

BADMINTON VICTORIA 'AROUND THE COURTS'



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Upcoming Badminton Events in 2011

May 10-12	Pan Pacific	Ballarat
May 13-15	Australian Junior International	Ballarat
May 21-22	Central Open & Graded	MSAC
May 28-29	La Trobe Valley Vets	La Trobe
June 4	SEBA Juniors	SEBA
June 6-8	Whyte Trophy	Altona
June 9-12	Altona International	Altona

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With the 2011 Yonex Australian Open Grand Prix Gold finally all wrapped up, we at BV are firmly back on board trying to reconnect with the grassroots. Certainly over the next few weeks and months Peter will be out and about, getting in contact with as many of our member Associations as possible to see if BV can be of assistance.

Of course if any of our member Associations just wants to have a chat about the development of badminton in your area, please contact Peter or any member of the BV Board – we are all ears.

Outstanding juniors...

Well done to the boys and girls of the Victorian Rebels and the Victorian Demons at the June Bevan Trophy and the subsequent Australasian Under-17 Championships over the Easter break. They have done their state proud and the future of Victorian badminton certainly looks bright.

Many thanks also to the coaches, team officials and accompanying parents for their ongoing support to our junior representatives.

The curious case of the “trophy hunters”...

Over the past weekend I managed to brave the chilly weather and competed in the Geelong Open & Graded Championships. It was great to see the tournament being revived after several years' absence so hats off to Peter Brown and his committee.

The standard of competition was decent despite the small turnout, but the recent trend of players not entering their proper grades, or becoming “trophy-hunters”, continues to make me a feel little uneasy.

It is understandable that on payment of entry fees, as competitors we want value for money, in other words, to play as many matches as possible. By not entering into the proper grades, I believe that such competitors are contributing to the decline of our tournament scene.



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This may seem innocuous on the surface but considering the following:

The presence of "trophy hunters" deters recreational/social players or juniors from getting their first taste of competition in a more relaxed environment – no D grader enjoys the prospect of competing against someone who really should be an Open/A grade player.

The better-skilled players, i.e. the A-Graders, are also affected - they become more reluctant to compete in tournaments due to the lack of variety in opposition. Tournament organisers are less willing to run tournaments if they are constantly being badgered from these entrants' request to be accepted into a lower grade.

As we can quickly see, such behaviour is not beneficial for all concerned.

Ideally it would be great for all players to be able to enter into their proper grades and Victoria traditionally never saw the need to establish a structured grading system.

Sadly though, the realist in me believes that Victoria should take note of other states' practices and establish a structured grading system, overseen by an appointed committee, in response to this emerging issue.

Until next time.

Peejade Cheng

From The BV Office

Badminton Victoria would like to formally congratulate Vinning Mak and Natasha Sharp on their recent wins at the 2011 Australasian Under 17's Titles held in Wellington, New Zealand.

Vinning Mak won the girls singles title and doubles titles, while she was also ranked the number one girl overall in the tournament rankings.

Natasha Sharp teamed up with Vinning to take out the Girls Doubles title and she also ended up finishing 3rd overall in the girls tournament rankings.

Well done to both girls and may you both have a bright future ahead of you!



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WSBA - Local Sporting Champions Grant



Just before Easter WSBA got news that four individual junior squad players and WSBA itself were successful in getting "Local Sporting Champions" grants. These had been long forgotten as we had all applied for them before June 2010.

The four individuals, James Audley, Jacob McNally, Jing Wu and Tegan Berry applied for the grant to cover expenses for the Under 19 carnival in Tasmania in July 2010.

WSBA applied to send a team to the Under 15 carnival in Shepparton in 2010. Members of the WSBA team that went to Shepparton last year were: Beth Audley, Hera Jim, Lily Rigg, Phillip Audley, Sonny Li, James Audley (coach), Ron Gray (manager) and Karen Audley (umpire). The team finished second in the regional teams event.

Funding is allocated according to federal electorates. Jing received her grant 3-4 weeks earlier from Prime Minister, Julia Gillard.

Because there was a majority of badminton players getting the grants, we were asked to provide the venue for Nicola Roxon, Federal Health Minister to hand them out. There were about 7 or 8 other kids from a range of other sports such as cross country running, lacrosse, basketball, hockey and soccer.

WSBA used the opportunity to get as many squad members decked out in their WSBA uniform to be present to support their team members on the day. This proved very beneficial in showing off our stadium to Nicola and the other recipients. This type of access to such a high profile member of federal government is priceless. She was very approachable – introducing herself to everyone, chatting at length and making herself available for photographs with the kids.



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WSBA - Local Sporting Champions Grant

One of our parents, Melina spoke to Nicola telling how her kids became involved with the association. Her kids would never have been involved if not for WSBA going out to schools and giving free clinics and then offering a free term of coaching for the kids identified with some talent. She is happy to now pay for the coaching knowing that her kids enjoy the sport and fit in with the other squad kids so well. This was evident on the day with squad members of all ages being together.

The same grant is offered on a rolling basis each year – details have been in recent editions of Around the Courts.



LOCAL SPORTING CHAMPIONS GRANTS

Are you, or do you know, a dedicated young athlete, coach or official participating in a state or national sporting championship? Are you aged 12-18 years old travelling further than 250km return for a state or national championships? If yes, then you or your team could be eligible for a Local Sporting Champions grant to help meet costs such as uniforms, travel, accommodation and equipment.

Eligibility: 12-18 participating in a nominated National Sporting Organisation endorsed state or national sporting championships or a School Sport Australia national championships

Funding range of grant: \$500 Individual/ \$3000 Team

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Website: <http://www.ausport.gov.au/champions>



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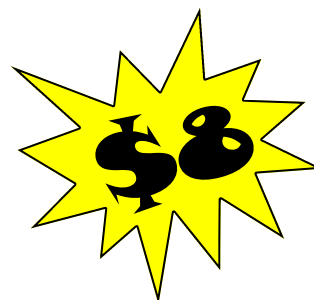


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Ballarat Badminton Association

School Clinics a Major Success

Over 1300 school children experienced badminton at the Ballarat Badminton Stadium. The Ballarat Badminton Association's annual School Clinics are held over 7 days, from 28th April until 6th May, and has attracted a record number of participating schools and children. Offered free to all schools in the Ballarat area, the Association holds the clinics every year as a way of introducing the sport to schools, and getting children active. The children are taught the basic skills of badminton including the grips, serve and how to hit the shuttle.

Stadium Manager, Rhonda Cator, says the response has been incredible. "To have so many children walk into our stadium and see what a fantastic facility we have, and experience the game of badminton, and enjoy the experience, is great for the game and great for their health and wellbeing."

Schools will now have the opportunity to enter teams in the Primary School competition to be held in Term 2, beginning Wednesday May 25th. The Primary School competition focuses on participation and enjoyment, where children can play in a team with friends and develop basic skills.

It's a busy time for the Ballarat Badminton Association, who have been awarded the *Pan Pac's Team Badminton Championships* as well as the *Australian Junior International* – which are due to start on May 11th.

Teams from Singapore, New Zealand and Australia are competing for the Pan Pacs Titles, a team event for Under 19 players on May 10th - 12th. These players plus players from all over Australia, Indonesia and Philippines will vie for Australian Junior International titles, running from May 13th – May 15th.

Ballarat will be the host of the event which for the first time will run as a standalone tournament, with Junior World Ranking Points. Thanks to funding from the City of Ballarat as well as the Victorian Government, the Ballarat Badminton Association hopes this will be the first of many Australian Junior International Tournaments, as they attempt to make the tournament their own.

For more information please contact Rhonda Cator on 53394601.



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Australian Asian Badminton Association 1st World Chinese Junior Championship in China !

July 8th - 12th, 2011

(held at Zhongshan city, China)

This is the first tournament organised by the World Chinese Badminton Federation for juniors. Those who born in the year 1994 and after are encourage to participate.

Category of age groups are:- U/11-under 11 years, U/13-under 13 years, U/15 - under 15 years and U/17- under 17 years.

Award prizes will be offer to the 1st

Top three winner

May 15, 2011 (Closing Date)

AABA is organising a team to represent Australia. Invitation is extended to all Badminton young Player/student, Clubs are encourage to inform all their junior's parent about this tournament in order their children could participate. The aim is to ensure children are expose to travel abroad to play in a much different, professional environment tournament and to allow them to have a great opportunity and experience to expand their game knowledge & skill playing abroad with other players. A city tour to Guai Lin Zhou Hai, Shen Zhen, Guang Zhou and will be organise between July 4 to July 16, 2011.



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June Bevan Carnival



Top Left - Victorian Rebels
 Top Right - Victorian Demons
 Middle - All the teams from across Australia & New Zealand
 Bottom Left - Victoria eye off their opposite New Zealand outfit
 Bottom right - Players pay their respects on ANZAC day



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June Bevan Carnival

The 2011 June Bevan Trophy has crossed the Tasman again, this time Northern Region 1 were victorious in defeating Victorian Rebels 13-3 in the final. The title was held by Victoria but will now spend the year in the hands of the Kiwis, until Victoria can have another crack at the title.

The depth of Northern's junior players was evident after the team played two very tough ties on the final day of the team event.

In the final tie of pool play Northern overcame a tough tussle with the previously undefeated New South Wales Thunder; the highlight being the exciting boys singles match between Dylan Soedjasa (Northern) and Daniel Guda; the 11-5 win paved Northern's road to the final.

In the 3rd/4th play-off NSW Thunder defeated Central Region 15-1.

Well done to the Northern New Zealand team on their victory and also to the Victorian Rebels, who did Victoria proud!



Pictures / Articles

Badminton Victoria would like to thank Badminton New Zealand for all the wonderful pictures and information that they have enabled us to use about the June Beval Carnival! Without them we could not have brought you such interesting coverage of the June Bevan Carnival.

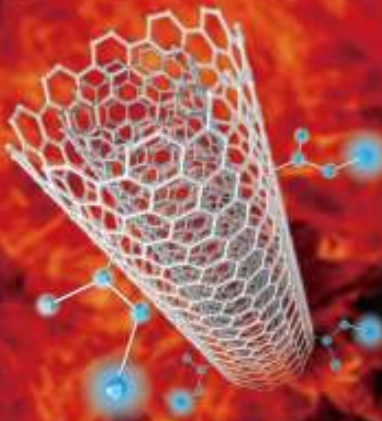
Badminton Victoria would also like to congratulate BNZ for running such an amazing tournament this year and they have set a high standard for future events!





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2011 Australasian U17 Championships

New Zealand may have dominated the teams competition at the Australasian June Bevan under17 badminton tournament in Wellington, but it was the Australians who won four out of five titles on offer indoors at the Renouf Tennis Centre.

The main individual winner was Victoria's Vinning Mak who won the girls singles title in just over an hour against Northern New Zealand's Lilian Shih in three tight games. Mak also won the girls doubles teaming up with Natasha Sharp to again defeat Shih and fellow Northern player Angie Leung in three games.

Shih eventually grabbed one title with a victory in the mixed while combining with Kerwyn Lee to beat Aussie duo of Sharp and Athithan Selladurai in three games.

The boys singles final was an all-Australian contest with Daniel Guda beating Anthony Joe in three games after they had defeated Kiwis Lee and Dylan Soedjasa respectively in their semifinals.

The boys doubles final had Australians Joe and Seng winning the title in straight games over the Central New Zealand team of Jacob Morgon and Elliot Pike.

AOC 'Chat to a Champ'

Chat to a Champ facilitates the opportunity for primary school students to chat with their Olympians heroes using web video conferencing.

The program was established for the 2008 Olympic Games and linked Aussie Olympians in Beijing with school children across Australia. In an Olympic first, the Olympians were able to share their experiences from inside the Beijing Games with eager young fans. It was a mutually beneficial experience for both the Olympians and school children.

The program is offered during the school term as well as from the Summer, Winter and Youth Olympic Games.

Next Chats

Thursday 26 May - Benn Harradine

Thursday 2 June - Craig Mottram

Thursday 9 June 2011 - Lisa Russ

[Download the Chat to a Champ form from the 'education' section of the AOC website to be involved!](#)



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Cardholders who applied for their WWC Check in 2006 will need to renew their card this year if they wish to continue to do 'child-related work' - does this include any of your staff and volunteers?

As an employer it is your responsibility to ensure that all your staff and volunteers who engage in 'child-related work' always have a valid and current Check.

New laws for cardholders

Cardholders will be committing an offence incurring financial penalties if they fail to notify the Department of Justice within 21 days if they change employer or voluntary organisation.

It is vital that your employees and volunteers keep their work details up-to-date with the Department of Justice. It means you can be contacted you if there are any changes to the status of their card, for example if they receive a Negative Notice.

It is recommend you remind cardholders to update any change of details with the department, this also includes their postal address and phone number. We have developed a range of promotional items to help you communicate this information to employees, volunteers and stakeholders. This includes flyers, articles for newsletters, and an online graphic to direct people to our Online Change of Details site where they can update their details.

2011 Li-Ning Sunlight Altona International

The 2011 Li-Ning Sunlight Altona International is to be held in Altona North, Melbourne, Victoria Australian from Thursday 9th June 2011 to Sunday 12th June 2011.

The tournament is a BWF 'International Series' sanctioned event and entries close Tuesday 17th May 2011.

Entry forms and the tournament prospectus are available from the BV website, www.badmintonvic.com.au or the Western Suburbs Badminton Association website, www.wsbaonline.com.

Should you have any further queries please contact the Event Directors (Pat Daw or Ron Gray) or Badminton Australia.



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13th Australian Masters Games

The 13th Australian Masters Games will be held in Adelaide from 7-16 October 2011.

The Games provide the opportunity for participation and competition for everyone, regardless of background or ability with the aim of encouraging lifelong participation in sport. The only requirement is that you meet the minimum age for the sport, which for Badminton is 35 years old.

The Games are expected to attract more than 10,000 competitors who will take part in more than 60 sports that are available. While competition is important, one of the key attractions of this unique event is the social interaction and spirit of camaraderie experienced by participants.

A special feature of this year's Games will be the City of Adelaide Games Village, which will be located in central Adelaide (Memorial Drive Tennis Complex, War Memorial Drive, North Adelaide) and will be the hub of activity throughout the Games. The village will host an entire social program the Opening and Closing ceremonies as well as house the accreditation centre and various other games services like the Games expo, Games administration, volunteer hub and much more.

There is so much on offer this Masters Games so get the team together, get to the website and get in the game!

To register or for more information about the Games go to www.AustralianMastersGames.com or call (08) 8409 1900.



2011 Central Open & Graded

The 2011 Central Open & Graded is to be held at MSAC, Albert Park, Melbourne, Victoria Australia from Saturday 21st May 2011 to Sunday 22nd May 2011.

The tournament is an Australian ranked tournament and entries close **Monday 9th May 2011**.

Entry forms are available from the BV website, www.badmintonvic.com.au

Should you have any further queries please contact the Event Directors, Gary Grierson (9700 2536) or John Weisheit(9528 5001).





Presenter/Facilitator Training

Highly skilled presenters are an essential component of a quality coach and official education system. Good presenters use a confident and enthusiastic approach to captivate and motivate people to learn by facilitating opportunities to develop competence.

What is the ASC Presenter/Facilitator Training Program?

The ASC Presenter/Facilitator Training Program is a one-day workshop that aims to equip presenters and facilitators with the skills to deliver quality and effective coaching and officiating programs.

Who is the program aimed at?

The program is aimed at presenters delivering coaching and officiating programs within the National Coaching Accreditation Scheme (NCAS) and National Officiating Accreditation Scheme (NOAS).

What is covered in the ASC Presenter/Facilitator Training Program?

The ASC Presenter/Facilitator Training Program assists presenters to deliver effective and practical education for coaches and officials. Topics covered in the workshop include:

- > How to conduct a practical session
- > Learning methods that work
- > Preparing to deliver, review and evaluate training
- > Roles and responsibilities of NCAS and NOAS facilitators.

How will you be assessed?

Participants will have the opportunity to deliver several presentations during the workshop and will be assessed on their delivery of a five-minute practical presentation.

How can I enrol in the ASC Presenter/Facilitator Training Program?

The program is available through state and territory departments of sport and recreation. Some state and national sporting organisations also deliver the program as part of their sport-specific presenter training.

Contact details for your state or territory department of sport and recreation can be found at ausport.gov.au/coachofficial

How can I further improve my skills as a presenter?

The ASC's *Presenter/Facilitator Training Manual* can be purchased through the online AIS Shop (shop.ausport.gov.au). Topics covered in the manual include questioning techniques, using a range of learning methods, understanding and engaging your audience, planning and preparation, using learning aids, and dealing with difficult people and situations.

For more information on developing coaches and officials, go to ausport.gov.au/coachofficial

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Vicsport Education Sessions

vicsport is offering the opportunity for all sports to continue the education of your coach and official educators and to develop the leadership skills of your managers through short programs to be delivered between now and the end of the financial year. Please contact us immediately if you have people you wish to undertake any of these programs

Facilitator/Presenter program:

This very popular program is part of the suite of ASC programs we conduct and delivers the competencies your educators need to enhance the delivery of your coach and official education programs. It is a one day workshop and we plan to conduct it on 11th June following the demand for and success of the program conducted in late March. Cost is \$150 for the course including the ASC manual and likely venue is Victoria University Footscray.

Mentor program:

This one day workshop will help any of your people with their mentoring skills and may be of interest to managers, coaches and officials. Some sports have moved toward a mentoring role for their course assessors and are finding it adds to the quality of the outcomes of their coach and official education courses. This is a one day workshop and cost will be around \$150 and include the ASC Mentor manual. Program is planned for May 21st at Victoria University, Footscray.

Emerging Leaders Workshop:

This program is being supported by both **vicsport** and the Office of the Community Sector (part of DPCD) who will provide the facilitator services free within this financial year. The program is 2 ½ hours and is planned for a week day in late May or early June. The program is a very interactive one and will leave the participants with a working framework for their leadership development into the future. OCS highly recommend this program to sports associations for developing leaders in your sport. It is very relevant for young or new CEOs of state sporting associations. Get in quickly on this one.

Member Protection Information Officer Training (MPIO)

Under the auspices of the Department of Justice these workshops have been developed to assist sport organisations better manage complaints and issues under their Member Protection policy through having a suitably trained person as the first point of contact for issues of harassment, discrimination, bullying or abuse in their sporting organisation. These courses are aimed at your MPIO NOT at senior management of sport. The course will provide the MPIO with the skills to undertake this role in your sport. The program is a 2 day workshop provided free of charge to SSAs and Clubs who have MPIOs supported by their Board to undertake the course. **vicsport** is planning to conduct this program over two week days in May/June. We are looking for expressions of interest for this program so please let us know as soon as possible.

We expect these programs to be very popular so please get your expressions of interest in immediately by contacting **Max Binnington or Nicole Bearzatto on 9926 1376.**



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Recent Results

2011 Under 19 Victorian State Titles Sunday 17th April 2011

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

Boys Singles
Winner: Hu-Wen Chew
Runner Up: Ashwant Gobinathan

Girls Singles
Winner: Louisa Ma
Runner Up: Tara Pilven

DOUBLES EVENTS

Boys Doubles
Winner: Matthew Chau / Sawan Searasinghe
Runner Up: Brayden Allan / Brendan Tang

Girls Doubles
Winner: Jacqueline Guan / Gronya Somerville
Runner Up: Louisa Ma / Tara Pilven

Mixed Doubles
Winners: Sawan Searasinghe / Granya Somerville
Runner Up: Matthew Chau / Louise Ma

2011 Australasian Under 17 Championships Wednesday 27th April - Saturday 30th April 2011

EVENTS

Boys Singles
Winner: Daniel Guda (NSW)
Runner Up: Anthony Joe (ACT)

Girls Singles
Winner: **Vinning Mak (VIC)**
Runner Up: Lilian Shih (NNZ)

Boys Doubles
Winner: Anthony Joe / Seng Low (NSW)
Runner Up: Jacob Morgon / Elliot Pike (CNZ)

Girls Doubles
Winner: **Vinning Mak (VIC) / Natasha Sharp (VIC)**
Runner Up: Angie Leung / Lilian Shih (NNZ)

Mixed Doubles
Winners: Kerwyn Lee / Lilian Shih (NNZ)
Runner Up: **Athithan Selladurai (VIC) / Natasha Sharp (VIC)**

Carnival Rankings

Boys: 1 - Anthony Joe (ACT)
2 - Kerwyn Lee (NNZ)
3 - Cham Chen (NSW)
4 - Toby Wong (NSW)
5 - Daniel Guda (NSW)
6 - Athithan Selladurai (Vic)
7 - Seng Low (NSW)
8 - Jacob Morgon (CNZ)
9 - Dylan Soedjasa (NNZ)
10 - Daniel Lee (NNZ)

Girls: **1 - Vinning Mak (Vic)**
2 - Lilian Shih (NNZ)
3 - Natasha Sharp (Vic)
4 - Buddhima Fernando
5 - Melinda Sun (NSW)
6 - Angie Leung (NNZ)
7 - Jennifer Tam (NSW)
8 - Rayna Phillips (NNZ)
9 - Jennifer Trinh (Vic)
10 - Kylie Chan (NSW)

Teams: 1 - Northern NZ 1
2 - **Victorian Rebels**
3 - New South Wales Thunder
4 - Central NZ 1
5 - **Victoria Demons**



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2011 Geelong Open Sunday 1st May 2011

Mens Singles

Open

Winner – Craig Booley
Runner Up – Joel Findlay

A Grade

Winner – Zelman Yuen
Runner Up – Hiroshi Suemitsu

B Grade

Winner – Vu Bon Dang
Runner Up – David Weisinger

C Grade

Winner – Vinern Leow
Runner Up – Anthony Robinson

D Grade

Winner – Vien Bui
Runner Up – Raymond Sing

Womens Singles

Open

Winner – Jacqueline Guan
Runner Up – Gronya Somerville

A Grade

Winner – Yui Techavinyoonont
Runner Up – Adeline Tham

B Grade

Winner – Grace Sodomaco
Runner Up – Rebecca Chan

C Grade

Winner – Wendy Zhao
Runner Up – Chau Le

D Grade

Winner – Aira Nuguid
Runner Up – Sylvia Tiet

Mens Doubles

Open

Winner – Nathan David / Joel Findlay
Runner Up – Ks Tan / Ong Beng Teong
Semi-Finalists - Peejade Cheng / Sammy Cheng

A Grade

Winner – Aaron Pham / Dee Tran
Runner Up – Andrew Cheong / Leong Khoo

B Grade

Winner - Jimmy Fong / Ton Wonswangpanich
Runner Up - Vien Bui / Anthony Robinson

C Grade

Winner - Kevin Lew / Franky Nguyen
Runner Up - Wendrah Hartono / Alvin Laudi

D Grade

Winner – Vien Bui / Anthony Robinson
Runner Up – Kye Choong / Jeffrey Lee

Womens Doubles

Open

Winner – Jacqueline Guan / Gronya Somerville
Runner Up – Vera Babenko / Cheryl Song

A Grade

Winner – Pinhataya Pongtanya / Yui Techavinyoonont
Runner Up – Kerrie Brunt / Jess Rayner

B Grade

Winner – Nicole David / Grace Sodomaco
Runner Up – Adeline Tham / Wendy Zhao

C Grade

Winner – Chau Le / Sylvia Tiet
Runner Up – Kim Akarasripapal / Doris Wong

D Grade

Winner – Crystal Liang / Wendy Zhao
Runner Up – Nancy Li / Aria Nuguid

Mixed Doubles

Open

Winner – Nathan David / Gronya Somerville
Runner Up – Paul Kern / Jacqueline Guan

A Grade

Winner – Zelman Yuen / Yui Techavinyoonont
Runner Up – Tin Pham / Cheryl Song

B Grade

Winner – Jacky Chen / Adeline Tham
Runner Up – Tim Conway / Jess Rayner

C Grade

Winner – Franky Nguyen / Doris Wong
Runner Up – Glen Fairbrother / Vicki Huynh

D Grade

Winner – Leo Le / Chau Le
Runner Up – Wendrah Hartono / Kim Akarasripapal



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Gippsland Under 11,13,15,17,19 Junior Tournament
Sunday 1st May 2011**U11**

Under 11 Boys Singles
Winner – Ryan Venpin
Runner Up – Yash Pednekar

Under 11 Girls Singles
Winner – Irene Chau
Runner Up – Tiann Young

Under 11 Boys Doubles
Winner – Yash Pednekar / Ryan Venpin
Runner Up – Matthew Ch'ng / Harrison Stephens

Under 11 Girls Doubles
Winner – Sabrina Chung
Runner Up – Irene Chau

Under 11 Mixed Doubles
Winner – Ryan Venpin / Sabrina Chung
Runner Up – Yash Pednekar / Irene Chau

U13

Under 13 Boys Singles
Winner – Eldon Xu
Runner Up – William Chau

Under 13 Girls Singles
Winner – Samantha Lee
Runner Up – Amy Young

Under 13 Boys Doubles
Winner – Dillon Silvester / Eldon Xu
Runner Up – William Chau / Elton Zhang

Under 13 Girls Doubles
Winner – Samantha Lee / Amy Young
Runner Up – Jessica Sanders / Madison Louden

Under 13 Mixed Doubles
Winner – Samantha Lee / Elton Zhu
Runner Up – Amy Young / William Chau

U15

Under 15 Boys Singles
Winner – Andre Zopf
Runner Up – Kunal Patil

Under 15 Girls Singles
Winner – Alice Wu
Runner Up – Adriana Phan

Under 15 Boys Doubles
Winner – John Taing / Kunal Patil
Runner Up – Jacob Schueler / Blake Haggerty

Under 15 Girls Doubles
Winner – Adriana Phan / Alice Wu
Runner Up – Chloe Chen / Erica Cochren

Under 15 Mixed Doubles
Winner – Alice Wu / John Taing
Runner Up – Sophie Louden / Eddie Luk

U17

Under 17 Boys Singles
Winner – Reuben Tse
Runner Up – Michael Phan

Under 17 Girls Singles
Winner – Evelyn Xu
Runner Up – Cayla Silvester

Under 17 Boys Doubles
Winner – Reuben Tse / Michael Phan
Runner Up – Walter Chung / Jonathon Zhu

Under 17 Girls Doubles
Winner – Cayla Silvester / Kelly Venpin
Runner Up – Evelyn Xu / Rozlyn Richards

Under 17 Mixed Doubles
Winner – Evelyn Xu / Walter Chung
Runner Up – Cayla Silvester / Michael Phan



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Vets' Social Badminton Tournament
Sunday May 15th

*LEISURETIME CENTRE
Anakie Road, Bell Post Hill*

10:00 AM START

3:00 PM FINISH

ALL FOR ONLY

\$14.00 PER PERSON

Play at least 5 Games (DOUBLES & MIXED)

LUNCH SUPPLIED, cooked by the best cook's available.

Bring your own Drinks, Afternoon Tea provided

Entries close 11th May

Peter on pmb12@optusnet.com.au or Phone 52554345

Or

Linda on parrott@bigpond.com or Phone 52501338

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THE WAY BADMINTON SHOULD BE***



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BV COACHING CALENDAR 2011

Below are courses currently being advertised

May 22nd	Level 1 & 1A Refresher Course	Terang
	Level 1 Course & Refresher Course	Altona
	Level 1 & 1A Refresher Course	Altona
	Level 1 & 1A Refresher Course	Ballarat
July 16th	Level 1 Course & Refresher	SEBA
	Level 1 & 1A Refresher Course	SEBA
July 17th	Level 1 & 1A Refresher Course	TBA
August 20th & 21st	Level 1 Advanced Course	MSAC

Level 1 coaches looking to further develop their coaching skills should consider completing the Level 1 Advanced Course.

For more information on any of the above or for course guidelines please contact Michelle Rigg Email coaching@badmintonvic.com.au

Coaching Positions Available - Victorian Teams 2011

BV is currently seeking coach nominations for the following team/s. Badminton Victoria will pay the travel and accommodation costs for BV Team coaches for the following. All coach nomination forms must include your WWCC ID number.

Victorian U19 Teams 2011

BV will enter 1 team in the U19 Carnival

Victorian U15 Teams 2011

BV will enter 2 teams in the Val Nesbitt U15 Carnival

Victorian Clendinnen Shield Team 2011

Your Nomination for any of these positions should be submitted ASAP

BV Website – Advertise your Coaching Sessions

Badminton Victoria receives many requests for coaching sessions available around Melbourne and in the regions. For us to better assist those interested in Coaching Sessions we would like those coaches who take regular sessions to contact Badminton Victoria with details for us to advertise on the BV Website. There is no cost to this of course but only to better service the public so.....

- Are you delivering coaching sessions?
- Would you like to have your details listed on the BV Coaches Registry for those looking for coaching sessions to be able to access your contact details?
- If so please contact the BV Coach Coordinator Email Michelle Rigg coaching@badmintonvic.com.au



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Coaching Course - Level 2

After the Badminton Australia Meeting held at MSAC during the Australian Open last week it has been confirmed a Level 2 Coaching Course will be delivered late this year. This is great news for those Level 1 Advanced Coaches looking to further develop their knowledge and skill.

To be eligible to complete this course you must first have successfully completed the '**Intermediate Coaching General Principles**' for more details on this course read below. Candidates should also hold a Level 1 Advanced Coaching Certificate in Badminton.

Should you be interested in attending the Level 2 Badminton Coaches Course please contact Rudy Bartholomeusz BA Coach Education email rbartholomeusz@iprimus.com.au

Intermediate Coaching General Principles

This program is aimed at coaches who have moved beyond the beginner level of coaching and want to improve their skills and knowledge to improve athlete performance. These coaches would typically be operating at club / regional level. This course is a pre requisite for the Level 2 Badminton Coaching Course.

How to enrol

For more information visit the Australian Sports Commission website
Please note that completion of the general principles component alone does not provide accreditation.

Do you have the current BA Coaching Manual?

Should you not have the current Level 1 or Level 1 Advanced BA Coaching Manual and would like to purchase one please read the information below.

BA Level 1 and Level 1 Advanced Manual

Please access the order forms directly from the BA website under Coaching. The costs of the manuals are \$40.00

Badminton Australia's "Games Book"

A great resource for the coach that works with beginner junior players. To order visit the BA website or call the BA Office on 03 9397 4722

Hart Sport

Suppliers of Sports fitness and training aids visit the website for some great coaching aids
www.hartsport.com.au



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Coaching Tips from the ASC

Looking for some good coaching tips? Visit the Australian Sports Commission website <http://www.ausport.gov.au/participating/coaches/tools>

The following are a couple of great tips for any coach!

Tip #1

"Warming up again at half time in team sports"

While this article highlights the traditional team sport with half time breaks this is also very important for our players who compete in Teams Events where breaks between their matches could be as long as one hour to individual tournaments where they can play matches with breaks of between 10 –30minutes.....

While warming-up has recently been suggested by research to have little benefit on injury prevention, sport science research has shown that warm-up before playing sport positively benefits performance. But what about warming-up again before the second half of a game? Few players or coaches seem to do it, especially at the local level. A 2004 study I recently came across from Scandinavia examined muscle temperature and sprint performance in soccer players to see what affect a re-warm-up would have on second half performance in an actual match.

The two-part study involved 25 players aged 27.0 ± 1.5 years from the Danish Fourth Division. Part one examined changes in muscle temperature during a competitive game where muscle temperature was measured when players were subbed off. In part two, both the muscle temperature and sprint performance were measured during a competitive but friendly match. In this match, eight players performed moderate-intensity activities (running and drills at 70% of maximal heart rate) at half-time (re-warm-up). Another eight players did no warm-up before the second half. Sprint performance was measured electronically using a repeated sprint test that consisted of three 30m sprints separated by a 25-second active recovery period during which the players jogged back to the start line. These tests were carried out on all 16 players after the pre-game warm-up, when players came off just before half-time, five minutes before they went on for the second half (after the re-warm-up for the eight re-warm-up players), and again just before full-time.

In all the 25 players, muscle temperature was $36.0 \pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$ at rest and increased significantly to $39.4 \pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$ before the game and remained unaltered during the first half. At half-time, the muscle temperature decreased significantly to $37.4 \pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$, and again in-





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creased to $39.2\pm^{\circ}\text{C}$ during the second half. In the second friendly competitive game, the muscle temperatures were similar before and after the first half in both groups. However, muscle temperature was significantly $2.1\pm 0.1^{\circ}\text{C}$ higher in the re-warmed-up players prior to the second half. At the onset of the second half, the sprint performance was significantly reduced by 2.4% in the group who did not re-warm-up, but unchanged in the re-warmed-up group. The decrease in muscle temperature was correlated to the decrease in performance.

This study demonstrated that in soccer, and therefore possibly in most team sports where sprint speed is crucial, the decrease in muscle temperature during half-time is associated with lower sprint ability at the onset of the second half. In contrast, sprint performance appears to be maintained when low-moderate intensity activities are done at half-time to maintain muscle temperature. The message is obvious: players should ideally be warmed-up again before the second half to maintain performance in the second half.

Peter Reaburn, Department of Health and Human Performance, Central Queensland University

Tip #2

“Demonstrating a skill”

Everybody has heard the old saying that a picture paints a thousand words. Demonstrating a new skill is an important component of coaching.

Tips for demonstrating a skill

- Make sure all the participants can see the demonstration. Be aware of distractions such as the sun, traffic or other groups.
- The coach doesn't always have to do the demonstration. Other options include one of the players who you know can perform the skills, or a picture, diagram or video may help.
- Ensure that the skill is demonstrated in the context of the game situation, so that participants understand 'why' as well as 'how' it is done.
- Highlight the main points of the skill. Keep explanations simple and brief. Try not to emphasise more than two or three key points at a time.
- Avoid pointing out things 'not to do' as this will only overload the players.
- You can break the skill into separate components for the purpose of the demonstration, but ensure you demonstrate the complete skill at normal speed first and at the end.
- Let the participants practice. New information stays with people for only a short period of time unless they are able to try the skill.
- Verbal instructions are sometimes unclear - accompany verbal instructions with a complimentary visual.

Always show the correct skill last. If you are showing a player the difference between what they are doing and what you want them to do, demonstrate the correct skill after you have shown them their current method



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Intermediate Coaching General Principles

INFORMATION

What are the Intermediate Coaching General Principles?

The Intermediate Coaching General Principles are a series of educational modules for coaches who want to improve their skills and knowledge. From 2008, the Intermediate Coaching General Principles program replaces the former Level 2 Coaching General Principles.

Who is the program aimed at?

The program is aimed at coaches who have moved beyond the beginner level, and are looking to improve the performance of the athletes they coach. They are typically coaching at club or regional level.

What is covered in the Intermediate Coaching General Principles?

The Intermediate Coaching General Principles includes a simple introduction to sports science concepts and further information on coaching pedagogy. The 13 modules in the program are:

- 1 The essence of coaching
- 2 Program management
- 3 Planning
- 4 Sports safety
- 5 Coaching processes
- 6 Inclusive coaching
- 7 Skill acquisition
- 8 Introduction to physiology
- 9 Basic anatomy and biomechanics
- 10 Development and maturation
- 11 Nutrition for sport
- 12 Sport psychology
- 13 Anti-doping in sport.

How do these modules integrate with my sport's coaching accreditation system?

The Intermediate Coaching General Principles are included by many sports within their sport-specific accreditation programs. Check with your sport regarding which modules they require coaches to complete as part of a sport-specific accreditation.

Many sports will also provide updating points towards re-accreditation to coaches completing modules from the Intermediate Coaching General Principles.

How can I enrol in an Intermediate Coaching General Principles course?

The program is available through state and territory departments of sport and recreation. Some offer face-to-face programs, while others offer the modules via correspondence. Some state and national sporting organisations also deliver the modules as part of their sport-specific accreditation programs.

Contact details for your state or territory department of sport and recreation can be found at the Australian Sports Commission's Coaching and Officiating website (ausport.gov.au/participating/coaches/further_information/state_contacts). They can advise you when the next course is available.

For more information on coaching, go to ausport.gov.au/participating/coaches



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New Umpires

The BVCOOC recently ran an umpires course and anyone interested in becoming an umpire can email their details to BVCOOC training supervisor Kay Coady at kaycoady@bigpond.com or BVCOOC president Sandra David at sgd@netconnect.com.au and we will let you know when the next course will be held.

VIS Individual Scholarships

Applications for Individual Athlete Scholarships are invited from Victorian athletes with outstanding performance records at national and/or international level in sports that are currently **not** a VIS Tier 1 Program. The VIS currently has Tier 1 programs in the following sports: Aerial Skiing, Athletics (including AWD athletes), Cycling, Diving, Golf, Gymnastics, Hockey, Netball, Rowing, Sailing, Swimming, Triathlon and Water Polo. (Scholarship applications for each of these sports are available at specific times in the year, based upon seasonal and competition schedules).

Applications are also invited from athletes with a disability with an outstanding record in **any** sport and with potential to succeed at the high performance level.

Scholarships provide assistance with specialist coaching, sport science, sports medicine, physical preparation and education & career development services as well as training & competition expenses.

Application forms and guidelines are available from: **Victorian Institute of Sport**, Olympic Park, Olympic Boulevard, MELBOURNE, VIC 3000; Telephone (03) 9425 0061; fax (03) 9425 0100; Email: nerissa.byrne@vis.org.au or by internet access at <http://www.vis.org.au>

2011 BV FEES & INSURANCE INFO

At the Special General Meeting on the 27th November the members adopted the BV boards new fee structure for 2011. The BV board received many suggestions from members regarding reforming the affiliation fees for 2011, most of the suggestions were in relation to senior & junior membership fees and a different fee for playing one or two seasons. The new fee structures are:

- \$20 – Seniors playing half year, i.e. one season of competition
- \$30 – Seniors playing full year, i.e. two season competition
- \$15 – Juniors playing half year, i.e. one season of competition
- \$20 – Juniors playing full year, i.e. two season competition

Tournament and team event players are considered to be full season players.

Non-registered player fees for 2011 are: \$3.30/event for junior and senior tournaments and team competitions. \$9.90/weekend for Veteran's events.

2011 Insurance Fees

Public Liability/Professional Indemnity Insurance:	\$4.00/player	
Personal Accident Insurance:	\$12.00/player	
Directors & Officers Insurance:	\$200	0-200 players
	\$400	201-400 players
	\$600	401+ players

Please don't hesitate to contact Peter Roberts (State Director) with further questions and for more information.



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Grants & Funding

LOCAL SPORTING CHAMPIONS GRANTS

Are you, or do you know, a dedicated young athlete, coach or official participating in a state or national sporting championship? Are you aged 12-18 years old travelling further than 250km return for a state or national championships? If yes, then you or your team could be eligible for a Local Sporting Champions grant to help meet costs such as uniforms, travel, accommodation and equipment.

Eligibility: 12-18 participating in a nominated National Sporting Organisation endorsed state or national sporting championships or a School Sport Australia national championships

Funding range of grant: \$500 Individual/ \$3000 Team

Open Dates: 1 month prior to the commencement of the championship

Website: <http://www.ausport.gov.au/champions>

EMERGENCY SPORTING AND RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT

These grants provide assistance to grassroots sport and active recreation clubs and organisations to replace essential sporting or first aid equipment that has been lost or destroyed as a consequence of fire, flood, significant storm event, theft or criminal damage.

Eligibility: Local community-based clubs or organisations delivering sport and active recreation

Funding range of grant: Up to \$2,000

Open Dates: Up to 3 months after the loss or damage

Website: <http://www.dpcd.vic.gov.au>

VICTORIAN VOLUNTEERS SMALL GRANTS

Victorian Volunteer Small Grants are available for Victorian organisations to attract new volunteers from diverse backgrounds, create new volunteering opportunities and strengthen existing volunteering programs as a way of engaging new volunteers.

Eligibility: Community not-for-profit organisations that involve volunteers at a local level.

Funding range of grant: Up to \$5,000

Open Dates: This program is open for applications on an ongoing basis

Website: <http://www.dpcd.vic.gov.au/grants>

Elite Indigenous Travel and Accommodation Assistance Program (EITAAP)

The EITAAP is an initiative that is jointly managed by the Australian Sports Commission and The Department Of Prime Minister and Cabinet. In order to be eligible to apply for and EITAAP grant, an indigenous sports-person and their sporting organisation must meet a range of criteria.

Eligibility: Aboriginal Sportspeople who require funds for travel and accommodation, to attend a national or international sporting event.

Funding range of grant: National: Up to \$1,500 - International: \$4,000

Open Dates: Up to 2 months after the event

Website: http://www.ausport.gov.au/participating/indigenous/get_involved/grants_and_scholarships

Multicultural Youth Sports Partnership Program ***NEW***

The MYSP is an Australian Government Initiative with the objective to create sustainable opportunities for youth from new and emerging communities and culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds to participate in sport within their local communities.

Eligibility: Not-for-profit organisations

Funding range of grant: Between \$5000 and \$50,000

Open Dates: Friday 29th April 2011 until Friday 27th May 2011

Website: http://www.ausport.gov.au/participating/all_cultures/get_involved/grant





Lin Dan (China)
Racket: N9011
 2010 Asian Games Champion
 2009 World Championships
 2008 Olympic Champion
 2007 World Championships
 2006 World Championships

ULTIMATE WEAPON



Wang Shi Xian
Racket: N60
 2011 All England Super Series Premier Champion
 2011 Malaysia Open Super Series Champion
 2010 Asian Games Champion
 2010 BWF Super Series Final Champion



Chen Jin
Racket: N55
 2010 World Championships Champion
 2010 Swiss Super Series Champion



Boonsak Ponsana
Racket: N9011
 2010 BWF Super Series Finals Semi-Finalist
 2010 Badminton Asia Championships Semi-Finalist
 2010 Li-Ning Singapore Open Super Series Runner-Up



Jwala Gutta
Racket: Windstorm 650
 2010 Commonwealth Games Women Doubles Champion
 2010 India Grand Prix Gold Mixed Doubles Champion
 2010 India Grand Prix Gold Women's Doubles Runner-Up



Shinta & Yao Lei
Racket: N5511
 2010 Li-Ning Singapore Open Women Doubles Champion
 2010 Commonwealth Games Women Doubles Runner-Up