

## Dear Club

The Scottish Open is making a comeback following an 18-year hiatus thanks to backing from one of the country's leading housebuilders, Springfield Properties.

The builder of private and affordable homes has partnered with Scottish Squash, and the Professional Squash Association (PSA), the governing body for professional squash, to bring the Springfield Scottish Squash Open to Edinburgh in 2019.

The PSA tour event will debut at Oriam, Scotland's Sports Performance Centre based at Heriot-Watt University, from the 3 to 7 April 2019.

Tickets for the event are now on public sale and can be purchased through the official ticketing company by visiting <u>www.iSPORTstore.com</u>.

We are reaching out to the squash community in Scotland and asking you to **help us to help them** and purchase tickets for the event which in turn will support the development of Scottish PSA and future PSA players as well as developing and raising the profile of squash in Scotland.

With one of our main aims being to grow the event over the coming years and develop a leading PSA World Tour event in the future, it would be great to have the backing of our member clubs and regions. We have included event posters for this year's event and would be grateful if you can display and market in your local clubs. We will also send electronic copies to clubs.

If any clubs wish to discuss any element of the event further or the potential of block booking, please contact Allan McKay by e-mail in the first instance (allan.mckay@scottishsquash.org).

I look forward to welcoming many of you to Oriam in April and to this exciting event that is returning to the squash calendar.

Yours faithfully

Maggie Still Chief Executive