

SHEPHERDS PARK SQUASH

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IMPORTANT DATES

CLUB NIGHTS:

- **Wednesday 7pm:**
Ladies Night
- **Thursday 7pm:**
Club Night (All Welcome)

JUNIOR PROGRAMME:

- **Thursday: 4.30pm – 5.15pm**
(Beginners)
- **Thursday: 5.15pm – 6pm** (Advanced)

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS:

- **3 May: Royal Oak**
Junior 1-Day
Competition
- **7-9 May: Herne Bay**
Open
- **14-17 May:**
Auckland Open
(Henderson)
- **21-23 May:**
Papakura Open
- **7-11 July:**
Shepherds Park A2
and Below

WELCOME FROM THE COMMITTEE

As most will be aware, Shepherds Park has a new committee as of November 2025 as follows:

President: Ernie Chen

Treasurer: Darshana Govender

Ladies Captain: Shahrane Fa'avae

Committee Members: Graham Ashworth, Vincent Pieterse

Secretary: Simoun Jacobs

Club Captain: Neil Tulloch

A huge welcome to the 2027 financial year and look forward to meeting you all in due course. We are always on a look out for new committee members so please get in touch if you are interested.

THANK YOU PAUL CORNISH

All on this mailing list would have been in touch with Paul Cornish in one way or another. For me personally, Paul has been the reason I fell in love with this sport and the reason why most of us are serving on this committee. Paul has stepped down as president and committee member but continues to support the club in more ways than you can imagine. THANK YOU PAUL - will see you around!

JUNIOR SQUASH PROGRAMME

With Paul having taken a step back from Shepherds Park Squash Junior programme, we are happy to announce that we have secured Surya Sathish who will continue developing our junior squash talent:

There will be 2 sessions on Thursdays as follows:

Beginners - 4.30pm to 5.15pm

Advanced - 5.15pm to 6pm

Cost: \$160 per term. Please get in touch with Ernie 021 1084585 to find out more or to sign up

CLUB COACH

After a few months of headaches, we have managed to Secure Ruben as our club coach. Ruben is offering individual coaching as follows:

Beginners: \$40 (45 min)

Graded Players: \$50 (1 hour)

(Additional \$10 for court hire if not a club member)

Ruben was integral in the success of our D Grade ladies Super Champs team last year.

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CLUB UPDATES & MISC:

- We are currently in talks with the council on a bathroom upgrade
- We have provided feedback on the proposed design and is currently with the architect for consideration

Good luck to Simoun and Ernie (already knocked out) competing in the graded champs this weekend.

Please remember to renew your squash membership or get in touch with Ernie if you wish to sign up 021 1084585