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History Made at 2018 Canadian Championships

Winnipeg, May 28, 2018 - Jennifer Saunders of Winnipeg made history at Racquetball Canada's 2018 Canadian Championships Saturday by winning her twenty second combined singles and doubles championship title. This is the most combined titles won by any athlete in Canadian racquetball history.

Saunders faced fellow Winnipeg athlete Christine Richardson in Saturday's Women's Open Singles final. It was clear that Saunders had her eye on the record as she came out strong in the first game, winning 15-3. Richardson was down in the second game but put up a fight, winning nine unanswered points before Saunders finished the game with a score of 15-13.

Earlier in the week, Saunders teamed up with Frédérique Lambert of Montréal to win the Women's Open Doubles event, which tied her with Mike Green of Hamilton for combined Canadian singles and doubles titles.

Samuel Murray of Baie-Comeau won his first Canadian Men's Open Singles Championship title on Saturday, defeating Coby Iwaasa of Lethbridge in the final. Murray won the first game 15-7 and looked like he was on track to finish the match in two games. Iwaasa bounced back in the second game, winning 15-10 and seemed to have the momentum going into the tie-breaker. However Murray went up quickly and seemed in full control throughout the tie-breaker, winning 11-2.

The Canadian Championships took place in Winnipeg from May 20 to 26 at the University of Winnipeg. The event included several age and skill events, providing an excellent high performance and competition for life opportunity for Canadian athletes. There were 107 athletes from 10 provinces participating in the 2018 Championship event.

The following results include the Open Men's and Women's bracket results and final placements. Also listed are the podium results for all age and skill categories.

Results and Draws: <http://www.r2sports.com/website/event-results.asp?TID=22213>

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Men's Open Singles Results

Round of 16

- (1) Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC) defeated (16) Christina Boudreau (St-Charles Borromee, QC), 15-2, 15-8;
- (2) Coby Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB) defeated (15) Ian Frattinger (Martensville, SK), 15-3, 15-7;
- (3) Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB) defeated (14) Michael Leduc (Québec, QC), 15-4, 17-15;
- (4) Pedro Castro (Brossard, QC) defeated (13) Joshua Keil (Saskatoon, SK), 15-6, 15-10;
- (5) James Landeryou (Saskatoon, SK) defeated (13) Mitch Brayley (Calgary, AB), 15-1, 15-12;
- (6) Nicolas Bousquet (Montréal, QC) defeated (11) Tanner Prentice (Macrorie, SK), 15-6, 15-5;
- (7) Lee Connell (Saskatoon, SK) defeated (10) Trevor Webb (Cambridge, ON), 15-12, 15-7;
- (8) Kurtis Cullen (Brandon, MB) defeated (9) Tommy Murray (St-Hubert, QC), 15-5, 15-4.

Round of 8

- (1) Murray defeated (8) Cullen, 15-3, 15-11;
- (2) Iwaasa defeated (7) Connell, 15-5, 15-5;
- (3) Tim Landeryou defeated (6) Bousquet, 15-11, 6-15, 11-7;
- (4) Castro defeated (5) James Landeryou, 15-13, 15-13.

Semi-Finals

- (1) Murray defeated (4) Castro, 15-0, 15-13;
- (2) Iwaasa defeated (3) Landeryou, 15-6, 15-13.

Bronze Medal Match

- (3) Landeryou defeated (4) Castro, forfeit

Gold Medal Match

- (1) Murray defeated (2) Iwaasa, 15-7, 10-15, 11-2.

Women's Open Singles**Round of 16**

- (1) Jennifer Saunders (Winnipeg, MB), bye
- (2) Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB), bye
- (3) Alexis Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB), bye
- (4) Danielle Drury (Saskatoon, SK), bye
- (5) Michèle Morissette (Baie-Comeau, QC), bye
- (6) Erin Geeraert (Calgary, AB), bye
- (7) Murielle Boivin (Québec, QC) defeated (10) Susan Dauk (Regina, SK), forfeit
- (9) Cassie Prentice (Macrorie, SK) defeated (8) Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB), 15-11, 15-6.

Round of 8

- (1) Saunders defeated (9) Prentice, 15-0, 15-3;
- (2) Richardson defeated (7) Boivin, 15-6, 15-11;
- (6) Geeraert defeated (3) Iwaasa, 15-11, 2-15, 11-9;
- (5) Morissette defeated (4) Drury, 15-07, 15-6.

Semi-Finals

- (1) Saunders defeated (5) Morissette, 15-6, 15-3;
- (2) Richardson defeated (6) Geeraert, 15-5, 15-5.

Bronze Medal Match

- (5) Morissette defeated (6) Geeraert, 15-10, 15-7.

Gold Medal Match

(1) Saunders defeated (2) Richardson, 15-3, 15-13.

Canadian Championships Open Final Standings**Men's Open Singles**

1. Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC)
2. Coby Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB)
3. Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB)
4. Pedro Castro (Brossard, QC)
5. Nicolas Bousquet (Montréal, QC)
6. James Landeryou (Saskatoon, SK)
7. Lee Connell (Saskatoon, SK)
8. Kurtis Cullen (Brandon, MB)
9. Tommy Murray (St-Hubert, QC)
10. Ian Frattinger (Martensville, SK)
11. Tanner Prentice (Macrorie, SK)
12. Joshua Keil (Saskatoon, SK)
13. Mitch Brayley (Calgary, AB)
14. Michael Leduc (Québec, QC)
15. Christian Boudreau (St-Charles Borromeo, QC)
16. Trevor Webb, (Cambridge, ON)

Women's Open Singles

1. Jennifer Saunders (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Michèle Morissette (Baie-Comeau, QC)
4. Erin Geeraert (Calgary, AB)
5. Alexis Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB)
6. Danielle Drury (Saskatoon, SK)
7. Cassie Prentice (Macrorie, AB)
8. Murielle Bouvin (Québec, QC)
9. Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB)
10. Susan Dauk (Regina, SK)

Canadian Championships Podium Results - Singles Events**Men's Open Singles**

1. Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC)
2. Coby Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB)
3. Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB)

Men's A Singles

1. Ken Storozuk (Chilliwack, BC)
2. Kirby Shwaykosky (East St Paul, MB)
3. Daniel Tremblay (Montréal, QC)

Men's B Singles

1. Peter Olynick (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Tony Kenny (St. John's, NFLD)
3. Aaron Strub (Winnipeg, MB)

Men's C Singles

1. David Harrington (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Kyle Gobeil (Garson, MB)
3. Andy Dick (Wheatley, ON)

Men's 45+ Singles

1. Kirby Swaykosky (East St Paul, MB)
2. Allen Bauman (St. Albert, AB)
3. Christian Boudreau (St-Charles Borromeo, QC)

Men's 50+ Singles

1. Jeff Miller (Spruce Grove, AB)
2. Terry Nelson (Windsor, ON)
3. Andy Dick (Wheatley, ON)

Men's 55+ Singles

1. John Halko (Edmonton, AB)
2. Doug Donald (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Brian Mohr (Regina, SK)

Men's 60+ Singles

1. Carl Lalande (Lasalle, QC)
2. Reg Atkins (Calgary, AB)
3. Manny Gregorio (Edmonton, AB)

Men's 65+ Singles

1. Neil Dempsey (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Claude Paul (Montréal, QC)
3. Michel Boulay (Brossard, QC)

Men's 70+ Singles

1. Eric Easton (St. John's, NL)
2. Art McAvoy (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Jack McBride (St. Albert, AB)

Men's 80+ Singles

1. Jack McBride (St. Albert, AB)
2. Fernand Gregoire (Winnipeg, MB)

Women's Open Singles

1. Jennifer Saunders (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Michèle Morissette (Québec, QC)

Women's A Singles

1. Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Susan Dauk (Regina, SK)

Women's B/C Singles

1. Alexandra Murray (Brandon, MB)
2. Teanna Letkeman (Carberry, MB)
3. Milana Paddock (Brandon, MB)

Women's 45+ Singles

1. Murielle Boivin (Québec, QC)
2. Kim Griffin (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Cecile Dufresne (Winnipeg, MB)

Une page d'histoire est tournée au Championnat canadien

de racquetball de 2018

Winnipeg, le 28 mai 2018 - Jennifer Saunders, de Winnipeg, au tourné samedi une nouvelle page d'histoire au Championnat canadien de Racquetball Canada de 2018 en remportant son vingt-deuxième titre de championne canadienne combinée du simple et du double. Il s'agit du plus grand nombre de titres nationaux combinés remportés par un ou une athlète canadiens, de toute l'histoire du racquetball.

Saunders a affronté Christine Richardson, elle aussi de Winnipeg, lors de la finale du simple féminin ouvert, disputée samedi. Saunders était manifestement prête, car elle a commencé en force, remportant la première manche sur le score sans appel de 15 à 3. Puis, alors que Richardson traînait de l'arrière dans la deuxième manche, elle a bien réagi et réussi à enchaîner une série de neuf points consécutifs, avant que Saunders ne finisse par l'emporter sur la marque de 15 à 13.

Plus tôt au cours de la semaine, Saunders avait fait équipe avec Frédérique Lambert, de Montréal, pour s'adjuger l'épreuve du double féminin ouvert, ce qui la plaçait ex-aequo avec Mike Green, de Hamilton, au plus grand nombre de titres canadiens combinés.

De son côté, Samuel Murray, de Baie-Comeau, a remporté samedi son premier titre de champion canadien du simple masculin ouvert en prenant le meilleur sur Coby Iwaasa, de Lethbridge, en finale. Murray s'est adjugé la première manche 15 à 7 et paraissait devoir conclure le match en deux manches. Mais Iwaasa a réalisé une excellente seconde manche, la remportant par 15 à 10 pour niveler la marque, et il avait apparemment le *momentum* à l'amorce du bris d'égalité. Mais Murray a rapidement réagi et a contrôlé complètement cette manche décisive qu'il a remportée sur la marque de 11 à 2.

Ce champion canadien avait lieu à Winnipeg, au Manitoba, du 20 au 26 mai, à l'Université de Winnipeg. Plusieurs divisions d'âge et de niveau étaient au programme de cet événement qui a offert une excellente opportunité de compétition aux athlètes canadiens. Au total, 107 athlètes de dix provinces ont participé à ce Championnat.

Vous trouverez ci-après les résultats des tableaux des épreuves ouvertes masculines et féminines, ainsi que les classements finaux, ainsi que la composition des podiums de toutes les catégories d'âge et de niveaux.

Résultats et tirages : <http://www.r2sports.com/tourney/home.asp?TID=21430>

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Podiums du Championnat canadien - simple ouvert

Résultats simple masculin ouvert

Ronde de 16

- (1) Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC) bat (16) Christine Boudreau (St-Charles Borromee, QC), 15-2, 15-8;
- (2) Coby Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB) bat (15) Ian Frattinger (Martensville, SK), 15-3, 15-7;
- (3) Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB) bat (14) Michael Leduc (Québec, QC), 15-4, 17-15;
- (4) Pedro Castro (Brossard, QC) bat (13) Joshua Keil (Saskatoon, SK), 15-6, 15-10;
- (5) James Landeryou (Saskatoon, SK) bat (12) Mitch Brayley (Calgary, AB), 15-1, 15-12;
- (6) Nicolas Bousquet (Montréal, QC) bat (11) Tanner Prentice (Macrorie, SK), 15-6, 15-6;
- (7) Lee Connell (Saskatoon, SK) bat (10) Trevor Webb (Cambridge, ON), 15-12, 15-7;
- (8) Kurtis Cullen (Brandon, MB) bat (9) Tommy Murray (St-Hubert, QC), 15-5, 15-4.

Ronde de 16

- (1) Samuel Murray bat (8) Cullen, 15-3, 15-11;
- (2) Iwaasa bat (7) Connell, 15-4, 15-5;
- (3) Tim Landeryou bat (6) Bousquet, 15-11, 6-15, 11-7;
- (4) Castro bat (5) James Landeryou, 15-13, 15-13.

Demi-Finals

- (1) Samuel Murray bat (4) Castro, 15-0, 15-13;
- (2) Iwaasa bat (3) Tim Landeryou, 15-6, 15-13.

Match pour l'attribution de la médaille de bronze

- (3) Tim Landeryou bat (4) Castro, forfait

Match pour l'attribution de la médaille d'or

- (1) Samuel Murray bat (2) Iwaasa, 15-7, 10-15, 11-2.

Résultats simple féminin ouvert

Ronde de 16

- (1) Jennifer Saunders (Winnipeg, MB), laissez-passer;
- (2) Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB), laissez-passer;
- (3) Alexis Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB), laissez-passer;
- (4) Danielle Drury (Saskatoon, SK), laissez-passer;
- (5) Michèle Morissette (Baie-Comeau, QC), laissez-passer;
- (6) Erin Geeraert (Calgary, AB), laissez-passer;
- (7) Murielle Boivin (Québec, QC) bat (10) Susan Dauk (Regina, SK), forfait;
- (9) Cassie Prentice (Macrorie, SK) bat (8) Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB), 15-11, 15-6.

Ronde de 8

- (1) Saunders bat (9) Prentice, 15-0, 15-3;
- (2) Richardson bat (7) Boivin, 15-6, 15-11;
- (6) Geeraert bat (3) Iwaasa, 15-11, 2-15, 11-9;
- (5) Morissette bat (4) Drury, 15-7, 15-6.

Demi-Finals

- (1) Saunders bat (5) Morissette, 15-6, 15-3;
- (2) Richardson bat (6) Geeraert, 15-5, 15-5.

Match pour l'attribution de la médaille de bronze

- (5) Morissette bat (6) Geeraert, 15-10, 15-7.

Mach pour l'attribution de la médaille d'or

- (1) Saunders bat (2) Richardson, 15-3, 15-13.

Classement du simple masculin ouvert

1. Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC)
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3. Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB)
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5. Nicolas Bousquet (Montréal, QC)
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15. Christian Boudreau (St-Charles Borromeo, QC)
16. Trevor Webb, (Cambridge, ON)

Classement du simple féminin ouvert

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2. Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Michèle Morissette (Baie-Comeau, QC)
4. Erin Geeraert (Calgary, AB)
5. Alexis Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB)
6. Danielle Drury (Saskatoon, SK)
7. Cassie Prentice (Macrorie, AB)
8. Murielle Bouvin (Québec, QC)
9. Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB)
10. Susan Dauk (Regina, SK)

Résumé des résultats - épreuves de simple

Simple masculin ouvert

1. Samuel Murray (Baie-Comeau, QC)
2. Coby Iwaasa (Lethbridge, AB)
3. Tim Landeryou (Calgary, AB)

Simple masculin A

1. Ken Storozuk (Chilliwack, BC)
2. Kirby Shwaykosky (East St Paul, MB)
3. Daniel Tremblay (Montréal, QC)

Simple masculin B

1. Peter Olynick (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Tony Kenny (St. John's, NFLD)
3. Aaron Strub (Winnipeg, MB)

Simple masculin C

1. David Harrington (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Kyle Gobeil (Garson, MB)
3. Andy Dick (Wheatley, ON)

Simple masculin 45+

1. Kirby Swaykosky (East St Paul, MB)
2. Allen Bauman (St. Albert, AB)
3. Christian Boudreau (St-Charles Borromeo, QC)

Simple masculin 50+

1. Jeff Miller (Spruce Grove, AB)
2. Terry Nelson (Windsor, ON)
3. Andy Dick (Wheatley, ON)

Simple masculin 55+

1. John Halko (Edmonton, AB)
2. Doug Donald (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Brian Mohr (Regina, SK)

Simple masculin 60+

1. Carl Lalande (Lasalle, QC)
2. Dan Atkinson (Calgary, AB)

2. Reg ATKINS (Calgary, AB)
3. Manny Gregorio (Edmonton, AB)

Simple masculin 65+

1. Neil Dempsey (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Claude Paul (Montréal, QC)
3. Michel Boulay (Brossard, QC)

Simple masculin 70+

1. Eric Easton (St. John's, NL)
2. Art McAvoy (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Jack McBride (St. Albert, AB)

Simple masculin 80+

1. Jack McBride (St. Albert, AB)
2. Fernand Gregoire (Winnipeg, MB)

Simple féminin ouvert

1. Jennifer Saunders (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Christine Richardson (Winnipeg, MB)
3. Michèle Morissette (Québec, QC)

Simple féminin A

1. Cher Allen (Winnipeg, MB)
2. Susan Dauk (Regina, SK)

Simple féminin B/C

1. Alexandra Murray (Brandon, MB)
2. Teanna Letkeman (Carberry, MB)
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