



ANNUAL REPORT

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CHAIR'S REPORT

Change has been the most common element throughout the year and it is staff who take the business forward. It is important to note that our major stakeholder, Sport England, have continued to be supportive of actions taken. I am grateful to the Executive Team, Keir Worth, Mark Williams, Darren Bernstein and Tom Duggan for their dedication and professionalism under difficult circumstances.

The Board also faced challenges. Sport England funded a consultancy to carry out a study of the Board's skills and effectiveness. This was completed and the conclusions discussed by the Board to consider the best way forward, while ensuring that prudent management of the organisation and appropriate governance was respected.

It was decided that an Appointments Panel should be established to oversee the recruitment of additional Board members and a new Chair to be appointed at the AGM in November 2015, when the term of several current members was due to expire. The recruitment process brought forward many applicants with some exceptional people from a range of professional business backgrounds. However, it took much longer than expected to implement, and was only completed on 28 May 2016. The existing Board, including myself, agreed to continue on an interim basis for that 6 months as the process of election and appointment of the new Board members was developed within the framework of our Constitution.

The transition is now complete and I am confident that the organisation is in substantially better shape than 2-3 years ago but there are still challenges ahead - the most critical being the next 4 year funding bid that is required by Sport England at the end of November. The funding landscape for sport and physical activity has changed significantly following the publication of both the Government's 'Sporting Future' and Sport England's 'Towards an Active Nation' strategies which set out new models for increasing participation in sport and physical activity. It is therefore vital that we are able to adapt to the relevant objectives and aims to give ourselves the greatest opportunity to succeed.

I was delighted that we were nominated for National Governing Body of the Year in the BT Sports Industry Awards and although we did not win, it demonstrated that the organisation can be seen externally to be operating well under difficult conditions.

I started with change and change continues. My time as Chair now comes to an end and the responsibility for leading the business is passed on to Joy Carter. My good wishes go to her and the team for the future - it has been an honour and a privilege even if rather difficult at times!

Peter Goldson
Chair



CEO INTRODUCTION

The past two years have seen considerable and continual change – culturally, structurally and in personnel. England Squash is now a much smaller organisation than it has been over the past decade or so, with fewer than 30 staff.

The organisation is adapting to a new environment for national governing bodies (NGBs), in particular around funding opportunities. The new Sport England strategy for sport is bold and represents a departure from the traditional role of NGBs, although there are still considerable opportunities for England Squash to access funding and benefit from both the financial support and expertise of Sport England.

The challenges England Squash face remain the same – recruiting and retaining more players to participate more regularly, to create more vibrant, thriving squash communities; protecting, developing facilities and ‘making the case’ for squash provision; and the continued development of an effective talent pathway, which culminates in the creation of a new generation of world class athletes. Alongside these ambitions, we must also continue to adhere to and improve upon issues of governance, which is an area that has taken considerable time and resource over the past 12 months. Indeed, over the past year, we have been through a rigorous process of recruitment to elect and appoint a new board and chair. The new board were elected during the last week of May 2016.

Priorities over the coming year include a much needed review of the current membership and affiliation scheme, the continued development of a digital platform that provides both value and solutions to members and affiliated clubs and the continued expansion of our key participation programmes, Squash 101 and Squash Girls Can. Furthermore, the organisation has some tough funding conditions from Sport England to fulfil, which will provide greater understanding of the market for squash, whilst also providing a valuable depth of insight into squash facilities across the country.

The progress England Squash has made this year, in what is a particularly tough environment for NGBs, has been very positive. The strategies we launched last year, in participation (Game Changer), performance (A New Era) and marketing and communications remain relevant and critically important over the coming period and we are proud of the progress we have made in their delivery. We remain very ambitious and there is so much we aspire to over the coming period. I hope you find this summary of our activity valuable and encouraging.

Keir Worth
CEO

1. INCREASING PARTICIPATION IN OUR SPORT



INCREASING PARTICIPATION

The participation team continue to follow the strategic direction set out in 'Game Changer' and the tactics tracker remains an effective way to assess progress against key objectives. The new England Squash brand has been well received by the team and all members continue to be strongly influenced by the values that underpin the brand. Participation in squash has consistently remained above the level seen prior to the launch of the Game Changer strategy and key partnerships across the different facility types continue to grow.

1.1 Public Facilities

England Squash has developed partnerships with 7 major operators that collectively manage around 150 sites with squash courts. The partnerships have been built on understanding the needs of each operator and finding a way to improve their understanding and use of squash, principally through our programme, Squash 101 and campaign, Squash Girls Can. The partnerships have proven useful in a number of scenarios beyond the delivery of programmes including helping us gather insight, test new ideas and develop new resources.

1.2 Club Support

Resources to support clubs through the website have been improved, including incorporating the new Club Matters toolkit and the newly updated Clubmark Award. Pilot programmes for Squash 101 have been run to assess how the programme might need to be tailored to work in a club environment and a proposal is in place to launch Squash 101 in clubs through the Regional Forums.

1.3 Universities

The national university programme has been redesigned for 2016. We will run 8 training days at 'hub' universities and plan to train leaders from 20-25 universities. England Squash remains engaged with BUCS and are working closely with them to improve our shared understanding of how students can be engaged in the sport.

1.4 Workforce

The training workshop for Squash 101 Leaders has continued to evolve based on feedback and examples of good practice. The training has now been altered slightly to meet the needs of three different playing environments, clubs, public facilities and universities. Leaders are now supported through a web app that will shortly be updated with video and lesson plan content to help ensure they have everything they need to deliver fun social sessions.

A referee working group has been planned to help drive the engagement of referees throughout the country. The group's first objective will be to produce a report on the needs of referees so that a strategy can be created.

After last season's record number of entries, the Polar Workforce Awards will again be launched in the Autumn. There will be various award categories that recognise the unique contributions from across all aspects of the game.

1.5 Regional and National Forums

The first year of the forums produced mixed results and England Squash remain committed to the concept. As work has progressed, it has become clear that the regional forums should be more closely aligned with England Squash priorities and have clearer objectives. England Squash will work with the National Forum to adapt the current way of working and change how forums are supported, managed and measured.

1.6 Junior Participation and Satellite Clubs

Sport England have not set England Squash a growth target for Satellite Clubs in 2016/17. This is a welcome move and enables England Squash to concentrate on developing a new junior recreational offer that fits with the new strategy.

1.7 Facilities

Sport England have not granted England Squash any capital funding for 2016/17. This is a welcome move and enables England Squash to concentrate on developing a facilities strategy and producing a report that will be submitted to Sport England at the end of September in response to the associated funding award condition set in March.

As a facility dependent sport, it is crucial that England Squash ensure our understanding of the challenges facing facilities, and our leadership of an appropriate response to these challenges are based on insight and appropriate to our partners that own or manage squash facilities.

2. NURTURING, DEVELOPING TALENT AND IMPROVING PERFORMANCE



NURTURING TALENT, IMPROVING PERFORMANCE

This year has seen the continuation of delivery against the strategy, Performance – A New Era.

2.1 Team England

In December 2015, on the basis of independent security advice, we withdrew from the Men's World Team event that had originally been scheduled for Kuwait, but which was moved to Cairo. Along with the withdrawal of a number of other nations, the event was initially postponed until May 2016, before the WSF took the decision to cancel the event altogether. Although this meant we weren't able to defend the title that was won in Mulhouse in 2013, it did mean we extended the period in which we held both the Men's and Women's World Team titles.

In May 2016, we re-established ourselves at the European Teams held in Warsaw, Poland with the Women retaining, and the Men regaining their title from France in dominant performances in the final.

2.2 England Academy

The centralised programme became fully operational in January 2016 having been in a period of transition from the previous September. Extensive support was given to the players relocating ranging from accommodation, financial and lifestyle support to ensure the relocation was as seamless as possible.

The following players are part of the centralised programme based in Manchester:

Richie Fallows
Declan James
George Parker
Millie Tomlinson
Patrick Rooney
Kyle Finch

Declan James and Millie Tomlinson both broke in to the Top 50 PSA rankings, with George Parker and Angus Gillams breaking in to the Top 100.

2.3 England Development Programme

At a European level, we continue to be dominant in the team and individual events with Patrick Rooney and Amelia Henley winning the individual titles. The U19 team, as well as the U17 and U15 teams also retained their European titles, as did the team at the 5 nations event.

In addition, there were encouraging performances at the British Junior Open in January 2016, with Sam Todd winning the U13 title, becoming the first male English winner since James Willstrop in 2002.

2.4 Coach Education and Development

We continued to develop and connect with the wider network of coaches working within the system. We held a symposium at Lilleshall in the new year to explore a variety of areas and issues with the national coaching team as well as three coaching workshops in Sheffield, Hunts County and Beaconsfield that involved coaches and players from throughout the pathway.

In the period April 2015 – March 2016, we ran the following courses:

- 4 Leaders course with 44 candidates
- 29 Level 1 with 353 candidates
- 8 Level 2 with 72 candidates
- 1 Level 3 with 16 candidates

We reviewed the Level 1 and 2 courses and piloted new courses. Both courses have been taken off the UKCC framework, for two prime reasons. Firstly, it reduces the administrative costs that we incur, meaning we are able to better control the financial model and time commitment required of candidates. Secondly, and more crucially, by not having to comply with so much bureaucracy, we can deliver a better course and candidate experience. With the UKCC framework there was so much paperwork involved in the courses that the tutors spent more time form filling, than actually supporting the candidates and helping them become better coaches.

3. MARKETING AND PROMOTING WHAT WE DO



MARKETING AND PROMOTION

3.1 Knowing our sport

The past year has seen our insight strategy implemented across the organisation. An evidence-based approach to decision making has been adopted and a culture of insight has been embedded.

Our understanding of the market has continued to evolve through large and small scale insight projects and programmes. Our understanding of the supply of squash facilities has been significantly enhanced with an analysis of player behaviours and attitudes helping us understand and prioritise the opportunities for growth in participation across the market.

Detailed insight work will continue in order to allow us to understand the market for squash in more detail. This will include the widening of the scope of our insight work.

The next twelve months will also see the organisation sharing more insight with stakeholders through knowledge sharing events and publication of reports as well as through working closely together with appropriate project and programme partners.

3.2 Technology

The first phase of release for the Technology Platform has been built. The new website will herald a fundamental change in how the sport is administered and with it, many of the traditional processes employed at staff level, will change. The website will enable us to become more efficient in time, and as a result, we hope this will create cost savings, enabling us to reinvest more into the sport through programmes that counties and clubs will benefit from.

We have spent a lot of time ensuring that the way we collect and share our data is compliant with data protection legislation. We have taken expert legal advice and have built processes to ensure that not only England Squash is operating within the realms of the law, but also that County Associations are aware of their responsibilities in this area. While the new website will provide County Associations with access to far more data, it is important that how this data can be used and handled is widely understood.

Going forward it is crucial that the whole project allows us to connect with the squash community in order to drive people to play, coach and get involved.

3.3 PR & Communications

In December 2015, England Squash hosted BBC Breakfast at The National Squash Centre. We were able to ensure that squash was featured on prime time TV for 26 minutes. The average viewer numbers of this programme is **6.8 million**. Furthermore, on the same morning we featured on BBC radio 5 live's Nicky Campbell show. A further five minute slot, allowed a further estimated **6 million** listeners to hear about our sport.

PR work by the communications team saw us earn coverage in a range of national print and broadcast such as the Daily Telegraph, coverage on ITV news, local BBC and ITV news and a whole host more.

Statistically, we have been in 28 publications, and articles in 17 online publications. There has been a potential reach of **36.4 million** people.

Since the start of the year, we've gathered more than 2,000 followers on Twitter and are well on the way to reaching 10,000. Meanwhile on Facebook, we're close to reaching 4,000. We will continue to use the platforms to engage with stakeholders and are exploring other platforms to reach new audiences.

3.4 Coverage of Gold Events

This year the British Junior Open, Nationals and Allam British Open have had more communications support than previous years. We've ramped up the social media output and the daily round ups. We've embraced the use of Flipagram to pictorially tell the story of the events. We need to continue to explore how we best embrace our events and ensure a balance between the presence we need to promote the tournaments and the reach of our coverage. We continue to strive to be adventurous in the coverage and look at doing things differently. Looking at the press angle rather than solely the sporting angle led us to focus on Lance Kinder at the Nationals and this led to **7 million** people on ITV News finding out that squash keeps you healthy into your 80s.

3.5 Social Media

Following restructuring of the communications function of England Squash, this has reaped dividend this year with a 26% increase in Twitter followers, 30% increase on Facebook and a growing presence on LinkedIn. Furthermore, as we move to utilising social media channels to reach wider and new audiences, we have also registered Instagram and Snapchat accounts which we will begin to use in 2017.

3.6 Governing Body of the Year & Women's Sport Awards

England Squash was shortlisted for the 2016 BT Sports Industry Awards National Governing Body of the Year. This is part of the Sports Industry Awards, Europe's most prestigious commercial sports awards.

England Squash's Squash Girls Can Programme was shortlisted for a 2016 Women's Sport Trust #BeAGameChanger award in the National Inspiring Initiative category.

3.7 Competitions & Events

Work has progressed around competitions and events on both an international and domestic basis and progress has been made in the following areas:

3.7.1 World Championships

England Squash have been successful in bringing the Men's & Women's 2017 PSA World Squash Championships to Manchester.

£370,000 has been granted by UK Sport, while a further £250,000 has been secured from Manchester City Council, who will also financially underwrite the event.

Having secured the event, we will be eligible for further pots of money from UK Sport and Sport England which we will consider bidding for.

We are in the final stages of signing a 6 figure headline sponsorship agreement for the Championships.

This project has really embraced our brand values, allowing us to connect with key stakeholders such as UK Sport, Manchester City Council and Sport England. It will undoubtedly drive both the sport and our organisation forward.

3.7.2 Competitions and Events Review

We commissioned Knight, Kavanagh and Page (KKP) to undertake a review of our competitions and events structure. The work has followed three phases. The first was an audit of our processes and consultation with internal and external stakeholders. This was followed by a questionnaire to all the squash community where we received around 500 responses.

Recommendations were presented to Council, with subsequent comments and observations being gathered and taken on board for a final report to be signed off by the England Squash Board.

We now have a strategy to drive the sport forward ensuring the most appropriate blend of tournaments that are delivered in the most resource effective way. The scope of the work includes; adult and juniors, elite and participation, rankings and staffing and operational structure.



4. FINANCIAL REVIEW

Departmental Income and Expenditure £000

4.1. Membership

2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

Membership fees	377	377
Total income	377	377

EXPENDITURE

County Rebates	71	64
Membership services	45	36
Staff	57	54
Total Expenditure	173	154

4.2. Competitions and Events

2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

British Open	302	353
Entry fees	239	221
Other	0	15
Total income	541	589

EXPENDITURE

British Open Costs	324	356
Event Costs	241	233
Other (Rankings, Referees etc)	7	14
Staff	105	156
Total Expenditure	677	759

4.3. Participation

2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

Miscellaneous Grants	0	9
Total income	0	9

EXPENDITURE

Development Budgets (Schools, Youth, Leisure Centres etc)	168	103
Regional Offices	3	8
Staff	427	581
Total Expenditure	598	692

4.4. Marketing

2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

Commercial & Marketing	8	11
Total income	8	11

EXPENDITURE

Branding Materials/Collateral	60	22
Strategy Development	34	0
Commercial Management	0	16
PR Costs	34	145
Staff	130	42
Insight	39	0
Website	119	17
Total Expenditure	416	242

4.5. Support Services

2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

Approval fees	3	3
Interest	3	3
Total income	6	6

EXPENDITURE

Depreciation	30	39
Insurance	35	35
Irrecoverable VAT	151	113
Office Costs	56	65
Other	42	70
Printing	53	302
Professional Fees	58	49
Rent	17	21
Staff	198	276
Total Expenditure	640	970

4.6. Performance 2015/16 2014/15

INCOME

EDP	19	8
Coach Insurance	26	17
Coaching Courses	97	103
Coaching Conferences & Workshops	2	3
Grant Funding	0	24
Talent Pathway	9	0
Regional Academy Charges	3	32
Total income	156	187

EXPENDITURE

Championship Costs (Sending Teams To Ws/Esf Championships)	0	46
Competition Programme Support	0	44
Personal Awards	232	208
Regional Academy Programme	64	70
Training and Preparation (Squads, Coaching)	178	173
Coaching Conferences & Workshops	78	61
Coach and Tutor Development	3	7
Health Insurance for Programme Players	20	25
Science and Medicine Support	227	194
Staff	421	445
Total Expenditure	1,223	1,273

4.7. Sport England 2015/16 2014/15

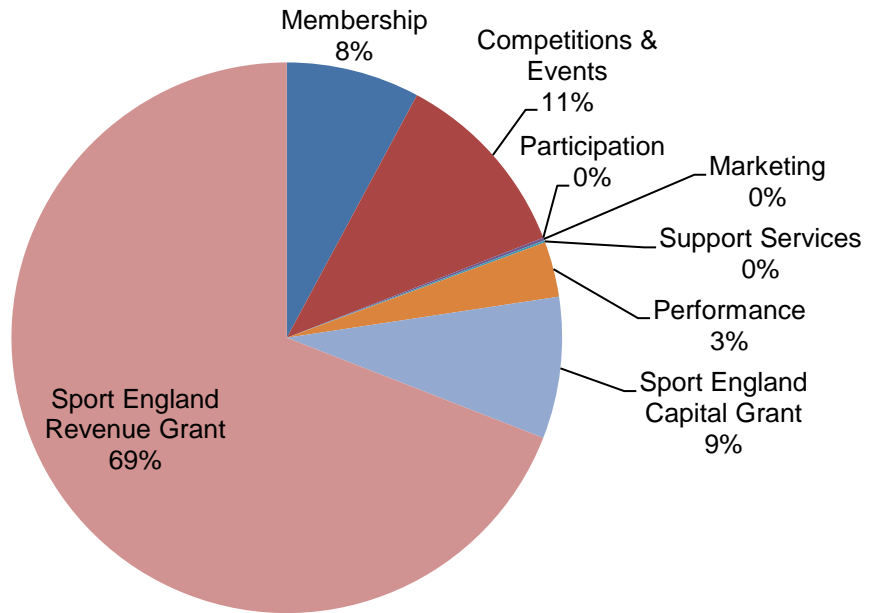
INCOME

Capital Grant	400	399
Revenue Grant	3,323	2,977
Total income	3,723	3,376

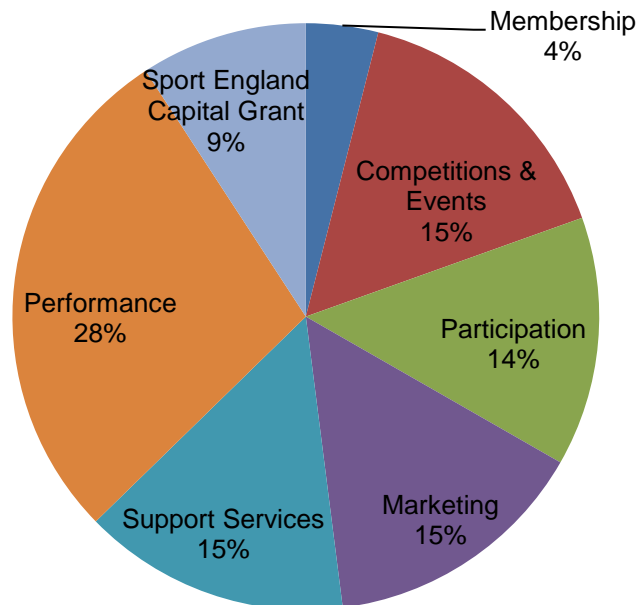
EXPENDITURE

Capital Investment	400	399
Total Expenditure	400	399

Income - 2015/16 (£000)



Expenditure - 2015/16 (£000)



APPENDIX 1: MAIN COMPETITION RESULTS 2015/16



Tecnifibre British Junior Championships – Finals & Champions

Girls Under 13

[3/4] Katie Malliff (Bucs) 3-1 [1] Torrie Malik – 11/1, 8/11, 11/6, 11/7

Boys Under 13

[1] Sam Todd (Yorks) 3-1 [2] Sam Osborne-Wylde (Worcs) – 11/4, 11/8, 7/11, 11/7

Girls Under 15

[1] Alice Green (Essex) 3-0 [2] Eve Coxon (Oxon) – 11/4, 11/8, 11/3

Boys Under 15

[1] Jared Carter (Ham) 3-0 [2] Alasdair Prott (Sco) – 11/5, 11/8, 11/5

Girls Under 17

[1] Lucy Turmel (Suffolk) 3-1 [9/16] Elise Lazarus (Essex) – 11/0, 11/4, 7/11, 11/7

Boys Under 17

[1] Kyle Finch (Ham) 3-0 [3/4] Tom Walsh (Sussex) – 11/7, 11/3, 11/4

Girls Under 19

[1] Georgina Kennedy (Kent) 3-0 [2] Amelia Henley (Kent) – 11/4, 11/7, 11/8

Boys Under 19

[2] James Peach (Yorks) 3-1 [5/8] Charlie Lee (Surrey) – 7/11, 13/11, 11/8, 11/7

Tecnifibre British Junior Open Championships – Finals & Champions

Girls Under 13

[2] Sana Mahmoud (Egy) 3-1 [1] Nour Aboulmakarim (Egy) – 11/9, 9/11, 15/13, 11/5

Boys Under 13

[1] Sam Todd (Eng) 3-1 [3/4] Muhammad Amirul Azhar (Mal) – 11/7, 3/11, 11/5, 11/8

Girls Under 15

[2] Aifa Azman (Mas) 3-1 [5/8] – 11/9, 8/11, 11/6, 11/4

Boys Under 15

[2] Omar El Torky (Egy) 3-2 [1] Mostafa Asal (Egy) – 11/7, 9/11, 11/6, 8/11, 11/9

Girls Under 17

[1] Hania Elhammamy (Egy) 3-2 [3/4] Rowan Reda (Egy) – 4/11, 8/11, 11/2, 11/7, 11/5

Boys Under 17

[1] Youssef Ibrahim (Egy) 3-0 [9/16] Mostafa Montaser (Egy) – 11/8, 11/5, 11/5

Girls Under 19

[1] Nouran Gohar (Egy) 3-0 [3/4] Nadine Shahin (Egy) – 11/6, 11/5, 11/6

Boys Under 19

[1] Youssef Soliman (Egy) 3-0 [3/4] Saadeldin Abouaish (Egy) – 11/5, 11/6, 11/5

The National Squash Championships – Finals & Champions

Women's Final

[1] Laura Massaro (Lancs) 3-0 [2] Alison Waters (Middx) – 11/2, 11/5, 11/4

Men's Final

[1] Nick Matthew (Yorks) 3-1 [2] James Willstrop – 11/2, 6/11, 11/3, 11/3

Masters

Women's Over 35

[1] Lauren Briggs 3-0 [2] Hannah Wright-Davies – 9/2, 9/0, 9/6

Men's Over 35

[1] Ben Ford 3-2 [2] Darren Lewis – 11/6, 10/12, 9/11, 11/7, 11/9

Women's Over 40

[1] Laura Mylotte 3-0 [2] Rachel Pullan – 9/4, 9/1, 9/6

Men's Over 40

[1] Nick Taylor 3-1 [3/4] Danny Massaro – 11/5, 11/7, 6/11, 11/8

Women's Over 45

[1] Isabelle Tweedle 3-0 Claire Roscoe – 9/4, 9/2, 9/4

Men's Over 45

[9/16] Lee Scott 3-0 [3/4] Nick Brown – 11/4, 11/4, 16/14

Women's Over 50

[3/4] Rose Bamber 3-0 [1] Mandy Akin – 9/4, 9/7, 9/4

Men's Over 50

[2] Peter Gunter 3-1 [1] Marc Aldridge – 11/6, 13/15, 11/3, 11/5

Women's Over 55

[1] Jill Campion 3-0 [2] Julie Field – 10/8, 9/7, 9/3

Men's Over 55

[1] Mark Woodliffe 3-0 [2] Dermot Hurford – 9/5, 9/2, 9/4

Women's Over 60

[1] Pauline Douglas 3-0 [2] Jane Law – 10/8, 9/1, 9/3

Men's Over 60

[1] Mark Cowley 3-0 [3/4] Duleep Adhithetty – 9/3, 3/9, 9/2, 9/0

Women's Over 65

Betty Dryhurst 3-2 Ann Manley – 9/2, 4/9, 9/7, 8/10, 9/2

Men's Over 65

[5/8] Peter Smith 3-0 [3/4] Jim Dougal – 9/2, 9/5, 9/7

Men's Over 70

[3/4] Adrian Wright 3-0 [2] Mike Clemson – 9/2, 9/4, 9/5

Men's Over 75

[1] Pat Kirton 3-1 [2] Andrew Beeston – 5/9, 9/2, 9/3, 10/9

National School Championships – Finals & Champions

Girls Under 15 Championship

Gosforth Academy A (Northumbria) bt Comberton Village School (Cambridge)

Boys Under 15 Championship

Ackworth School (Yorkshire) bt Wycliffe College (Gloucestershire)

Girls Under 19 Championship

Wycliffe College (Gloucestershire) bt Dame Allen School (Northumbria)

Boys Under 19 Championship

Wycliffe College (Gloucestershire) bt Gosforth Academy (Northumbria)

Technifibre English Junior Championships

Girls Under 13

[1] Katie Malliff (Buc) 3-0 [2] Torrie Malik (Sussex) – 11/2, 11/5, 11/7

Boys Under 13

[1] Sam Todd (Yorks) 3-0 [2] Sam Osbourne-Wylde (Worcs) – 11/2, 11/7, 11/8

Girls Under 15

[1] Alice Green (Essex) 3-0 [2] Eve Coxon (Oxon) – 11/5, 11/2, 11/5

Boys Under 15

[1] Jared Carter (Ham) 3-0 [2] Benjamin Sockett (Yorks) – 11/5, 11/5, 11/7

Girls Under 17

[1] Lucy Turmel (Suffolk) 3-0 [5/8] Karina Tyma – 11/3, 12/10, 11/4

Boys Under 17

[1] Tom Walsh (Suffolk) 3-1 [2] Curtis Malik (Suffolk) – 11/7, 11/9, 5/11, 11/7

Girls Under 19

[1] Georgina Kennedy (Kent) 3-0 [2] Amelia Henley (Kent) – 12/10, 11/8, 11/8
Boys Under 19
[1] Patrick Rooney (Mers) 3-1 [3/4] Kyle Finch (Ham) – 9/11, 11/2, 11/9, 12/10

British Under 23 Championship – Finals & Champions

Women's Under 23

[1] Emily Whitlock (Chesh) 3-0 [2] Amelia Henley – 11/7, 11/3, 11/1

Men's Under 23

[1] Declan James (Notts) 3-2 [2] Richie Fallows – 9/11, 11/7, 6/11, 11/8, 11/8

Inter County Championships – Champions

Men 1. Essex	Women 1. Cheshire	Girls U11 1. Warwickshire 1	Boys U11 1. Sussex
Girls U13 1. Buckinghamshire	Boys U13 1. Essex	Girls U15 1. Yorkshire	Boys U15 1. Yorkshire
Girls U17 1. Yorkshire	Boys U17 1. Sussex	Girls U19 1. Kent	Boys U19 1. Surrey
Men's O35 1. Oxford	Men's O45 1. Surrey	Men's O50 1. Surrey	Men's O55 1. Lancashire
Men's O60 1. Surrey	Men's O65 1. Sussex	Women's O40 1. Surrey	Women's O50 1. Kent

Allam British Open Championships – Finals & Champions

Women's Championship

[4] Nour El Sherbini (Egy) 3-2 [8] Nouran Gohar – 11/7, 9/11, 7/11, 11/6, 11/8

Men's Championship

[1] Mohamed ElShorbagy (Egy) 3-0 [5] Ramy Ashour (Egy) – 11/2, 11/5, 11/9

Premier Squash League

Final

9 Telecom St George's Hill 0-5 Virgin Active Surrey
Tom Richards 0-3 Ali Farag – 11/9, 11/9, 11/9
Charlie Lee 0-3 Charles Sharpes – 11/9, 11/8, 11/5
Phil Nightingale 0-3 Pedro Schweertman – 11/2, 4/0 rtd
Paul Rawden 2-3 Bradley Masters – 11/6, 11/6, 9/11, 7/11, 11/6
Dom Lloyd-Walter 0-3 Alison Waters – 12/1-, 11/6, 11/3

Division A		Division B
Everards Leicester	155	9 Group St George's Hill
157		
Benz Bavarian Duffield	154	Virgin Active Surrey
150		

Uni of Birmingham Lions 135	151	Team Chichester
Coolhurst London 132	92	UWE / Elite Bristol
Pontefract 87	80	Exeter Diamonds
Air-IT Nottingham 54	72	ClubNet Winchester

English Under 11 Championships – Finals & Champions

Girls Under 11

[3/4] Emma Bartley (Suffolk) 3-0 [3/4] Asia Harris (Yorks) – 11/9, 11/6, 12/10

Boys Under 11

[1] Abdallah Eissa (Warks) 3-0 [2] Ben Parlour (Yorks) – 11/4, 11/7, 11/6

National Racketball Championships – Finals & Champions

Women

Zoe Mellis bt Natalie Lawrence

Men

Tim Vail bt Ted Jeal

Women's O35

Natalie Lawrence

Men's O35

Paul Johnson

Men's O40

Matt Baker bt Ian Cox

Women's O45

Bev Vatcher

Men's O45

Mark Francis bt Robert Hambrook

Women's O50

Rachel Woolford

Men's O50

Neil Baldwin bt Steve Wall

Women's O55

Paula Arrowsmith

Men's O55

Mike Phillips bt Chris Davey

Women's O60

Bett Dryhurst

Men O60

Rob Shay bt Ian Graham

Mens O65

Ian Graham bt Robert Astbury

Men's O70

John Houghton

Men's O75

Anthony Thomas

National Club Championships – Finals & Champions

Women

Edgbaston Priory

Men

Roehampton

Women's Racketball

Edgbaston Priory

Men's Racketball

Queens (Halifax)

European Club Championships – Finishing Positions

Women

1. US Creteil (France)
2. Mulhouse (France)
3. Paderborn (Germany)
4. Edgbaston Priory (England)

Men

1. BW Worms (Germany)
2. Paderborn (Germany)
3. Mulhouse SC (France)
4. Edgbaston Priory (England)

European Team Championships

Women

1. England
2. France
3. Netherlands
4. Wales

Men

1. England
2. France
3. Scotland
4. Germany

