

Dalgety Bay Junior Squash Section

September 2015 Tournament Report



Saturday September 19th 2015 saw the first Junior competition of the 2015/16 Season.

Juniors Jenny, Morgan, Lewis, Roddy, Katie, Ewan & Callum played in two round robin groups.

For Lewis this was his first time to play a full squash game, match and tournament and an introduction to point a rally (PAR) scoring as well as refereeing, having only been with the juniors for a few weeks. All of the players enjoyed the matches and when they weren't playing they were refereeing matches.

All the matches in the two round robins were full of good rallies and all players demonstrated good skills and more thoughtful

tactical play. Katie took a game off Roddy using her lob and drop skills to great effect against, Lewis, Morgan, Callum and Ewan. Once all the group games were finished this left the players finishing in 1st, 2nd & 3rd in each group and sorted the final matches.

Callum played Ewan and Lewis in some friendly games whilst the final placings were decided.

3rd placed in their groupings, Lewis played Ewan, with Lewis proving too strong for Ewan.

2nd placed in their groupings, Morgan played Katie for 3rd and 4th overall. The first game was tight with both players exchanging points to 5 all, Morgan took a lead to go to 8-6, Katie then took the next three to go 9-8 up. At 10 all Morgan won the next to go to game ball, however Katie responded with 3 points to close out the first game 13-11. With the momentum behind her, Katie seized the opportunity to take the next game 11-7. Katie then took the final game and match 11-4, a first time for Katie to beat Morgan. Both players produced some excellent rallies showing how their games are developing.



1st placed in their groupings, Jenny played Roddy for 1st and 2nd overall. The first two games were very close as both players exchanged points to go 9 all; Roddy was able to close out the games to win them 9-11. Roddy took a big lead in the third game to go 6-0 up, Jenny stopped his run and brought the game back to 8-5, before Roddy again took control to close out the game and the match at 11-6.

Final placings in the tournament were as follows:

Full Results:

Grade A	JR	MC	LT	Total	Position
Jenny Rigden		3	3	6	1st
Morgan Cooper	0		3	3	2nd
Lewis Thomson	0	1		1	3rd

Match	1	2	3	4	5	Winner
Jenny v Morgan	11-4	11-5	11-2			Jenny
Jenny v Lewis	11-3	11-4	11-1			Jenny
Morgan v Lewis	11-7	9-11	13-11	11-9		Lewis

Grade B	RK	KR	ED	CF	Total	Position
Roddy Kapadia		3	3	3	9	1st
Katie Rigden	1		3	1	7	2nd
Ewan Dominy	0	0		3	3	3rd
Callum Ferguson	0	0	0		0	4th

Match	1	2	3	4	5	Winner
Roddy v Katie	11-6	11-4	10-12	11-5		Roddy
Roddy v Ewan	11-4	11-7	11-6			Roddy
Roddy v Callum	11-9	11-5	11-9			Roddy
Katie v Ewan	13-11	11-2	11-9			Katie
Katie v Callum	11-7	11-8	11-4			Katie
Ewan v Callum	11-5	11-7	11-6			Ewan

Playoffs:						
Match	1	2	3	4	5	Winner
Roddy v Jenny	11-9	11-9	11-6			Roddy
Morgan v Katie	11-13	7-11	4-11			Katie
Lewis v Ewan	11-6	11-6	8-11	11-4		Lewis
Lewis v Callum	11-8	12-10	14-12			Lewis
Ewan v Callum	11-8	12-14	5-11	7-11		Callum

Final Placings:	
Roddy	1st
Jenny	2nd
Katie	3rd
Morgan	4th
Lewis	5th
Ewan	6th
Callum	7th

Big well-done to everyone that took part and thank you to all of the important supporters!

DBSC Junior Coaching Team.