

SUN & SURF 2009

Name	Country	Ranking
LATASHA KHAN	USA	30
ANNELIZE NAUDE	NED	32
ALANA MILLER	CAN	33
MANUELA MANETTA	ITA	39
MIRANDA RANIERI	CAN	49
ALEXANDRA NORMAN	CAN	61
TARA MULLINS	CAN	66
CAROLYN RUSSELL	CAN	84

Player Biography

Latasha Khan
USA
Ranking 30



DATE OF BIRTH	20th Jan 1973
PLACE OF BIRTH	SEATTLE, USA
LIVES	SEATTLE, USA
COACH	YUSUF KHAN
RACKET	PRINCE
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	9
CLUB BASED AT	SEATTLE ATHLETIC CLUB DOWNTOWN
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	SENIOR : 4 JUNIOR : 1
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	5
HOBBIES	SHOPPING, MUSIC
PHOTO ACTION	

Ranking History

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2009	30	30	33	33	32	33	30					
2008	24	23	23	23	24	23	23	25	26	27	32	28
2007	31	29	30	31	28	29	27	26	24	25	23	24
2006	21	21	22	22	22	22	22	23	24	24	25	30
2005	22	22	23	23	23	25	23	22	22	23	20	21
2004	22	21	21	20	22	21	21	21	21	23	22	22
2003	26	24	25	24	22	22	22	22	23	21	21	21
2002	29	28	27	30	27	27	29	29	31	29	29	28
2001	22	21	25	24	24	31	27	26	27	27	29	29
2000	18		20		20		19		19		20	21
1999	29		24		23		21		19		20	
1998	38		34		32		33		32		29	
1997	88		66		63		67		52		51	
1996									98		98	
1995												
1994	91											
1993					65		56		63		80	

Player Biography

Annelize Naude
 NED
 Ranking 32



DATE OF BIRTH	1st Jan 1977
PLACE OF BIRTH	KEMPTON PARK, SOUTH AFRICA
LIVES	AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS
COACH	LIZ IRVING
RACKET	HARROW
CLOTHING	FORZA
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	9
CLUB BASED AT	SQUASH CITY, AMSTERDAM
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	JUNIOR : 2 (RSA)
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	HOLLAND (1) RSA (1)
BEST RESULTS SO FAR	REACHING WORLD RANKING 13
HOBBIES	DRUMMING, MUSIC, WINE, EXTREME SPORTS
PHOTO ACTION	
OTHER	<p>Instantly recognisable by her brightly ever changing coloured hair, Annelize grew up in South Africa before moving to the Netherlands.</p> <p>Based at Kempton Park Country Club, Annelize was coached in her early days by Phillip Schelbusch and Jean Grainger. Their work took Annelize to national titles at various junior levels before she moved to Amsterdam and eventually took on Dutch nationality and become a fixture in their national team.</p> <p>She may be slight of frame but has a great competitive instinct aligned to quality shot-making.</p> <p>She is well known amongst WISPA Tour players for her drumming, and professes to collect drumsticks from stars whose concerts she attends! She also loves extreme sports and regularly bunjee jumps and goes mountain biking. It is only squash that stands in the way of her indulging in more hair raising sports!</p> <p>Annelize won her second Dutch National title in February 2008, but this time beating her long-time national rival Vanessa Atkinson – the favourite – in the final.</p> <p>Later in the month, appearing in her 12th WISPA World Tour final at the Internationaux de Creteil in France, she beat England's Lauren Siddall to win the fourth title of her career.</p> <p>It was in January 2006 that Annelize celebrated her best ever world ranking of 13.</p>

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2009	24	27	36	29	29	31	32					
2008	19	17	17	18	19	21	21	20	20	21	22	24
2007	16	16	18	18	18	17	17	17	17	17	22	21
2006	13	14	14	14	14	14	15	16	17	16	14	16
2005	19	19	14	15	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
2004	28	24	25	25	26	24	24	23	23	21	21	21
2003	20	20	18	21	21	21	21	21	21	23	24	31
2002	24	23	23	23	23	22	22	22	22	21	21	20
2001	30	29	28	28	27	28	24	25	24	24	27	25
2000	60		69		86		78		50		30	30
1999	39		38		39		38		50		48	
1998	39		38		38		39		37		36	
1997	53		55		53		56		57		55	
1996					76		74		53		53	

Player Biography

Alana Miller
CAN
Ranking 33



DATE OF BIRTH	22nd Jul 1980
PLACE OF BIRTH	WINNIPEG, CANADA
LIVES	WINNIPEG, CANADA
COACH	TREVOR BORLAND
RACKET	BLACK KNIGHT
STRINGS	BLACK KNIGHT
CLOTHING	BLACK KNIGHT
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	8
CLUB BASED AT	BOW VALLEY CLUB & WORLD HEALTH EDMONTON
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	SENIOR: 3 JUNIOR: 1
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	2008 NATIONAL CHAMPION, 2005 PAN AMERICAN CHAMPION, 2004 CANADIAN CHAMPION
SQUASH ACHIEVEMENTS	2004 FLORIDA STATE OPEN FINALIST, 5 TIMES NATIONAL JUNIOR CHAMPION, DECEMBER 2004 RANKED 2 IN CANADA
AMBITIONS	TO REACH TOP 30 IN WORLD RANKINGS
HOBBIES	TENNIS, BADMINTON, READING, TRAVELLING
OTHER	<p>I grew up in Winnipeg and started to play squash at age 10. I was introduced to squash during my summer tennis camps because when it rained we went inside to play squash and badminton. I was coached in all three sports by Archie Chawla at the Winnipeg Canoe Club. As a junior I had experience competing internationally in both squash and badminton.</p> <p>Presently I am living and going to school in Calgary. I am finishing my first of two years of my MBA at the University of Calgary.</p>

Ranking History

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2009	35	34	31	32	30	35	33					
2008	39	40	39	40	40	39	39	43	42	40	36	35
2007	45	44	46	45	48	39	41	36	37	38	37	40
2006	42	46	40	40	41	40	42	43	45	42	43	44
2005	41	38	37	40	40	42	42	43	40	37	40	42
2004	88	62	63	49	46	47	48	49	47	46	45	42
2003		126	132	132	133	98	98	107	107	106	102	83
2002	119											

2001		130	109	112	116	115	120	119	119	119	122	119
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Player Biography

Manuela Manetta
ITA
Ranking 39



DATE OF BIRTH	6th Jun 1983
PLACE OF BIRTH	PARMA, ITALY
LIVES	PARMA, ITALY
COACH	MARCUS BERRETT, ULISSE MARCONI
RACKET	HEAD
STRINGS	HEAD
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	12
CLUB BASED AT	PALASPRINT PARMA, POLI SQUASH, MILAN
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	SENIOR : 8 JUNIOR: 5
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	5 3
SQUASH ACHIEVEMENTS	ITALIAN JUNIOR CHAMPION, ITALIAN SENIOR CHAMPION SINCE 2002
BEST RESULTS SO FAR	2007 LIBERTY BELL OPEN (JAN), CRETEIL OPEN (MAR), SEMIS BURNING RIVER & LA (JUNE), QTR FINAL US OPEN 2006, FINAL MEERSQUASH OPEN 2006
AMBITIONS	GET INTO THE TOP 15 AND THEN TRY TO TAKE STEP BY STEP
HOBBIES	LOVE WATCHING TENNIS AND NBA, INTERESTED IN HORSERIDING AND LOVE CARS AND LEARNING ABOUT DIFFERENT STYLES OF HOUSES.REAL ESTATE COULD BE MY NEXT (NOT FOR NEXT YEAR) JOB! LOVE HANGING OUT WITH FRIENDS TOO
OTHER	<p>Unusually it was not a parent who started Manuela off in squash but going to local courts with her school classmates as part of the curriculum locally in Parma, Italy.</p> <p>Coaching by the top Italian player Francisco Busi at Parma PavaSport Club and a natural athleticism has taken her to the top of the Italian rankings.</p> <p>To further this progress she hopes to move to become part of the cluster of players who are based in Amsterdam, but until she does she is not unhappy in Parma. She says she loves Italian food, the beaches, and the opportunity to indulge in a range of sports when not training or competing in squash. Indeed, she is learning to ride a horse and studying to take the helm of boats.</p> <p>But all these take second spot behind her serious bid to break into the upper reaches of the world rankings for this engaging girl from Italy.</p> <p>Two Tour title triumphs in 2007, in the Liberty Bell Open in the USA and Internationaux de Creteil in France, led Manuela to record a career-high world No 25 ranking - confirming her status as the most successful Italian woman squash player of all time.</p>

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2009	36	36	32	35	37	37	39					
2008	25	25	26	29	27	27	27	28	28	30	30	36
2007	35	33	33	28	29	30	26	27	27	28	27	25
2006	45	44	46	44	40	42	40	41	43	40	39	38
2005	50	50	48	47	47	45	44	45	45	45	41	46
2004	111	106	104	88	86	72	73	76	76	77	65	54
2003	108	105	102	104	106	105	106	110	110	112	106	111
2002		114	115	120	122	114	112	113	114	116	115	107

Player Biography

Miranda Ranieri
CAN
Ranking 49



DATE OF BIRTH	20th Apr 1986
PLACE OF BIRTH	TORONTO, CANADA
LIVES	ONTARIO, CANADA
COACH	DAVID TALBOTT & GARETH WEBER
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	7
CLUB BASED AT	ROUND HILL COUNTRY CLUB
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	JUNIOR: 1
BEST RESULTS SO FAR	INTERCOLLEGIATE SQUASH NATIONAL CHAMPION 2008, 3 TIME ALL AMERICAN AND ALL IVY YALE NATIONAL CHAMPIONS 2005-06 & 2006 - 07 & HOWE CUP WINNERS
HOBBIES	SOCCER, BIOLOGY

Ranking History

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2009	96	80	79	78	61	50	49					
2008						209	214	218	160	159	103	93

Player Biography

Alexandra Norman
CAN
Ranking 61



DATE OF BIRTH	27th May 1983
PLACE OF BIRTH	HORSHAM, ENGLAND
LIVES	MONTREAL, CANADA
COACH	YVON PROVENCAL
RACKET	DUNLOP
STRINGS	DUNLOP
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	7
CLUB BASED AT	MIDTOWN LE SPORTING CLUB
HOBBIES	TRAVELLING, READING, COOKING

Ranking History

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2009	68	63	60	66	62	60	61					
2008		251	220	168	153	112	114	115	87	79	72	66

Player Biography

Tara Mullins
CAN
Ranking 66



DATE OF BIRTH	16th Feb 1977
PLACE OF BIRTH	MONTREAL, CANADA
LIVES	TORONTO, CANADA
COACH	BARBARA COOPER
RACKET	BLACK KNIGHT
STRINGS	ASHAWAY
CLOTHING	FILA
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	16
CLUB BASED AT	GOODLIFE FITNESS CLUBS
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	SENIOR: 1
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	MEMBER OF CANADIAN SQUAD 2006 - 2007, CANADIAN TEAM CHAMPS 2001 - GOLD MEDAL, CANADIAN TEAM CHAMPS 2003 - BRONZE MEDAL
SQUASH ACHIEVEMENTS	WINNER 2004 ROBERT KORNITZER, 3RD ONTARIO CLOSED 2004, 9TH CANADIAN NATIONALS 2004, 10TH CANADIAN NATIONALS 2003
BEST RESULTS SO FAR	MEMBER OF CANADIAN SQUAD 2006-2007, CANADIAN TEAM CHAMPS 2001 - 1ST , CANADIAN TEAM CHAMPS 2003 - 3RD
HOBBIES	RUNNING, COOKING, READING

Ranking History

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2009	57	56	64	62	63	59	66					
2008	54	55	55	54	52	51	52	51	53	53	61	59
2007	63	62	62	63	65	62	60	59	58	59	52	54
2006	57	68	65	59	54	56	58	57	66	63	64	68
2005	58	51	53	53	59	59	58	59	56	59	60	56
2004	98	97	96	74	62	61	61	62	65	64	64	61
2003	87	79	80	93	99	87	86	94	95	97	88	97
2002	77	79	80	84	90	91	86	86	85	89	97	85
2001	106	98	94	80	84	84	88	86	85	79	71	77
2000									127		130	107

Player Biography

Carolyn Russell
CAN
Ranking 84



DATE OF BIRTH	18th May 1974
PLACE OF BIRTH	MONTREAL, CANADA
LIVES	VANCOUVER, CANADA
COACH	SHAUNA FLATH
RACKET	DUNLOP
STRINGS	ASHAWAY
HANDED	RIGHT HANDED
AGE BEGAN PLAYING	9
CLUB BASED AT	JERICO TENNIS CLUB
TIMES PLAYED FOR COUNTRY	SENIOR NATIONAL TEMA MEMBER SINCE 1996
SENIOR NATIONAL TITLES WON	2006 CANADIAN NATIONAL CHAMPION
SQUASH ACHIEVEMENTS	1999 TEAM GOLD MEDAL PAN-AM GAMES
AMBITIONS	TO COMBINE A SQUASH CAREER WITH A BUSINESS CAREER AND BE SUCCESSFUL AT BOTH.
HOBBIES	RUNNING, SNOWBOARDING, TRIATHLONS, WEIGHTLIFTING, CYCLING AROUND TOWN
OTHER	<p>Carolyn was born in Montreal but grew up in Winnipeg. She started playing squash at age 9 at the Winnipeg Winter Club which had a thriving junior program. Carolyn was particularly interested in squash because her father played, but she was also interested in just about every other sport too. Growing up she was an avid field hockey, ringette, soccer, basketball, and volleyball player and also took gymnastics, swimming and skating lessons. Carolyn was a member of the Manitoba junior field hockey team and really enjoyed that sport. Squash, however was her favorite sport and became her main focus as she got older.</p> <p>Two of Carolyn's proudest squash achievements are winning the Team Gold Medal at the 1999 Pan Am Games in Winnipeg and winning the Canadian Championship in 2006.</p> <p>Carolyn earned bachelors and masters degrees in Materials and Metallurgical Engineering at Queen's University and an MBA from the University of Toronto Rotman School of Management. She now works at AMEC in Vancouver in engineering project management for metals and mining projects.</p> <p>Carolyn is known in the Vancouver squash community for staying in shape by riding her bike everywhere rain or shine. (It's always raining in Vancouver!) She also enjoys snowboarding, running, weight lifting and swimming for fitness and fun.</p>

Ranking History

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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2009	116	118	105	102	93	82	84					
2008	51	50	58	58	58	70	88	88	88	81	91	100
2007	48	45	40	46	47	49	49	49	48	50	49	51
2006	82	77	76	64	61	50	50	45	46	44	50	46
2005	113	113									101	83
2004	90	89	88	85	84	96	101	106	101	100	108	116
2003	113	112	111	112	116	90	90	98	100	102	99	86
2002	76	73	75	77	102	100	96	96	96	99	113	115
2001				90	89	91	95	94	94	90	77	76