- www.clubk.co.nz. Click on the Pro Shop tab.

FUNDING

We are very grateful to the great team at Pelorus Trust, who once again are supporting us to provide squash and coaching to students and the general community. It is a great help to have them on board as a key part of our club. I look forward to continuing the association with them in the coming years.

THANKS

Thanks must go to my staff of around eight. I am lucky to be right next to the Uni, which is a great source of bright young people to help with the club. I have worked more closely with Jim O'Grady this year than any of the six CEOs before him, and I think it is great to have a squash guy at the helm of our sport. He is always approachable and open to ideas, and I look forward to working more with him and the team at Squash NZ in the future.

Neven Barbour has stepped back from direct involvement with Club K for the board in the last year. I would like to thank Neven for his help over most of the last 17.5 years I have been fighting the good fight here. He has been a great help to me over the years, and continues to be a good sounding board for me. He was the guy who rang me out of the blue all those years ago with an offer to come and have a look at running what was then a pretty run down, unprofitable liability. What a great ride it has been! A few more twists and turns left!

MARKETING AND TECHNOLOGY

These are the areas where things are always changing. With the growing use of social media, and all the discount groups like Treatme, Grabone and the dozen or so others, the face of advertising and marketing has changed. We have used Treatme on a number of promotions to great effect, and will continue with them at regular intervals. The other area we have spent considerable effort on this year is developing our database and email. This has certainly been a benefit in ongoing promotions and communication. The ability to create advocates from existing members, and getting them to help gain more members is critical for us.



THE FUTURE

Looking ahead, I think people are becoming more aware of the importance of a healthy lifestyle, including exercise. Our challenge as a sport is to make our clubs fresh and appealing to the market. We need to be changing, nimble and out there in our community to entice them in.

ROB WALKER
Club Kelburn



Squash Club of the Year 2011



Manurewa Squash Rackets Club

Manurewa Squash Club provides an environment where people come first. The club has recognised that its success and growth hinge on building strong relationships. To achieve this Manurewa Squash Club has introduced the new position of 'Membership Administrator' on its committee. The purpose of this role is to build quality relationships within the club and throughout the community with the goal of growing and developing the game of squash in the Manurewa community. An example of this approach is the 'Summer Special' advertising campaign instigated by the Membership Administrator over the 2010-11 Christmas period. The campaign attracted 35 new members over the summer period, of which 15 were later converted into full time club members.

Manurewa Squash Club also recognises the importance of building strong relationships with volunteers to create a welcoming and hospitable environment for prospective and existing members. To support this Manurewa supports its volunteers by paying for them to participate in training courses, and providing pathways to recognition and reward. The club has developed a coaching pool of six training coaches, all of whom have attended Squash New Zealand Coachforce training modules. The club has also paid for four volunteer bar staff to attain Club Managers Bar Certificates. Manurewa believes that a welcoming and willing network of volunteers within the club is vital to its success. As well as paying for courses, volunteers receive complimentary tickets to club functions, and the club is also in the process of introducing an award for club member of the year which will recognise volunteer work.

The success of Manurewa's programme is underlined by the 65% increase in membership that has occurred between

October 2010 and October 2011.

The club acts further to embed quality relationships with prospective and existing members by communicating effectively and making court access user-friendly for members. The club utilises text and email platforms to keep members up to date and deliver timely and meaningful communication. It has also committed to implementing the Squash New Zealand-provided online court booking system, which will facilitate court access for existing members and be used as a tool to attract new members.

Manurewa Squash Club has also subscribed to the importance of attractive, welcoming facilities to the health of the club. The club has spent \$100,000 in the last year on club improvements, including refurbishment of the kitchen, ladies changing rooms and bar area, and construction of a covered deck. A further \$175,000 of work is in various stages of funding and planning for the coming year to continue club upgrades.

Manurewa Squash Club participates proudly in regional and national competitions, featuring in all categories of Squash Auckland interclub competition, and entering a team in the Cousins Shield national club team championship during the 2011 season. The club enjoyed some success in the Superchamps competition, with some strong results at regional level, and the F grade women's team (which won the regional Superchamps competition) placing third at the national event.

Congratulations to Manurewa Squash Club on their progress and achievements this year; a deserving recipient of the club of the year award.



Masters Report

The Trans Tasman Test series in Nelson this year in association with the New Zealand Masters individuals and team's event has been the key focus for many of our players and the event did not disappoint.

There were 170 entrants and this number seems to be relatively static in recent years, however the quality of the squash certainly does not diminish regardless of age group.

The retiming of the event away from the traditional Labour Weekend to late September seems to have been a hit with the majority of the participants and will be continued along with the successful 3 day individuals time frame trialled in 2010.

Special thanks must go to the main players in the organisation of this three pronged event, Di Connolly, Sylvia Wesley and Grant Fergusson who worked tirelessly along with their army of volunteers to produce a superb nine days of quality hosting.

They supplied their own on site IT expert, club stalwart Lester Bowden who was residing in his house bus, employed an in-house barista, and the never ending supply of clean towels in the changing rooms is a memory to cherish.

NZ CLUB MASTERSTEAMS CHAMPS June 17 - 19th 2011

Ten entries in all were received for the event, with only three of these being from outside the host club: Kawaroa Park, Lugton Park and Feilding.

In Division 1, there were 6 teams, the 3 PN teams were entered with one team being the highest graded team and the other two formulated so that they were pretty much evenly matched to opposing teams. The top PN team won the competition.

The four PN teams in Division 2 were compiled so that opponents were evenly matched in grades, ensuring that everyone got good matches.

Entries were very disappointing. I emailed contacts I have throughout the country of Masters and had pre-advised them all of the tournament and the dates and asked them to try to support the event, but this seemed not to help the number of entries. It was apparent that because of the change in date by NZ Squash it clashed with the likes of Masterton Open, and also was the week prior to Cousins Shield/Mitchell Cup, which for top players may have been too much with them two weeks in a row.

We produced an 'in house' programme, including the draws, team compositions and messages from NZ Masters Director and our club President.

Sponsorship of \$1000 was received from Jacksons Flooring, who sent a representative to our prizegiving, who commented that they were pleased to support and would be happy to continue next year.



SQUASHGYM PALMERSTON NORTH, winners of the NZ Club Masters Teams title for 2011. L to R; Sharon Patterson, Sheryl Curtis, Ian Nation, Joe Murphy and Grant Smith.

The tournament ran smoothly, everyone enjoyed themselves, the food provided by the club President and his team was wonderful, and the Saturday night social was very well received.

I did not hear many comments on the 'goodie bags' but I am sure they were appreciated.

Jill Brown, Tournament Organiser

TRANS-TASMAN TEST SERIES

Unfortunately for the first time the 2011 earthquake sequences and the Rugby World Cup forced a change from the normal 3 test competition to a 2 test countback event, however this was but a minor blip on the horizon when put into life's perspective.

Arriving for practise on the Tuesday night it was clear the atmosphere was buzzing, and this energy from and to the club continued throughout the next day. After the speeches we received a warm welcome from Nelson's Mayor, Aldo Miccio, who then advised that because of the Rugby World Cup he had announced "Hug an Aussie Day", and of course we all did as we were told.

However immediately after this historic group bonding session we hit the courts for our 20th encounter, of which we had only won four.

After two matches we were 2 down however we won the next 7 to take a commanding lead and finished up 9-3 victors – a powerful first day.

Day two saw some turn around results both ways however New Zealand were not to be denied their moment in the sun, eventually winning 8-4.

The match results are listed elsewhere, and the Nelson newspaper article and photo below tell the whole story.

Finally special thanks must go to Squash NZ for financial assistance way above budget, which the players appreciated immensely.

NZ INDIVIDUALS

There were many hotly contested matches leading up to and including the finals, and the quality of squash was at the highest level, with Australians taking three of the titles and New Zealanders the remainder. The winners are listed elsewhere in the results section.

INTER DISTRICT TEAMS EVENT

Once again only five teams were entered, a disappointing number given that Central are previous regulars, and being a South Island event one would expect Southern, Otago or Midlands to finally conjure up a team or combine to ensure participation in this annual squash-fest, and to promote themselves for potential future hosting rights.

The round robin event was a tight affair and upset results meant that on the final day Auckland and Canterbury had the power to become king makers, as the result of their tie created the champion team.

I have never in the history of Masters Squash seen so many Bay of Plenty and Wellington players cheering for their adopted teams.

It was quite fitting that Wellington emerged the victors as they had beaten the Bay in the round robin and this was their first title since the inception of the event in 1985.

The winner of the traditional and charismatic skits event was Canterbury with an enlightening and humorous tale of a typical day in earthquake ravaged Canterbury.

ROB ROCHE TROPHY

Below is an excerpt from the trophy award presented to Richard Purser.

Richard began his international racquet sport career in 1960, being selected in the N.Z. Junior Davis Cup Squad.

However badminton was his forte, and he won 33 NZ Open titles from 1962-81.

9 singles, 10 doubles, and 14 mixed doubles.

He also won a number of overseas singles titles including the Scottish, Irish and Australian Open, and the 1978 Commonwealth bronze medal doubles.

Richard has been a devoted and heavily involved supporter of NZ Masters Squash for 30 years and he has been a member of the Auckland team 15 times since 1991 with an enthusiastic, fun loving style that helped to set national championships alight, and his sense of humour and commitment to the team skits is legendary.

Every year from 1997 to 2008 he won his age group, and with wins in a couple of other years he has won 14 NZ Masters Titles and several Australian Titles.

He has represented New Zealand in the Masters Team eight times, always with distinction, always with a determination to do well, and more often than not, with a win at the end.

To cap it all off Richard won the World Masters Games 45+ Squash Title in Denmark, the World Masters 55+ Squash title in Melbourne in 2001, and in the 2008 Worlds in Christchurch he prevailed in the 65+ age group, losing only 1 set 10/8 on the way to the final which he won 9/0 9/6 9/1

CONCLUSION:

2011 saw some young and not so young Masters players participate for the first time at our National Event, and it is evident that they are all hooked on continuing their foray into an exciting new genre.

Next year is a World Cup year in Birmingham and many New Zealanders plan to travel and enjoy a holiday combined with their favourite sport.

R. WAYNE SEEBECK
Director of Masters



Glorious triumph over Aussies

The title of victory is yours for the New Zealand team...
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ACCOUNTABILITY

Squash New Zealand 2011 Financials





Audit Report

To the Readers of the Financial Statements of New Zealand Squash Incorporated.

We have audited the financial statements of New Zealand Squash Incorporated on pages 47 to 53 which comprise the balance sheet as at 30 September 2011, and the income statement, statement of changes in equity for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

NEW ZEALAND SQUASH INCORPORATED RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Executive Council is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand and for such internal control as the Executive council determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand).

Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor we have no relationship with, or interests in, New Zealand Squash Incorporated.

OPINION

Basis for Qualified Opinion on Financial Position and Financial Performance

In common with organisations of similar nature, control over income in Club Kelburn prior its being recorded is limited, and no practical audit procedure exist to determine the effect of this limited control.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the financial statements on pages 47 to 53 :

- Comply with generally accepted accounting practices in New Zealand;
- Give a true and fair view of the financial position of New Zealand Squash Incorporated as at 30 September 2011, and its financial performance for the year then ended.

OTHER MATTERS

Last year's accounts had been qualified on the same basis as this year.

REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required.

In our opinion proper accounting records have been kept by the organisation as far as appears from our examination of those records.

Cameron McGregor BCOM FCA
McGregor Bailey Chartered Accountants
2 Crummer Road, Ponsonby, Auckland 1144, New Zealand

Date: 18 November 2011



NEW ZEALAND SQUASH (INC)

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 30 September 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
Accumulated Funds			
Opening Balance as at 1 October		1,037,008	1,042,435
Surplus / (Deficit) for the Year		(15,199)	(5,427)
Total Accumulated Funds		1,021,809	1,037,008
Represented By:			
Current Assets			
Cash on Hand		160	60
Current Accounts		259,432	318,168
On Call Accounts		458,826	508,037
Term Deposits		187,627	178,382
Accounts Receivable	3	109,019	59,104
Stock on Hand	1	66,320	35,496
Payments in Advance	4	16,199	29,247
Total Current Assets		1,097,583	1,128,494
Investments			
Loans to National Squash Centre		58,617	87,924
Total Investments	5	58,617	87,924
Non-current Assets	6	257,875	281,529
Total Assets		1,414,075	1,497,947
Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable		177,340	240,053
GST Payable		31,949	29,990
Sundry Accruals	7	13,727	18,576
Income in Advance	8	169,250	172,320
Total Current Liabilities		392,266	460,939
Total Liabilities		392,266	460,939
NET ASSETS		1,021,809	1,037,008

For and on behalf of the Board:

Chairperson

CEO

18 November 2011



NEW ZEALAND SQUASH (INC)

Consolidated Statement of Financial Performance

For the year ending 30 September 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
INCOME			
Levies & Subscriptions			
Affiliation Levies	9	436,256	441,712
Grading Levies		16,510	16,679
Associate Memberships		3,776	4,849
Total Levies & Subscriptions		456,542	463,240
Public Sector Grants			
SPARC		498,750	517,867
Total Public Sector Grants		498,750	517,867
Other Grants, Sponsorships & Income		50,598	56,156
Total Grants, Sponsorships & Income		50,598	56,156
Investment Income			
Club Kelburn	10	115,887	102,886
Interest		22,419	9,902
Total Investment Income		138,306	112,788
Sundry Income		79,761	38,164
TOTAL INCOME		1,223,957	1,188,215



NEW ZEALAND SQUASH (INC)

Consolidated Statement of Financial Performance

For the year ending 30 September 2011

	Note	2011	2010
		\$	\$
EXPENDITURE			
Management & Operations			
Governance		56,217	57,862
Salaries & Fees		207,464	251,122
Office Expenses		36,200	24,210
Professional Fees		8,940	11,800
Staff Expenses		10,523	7,809
Total Management & Operations		319,344	352,803
Special Projects		105,449	58,445
Promotion & Marketing		17,269	15,885
Regional Development		253,471	216,834
Education & Development		(37)	715
Gradings & Rankings		29,311	38,209
National Events		50,555	62,098
High Performance Programme		400,076	397,356
Total Expenditure before Depreciation		1,175,438	1,142,345
Provision for Doubtful Debts		31,307	29,807
Depreciation		33,670	20,677
Unrealised Exchange Loss	I	1,335	396
Bad Debts		-	417
Gain on Disposal of Assets		2,594	-
Total Expenditure Including Depreciation		1,239,156	1,193,642
NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		(15,199)	(5,427)

This statement must be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements on Pages 50-53 and the Audit Report on Page 46

NEW ZEALAND SQUASH (INC)

Consolidated Statement of Movement of Equity

For year ending 30 September 2011

	Note	2011	2010
		\$	\$
Accumulated Funds			
Opening Balance as at 1 October		1,037,008	1,042,435
Surplus / (Deficit) for the Year		(15,199)	(5,427)
Total Accumulated Funds		1,021,809	1,037,008

This statement must be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements on Pages 50-53 and the Audit Report on Page 46



NEW ZEALAND SQUASH (INC)

Notes to the Financial Accounts

For the year ended 30 September 2011

I - ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Statement of Accounting Policies

Differential Reporting

New Zealand Squash (Inc) is the New Zealand national sporting organisation responsible for the control, advancement and regulation of the game of squash throughout New Zealand. New Zealand Squash (Inc) is incorporated under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

The Association qualifies for differential reporting as it is not publicly accountable and does not qualify as "large", as defined within the New Zealand Institute of Chartered Accountants framework for differential reporting. The entity has taken advantage of all the differential reporting exemptions available to it.

Measurement Base

The accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of earnings and financial position on an historical cost basis have been followed. Accrual accounting is used to match income and expenditure.

Specific Accounting Policies

The following specific accounting policies which materially affect the measurement of financial performance and of financial position have been applied:

Operating Leases

Operating lease payments, where the lessors effectively retain substantially all the risks and benefits of ownership of the leased items, are recognised in the determination of operating profit in equal instalments over the term of the lease (refer Note 11)

Stock

Stock for New Zealand Squash has been valued at net realisable value. Club Kelburn stock is valued on a weighted average basis.

Goods & Services Tax

The financial statements have been prepared on a GST exclusive basis. Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable are stated inclusive of GST.

Income Tax

New Zealand Squash Inc is exempt for Income Tax as an amateur sports club, under Income Tax Act 2007, No 97, s CW 46.

Fixed Assets

All fixed assets are recorded at cost less accumulated depreciation to date.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated on a diminishing value basis or straight-line method on all properties. Some plant and equipments are provided at rates that will write-off the cost of the assets to their estimated residual values over their useful lives. The associated depreciation rates for each class of assets are as follows:

Buildings & Improvements	3.6% - 31.2%
Motor Vehicles	20.0% - 26.0%
Office Equipment	10.0% - 80.4%
Plant & Equipment	9.0% - 60.0%
Software	10.0% - 48.0%
Sports Equipment	10.0% - 60.0%

Investments

Investments are loans advanced to clubs for renovations and development and are stated at cost less any provisions or write-offs (refer Note 5).



Foreign Currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at the New Zealand rate of exchange at the date of the transaction.

At balance date foreign monetary assets and liabilities are translated at the closing rate, and exchange variations arising from these transactions are included in the statement of financial performance as operating items.

Changes in Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in accounting policies. All policies have been applied on a basis consistent with those used in previous years.

2 - INVENTORY COMMITMENTS

Some inventories are pledged as security for liabilities. Inventory is subject to retention of title clauses.

3 – ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	2011	2010
Accounts Receivable	129,019	77,104
Less Provision for Doubtful Debts	(20,000)	(18,000)
Total Accounts Receivable	109,019	59,104

4 – PAYMENTS IN ADVANCE

	2011	2010
ACC Levy	1,723	1,645
Commonwealth Games (Oct 2011)	-	10,935
Computer Expenses	3,550	1,350
Consultant Fees	844	-
Hall of Fame Expenses	-	5,052
Insurance	7,019	7,235
Travel Expenses	3,063	-
World Womens (Dec 2010)	-	1,474
World Squash Meeting	-	1,556
Total Payments in Advance	16,199	29,247

5 – INVESTMENTS

	2011	2010
National Squash Centre Charitable Trust	293,073	293,073
Less Provision for Doubtful Debts	(234,456)	(205,149)
Total Investments	58,617	87,924

Advancement Date : 31 October 2001

Terms : Original Term Five Years increased to 9 Years



Repayment Date : Original Date of Repayment 31 October 2006 extended to 31 October 2013
 Interest Rate : 0.0% per annum
 Security : Unsecured

New Zealand Squash views the above loan of \$293,073 as a strategic investment in the long term future development of squash. The Board has extended the repayment date of this loan to October 2013.

No interest has been charged since the inception of the advance.

A provision for doubtful debts has been made to write this investment off over 10 years.

6 - FIXED ASSET & DEPRECIATION SCHEDULE

Description	Cost	Opening Book Value	Additions/ (Disposals)	Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Closing Book Value
Trophies	500	500				500
Motor Vehicles	34,749	11,180	(20,889)	1,492	7,230	6,630
Plant, Equip & Fittings	240,800	34,190	5,253	12,379	228,946	17,107
Computer Software	178,098	146,825	27,000	15,810	37,126	167,972
Sports Equipment	221,430	38,226	1,495	13,662	196,866	26,059
Buildings	775,399	42,649	-	11,709	744,459	30,940
Leasehold Improvements	272,847	7,959	3,619	2,910	267,799	8,667
Total	1,723,823	281,529	16,478	57,962	1,482,426	257,875

7 - SUNDRY ACCRUALS

	2011	2010
Holiday Pay Accrued	13,727	18,576
Total Sundry Accruals	13,727	18,576

8 - INCOME IN ADVANCE

	2011	2010
SPARC	130,500	169,000
Ball Sponsorship	14,250	-
Lion Foundation	20,000	-
Pelorus Trust - Grant	4,500	3,320
Total Income in Advance	169,250	172,320

9 - LEVIES & SUBSCRIPTIONS

Affiliation levy income for the 2011 year was calculated on an SEM rate of \$30.95 plus GST.

10 - CLUB KELBURN

Club Kelburn is a court, gym and retail equipment facility owned by New Zealand Squash Inc. Its financial accounts are included as part of New Zealand Squash Inc.



The following is a summarised Statement of Financial Performance for Club Kelburn for the year ended 30 September 2011.

	2011	2010
Income:		
Operating Income	132,974	166,300
Court Fees	188,923	195,602
Gear Hire	12,312	13,857
Gym, Aerobics, Sauna & Sunbed	204,073	187,093
Sponsorship & Promotion	1,050	1,157
Interest Received	8,385	6,990
Recoveries	27,624	27,600
Other Income	9,567	5,782
Total Income	584,908	604,381
Less: Expenditure		
Cost of Sales	75,593	88,335
Bank Fees	2,895	3,196
Depreciation	24,292	34,320
Insurance	9,079	7,978
Management & Sundry	249,520	245,634
Power & Utilities	43,040	43,070
Rent	45,337	45,337
Repairs & Maintenance	19,265	33,625
Total Expenditure	469,021	501,495
Net Surplus	115,887	102,886

11 - CAPITAL & LEASE COMMITMENTS

Capital Commitments

There were no capital commitments as at Balance Date.

Operating Lease Commitments

Lease commitments under non-cancellable operating leases:

	2011	2010
Current	7,608	10,680
Non-current	28,382	15,130
Total	35,990	25,810

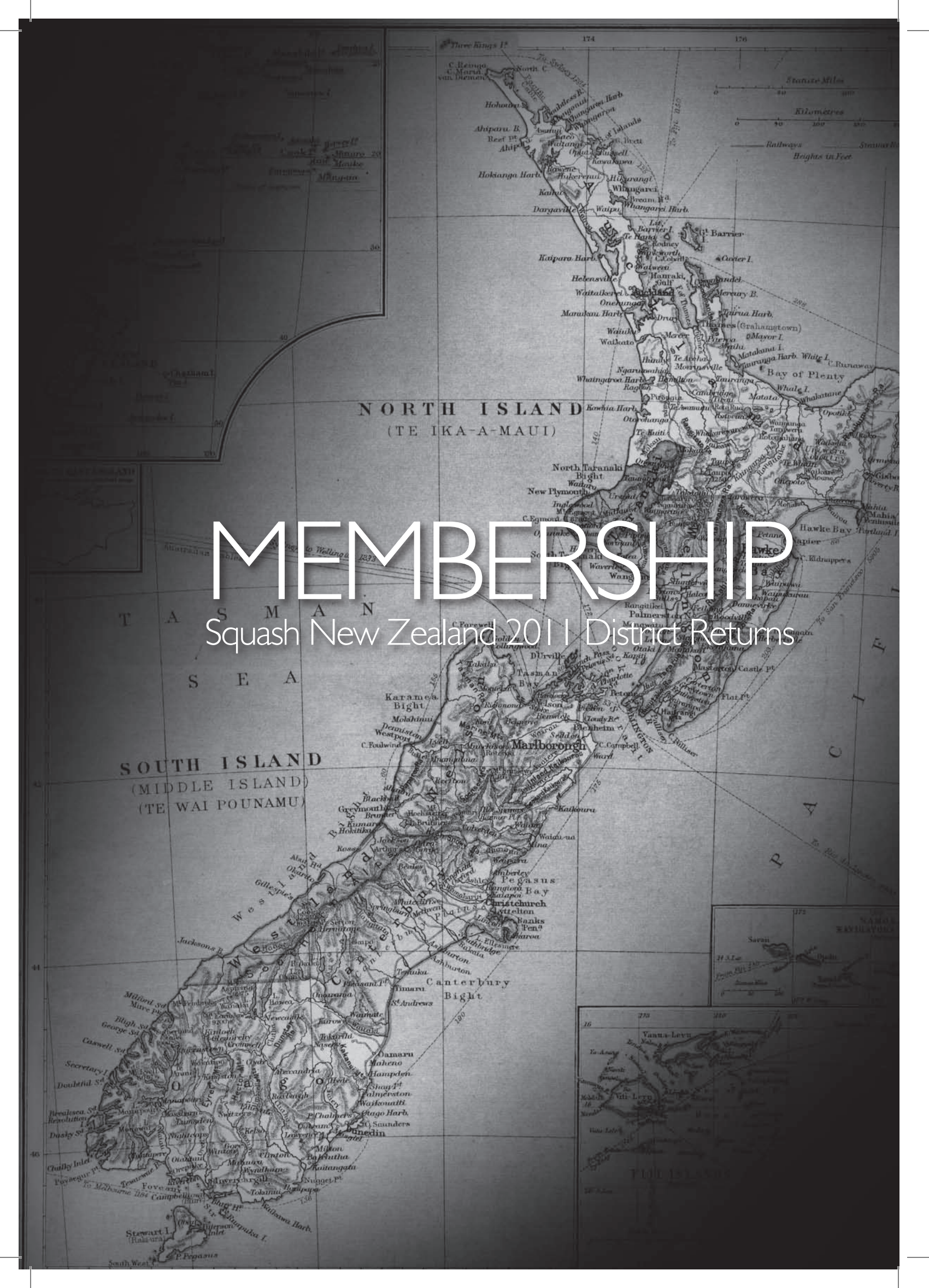
A new lease was signed on 31 May 2011. The term of the operating lease is 60 months and expires 31 May 2016.

12 - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

New Zealand Squash (Inc) had no contingent liabilities as at 30 September 2011.

MEMBERSHIP

Squash New Zealand 2011 District Returns





2011 Membership Returns

Club	Senior Men	Senior Women	Junior Men	Junior Women	Leisure Players	Total Members
NORTHLAND						
Bream Bay	11	0	0	0	1	11
Dargaville RF & SRC	18	11	15	3	5	47
Kaitia T & SC	22	14	12	10	2	58
Kamo Rugby	50	33	17	21	7	121
Kerikeri	59	36	17	10	47	122
Manaia	35	22	6	3	8	66
Mangakahia	33	18	21	9	19	81
Maungaturoto	35	26	16	9	8	86
Mid Western	14	12	11	3	1	40
Southern (Te Kopuru)	13	8	5	2	5	21
Waipu Rugby & Squash	5	1	6	4	0	16
Wellsford	34	26	18	20	13	98
Whangarei	62	20	23	9	37	114
Total	391	227	167	103	153	881
AUCKLAND						
Auckland Squash Centre	6	1	0	0	0	7
Belmont Park	21	15	29	9	2	77
Browns Bay	124	34	26	10	40	168
Devonport	44	11	25	12	6	92
Franklin	99	31	53	10	21	193
Harcourts Eden Epsom	160	62	71	21	78	314
Henderson	129	65	29	16	80	239
Herne Bay/Ponsonby	96	44	15	15	31	190
Howick	108	25	21	5	46	159
Kumeu	34	9	9	2	16	54
Manurewa	68	58	20	10	37	156
Maramarua	17	11	6	2	4	36
North Shore	140	39	29	17	21	225
Panmure	139	41	25	12	101	217
Papakura	55	17	24	6	20	102
Red Beach	43	16	19	14	13	92
Remuera	278	88	53	13	111	453
RNZAF	17	17	0	0	0	34
Royal Oak	219	98	70	18	216	405
Shepherds Park	4	4	0	0	1	8
Silverdale	39	17	4	0	10	60
Te Kauwhata	24	12	1	0	1	37
Te Papapa	44	17	2	1	54	64
Titirangi T & SC	153	47	31	8	100	239
Waiuku Golf & SC	38	14	0	0	47	52
Warkworth	54	41	42	24	100	161
Weymouth	18	12	0	1	0	30
Total	2171	846	604	226	1156	3864



Club	Senior Men	Senior Women	Junior Men	Junior Women	Leisure Players	Total Members
WAIKATO						
Aria	22	22	3	5	8	52
Cambridge	101	52	25	11	36	189
Frankton	22	4	2	1	2	29
Hamilton OBRF	45	25	4	3	32	77
Hamilton S & T	115	39	33	15	390	592
Huntly	13	23	12	9	7	57
Leamington Rugby	41	35	14	5	11	95
Lugton Park	62	35	8	4	34	109
Mercury Bay	3	4	0	0	5	7
Morrinsville	37	33	15	12	14	97
Ngaruawahia	21	9	0	0	7	30
Otorohanga	21	20	0	0	1	41
Paeroa SC	34	17	8	14	22	73
Ruakura SC	79	48	17	2	69	146
Taumarunui	42	30	9	8	25	89
Taupiri Rugby	19	16	0	0	0	35
Te Aroha	36	38	12	5	22	91
Te Awamutu	68	45	33	10	34	155
Te Kuiti SC	28	24	5	5	3	62
Te Rapa SC	43	25	16	5	5	89
Thames SC	44	17	30	32	61	123
United Matamata	85	44	25	23	40	177
Waihi	5	2	6	6	0	19
Waikato Hospital	37	26	0	0	36	63
Whangamata	16	14	4	4	31	38
Total	1039	647	281	179	895	2535
BAY OF PLENTY						
Devoy Squash & fitness	87	55	40	13	80	195
Edgecumbe	30	23	11	4	10	68
Galatea Social	35	27	4	2	0	68
Geyser City	62	28	12	5	11	107
Katikati	44	34	26	11	42	115
Kawerau	4	0	0	0	0	4
Lakes High	43	24	16	11	1	94
Marist	35	19	2	0	16	56
Mount Maunganui	135	68	33	12	86	203
Putaruru	10	20	6	4	15	65
Reporoa	20	15	12	2	6	49
Taneatua	20	26	0	0	7	46
Taupo	60	39	14	4	9	117
Te Puke	80	49	44	39	5	212
Te Roopu o Waikite	2	0	1	1	44	46
Ti Street Squash Centre	10	4	5	2	0	21
Tokoroa	47	29	18	20	0	142
Waikite Valley	29	16	11	4	2	60
Whakatane	63	20	18	1	20	103
Total	816	496	273	135	354	1771



Club	Senior Men	Senior Women	Junior Men	Junior Women	Leisure Players	Total Members
EASTERN						
Gisborne HSOB	26	19	16	5	10	66
Hastings T & SC	66	52	23	23	68	164
Havelock North	110	25	19	3	38	157
Hawkes Bay LTSC	90	40	9	12	42	151
Hawkes Bay SC	84	8	31	12	57	175
Surf City Squash	39	22	11	6	75	153
Takapau	8	5	2	2	3	17
Waipukurau	14	14	3	2	8	33
Wairoa SC	No Return					
Total	437	185	114	65	341	916
CENTRAL						
Ashhurst-Pohangina	19	9	16	7	10	51
Dannevirke	1	3	3	1	8	34
Eltham	15	17	4	1	10	47
Feilding	39	21	7	6	41	73
Foxton	15	7	1	0	10	23
Hawera	47	23	6	4	6	80
Inglewood	35	24	14	16	31	119
Kawaroa Park	164	76	30	6	97	276
Levin	30	13	6	6	24	55
Ohakea	12	3	0	0	7	15
Ohakune	27	23	19	14	5	83
Okato	40	20	35	14	16	109
Opunake	12	14	0	0	0	26
Patea	15	14	1	3	11	33
Rangitikei	38	27	9	9	26	83
River City	37	19	2	5	14	63
SquashGym Palmerston Nth	383	159	137	64	433	743
Stratford	40	23	1	0	16	64
Taihape	41	28	17	6	19	92
Taranua	56	25	23	16	46	120
Turangi	21	18	0	1	31	40
Waitara	18	14	3	0	12	35
Wanganui	115	33	28	4	70	180
Total	1220	613	362	183	943	2444



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WELLINGTON						
Celtic	23	15	7	0	9	45
Club Kelburn	4	0	1	0	1000	5
Fraser Park	65	19	8	8	44	110
Island Bay	100	34	16	5	5	160
Kapiti	53	10	17	8	38	88
Khandallah	109	61	37	18	79	225
Mana	88	16	26	12	59	142
Marlborough	39	25	14	11	18	89
Marlborough COBS	48	49	28	21	6	146
Martinborough	32	24	17	10	6	83
Masterton	65	34	45	12	37	156
Mitchell Park	136	44	30	18	85	228
Motueka	27	15	8	4	5	54
Nelson	119	37	32	5	83	193
Otaki Sports	15	1	10	4	0	30
Red Star	57	44	20	26	0	147
Squash @ Upper Hutt	95	25	49	10	73	179
Takaka	22	14	6	2	19	44
Tawa	166	89	54	17	196	356
The Thorndon Club	152	64	0	0	49	216
Waikanae	22	10	11	1	7	44
Waimea Squash	65	33	9	7	14	98
Wainuiomata	47	28	9	4	32	88
Woodbourne	7	0	0	0	0	7
Total	1556	691	454	203	1864	2933



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CANTERBURY						
Amberley	37	26	12	6	14	81
Burnside	109	52	20	7	39	198
Cashmere	25	16	0	0	0	41
Christchurch Football	138	58	36	24	71	256
Christchurch	196	83	41	12	103	332
Greymouth	45	13	4	0	8	62
Hokitika	8	3	0	0	0	11
Hoon Hay	60	19	13	5	11	97
Kaiapoi	21	17	7	6	20	61
Kaikoura	56	28	3	1	40	88
Lincoln	16	14	0	0	0	30
Linwood	48	36	4	6	30	94
Malvern	43	16	13	5	14	77
Mount Pleasant	39	19	2	3	17	63
Oxford	18	11	3	1	8	33
Rangiora	59	18	9	1	17	87
Richmond Wkmns Club	58	26	7	4	29	95
Squash HQ	1	0	1	0	2	2
Squashways Canterbury	35	0	2	0	4	37
Sumner T & SC	50	17	1	1	10	69
Westport	21	5	5	2	20	33
Total	1083	477	183	84	457	1847
MIDLANDS						
Ashburton	74	18	31	11	31	134
Oamaru Excelsior SC	28	6	8	2	5	44
Oamaru S & BC	50	16	8	2	5	76
Timaru	51	23	8	3	10	95
Timaru OBSC	6	1	1	0	0	8
Waimate	20	3	5	0	0	28
Total	229	86	61	18	51	385



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OTAGO						
Alexandra	41	22	6	5	1	74
Clutha	19	2	2	0	6	23
Cromwell	33	25	6	6	2	70
Maniototo	11	14	8	5	1	38
Omakau	21	23	6	3	4	53
Otago	76	35	18	7	14	136
Otago University	78	48	8	4	0	138
Pirates	52	32	18	17	2	119
Queenstown	28	6	3	2	37	75
Southern	27	10	1	0	3	38
Sunnyvale	50	15	6	1	2	72
Taieri	50	34	17	3	11	104
Toko	12	8	5	2	6	27
Wanaka	56	25	9	4	47	92
Total	554	299	113	59	136	1059
SOUTHLAND						
Balfour SC	23	12	0	0	0	35
Central Southland	33	27	6	4	3	70
Clinton Community	39	31	1	1	33	70
Dipton SC	21	3	0	0	7	24
Fiordland SC	30	19	2	2	11	53
Gore Town & Country	49	54	16	8	42	127
Makarewa SC	40	18	9	4	13	71
Mossburn SC	16	15	0	1	2	30
Nightcaps SC	12	13	0	0	0	25
Otautau SC	18	8	2	0	2	28
Riversdale SC	20	20	1	1	0	42
Riverton SRC	5	7	8	2	1	22
Squash City Invercargill	99	36	38	19	53	192
Tapanui SC	22	21	2	0	11	45
Waiau SC	13	14	2	3	2	34
Waikaia SRC	22	22	0	1	7	45
Waikaka	14	22	6	5	15	47
Wyndham SC	10	18	3	0	1	31
Total	486	360	96	51	203	991