



# England Squash & Racketball West Midlands Regional Newsletter



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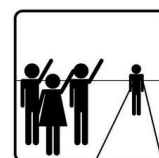
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Well, it has been an interesting month indeed here at West Midlands England Squash & Racketball. Unfortunately for us at Team West Midlands, February has been home to the departure of John Davis, Regional Manager for West Midlands whilst Amy Tilley is on maternity leave. John has moved across to our neighbours at the East Midlands Region, where he has taken up the permanent position as East Midlands Regional Manager. It has to be said that what is West Midlands' loss will undoubtedly be East Midlands' gain. Everyone that worked with John will agree that he has done a great job promoting both squash & racketball in the region. All the best for the future John!



However, to soften the blow, there are still some fantastic events taking place in the West Midlands Region available to you. Perhaps most notably, entries have now opened for the Dunlop National Racketball Championships. It is great for the West Midlands that this National Competition is set to be held in Birmingham at Edgbaston Priory Club on 6-8 May 2011. For those interested players, the tournament caters Men & Women, as well as offering a full complement of Masters' categories. The tournament is expected to attract players from world class and local club standards alike, so get your entries in early to guarantee your place at this fantastic event. More details can be found on page 9.

Until the new Regional Manager begins their post on 1st April 2011, Natalie Wilcox (Regional Administrator) will be your initial point of contact in the West Midlands. You can contact Natalie via e-mail: [natalie.wilcox@englandsquashandracketball.com](mailto:natalie.wilcox@englandsquashandracketball.com) or telephone the office on 0121 415 8354 .

*Natalie Wilcox—Regional Administrator*

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[www.englandsquashandracketball.com](http://www.englandsquashandracketball.com)

## The Pro-Zone British National Squash Championships Special

### Final Report

Daryl Selby and Laura Massaro both upset the favourites in two epic finals at the National Squash Championships 2011 to become National Champions.

Selby thwarted World No.1 Nick Matthew's bid to win a record-equaling fourth domestic title, the Essex outsider beat world champion Nick Matthew in a marathon 84-minute match.



Earlier third seed Laura Massaro celebrated the biggest success of her career when she upset Yorkshire favourite Jenny Duncalf, the world No2, to become the first Lancashire winner of the women's title in the event's 36-year-history.

"It sounds pretty good, doesn't it – British National champion," said the jubilant 27-year-old after her first-time success in her second final since 2008.

"Jenny played so well in that third game – and the fourth was quite tight. But I just got on top of it in the fifth, and that made all the difference.

The packed out crowd barely had time to take a breath because up next was the world No.1 and world champion Nick Matthew versus world No.10 Daryl Selby, few would have predicted the match that was about to unfold.

After being dominated by the Yorkshireman in the opening game of the men's final, world No10 Selby fought back to draw level as Matthew dropped his first game of the tournament. The crowd, expecting a Matthew win, watched in amazement as the evenly-contested match moved into a fifth game.

Both players had leads in the decider, but an uncharacteristic series of errors by the defending champion saw Selby pull away from 6-7 down to win 7-11, 11-9, 6-11, 11-9, 11-7 – with Matthew calling his final ball down and shaking Selby's hand.

"I feel I played really well – but I had to play really well against the world number one," said the 28-year-old from Witham. "I knew I had a chance. I feel I raised my game to his level.

"Is it the best win of my career? I should say so, when you look at the names on this trophy".

### Congratulations to All British National Champions

Category	Winner	Runner-Up
Over 35s	Nick Taylor	Stephen Siveter
Women's	Laura Mylotte	Senga Macife
Over 40s	Graeme Stewart	Yawar Abbas
Women's	Senga Macife	Nikki Fowler
Over 45s	Eamonn Price	Peter Gunter
Women's	Carole Page	Heather Tweedle
Over 50s	Mark Woodliffe	Richard Millman
Women's	Helen Gould	Jacky Gardner
Over 55s	Peter Alexander	Duleep Adhihetty
Women's	Jan Ellis	Bett Dryhurst
Over 60s	Keith Jones	Moussa Helal
Over 65s	Rodney Boswell	David Scurlock
Over 70s	Andrew Beeston	Patrick Kirton
Over 75s	Lance Kinder	Andrew Morton



## Shropshire Star Springs Surprise at British National Squash Championships

There was also success for the West Midlands region at the British National Championships, where our very own Jonathan Kemp pulled off a historic victory against the odds. Shropshire born Kemp recorded the shock victory of the Championships, defeating Yorkshire's two-time champion James Willstrop, who was expected to reach the final for the fifth time in seven years. The world No4 from Leeds walked onto court with ten career wins out ten against Kemp, the Halifax-based left-hander ranked 23 in the world.

Kemp's jubilation was unsurprising at the end. He commented, 'It's the best result of my career so far. When he hit that nick at match-ball in the third, I thought my chance had gone. But I was determined to stick to my game-plan - and it worked.' Congratulations to Jonathan from all at West Midlands!!

### Inaugural English Under 11 Championship Set For Manchester

The first ever English Under 11 National Championships are set to take place at the National Squash Centre in Manchester on 2-3 April 2011. This new event will feature the stars of the future battling it out for the prestigious title of English National Champion.

The exact format of the tournament will be decided once the entry numbers have been finalised but the emphasis will be on creating a festival with all participants playing lots of squash and ultimately leading to two new champions. The championships is the culmination of an exciting under 11 season which has seen more formalised under 11 Sanctioned Events, the introduction of Under 11 National and Regional Squads and the addition of Under 11 categories to the national rankings system.

The Under 11 rankings became official in January and already include over 80 players who played on the England Squash & Racketball junior circuit. Elise Lazarus (Essex) is ranked No1 in both the Girls Under 11 and 13 rankings and will start as red hot favourite to take the title. Jared Carter (Hampshire) looks like he will head into the event as the top ranked boy and No1 seed but will face tough competition from the likes of Hampshire compatriot Jack Turvey and Middlesex player Oscar Khoo.

The championship will be staged at the National Squash Centre which has staged many world class events including the 2002 Commonwealth Games, The 2008 World Championships, the British Open and is the long established home of the National Squash Championships. Online entries are now open at: <http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com/competitions/270> For further information please email: [events@englishsquashandracketball.com](mailto:events@englishsquashandracketball.com)

### British Under 23 Championships Head Back to Hunts County

The Sports Academy at Hunts County Squash Club is once again confirmed as hosts for the British Under 23 Championships scheduled to run between 8-10 April 2011. A high caliber field is expected to challenge for this prestigious title and join previous winners such as current world circuit stars James Willstrop (Yorkshire) and Jenny Duncalf (Yorkshire).

Top seeds in the Men's event are likely to be World No53 Adrian Waller (Hertfordshire) and Joe Lee (Surrey) who is currently ranked No73. Victoria Lust (Bedfordshire) is enjoying some success on the WISPA tour and is now ranked World No36. Aiming to cause a major upset will be British Junior Open Under 17 Champion Emily Whitlock (Cheshire) who is in great form and ready to challenge higher ranked players. Online entries are now open at:

<http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com/competitions/393>



### CSW Bursaries Available!

The CSW Sport Group Coach Bursary and Officiating Qualifications Subsidy Schemes are now open and welcome applications. Round 1 of the schemes will be open until 30<sup>th</sup> November 2011, on a rolling basis. Please visit the website page

[www.cswsport.org.uk/groupbursary](http://www.cswsport.org.uk/groupbursary), where the scheme documentation can be found. This page does not appear on the CSW Sport website navigation bar so you will need to use this link or type in the address.



### Meet the Marvellous Midlands Coaching Team!



The West Midlands Region is fortunate to be home to some fantastic coaches that have made great strides in developing Squash & Racketball. To address our appreciation of the work done by our coaches, a new feature of the monthly newsletter is the Coaching Corner. This provides you with the opportunity to get to know and learn more about your coach through their personal profile. You never know, you may even be inspired.....! First up to face the gauntlet is Mr Darren Lewis. An ex-professional, Darren does a brilliant job as our West Midlands Regional Coach, focusing mainly on the development of junior players in the region.

**Name:** Darren Lewis    **Age:** 30    **Location:** Wolverhampton Lawn Tennis & Squash Club

**Q1. At what age did you start playing squash?** At the age of eight years after getting the bug from watching my Dad play!

**Q2. Describe your progression as a junior squash player.** I played through all the Junior age groups, in the same category as some of the current top players including Nick Matthew, Adrian Grant, Jonathan Kemp, Peter Barker and James Wilstrop.

**Q3. How did you get into coaching?** I helped out with the junior coaching at the local club from the age of 15. However, at the age of 17 I stopped playing squash and got what people call a 'proper job' as a car body repairer. At the age of 21 I was asked to do some individual coaching at a club in my home town of Leicester. I really enjoyed giving lessons and before I knew it I had enough pupils to stop my full time job and coach squash full time. As well as improving the games of others, coaching was also improving my own game and gave me the enthusiasm to start playing and training. At the age of 24, with huge help from some of the local club members I went full time on the PSA tour.

**Q4. What was life like on the PSA tour?** The PSA tour was fantastic! I travelled all over the world, Canada, Australia, Hong Kong, Columbia, India, Brazil among many others. I met a lot of great people and played in some fantastic squash tournaments. One of the difficulties with the PSA tour is that unless you are very high in the world rankings, financially it is a struggle, and so I had to reassess my position to play on the PSA tour.

**Q5. Finally, how does coaching compare and what do you hope for in the future?** I really enjoy coaching, no matter what the standard of player. I really enjoy seeing them improve, hearing they have beat a player they have never beaten before, or getting up to a league they wanted to get to. It's great to see how happy they are after winning a game, match or tournament.

### Coaching Courses

Fancy a career in coaching like Darren? Take that first step and get yourself booked on to one of these great forthcoming courses in the UK!

UKCC Level Three Certificate in Coaching Squash	Lilleshall National Sports Centre	Commences 21st March 2011	Newport
Racketball Coach Award	Hallamshire Lawn Tennis & Squash Club	27th March 2011	Sheffield
NEW COURSE!!! Sports Injuries	6.30-9.30pm	28th March 2011	Worcesterhire

For further information on all forthcoming courses, please log on to: [www.englishsquashandracketball.com](http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com) and use the 'find a course' tool at the top of the page.

## Lilleshall Relinquish Roots to Recognise Racketball!



Times are changing for Lilleshall Squash Club, who have recently opted to change the name to which they have been known since 1969, to Lilleshall Squash & Racketball Club. This exciting club name change is testament to the surge of interest in Racketball in Lilleshall and its surrounding area, and has led the club to devoting one of their famous 'Pitch & Play' evenings entirely to Racketball. The emergence of Racketball in Lilleshall parallels increased interest on a National level. A fantastic companion of Squash, Racketball appeals to all, and we are proud that a great West Midlands Club recognises the game's emergence in such a significant way. Associated with these changes, Lilleshall Squash & Racketball Club have decided to run beginner racketball sessions with a view to holding an internal racketball league. If you are interested in becoming involved with this 'racketball revolution', please contact the club directly on [info@lilleshallsquash.co.uk](mailto:info@lilleshallsquash.co.uk)

If you would like to find out more about playing Racketball, please log on to:

<http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com/play-squash-and-racketball>

### Activate your Membership Competition

Would you like to win a fantastic Mini-Squash bag, comprising of six Unsquashable Foundation rackets, Six Unsquashable Improver rackets, Six Unsquashable Pro rackets, 12 FUNdation balls, 12 Improver balls, 12 PRO balls and a holdall?!

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Top 3 Activated Clubs in the West Midlands	Activated Members
1. Leamington Squash Club	23
2. Stourbridge Lawn Tennis & Squash Club	21
3. Kenilworth Lawn Tennis & Squash Club	11

To Win: **Activate the most memberships in March!!** As West Midlands ESR, we will be monitoring activation numbers throughout March. The club that has activated the most memberships will be deemed successful, and receive the prize. To activate membership, simply log on to [www.englishsquashandracketball.com](http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com) and click on **activate on the right hand side of the page.**

### Marathon-Magnificent at Kenilworth Lawn Tennis & Squash Club



February has been home to some fantastic charitable work at Kenilworth Lawn Tennis & Squash Club. Just over £4000 has been raised by the juniors and adults alike, who between them served a staggering 987 balls into a household bucket and 2164 lengths of a squash court.... That's a massive 13.1 miles up and down the court! A remarkable effort for one day's work, earning money to be donated to the MS Society. Congratulations to all those that participated in this fantastic fundraising event!

### Fund your ClubMark Accreditation!

The SASSOT Sports Club Accreditation funding scheme aims to increase the number of sports clubs being accredited or re-accredited with Clubmark, NGB Accreditation or the SASSOT Quality-Mark. The 7th round is now open and up to £500 worth of funding is available to sports clubs who require financial assistance to achieve and pass their accreditation criteria. All sports clubs benefiting from this funding must be based within Staffordshire and Stoke on Trent to qualify and commit to achieving accreditation within 6 months. To find out more, please visit



<http://www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk/Clubs/ClubAccreditationClubmarkSportsClubAccreditationFundingScheme>



## Changes to the UKCC Level 3 Certificate in Coaching Squash



### Course Pre-Requisites

- Hold a Level 2 UKCC Squash qualification or equivalent
- Hold an ESR Coach License
- A minimum of 50 hours of verified coaching following Level 2 Certification
- At least 18 years of age

### Application Process

In addition to completing the Level 3 application form, candidates will also have to provide evidence of the following in the form of a covering letter:

- Motives for applying to attend the course
- Current philosophy of coaching as applied to themselves and emerging county/regional players
- Key strengths and a minimum of 3 areas for significant further development which, if addressed, would make them more effective as a coach
- Knowledge of advanced strokes
- 1 to 1 and group coaching skills
- Commitment to meeting all attendance and assessment requirements of the Level 3 qualification
- Commitment/experience to work with County/Regional teams and assist at appropriate County/Regional Squads

Candidates will also need their ESR Regional Coach, Regional Manager or an ESR approved tutor to sign their application form as means of endorsement.

### Assessment Day

Candidates will be short listed to attend the Level 3 qualification as per the evidence submitted above. If required, candidates will attend an assessment day on 28 February 2011. The assessment day will involve a formal interview and a practical assessment. Successful candidates will attend the 9 day programme. If candidates are not yet ready to undertake the qualification, they will be action planned appropriately and sign posted to future courses and workshops.

### Course Dates

Days 1 - 4 - 21 - 24 March 2011 ; Days 5-7 - 5 - 7 September 2011; Days 8 & 9—23 - 25 January 2012

### Course Venue

Lilleshall National Sports Centre, Newport, Shropshire, TF10 9AT. Please note that the course is residential.

**Course Costs:** £1,500 but due to external funding through the National Coaching Bursary the cost to candidate will be £510. This includes overnight accommodation, breakfast, lunch & meals.

## Renan Lavigne vs Jonathan Kemp

### Exciting Exhibition at Barnt Green!

**Date: 30th March 2011 Venue: Barnt Green Sports Club Margesson Drive Barnt Green B45 8LR**

Keep Wednesday 30th March free in your diary! This is a great opportunity to see some of the leading Squash players in the world including our very own Jonathan Kemp, fresh from his heroics at the British National Squash Championships 2011. Kemp, ranked 23 in the world, will face France's Renan Lavigne, who is the current World Masters ) O35 Champion in what should be a great battle between energy and youth versus knowledge and experience. Times and ticket prices are still to be confirmed, but for further information, please contact Bett Dryhurst on 07973 273 523.





## ENTRIES OPEN FOR THE DUNLOP NATIONAL RACKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS



The Dunlop National Racketball Championships are set to return to the Edgbaston Priory Club in Birmingham from 6-8 May 2011.

As a sport Racketball continues to grow rapidly and expand into new clubs and attract more players. The Championships are a real festival of Racketball which attracts World Class Players and local club players alike and boasts Men's & Women's Open events as well as a full complement of masters categories ranging from Over 35's to Men's Over 70's.

The prestigious Edgbaston Priory club has become the home of the Championships in recent years and with at least 200 entries expected the University of Birmingham has been added as an additional venue.

This year's tournament will be one of the last major events at Edgbaston Priory before they embark on a major redevelopment that will see the club become a state of the art sporting facility and will include the full refurbishment of all 10 squash courts.

Online entries are now open at: <http://www.englishsquashandracketball.com/competitions/271>  
Enter now and be part of the Dunlop National Racketball Championships 2011.

For players wishing to book hotel accommodation, the Plough and Harrow has been secured as the Tournament Hotel and are offering special rates and deals when you book through The Solutions Company. For further information please email: [events@englishsquashandracketball.com](mailto:events@englishsquashandracketball.com)

### West Midlands Youngsters Work Wonders!



Congratulations to our West Midlands players at the recent University of Birmingham Junior Open 2011. Alicia Mead and Daniel Cochrane were among the winners of this year's tournament, picking up the U19 Girls and U13 Boys titles respectively.

A massive well done to all of the players listed below for their success at the tournament!

Kieran Mullis	Warwickshire	U11 Boys	Second Place
Paige Key	Warwickshire	U13 Girls	Second Place
Libby Corke	Warwickshire	U13 Girls	Third Place
Jack Dukes	Worcestershire	U13 Boys	Semi-Final
Jack Cooper	Warwickshire	U13 Boys	Semi-Final
Oliver Mapp	Staffordshire	U19 Boys	Second Place
Mark Richmond	Warwickshire	U15 Boys	Second Place
Cameron Wilson	Warwickshire	U15 Boys	Semi-Final
Harry Heathcock	Warwickshire	U17 Boys	Semi-Final
Alice Harvey	Warwickshire	U17 Girls	Second Place
Joanna Lord	Warwickshire	U17 Girls	Third Place



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**County Associations**

Shropshire Squash and Racketball  
Website - [www.shropshiresquash.com](http://www.shropshiresquash.com)



Warwickshire Squash Racquets Association

Website - [www.warwickshiresquash.com](http://www.warwickshiresquash.com)



Worcestershire Squash and Racketball Association

Website - [www.wsraonline.co.uk](http://www.wsraonline.co.uk)



**County Sport Partnerships**

Sport Across Staffordshire and Stoke on Trent (SASSOT)

Website - [www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk](http://www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk)

Shropshire (Energize)

Website - [www.shropshiretelfordwrekinsportspartnership.org.uk](http://www.shropshiretelfordwrekinsportspartnership.org.uk)

Sports Partnerships Herefordshire and Worcestershire

Website - [www.morethansport.com](http://www.morethansport.com)

Coventry, Solihull and Warwickshire

Website - [www.cswsport.org.uk](http://www.cswsport.org.uk)

The Black Country

Website - [www.blackcountryconsortium.co.uk](http://www.blackcountryconsortium.co.uk)

Birmingham Sport

Website - [www.birmingham-sport.org.uk](http://www.birmingham-sport.org.uk)

We hope you have enjoyed reading the West Midlands Regional Newsletter and would gladly welcome any feedback you may have.

Additionally if you have a story or an event that you need promoting in next months newsletter, feel free to send them to [natalie.wilcox@englandsquashandracketball.com](mailto:natalie.wilcox@englandsquashandracketball.com) before the 22nd of each month

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Under 15				
Under 13				
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E-Mail		Tele on the day		
England Squash No		Date Of Birth		
T-Shirt Size Please Circle	X- Small	Small	Medium	Large

The draw will take place on the evening of Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April and there will be a link available on the website [www.warwickshirejuniorsquash.co.uk](http://www.warwickshirejuniorsquash.co.uk) from Friday 22nd April.

I enclose a cheque for £15.00 made payable to "Solihull Arden Classic" .

**Please DO NOT send entry forms to the Solihull Arden Squash Club ,**

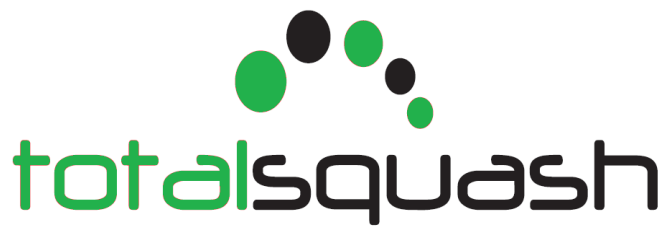
**Post to** : Jo Prendeville, 9 Northdown Road, Solihull, West Midlands B91 3LY  
**E-mail** : [ajjp12000@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ajjp12000@yahoo.co.uk) Tel Mobile 07500876025 Home 0121 243 1676

**Closing date for entries Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April @ noon**

## SAC SQUASH TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Players may enter only one event and must be under the required age for that event on Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2011	8. <b>All finalists are expected to attend the Presentation, which will take place immediately after the Final.</b>
2. <b>Eye protection must be worn for all matches.</b> These can be purchased from the club shop.	9 All matches will be played under SRA Rules and Codes of Conduct. The official Referee's decision is final.
3. Depending on the number of entries the format will be straight knock out, Monrad or Round Robin	10. Players are expected to wear clothing suitable for squash. Non-marking soles.
4. All players must enter a Plate event if they lose their first match in the first or second round.	11. Current SRA disciplinary procedures will be enforced.
5. Players will be expected to mark the next match.	12 Parents are asked not to interfere in matches but to address any complaint to the Official Referee.
6. <b>A Link to the draws will be available on the Website.</b> <a href="http://www.warwickshirejuniorsquash.co.uk">www.warwickshirejuniorsquash.co.uk</a>	13 Solihull Arden Club and the organisers do not accept responsibility for any loss or damage, or injury to competitors or those accompanying them. It is in your own interest to arrange your own insurance.
7. Players must report to the tournament desk 30 minutes before the start of each match.	14 All late withdrawals will be reported to England Squash.

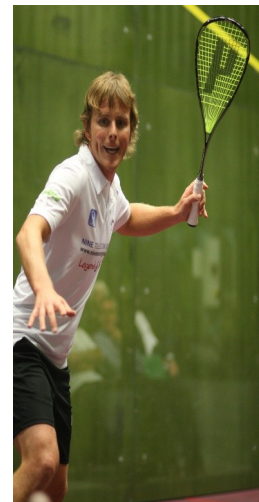




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at  
Cannock Cricket & Hockey Club  
on  
MONDAY 21st MARCH 2011  
refreshments from 6.30pm for  
7.00pm start**

KEYNOTE SPEAKER  
**KATE HOEY,  
MP**

former Minister for Sport &  
Mayor of London's  
Commissioner for Sport

The seminar has been  
organised for sports  
clubs, volunteers in sport,  
NGB officers, local  
authorities and County  
Sports Partnerships

**All you need to  
know about  
Vetting & Barring &  
CRB Disclosures**

LIZ HUBBARD of  
TMGCRB

This session will include  
breakout groups  
specific to your area of  
interest

**Also available from 6pm a  
demonstration of online  
applications for CRBs**

**Sport England**

**Places People Play**



Anne Rippon - Strategic Lead for the Midlands  
Dave Long - WM Regional Community Sport Champion

There is no charge for attending the seminar but it is important for the purposes of catering  
that you register your intention of attending with  
TREVOR JONES, 01527 833774 or email: [tpajones@aol.com](mailto:tpajones@aol.com)

# **EDGBASTON PRIORY GRADED OPEN 2017**

## **2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> April**

**Edgbaston Priory Club, Sir Harry's  
Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham B15 2UZ.**

TOURNAMENT ORGANISER: MIKE EDWARDS

CONTACT DETAILS: 07734 559864 or [mike.edwards@edgbastonpriory.com](mailto:mike.edwards@edgbastonpriory.com)

ENTRY FEE: £15

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

PLEASE SEND ENTRIES **AND** THE REQUIRED ENTRY FEE TO:  
MIKE EDWARDS, SQUASH COACH

EDGBASTON PRIORY CLUB  
SIR HARRY'S ROAD  
EDGBASTON  
BIRMINGHAM  
B15 2UZ

Everyone will be guaranteed a minimum of 2 games! This is a straight knock out competition with plates in all grades

- Grades A – F. All standards are welcome, men, women and juniors
- All grades will be of mixed sex
- Players must be members of England Squash

If there is a large entry we will have to play some matches on  
the Friday

- Prize money for Grade A, prizes and trophies for all other grades

### **TOURNAMENT RULES:**

- The winner of each match must mark the following match on the same court, or find someone suitable to do it for you
- Dunlop balls will be used
- Any withdrawals must be notified to Mike Edwards as soon as possible, withdrawals after the closing date will **not** be refunded
- All players under the age of 19 must be wearing suitable eye protection
- American scoring to 11 points will be used in each grade. If the score gets to 10 all, it is 2 clear points. Best of 5 games
- Prize money for Grade A finalists

# EDGBASTON PRIORY GRADED OPEN 2011

## ENTRY FORM.

**\*PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS\***

NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
TOWN:	
COUNTY:	
POST CODE:	
MOB. TEL NUMBER:	
HOME / WORK TEL NUMBER:	
ENGLAND SQUASH MEM NO:	
EMAIL ADDRESS: *please write clearly*	
HOME CLUB (please also let us know the division you play in, in league matches, and the number, to help us with the seeding)	
WHICH GRADE? (MIXED)	A    B    C    D    E    F
In the event of Friday night matches please state the best time for you to play.....	
WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS TOURNAMENT?	
ENTRY FEE: (£15) please make cheques payable to Edgbaston Priory Club	

### **Grade definitions for Edgbaston Priory Graded Open:**

- A – Players at men's county standard or better, play in a premier county division
- B – A higher club team player but not yet at Senior County standard
- C – Players who play regularly and are a lower club team player
- D – Players who play internal leagues but have not yet represented a club team
- E – Players developing their game but are not yet in any teams
- F – Players new to squash and have a basic understanding of the game

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

