



# Cook Islands

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## 2015 ANNUAL REPORT and Financial Statement



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On the 9th May at Princess Anne Hall CIBA Development Team Ngaoa Ranginui, John Taulu & Eric Gamez delivered a ShuttleTime Teachers Course as part of the College ShuttleTime programme. Teachers from the Colleges around the island





Kia Orana kotou katoatoa!

2015 was a great year for Cook Islands badminton which saw many historic 'firsts' for the association.

- The first Cook Island Representatives to compete in an international event at the Oceania Badminton Championships in February in New Zealand. Meitaki maata John Taulu, Ngaoa Ranginui and Kate Scott for your tremendous effort.
- The first Cook Islander to be elected to the Oceania Badminton Board, Congratulations Gail Eraio
- The first Inter-College Badminton Tournament held at Princess Anne Hall on June 26th.
- The first time Badminton has ever featured in the Cook Islands Games and lastly,
- The first time for the Cook Islands National Badminton Championships that were held in December. Congratulations Eric Gamez and Ngaoa Ranginui our first Mens and Womens Singles Champions for 2015-2016

It has been CIBA's goal to focus on junior development in the schools and the community by providing development programmes like ShuttleTime and making badminton more accessible. Already we have identified potential within our schools and hope to form development squads to compete at competitions in the region.

None of this would have been possible if it weren't for the hardworking committee and supporters who have generously given their time to ensure badminton is nurtured and most of all enjoyed by all.

CIBA thanks all its key stakeholders, sponsors and it's players for their support throughout the year and we look forward to continuing to build on those relationships in 2016

Kia Manuia.

Thomas Mereana-Ngauru  
**PRESIDENT**



In February 2015 Cook Islands Badminton Association were advised that Oceania Badminton would be conducting a Player Pathway workshop in conjunction with the Oceania Badminton Championships being held at North Harbour Badminton Centre, Forrest Hill and the Oceania AGM in Northcote, Auckland, New Zealand. Cook Islands Badminton Association felt that this was a good time to widen our knowledge and just gain firsthand experience of the many facets of badminton outside the Cook Islands.

## Oceania Badminton Championships



The Cook Islands were invited to take part in the Oceania Championships which are held annually and would be a great opportunity for us to compete with other pacific island players in the region. The Cook Islands entered 3 players namely Ms Ngaoa Ranginui, Mr John Taulu and Ms Kate Scott. Kate is a young Cook Island player living in Hastings, New Zealand who represented the Cook Islands in the Singles Event and partnered up with Ngaoa in the doubles. Ngaoa & John paired up for the Mixed doubles and Singles Events as well as John partnering up with David Yao from Guam for the Mens Doubles event as Guam had only one player. David then paired up with Kate for the Mixed Doubles Event.



While none of our teams won their games our players held their own and each player came away from the tournament with increased game knowledge and a bigger appreciation of what to expect when playing in International tournaments. Hebrew Tom joined the team to participate in the umpires and lines judges training which was conducted during the Oceania Championships. Along with Ngaoa and Kate they were allocated games to practise their linesman and umpiring skills. There was also time to go through the event management and tournament organising to capture the amount of work and detail that goes into organising such an event in the anticipation that one day we will be able to host similar events in the Cooks. The team were accommodated at the North Shore Motel and Holiday Park where we were also joined by Kate's mum Nga Scott who drove up from Hastings. We shared a 2 bedroom self-contained Lodge for the week. Transport was provided to the North Shore Stadium although as we did have our own vehicles they were used quite frequently. The trip was an eye opener and we look forward to the next competition.

*By Gail Eraio*







## Player Pathway Plan Workshop

Ian Wright of Badminton World Federation (BWF) and Chris Solly, a Director of World Academy of Sport conducted this 3 day Workshop at the Poenamu Hotel in Northcote, Auckland, 9 - 11 February, with participants representing the countries of New Zealand, Australia, Cook Islands, Fiji, Tahiti, Tonga, Guam, and Oceania Para-Badminton.

There were approximately 20 participants and we were divided into 4 groups. Each table was given a base plan with facts and figures relating to Badminton for a fictitious country that we had to name and design a flag. The group then had to create a player pathway plan given the problems, advantages and objectives of badminton of their new nation. Our group's fictitious country was called AuCooFi being a combination of Australia, Cook Islands and Fiji. The group put together a realistic working plan for AuCooFi which would become that country's four year working plan. The AuCooFi group were Thomas Ngauru, Gail Eraio and Eric Gamez with the addition of Carline Bentley (Fiji) and Geraldine Brown (Aus), the Oceania Badminton Association President.

The workshop was very intensive with much discussion, sometimes a little bewildering but eventually very satisfying. We gained an appreciation of the standard of play, and difficulties in running badminton in the other smaller Pacific Island nations, and generally what difficulties and problems each nation had to keep playing badminton in their respective nations. At the end of the workshop when all the PPP's were presented by each group the course Directors awarded the AuCooFi group the Best PPP Award. The standard of these presentations was high and the Cook Islands were very proud to accept the honour. The Cook Islands input at this workshop showed that we have people who are committed, energetic and forward thinking heading our sport.

Following our return home the group were then required to create a PPP for their own country and submit it to Oceania Badminton. Oceania approved our Player Pathway Plan and it is now the blueprint for Cook Islands Badminton until 2020.

*by Gail Eraio*

## Oceania AGM

This was held on 15<sup>th</sup> February following the Oceania Championships. The Cook Islands had not ever had a representative on the Oceania Board and the CIBA committee believed that it was time we moved up the ladder of international representation and nominated our Treasurer Mrs Gail Eraio for a position on the board of the Oceania Badminton Confederation (OBF). Our nomination was successful and the Cook Islands now have their own representative on that Board. The OBF have several meetings each year – the first one during this 2015 year was held in China. Unfortunately Gail was not able to attend as other travel arrangements had been made prior to her election and CIBA President Thomas attended as a Delegate. More knowledge, more experience! A seat on the Executive Board enables Cook Islands Badminton amongst other things, to be advised and involved in many upcoming and future international events.

*by Gail Eraio*





## Teachers Coaching Course

were invited to the course to prepare them for the delivery of the programme in May through June. Teachers from Tereora, Nukutere, Titikaveka & Papaaroa Colleges attended the 4 hour course covering all aspects of coaching, drills and fun activities. It was also a great opportunity to engage with the teachers while enjoying refreshments at the end of the session.



## College Programme

The ShuttleTime College program started in May and was conducted over two months during the PE classes. As the ShuttleTime School program progressed the students Coach's noticed how each of them were improving. At Nukutere a total of eight hours per week were devoted to delivering the ShuttleTime Program. A major obstacle was over come with the permission of The Catholic Diocese to mark two new badminton courts in the St Joseph's Community Hall. Due to the multiple users of the Hall another challenge was setting up and clearing of the courts before and after each session. 2015 marked the first time that badminton had ever been played in Nukutere College. Students from Years 7 to 10 showed great interest in

this sport and the improvement in their standard of play was reflected in their performance in the Inaugural Secondary Schools Tournament.

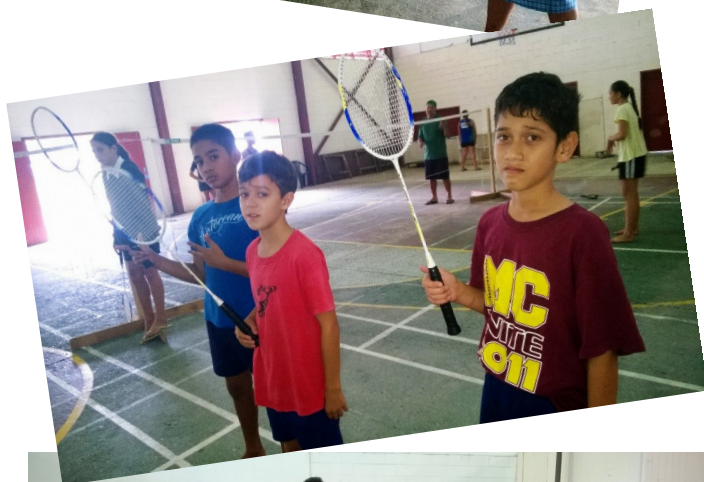
We would like to thank the Principal Mr George Rasmussen, Mr Bill Foster and Ms Tapu Paitai for giving CIBA the opportunity to promote the sport in their school. CIBA is extremely thankful for Oceania and BWF's continuous funding and support of the ShuttleTime programme here in the Cook Islands. Funding allowed for the Training of our teachers and coaches to deliver the Programme.





# SHUTTLE TIME

CIBA SCHOOLS BADMINTON PROGRAMME



In Titikaveka College the coaches worked with Year 7 to 10 totalling 65 students. Papaaroa Hall which was the venue for the program was some distance from the College which caused some delay in students getting to the Hall. And due to the large number of students in each class it was difficult for coaches to sometimes control. But besides that Papaaroa Hall was already well equipped with three marked courts. CIBA would like to take this opportunity to thank the Principal Ms Gaylyn Lockington and PE teachers for letting the badminton family into their School.

Papaaroa School is a small school with a small roll, but a huge interest in the sport of Badminton. ShuttleTime began with one session per week for year 7 – 10. Coaching was a challenge due to the large number of students waiting to get as much time at the game as possible. The students were a delight to coach. Thank you to the Staff and especially the late Greg Taikakara and students of Papaaroa School.

Tereora College Shuttle Time was already implemented so P.E HOD and staff were able to conduct their own classes. With over hundred students in Year 9 -10 CIBA development officers were called in to assist when needed.

CIBA would like to take this opportunity to thank the coaches and volunteers for their support throughout the programme.

*By Ngaoa Ranginui*





## Inaugural Inter-college Tournament



For the Cook Islands this was the first Inter-college Badminton Tournament which was held on the 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at the Princess Anne Hall. The college tournament was played in two grades where year 7 & 8 students competed in the Junior Division while year 9 & 10 students competed in the Senior Division. Each college selected teams to compete in Boys, Girls and Mixed doubles. The four schools who played in the College tournament namely Nukutere College, Tereora College, Papaaroa School and Titikaveka College had all been part of the 8 week Shuttletime Program. It was a great way to complete the programme with a one day tournament. The students who participated in the tournament enjoyed themselves especially the donated snack packs that were provided. it was a very competitive competition and highly successful. We would like to thank all the sponsors and volunteers who made the event a hit.

*By Whitney Raukete-Henry*





# Inter-college Tournament Results



Senior Boys Doubles Champions  
TEREORA COLLEGE  
Faatau Pepe & Toutika Ioane



Senior Girls Doubles Champions  
NUKUTERE COLLEGE  
Hailey Kainga & Emiliene Pauka



Senior Mixed Doubles Champions  
TEREORA COLLEGE  
Adoni Rairoa & Amber Mateariki



Junior Boys Doubles Champions  
TITIKAVEKA COLLEGE  
Mel Brown & Steve M Tangimetua



Junior Girls Doubles Champions  
NUKUTERE COLLEGE  
Tiare Tangi Jim & Tschan Hagai



Junior Mixed Doubles Champions  
PAPAAROA COLLEGE  
Tu Brothers & Tetia Uka



Senior Boys MVP  
TEREORA COLLEGE  
Adoni Rairoa



Senior Girls MVP  
NUKUTERE COLLEGE  
Hailey Kainga



Junior Boys MVP  
TITIKAVEKA COLLEGE  
Steve Mac Tangimetua



Junior Girls MVP  
NUKUTERE COLLEGE  
Tschan Hagai



Overall Junior Champions  
NUKUTERE COLLEGE



Overall Senior Champions  
TITIKAVEKA COLLEGE



# SHUTTLE TIME

COOK ISLANDS SCHOOLS BADMINTON PROGRAMME

## ShuttleTime Team Comments

Shuttle time has been a great experience for me, I really enjoyed teaching badminton in the schools. I was in charge of 3 different schools Papaaroa School, Titikaveka College and Nukutere College. I spent on average of 6 hours a week between those 3 schools. It was great to see how keen all the students were to play badminton, especially as a lot of them have never played badminton before. There are a lot of opportunities and few challenges that I have experienced during this year. The opportunities are that the students love playing badminton, they like going out of the school and doing new activity. Not many sports on the island are delivered with consistency, specific skills and a school tournament. The kids are enjoying themselves and they are experiencing success during their class that so it's no surprise they want to play more and more.

The Badminton Association is the strong body behind this achievement and it is only because of their hard work and passion that badminton has seen a huge progress in the last 2 years. As long as the committee will keep the same desire and get support from Oceania, Badminton will it get bigger and bigger in the Cook Islands.

For the challenges: We do have a small pool of players compare to others countries but we could reverse this by rising the badminton standards. For that Oceania needs to know how to build a higher profile for the sport. Badminton needs to be popular and students and teachers need to understand that is a high performance sport, for example shoes should be worn at all time during classes. Oceania should send on a regular basis some players or coaches to Rarotonga. Most of the players have no idea (in term of fitness or technical) of the Australian or New Zealand standards. One of the biggest challenge is that Badminton has limited access to Halls or Facilities. Badminton needs its own facility to move to the next level, without it there is no mid/long term development.

This is really positive and I would love to continue pushing our sport. Thank you for all the good moments and memories . Ka kite E Kia manuia

*Eric Gamez*

The Cook Islands Badminton Association delivered a Shuttle Time Program to 150+ senior students on Rarotonga from 4 May to 25 June 2015, and ended with our inaugural Intercollege Tournament on Friday 26 June 2015. Four colleges (Nukutere, Tereora, Papaaroa and Titikaveka) were involved in the Program. Students were aged between 13 – 16 and include male and female. The Shuttle Time program was modified to suit the limited class times, limited court space and large number of students in each class.

Contact sessions included warm up and games to teach skills. Students learnt what the sport is about, how to hold a racquet, how to serve, how to play the game, learn the rules, court boundaries, how to play doubles (tournament was for doubles only).

*John Taulu*





# SHUTTLE TIME

CEMF SCHOOLS BADMINTON PROGRAMME

## Village Sports Just Play Programme

The Cook Island Badminton Association became partners with Just Play Village Festival programme last year. The programme travels once a month to each of the communities around the island promoting after school sports to 5-13yrs to be physically active and have fun within their own communities. We became involved with the programme in March 2015 at Rutaki School where 44 children from 5-12yrs attended the festival. 19 children aged 7-12yrs were questioned afterwards about which sport they preferred and 5% said they preferred Badminton

As the program progressed Badminton kept improving month by month, and so did the coaches understanding of how to deliver new tasks for each age group. And the children improved on their skills which in turn kept them interested in learning badminton.

At the end of the Just Play Village Program the Coaches had achieved 100% delivery of the message of how to play badminton in a safe environment, fair play and most importantly to enjoy the game. In total there were 809 children who were involved in the Just Play Village programme.

*By Ngaoa Ranginui*





# Social Badminton Nights

Badminton Social Nights are held twice a week on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6pm to 8pm at Princess Anne Hall with racquets provided. Social Badminton nights proved hugely popular with many players taking part. The make up of players included visiting Body Surfers, staff of CITC, members of the Seventh Day Adventist congregation, visitors to Rarotonga, Ex pat's, Government & Business employees. Teachers and students from Palmerston Island here on Rarotonga for education workshops during school holidays were regular attendees. We were also very fortunate to have Tua Bishop who lives in Aitutaki, an ex Auckland Badminton Representative very kindly spend time with our players doing coaching and drills.



We played mainly at Princess Anne Hall which unfortunately was unavailable at times due to Tereora College commitments. We then played at other venues such as Papaaroa Hall (SDA) and St Josephs Hall. We were supported by the donation of racquets, shuttles and nets by Oceania Badminton. People of many walks of life who attended the social nights commented on the convivial atmosphere of the evenings which created much enjoyment and friendly competition.  
*By Whitney Raukete-Henry*

# Cook Island Games 2015

This was the first time badminton has ever featured in the Cook Islands Games competition and was held at Princess Anne Hall on 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> August 2015. The tournament included men's, women's and mixed doubles. Teams participating were Te-au-o-tonga, Puaikura, Takitumu, Palmerston, Aitutaki and Atiu. Most teams sported their island or vaka uniforms adding to the competitive atmosphere. The games that stood out were the women's doubles Palmerston Island (Teriimaevau Marsters & Angina Tuiravakai) played against Takitumu (Petulina Taufahema & Bernice Trego) and the men's doubles Palmerston Island (Ahkim Tikaroa & Thomas Ngauru) played against Puaikura (Eric Gamez & Roland Maru) where their competitive, long-lasting rallies had supporters and spectators on the edge of their seats. The tournament was a huge success and enjoyed by an impressive turnout of participants and supporters.

*By Ahkim Tikaroa*



## Results

### Men Doubles:

Gold:	Puaikura	<i>Eric Gamez &amp; Roland Maru</i>
Silver:	Palmerston Is	<i>Ahkim Tikaroa &amp; Thomas Ngauru</i>
Bronze:	Atiu	<i>Steven Cuthers and Casper Mateariki</i>

### Womans Doubles:

Gold:	Takitumu	<i>Ngaoa Ranginui &amp; Denise Nanai</i>
Silver:	Aitutaki	<i>Vaevae Nanai &amp; Eitiare Puna</i>
Bronze:	Takitumu	<i>Petulina Taufahema &amp; Bernice Trego</i>

### Mixed Doubles:

Gold:	Puaikura	<i>Eric Gamez &amp; Ira Partarrieu</i>
Silver:	Palmerston Is	<i>Marama Marsters &amp; Thomas Ngauru</i>
Bronze:	Takitumu	<i>Soko &amp; Ngaoa Ranginui</i>





## Social Business House League 2015



This was the second year running of the Badminton Business House Competition held at the Princess Anne Hall on the 12<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> October 2015. Eight teams participated in the competition with four teams in each of the A & Social grades. The competition was a teams event made up of open and mixed doubles.



All teams looked impressive in their uniforms in an effort to stand out. Some teams had their sponsors logos with some uniforms coming all the way from NZ.



This years Business House was a huge success. There were a lot of talented players who stood out like young Marii Kaukura who helped her team to a competition win.

*By Whitney Raukete-Henry*



### Results

#### A Grade Champions

Vaine Angaanga Toa

#### Runner-up

PHAB Shuttlers

#### Third Place

PHAB Beauties

**Social Grade Champions**  
**Best Sportsmanship Award**  
**Most Diverse Team**  
**Best Attendance**  
**Best Dressed Team**

*Toa Gas*  
*Toa Gas*  
*Aloma 2*  
*Mama T's Takeaway*  
*Mama T's Takeaway*

**Most Entertaining Team**  
**Mens MVP A Grade**  
**Womens MVP A Grade**  
**Mens MVP Social Grade**  
**Womens MVP Social Grade**

*Vaiakura Kool Kids*  
*Hebrew Tom*  
*Marama Marsters*  
*Tinomana Naea*  
*Apii McLeod*





## Inaugural CI National Badminton Championships 2015

The first ever Cook Islands Nationals was held at the Princess Ann Hall on the 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> December 2015. The tournament featured for the first time Mens & Womans singles as well as Mens & Womans Doubles and Mixed Doubles. Upcoming Junior Hailey Kainga who has only been playing for six months showed who true potential with a stellar performance in the womens singles. She then went on to win the Woman's Doubles alongside Ngaoa Ranginui to add to her inter-college win earlier in the year. Hailey will be nominated at the 2015 Sports awards for Junior Sportswoman of the year. Chris Nicholas is a returning player who won the Men Doubles with Stephen Cuthers. Impressive performances were given by Tinomana Naea and Adrianna Skurosz who I'm sure will be back next year with a vengeance. The prize giving was held at the Tahiti Café and was an awesome night enjoyed by all and a great end to a great year. Congratulations Eric & Ngaoa our National Champs for 2015.

*by Whitney Raukete-Henry*



### Final Results

#### Mens Singles Champion

*Eric Gamez*

#### Women's Singles Champion

*Ngaoa Ranginui*

#### Men's Doubles Champions

*Stephen Cuthers & Chris Nicholas*

#### Women's Doubles Champions

*Ngaoa Ranginui & Hailey Kainga*

#### Mixed Doubles Champions

*Eric Gamez & Ira Partarrieu*

#### Runner-up

*Stephen Cuthers*

#### Runner-up

*Adrianna Skurosz*

#### Runner-up

*Eric Gamez & Hebrew Tom*

#### Runner-up

*Adrianna Skurosz & Marama Marsters*

#### Runner-up

*Thomas Ngauru & Marii Kaukura*





# Fundraising



The Cook Islands Badminton first fundraiser for 2015 was held on 30 January 2015 selling plates of chicken curry. The target was to sell 50 plates at \$10.00 and it was a successful fundraiser. The total raised was \$500. The fundraiser was to help our two Badminton Reps John Taulu and Ngaoa Ranginui to travel to New Zealand and compete at the Oceania Badminton Championship held in Auckland from 12-15 February 2015.

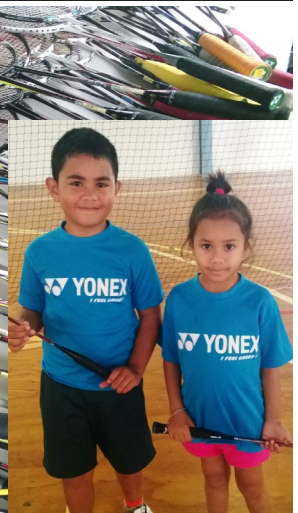
The second fundraiser was Ura Fitness which was held on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2015 at Princess Anne Hall. This attracted a major turnout and was a successful afternoon with locals and tourists turning up for the event. There were spot and door prizes and the best Ura outfit costume prizes were given to the oldest and the youngest people. There was also

a sausage sizzle which went down well after the hearty workout. This raised a total of \$545. The funds raised were to help to develop and promote Badminton in the Cook Islands through ShuttleTime. Monies would help cover additional expenses for the upcoming college programme and Tournament. Another fundraiser was held on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2015 which was a quick raffle. A total of 10 prizes to the value of \$30 each was donated by the committee members. All tickets were sold and a total of \$500 was raised. The Badminton committee would like to thank everyone that helped and supported these fundraisers.

*By Ahkim Tikaroa*



# Equipment Donation



Cook Islands Badminton has been very fortunate to be the recipients of some very generous equipment donations in 2015. In February we received over 100 quality Yonex racquets courtesy of Yonex manufacturers in Japan along with Yonex playing tops. This equipment was specifically aimed at our Juniors who have made huge advances partly due to the improved racquets and gear. One of our greatest challenges we have had in the past was our inability to re-string racquets which we would have to send to NZ. But thanks to BWF we received a brand new stringing machine, strings and equipment so now we can re-string racquets without delay. Meitaki Maata BWF, Oceania and Yonex for your support

# Media

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**ABOUT**

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**Badminton Cook Islands** added 2 new photos.  
December 24, 2015 · Avarua ·

On behalf of the Cook Islands Badminton Associations and players we would like to wish everyone a Merry Xmas and a Prosperous New Year in

**Badminton Cook Islands** added 4 new photos.  
October 22, 2015 ·

Business House Badminton kicked off last week with 8 Teams in the competition and plenty of tension in the air.  
Results  
PHAB Beauties beat Team ALOMA 1 3-1  
PHAB Shuttlers beat Vaine Angaanga Toa 4-3  
Mama T's Takeaway beat Vaiakura Cool Kids  
TOA Gas beat Team ALOMA 2



**Adrianna Skuros** Oh my gosh I didn't realise I made it all the way here!  
Like · Reply · Message · February 3 at 10:33pm

acebook

In March 2015 The Badminton Cook Islands Facebook page received 300 likes. The likes started growing when the page was updating more on what was happening in the community getting children involved in the sport. Fundraising was posted on the facebook page including selling plates of food, Ura Fitness and sausage sizzle and a quick raffle. Competitions were posted on facebook including Cook Island Games, Cook Island Inter-college Tournament, Business House and Cook Islands National Championship. As of today the facebook page is sitting on 1241 likes. *by Whitney Raukete-Henry*

**Adrianna Skuros** Well done girls!  
Like · Reply · February 3 at 10:34pm

**Nadia Bleaken** fabulous work team!! great to see so many happy people enjoying badminton!!! 😊  
Like · Reply · Message · November 23, 2015 at 11:55am

Like Comment

Aikim Tikarua and 10 others like this.

Write a comment...

Vic Kim Cheers! Badminton  
Like · Reply · November 12, 21



## Media

# CIBA to start social badminton

THE COOK ISLANDS Badminton

## Shuttle skills sharpen up

TTITIKAVEKA College students lessons and 11am for under 16



to make history

## Shuttle time at college badminton

PRINCESS ANNE Hall at Terora College will be the place to be tomorrow to catch some top badminton action

Badminton was well covered in 2015 from the Cook Islands Games, Cook Islands Inter-college Tournament, Business House to the Cook Islands National Championship and more. It was a great way to raise awareness in the community and gain momentum for the code.

## Titikaveka wins badminton crown

## Badminton contest starts games in style

contribution towards the success of the programme and the annual tournament. Avarua Bakery and Primefoods added to the enjoyment of the day by providing snack

## Donated gear helps development

## Badminton gears up for big contest

## College shuttles fly high

SHUTTLES are in full flight around Rarotonga colleges as part of badminton development. For the past six weeks, the Cook Islands Badminton Association (CIBA) has been delivering a junior development

program. CIBA plan to set the inter-college tournament as an annual fixture on the youth sporting calendar and grow the event to include more teams including squads from the Pa Enua. The association also has plans to deliver similar non-

have never played before," says CIBA president Thomas Mercana-Ngauru. "It will be very difficult for some school class teams to choose who will represent them as there are so many great players coming through."

the potential to represent the country. The Oceania Under 19 Junior Badminton Championships are held every year and already young players have been identified to represent the Cook Islands for this tournament. The championships will be

for the next eight weeks, badminton lessons will be on offer at Princess Ann Hall for under 11 players at 9am to 10am followed by lessons for under 13 players and finally under 16 players at 11am for only \$2 a student per lesson.

Princess Hall for only \$2. CIBA would like to thank the principals, teachers and students of the participating colleges for their support of the badminton junior development programme. Meitaki masta to the St Joseph's Community Hall com-

ing National Individual Badminton Championships from

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# Cook Islands Badminton Association Calendar of Events for 2016

Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
	<b>CIBA AGM</b> 17th March 2016		<b>BWF AGM</b> 21st May 2016				<b>BUSINESS HOUSE LEAGUE</b> Aug - Sept 2016			
	<b>Oceania AGM</b> 21st Feb 16 Auckland, NZ		<b>Teachers Shuttle Time Training</b> 18th April 2016		<b>INTER-COLLEGE TOURNAMENT</b> TSA, Rarotonga 30 June - 1 July 16			<b>CI NATIONAL CHAMPS</b> Rarotonga 5 - 10 Dec 16		
		<b>Level 1 Coaches Course</b> April TAHITI			<b>NZ Junior Camp &amp; Tourmanent</b> July & September			<b>Level 1 Coaches Course</b> September TAHITI		
		<b>SHUTTLE TIME COLLEGE PROGRAMME</b> February 2015 - November 2015					<b>PRIMARY Shuttle Time Programme</b> Sept - Oct 15			
<b>SOCIAL EVENINGS</b> Monday, Wednesday, 6pm - 8:00pm										



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**COOK ISLANDS BADMINTON ASSOCIATION**  
**Financial Statement for 2015**

**SUMMARY**

Opening Balance as at 1st January 2015 **5421.90**

Income	Hall takings	2370.80	
	Oceania Funding	6890.00	
	Allsports funding (2014)	350.00	
	Donations	500.00	
	Sales	568.00	
	Fundraising	1709.00	
	Sponsorship	347.00	
	Competition Fees	1130.00	
	Reimbursement	350.10	
	Interest	14.68	
	TOTAL		<b>14229.58</b>

Expenses	Hall Hire	1920.00	
	ShuttleTime	1580.00	
	Stationery	171.20	
	Freight/Customs	35.00	
	Audit Fee	100.00	
	Competition Expenses	2002.00	
	T shirts	347.00	
	Equipment	295.50	
	Hosting	188.50	
	Sports Awards	250.00	
	Travel Expenses	4810.00	
	Misc	139.30	
	Bank Fees	58.55	
	TOTAL		<b>11897.05</b>

Closing Balance as at 31st December 2015 **7754.43**

Accounts Audited by Tua Dyer Accounting Services February 10th 2016



## **AUDIT REPORT**

**To The Readers of the Financial Statements of**

### **Cook Islands Badminton Association**

We have audited the attached financial statements of the Cook Islands Badminton Association. The financial statements provide information on the financial performance and its financial position for the year ending 31 December 2015. This information is stated in accordance with the generally accepted accounting practices and principles appropriate for nonprofit organisations.

#### **Responsibilities of the Executives of the Society**

The Executives of the Society are responsible for the preparation of its financial statements which give a true and fair view of the financial position and the results of its operation as at 31 December 2015.

#### **Responsibilities of the Auditor**

It is our responsibility as auditors to express an independent opinion on the financial statements presented by the Executives of the Society and report accordingly.

#### **Basis of Opinion**

The audit includes examining on a random test basis accounting records and other evidence relevant to the amounts disclosed in the financial statements. We obtained all the information and explanations we considered necessary and assurances that the financial statements are free from significant misstatements, whether caused by error or fraud.

We have no other interest with the Society, other than our capacity as auditors.

#### **Unqualified Opinion**

In our opinion, proper accounting records have been kept and the financial statements of the Cook Islands Badminton Association comply with generally accepted accounting practice and give a true and fair view of its financial position and the results of its operation as at 31 December 2015.

*Our audit was completed on 10 February 2016 and our opinion expressed at that date.*

#### **DYER ACCOUNTING**

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**Tua P Dyer**



# Acknowledgement

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Oceania Badminton Federation

Cook Islands Sports & National Olympic Committee

Tereora College (Princess Anne Hall)

Papaaroa Adventist Hall

St Joseph Community Hall

Rarotonga Primary Schools & Colleges

Te Kainga O Pa Taunga

Highland Paradise

PHAB Pharmacy

TOA Gas

Hightide Bar & Grill

Café Salsa

RSA

Primefood

Avarua Bakery

Rarocars

Edgewater Resort & Spa

Eyes of Rarotonga

Roadhouse Bar & Grill

Charlie's Café

Landcourt Services

Teina Taulu & Family

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