

# OCEANIA JUNIOR AGED OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

When the Oceania Squash Federation was formed in 1992 one of its key objectives was a commitment towards fostering junior development and increased opportunities for junior players in the Oceania Region.

In support of this objective the Oceania Junior Aged Open Squash Championships were established, specifically to provide players in the region competition in a tournament environment against players both from within their region as well as against players from other member countries of the World Squash Federation, particularly those from our near Asian neighbours.

The Championships also creates an opportunity for cultural experience as part of player development at junior level, in addition to attracting more players to squash in general.

## **1<sup>st</sup> Oceania Junior Championships - 1992**

The 1<sup>st</sup> Oceania Junior Championships were hosted by Squash New Zealand at the Henderson Club, Auckland.

Overseas players were offered free billeting with local families, although some countries elected to have their players stay in motel accommodation.

Transport and lunches were provided to players and officials. Social functions included the Open Ceremony, Singles Competition Prize Giving Dinner and a Farewell Function at the conclusion of the Teams Competition.

## **2<sup>nd</sup> Oceania Junior Championships - 1993**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Championships were hosted by Ligue Caledonienne De Squash in Noumea, New Caledonia.

Transport and lunches were provided to players and officials. Players were billeted at schools and with local families. Social functions included the Opening Function and Prize Giving Closing Function.

## **3<sup>rd</sup> Oceania Junior Championships – 1995**

Squash Australia hosted the 3<sup>rd</sup> Oceania Junior Championships in Mackay, North Queensland.

Transport was provided for players and officials. Billets were arranged, although some countries elected to utilise motel accommodation. Sample bags of goods and gifts from local businesses were presented to players and officials at the Welcome Function.

A Civic Reception, arranged by the Mackay City Council, welcomed players and officials, as well as Trophy Presentation at the conclusion of the Singles Competition and a Farewell Function at the conclusion of the Team Events.

## **Further Oceania Junior Championships**

Due to difficulties in raising funds for junior players to travel to the Oceania Juniors, in addition to an increased commitment by a number of countries to the Pacific and Pacific Mini Games, and commitments by Australia and New Zealand to other international junior events, no further Oceania Junior Aged Squash Championships have been held to date.

Arrangements for hosting the 4<sup>th</sup> Oceania Junior Championships are currently being determined for 2010.

Member countries and promoters are urged to consider conducting these Championships. Any interested persons should contact the Oceania Squash Federation and express their interest.

## CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRY RECORDS

<i>Year</i>	<i>Host</i>	<i>Events Contested</i>	<i>No. of Players</i>	<i>Countries Represented</i>	<i>Entries</i>
1992	New Zealand (Auckland)	<b>Team Events</b> Under 19 Boys Under 19 Girls <b>Individual Events</b> Boys Under 19 Boys Under 17 Boys Under 15 Girls Under 19 Girls Under 17 Girls Under 15	   18 23 19 19 22 24 <b>125</b>	New Zealand Australia Papua New Guinea New Caledonia Vanuatu	75 26 11 10 3
1993	New Caledonia (Noumea)	<b>Team Events</b> Boys Girls <b>Individual Events</b> Boys Under 19 Boys Under 17 Boys Under 15 Girls Under 19 Girls Under 17 Girls Under 15	   15 15 14 16 16 15 <b>91</b>	Australia New Zealand New Caledonia Papua New Guinea	33 32 16 10
1994	Australia (Mackay)	<b>Team Events</b> Boys Girls <b>Individual Events</b> Boys Under 19 Boys Under 17 Boys Under 15 Girls Under 19 Girls Under 17 Girls Under 15	   24 14 14 7 8 15 <b>85</b>	Australia New Zealand Papua New Guinea New Caledonia Singapore Fiji	36 20 10 8 6 5

# OCEANIA JUNIOR AGED CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

Listed below are the historical records of the Oceania Junior Aged Championships:

## **TEAM EVENTS**

### **1992 – Auckland, New Zealand**

Results for the Teams Championships are not currently available.

### **1993 – Noumea, New Caledonia**

<i>Event</i>	<i>Placing</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Matches Won</i>	<i>Games Won</i>	<i>Total Points</i>
Under 19 Boys	Gold Medal	Australia	8	24	232
	Silver Medal	New Zealand	7	22	208
	Bronze Medal	New Caledonia	2	7	134
	4 <sup>th</sup> Place	Papua New Guinea	1	5	94
Under 19 Girls	Gold Medal	New Zealand	8	24	227
	Silver Medal	Australia	7	22	235
	Bronze Medal	Papua New Guinea	3	9	106
	4 <sup>th</sup> Place	New Caledonia	0	7	24

### **1995 – Mackay, Australia**

Results for the Teams Championships are not currently available.



<b>Year</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner Up</b>	<b>Plate Winner</b>	<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Special Plate Winner</b>	<b>Special Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Consolation Plate Winner</b>
1992	Cameron Pilley <i>Australia</i>	Shaun Madden <i>New Zealand</i>	Robert Stirrup Jnr <i>New Caledonia</i>		Leon Beaman <i>New Zealand</i>	Hepa Robson <i>New Zealand</i>	Roy Gregory <i>New Caledonia</i>
1993	Anthony Ricketts <i>Australia</i>	Stuart Boswell <i>Australia</i>	G Crosby <i>New Zealand</i>	J Dellamura <i>New Zealand</i>			
1994	Simon Reynolds <i>Australia</i>	Andrew Allen <i>Australia</i>	Michael Stiles <i>Australia</i>	Xavier Gastaldi <i>New Caledonia</i>	Brad Hindle <i>Australia</i>		Jeremy Vilas <i>New Caledonia</i>

### **UNDER 19 GIRLS INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner Up</b>	<b>Plate Winner</b>	<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Special Plate Winner</b>	<b>Special Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Consolation Plate Winner</b>
1992	Leilani Marsh <i>New Zealand</i>	Sarah Cook <i>New Zealand</i>	Glenda Knox <i>New Zealand</i>		Melanie Moore <i>Australia</i>	Karen Morrissey <i>Australia</i>	Jacqui Conder <i>New Zealand</i>
1993	Rachael Grinham <i>Australia</i>	Jade Wilson <i>New Zealand</i>	Bernice McAnally <i>Australia</i>	Kely Bolger <i>Australia</i>			
1994	Kim Moranino <i>Australia</i>	Millie Moy <i>Singapore</i>	Joannan Yue <i>Singapore</i>	Naluge Guy <i>Papua New Guinea</i>	Juliet Penney <i>New Zealand</i>		Sally Disher <i>New Zealand</i>

### **UNDER 17 GIRLS INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner Up</b>	<b>Plate Winner</b>	<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Special Plate Winner</b>	<b>Special Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Consolation Plate Winner</b>
1992	Jade	Kim Keevil	Anne		Kelly	Narelle	Melanie

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	Wilson <i>New Zealand</i>	<i>Australia</i>	Proctor <i>Papua New Guinea</i>		Bolger <i>Australia</i>	Tippett <i>Australia</i>	Warrilow <i>Papua New Guinea</i>
1993	Kate Major <i>Australia</i>	Emma Major <i>Australia</i>	C Yanis <i>Australia</i>	Louise Crome <i>New Zealand</i>			
1994	Louise Crome <i>New Zealand</i>	Lara Jare Petera <i>New Zealand</i>	Christelle Nagle <i>New Caledonia</i>	Karin Smith <i>Papua New Guinea</i>	Diane Robinson <i>Australia</i>		Emma Marlow <i>Australia</i>

### **UNDER 15 GIRLS INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner Up</b>	<b>Plate Winner</b>	<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Special Plate Winner</b>	<b>Special Plate Runner Up</b>	<b>Consolation Plate Winner</b>
1992	Natalie Grinham <i>Australia</i>	Judith Mills <i>Australia</i>	Sarah McCurdy <i>New Zealand</i>		Tamsyn Leevey <i>New Zealand</i>	Hayley King <i>New Zealand</i>	Sian Pittman <i>New Zealand</i>
1993	Shelley Kitchen <i>New Zealand</i>	H Mather <i>Australia</i>	Katin Smith <i>Papua New Guinea</i>	Veronique Bidal <i>New Caledonia</i>			
1994	Shelley Kitchen <i>New Zealand</i>	Kelly Townsend <i>Australia</i>	Emily White <i>Papua New Guinea</i>	Miriam Webb <i>Papua New Guinea</i>	E Eichmann <i>Australia</i>		Marie-Pierre Leca <i>New Caledonia</i>