

# SQUASH CH@T

31 August 2011 is the end of the club's 2010/11 financial year with financial balance statements and reports of this outgoing year being processed for this year's AGM. As mentioned every year, please be encouraged, both full and social members, even friends to get involved with the club's affairs. Some people have strong opinions of how things are run, and want to see change. Come and have your say at the AGM. Feel you can improve the club, make yourself available for one of the office positions and make that difference, build up and improve the club and membership numbers.

The AGM date is still to be arranged but will be expected to start by 7pm at the clubrooms. A notice will be put up at the club rooms nearer the date.

If you have any news items, feedback and / or suggestions you would like to share with the rest of our members in the next issue of Squash Ch@t, please contact Pamela Flux on ph 622 1151 or email [gflux@maxnet.co.nz](mailto:gflux@maxnet.co.nz).

*Reminder Membership subscriptions inquiries can be made to Kelly Flux ph 09 634 8311 evenings*



*Happy Birthday*

*Jeffrey, Bryan,  
Carmen, Brent,  
Ravinda, Baden,  
Steve, Jason,  
Rick,  
and  
Clark*



With the good response to the *Women in Squash* group coaching programme offered by Squash Auckland, two groups of lovely ladies registered to participate in the programme at Te Papapa Squash club.

Each group programme runs for one hour a week over 6 weeks with both groups being held on Wednesday nights. The first group commenced on 20 July starting at 5.50pm for an hour. The second group commenced on 3 August starting at 7pm and finishing at 8pm.

Due to the number of ladies participating in each group the use of more than one court is required about 15 to 20 mins into a session.

Any inquiries and comments regarding these programmes please email Pam.

**2011**

**School term 3**

**1 August to 7 October**

**School term 4**

**25 October to 'no later than'  
20 December**

## COURT BOOKING SHEETS

Concern about court bookings has been raised so that must mean it is time to trial the

### BOOKING SHEET SYSTEM

Sheets will be put in the hallway each week for the next three weeks so members can enter their preferred booking.

REMINDER: Full names must be entered. Just 'VISITOR' is not acceptable, must be the visitor's full names.

MEMBERS please abide by the rules on the sheets.

## Junior's Night

It is very rewarding to see the improvement in the junior's skills. To see them able to serve and rally and even marking games is very encouraging.

Their improvement, interest and enjoyment is the result of the coaching, support and encouragement of our coach Noelene and their wonderful parents who bring them along each Junior night and willing help on the courts and give their encouragement from upstairs.

If any one wishes to bring their children / child along to Junior's night, they are most welcome. They will enjoy it and benefit the experience.



*Ball and racket skill*



*Parent helper*

## Improvements

Preparations to paint the entrance hallway got underway on 24 July as a couple of members spent a productive day making a start on the preparation. Walls and doors scrubbed, sanding, scraping, poly filling, couple of old notice boards taken down, ceilings scrapped, sanded, bit of repair. A long way to go but will look nice when the painting is completed. All help with this warmly welcome.



### Working at the club

**Till the improvements in the  
entrance hallway is completed.**

**If you can spare an hour or  
more**

**Are handy with sandpaper  
And paint brush**

**We need you!!**

**The more members helping the  
quicker we get it done.**

**Show your support for the club.**

**Help improve the  
appearance of the club entrance.**

**Let me know if you will come along to  
make sure we have enough  
equipment.**

**Call me 622 1151  
0211 339 339**

### *Mention of 'Thanks'*

*To Bevan for all the prep work you've done.*

*To Peter for patching the nasty hole in the wall.*

*To Jeffrey for getting sponsorship for the wall paint and to Resene for kindly supplying the wall paint.*

### LIST OF WHAT'S COMING UP

#### TE PAPAPA B & BELOW TOURNAMENT

**2 – 4 SEPTEMBER**

(MAY START WEDNESDAY DEPENDING ON  
ENTRY NUMBERS )

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#### TE PAPAPA SQUASH SECTION 2011 AGM

**DATE TO BE ADVISED OCTOBER SOME  
TIME**

**ALL MEMBERS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND**

- **SUPPER PROVIDED**
- **COME AND HAVE YOUR SAY**
- **COME AND GET INVOLVED IN CLUB  
BUSINESS**

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#### WEBSITE

Don't forget to bookmark our website.  
[www.tpsquash.co.nz](http://www.tpsquash.co.nz).

If you have any news you would like published on our  
website please contact our webmaster Tracey Clark  
[tracey.flux@gmail.com](mailto:tracey.flux@gmail.com)

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#### VISITOR FEES

**The last download done in July and members  
billed but there are still visitors fees owed.**

**Please get these up to date.**