

# CHRIS SINCLAIR

<b>NSW Squash</b>	Vice-President Tribunal Chairman 10 years Referee Association Secretary Life Member NSW Referees Association State Team Manager State Selector
<b>Squash Australia</b>	National Refereeing Director National Assessor National Advisory Committee <i>Distinguished Service Award</i>
<b>Oceania Squash Federation</b>	Convenor Refereeing and Rules Committee 16 years
<b>WSF</b>	WSF Referee 27 years Only female appointed as a World Referee WSF Senior Assessor (1 of only 5 in the world) WSF Referees Committee Member WSF Rules Committee Member for Singles and Doubles Produced books and other aids for refereeing training
<b>Tournament Director</b>	National and State Championships
<b>Juniors</b>	Committee Member for the establishment of the Australian Junior Championships NSW Competitions Pennant Secretary over 10 years
<b>Refereed Finals</b>	About 30 World Championships - Individual and Teams World Championships - Individuals and Teams World Doubles World Cups Commonwealth Games – including squash's first gold medal in 1998
<b>Championship Referee</b>	State, National and Regional events World Championships Commonwealth Games
<b>Facilitator/Presenter</b>	Many WSF International Refereeing Conferences
<b>Presenter</b>	WSF and National Coaching Conferences
<b>Commonwealth of Australia</b>	2000 Australian Sports Medal Ministerial Sports Award
<b>Australian Society of Sports Administrators</b>	Level 1 Sports Administration
<b>Australian Sports Commission</b>	<i>*Official's Development Award 2002</i> *Member National Officiating Advisory Group *Coaching General Principles *NSW Dept. Sport & Rec and Assessor accreditation *NSW Dept. Sport & Rec Presenter accreditation *2002 responsible for Squash Australia's refereeing registration under the National Officiating Accreditation Scheme, resulting in increase in financial support for Squash Australia from ASC.

Please note the comprehensive nature of qualifications and achievements – Club, State, National, Regional and World (WSF) levels.

- Oceania. Increased number of officials from 0 to 96.
- Mentored 3 Australian referees to achieve WSF Refereeing accreditation.
- Represented Australia and Oceania at World Squash level as a WSF Referee, WSF Senior Assessor, Member of the WSF Referees Committee, and current Member of the WSF Rules Committee.
- One of only 5 WSF Senior Assessors who are charged with maintaining consistent high standards of refereeing throughout the world.
- Won the Australian Sports Commission's *Official's Development Award* in 2002, when runners-up were Netball and Rugby Union.
- Inaugural member of the ASC's *National Officiating Advisory Group* advising on officiating matters at all levels in all sports in Australia.
- Worked with the ASC developing Frameworks for officiating at National level.
- Presented at ASC Workshops and Conferences.
- Able to liaise effectively with WSF, top players, coaches and referees.
- Leading exponent of World Doubles Rules.
- Refereed all the top players over 30 years in finals involving Chris Dittmar, Vicki Cardwell, Rodney, Brett and Michelle Martin, Jansher and Jahangir Khan, Sarah Fitz-Gerald, Peter Nicol, David Palmer, Susan Devoy, James Willstrop, Gregory Gaultier, Anthony Ricketts, Ramy Ashour, Jonathon Power and Nick Matthew.
- Experienced Tournament Referee.
- Experienced in working with management and administration at all levels prior to and during events.
- Have attended all 5 Commonwealth Games for Squash – as WSF Referee, WSF Assessor and Championship Referee.

All activities undertaken and positions held have been on a voluntary basis.



(Mrs) Chris Sinclair  
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