



## Coaching Update

The last of the National Coaching Roadshows have been completed this week with stops in the Central and Wellington Districts.

The Road shows have enabled us to engage with over 150 coaches and administrators across the country introducing them to the New Coach Development Framework along with the opportunity to have input into the development of the final structures.

It has been extremely beneficial for a number of reasons, not least for the innovations and ideas that have been provided but also for the overwhelming positive feedback that the concept has received.

I would like to extend a huge thank you to all of you who attended the workshops.

The timelines for the future are as follows

- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December; Coaching Advisory Panel Meets.
- January/February 2010; Athlete Pathway, Coach Development Framework and Coach Module Strategies developed.
- March 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>: Coach Development Framework launched at the New Zealand Coaching Conference (Venue TBA).
- March onwards: module content developed and piloted.

The Advisory panel will determine the priorities for the development of the modules once the framework is finalised.

Also a reminder that we have many coaches out there who give a huge amount of time and effort to the squash community. If you get the chance this week say thanks and happy Christmas, they do a great job!!!!

Kind Regards and Happy Christmas

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