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Devonport Squash exploded into 2012 this week with round one of both the Enzed Invitational Series and The Autumn Pennant beginning. The night was full of exceptionally close matches, many going the distance over five sets. This was supported by the fact that the Enzed Invitational Series did not even have one straight sets victory – an impressive statistic, demonstrating the tight tussles that would be the envy of all sports. Particular notes of interest were the impressive form of the Female State Number One, Carol Clarke and the enthralling match between Latrobe favourite, Matthew Creeley, against Launceston champion, Rod Harker. Clarke was impressive in chalking up another victory (Carol is the only lady to win an invitation to the series), while Creeley and Harker traded more impressive shots in their five set encounter than any shooting club could possibly match. Spectators are always welcome at the club. Anybody interested in a great evening's entertainment or just curious to find out why squash has been officially rated the healthiest sport, should come to Devonport Squash Club at the Recreation Centre from 7:00pm onwards, every Tuesday. Weekly results can be located in Sports In Brief.