

*The
History
Of the
Scottish Table Tennis
Association
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CHRONOLOGY

1926	<p>Dr Georg Lehman (Founder Initiator) invited other country's representatives to Berlin, Germany in January with a view to setting up an International body to organise and control World events. The Hon. Ivor Montagu was founder President and served in that position until 1967.</p> <p>The first I.T.T.F. Congress was held in London in December during the European Championships (later designated as the first world Championships due to the inclusion of India)</p>
1929	<p>Fred J. Perry became the the first British World Champion winning the Men's Singles title in Budapest, Hungary. Fred later became known worldwide for his tennis career.</p>
1934	<p>Aberdeen became the first established association in Scotland followed by Edinburgh (1935), Dundee (1937), Perth (1938), West of Scotland (????), Stirlingshire (????) and Dumfries (195?).</p> <p>Other association came and in time disbanded –Lanarkshire, North Larark, West Dumbarton, Orkney, Shetland, Inverness, Fife and Ayrshire.</p>
1936	<p>The Scottish Table Tennis Association was formed by Edinburgh Association Chairman and Secretary John A.T. Brown (1904-1977) and John S. Bathgate. Brown a banker was the first President of the S.T.T.A. and was Honorary Auditor of the I.T.T.F. from 1949-1958. Bathgate was the Association's first Chairman.</p>
1937	<p>Edinburgh played Glasgow and Stirlingshire in a triangular match.</p>
1943	<p>Despite being a new and small table tennis nation and with the unfortunate timing of being established just before the Second World War, Scotland still managed to arrange table tennis matches. One of those organised by the North East Region was a charity match held at The Music Hall, Aberdeen between Great Britain and the Allies. This match featured 1939 World Champion Richard Bergman and E.J. Filby with K. Sebestak and E. Berger playing for the Allies. During the interval of that match Cpl Bergman (sitting in a chair) played the highest bidder over one game. The winner was Lord Provost Mitchell with the money going to the Red Cross.</p> <p>Other such matches were organised in the late 40's and early 50's by the West of Scotland Table Tennis League and played at the St Andrew's Hall, Glasgow with the proceeds going to the J. N. F. Charitable Trust.</p>
1946	<p>Helen Elliot was invited to compete in the Irish Open Table Tennis Championships in Belfast and came away with the Women's Singles Title and this only three years since taking up the game.</p>
1947	<p>Scotland played their first International by sending both a men's and a women's team to the 14th World Championships in Paris, France.</p> <p>The Scottish Women won two team matches and Helen Elliot reached the quarter finals of the Women's Singles.</p>

1947	Scotland appointed its first national coach in the shape of former English Internationalist Ken Stanley. Ken spent 2 years in the post until the untimely death of Scottish Internationalist and Chairman Peter Coia. Peter was killed in an air crash when he was returning from the English Championships.
1948	At the 15 th World Championships held at Wembley, England in February Scotland Men won 2 matches and the Women won 3 matches. Helen again won through to the quarter finals of the Women's Singles and partnered by Dora Beregi of England reached the final of the Women's Doubles losing to Mrs V. Thomas and Miss M Franks of England.
1949	John A. T. Brown was appointed Hon. Auditor of the I.T.T.F. where he held the post until 1959 except 1957/58 where he was replaced by R. D. Dykes also from Scotland. No other Scot was elected to a position on the I.T.T.F. until Denis George was a corresponding member in the 1990's.
1949	Helen Elliot partnered by Gizelle Farkas of Hungary won the World Doubles Title (W.J. Pope Trophy) in Stockholm, Sweden. Helen also reached the quarter final of the Women's Singles for the third consecutive year.
1950	Helen retained her World Doubles Title this time paired with Dora Beregi of England.
1955	At the World University Games held in Warsaw, Poland, Helen won the Women's Doubles title with Angelica Rozeanu of Romania but lost to Angelica in the Women's Singles Final. Angelica at the time was 6 times World Women's Singles Champion.
1963	World Championships Prague: Men's Team Ian Barclay, Jim Dow, Robert Kerr & Malcolm Sugden. Women's Team Olive Hawkings, Pat Kerr, & Doreen Robertson with NPC Eddie Still.
1965	World Championships Ljubljana: Malcolm Sugden, Jim Dow, J Carswell & Robert Kerr were 30 th out of 43 teams. Lesley Barrie, Olive Hawkings with Tommy McMichael NPC were 27 th out of 31.
1966	Peter Cameron was selected to play in the Quadrangular Internationals in Glasgow to become the first disabled player to play for the Senior Scottish Team. Scotland came 2 nd . Peter was then selected to play in the European Championships held at Wembley in London along with Malcolm Sugden, Jim Dow and Ian Barclay. (In 2016 Peter remains the only disabled athlete selected for Scotland)
1967	World Championships, Stockholm: Malcolm Sugden, Brian Kean, Tommy McMichael & Jim Dow were 27 th out of 41. Malcolm won 15 out of 19 games. Leslie Barrie & Olive Hawkings were 25 th out of 28.
1969	A Czech team featuring J Stacek, S Kollarovits & G Turai for the Men and I Vostova & A Grafova for the women visited Scotland for 2 International matches. The first match in Edinburgh won a 9-1 defeat with Lesley Barrie & Kathy Angus winning the woman's doubles. The second match in Glasgow was an 8-2 loss with Malcolm Sugden defeated Kollarovits and with Eric Sutherland Defeated Stanek & Turai in the Men's Doubles.
1969	World Championships, Munich: Malcolm Sugden, Brian Kean, Eric Sutherland, Lesley Barrie & Kathy Angus with NPC Harry Baxter. The men finished 22 nd out of 46 whereas the woman were 30 th out of 35. Malcolm won 19 out of 24 games played and Lesly won 6 out of 12.
1969	Malcolm got a late invite to the Nissen Invitation Event at Crystal Palace. He beat Trevor Taylor, Chester Barnes and Alan Hyde to win the first £100 prize at an English Event.

1969	There was first steps to establish an International standard for umpiring. 1st edition of "Handbook for Umpires" was published.
1970	European Championships, Moscow: Malcolm Sugden, Eric Sutherland, Richard Yule & Brian Kean with NPC Roger Murray finished 15 th out of 20. Malcolm excelled again winning 17 out of 18 games played losing only to J Stanek(CZE).
1971	The first Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships were held in Singapore. Helen came out of retirement to play in the singles event.
1971	The Chinese Table Tennis Team came to Scotland in December. The team of Elaine Forbes, Kathy Angus, Richard Yule, Malcolm Sugden, Eric Sutherland with npc Harry Baxter put up a credible performance in losing only 5 -3. Elaine, Richard and Malcolm were Scotland's successes.
1972	European Championships, Rotterdam: Malcolm won 14/18 Richard won 7/18 to finish in the highest position ever 14 th out of 27 th .
1973	Richard Yule won a Bronze Medal in the Men's Singles at the 2 nd Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Cardiff. Richard remains the only Scot to win a medal in the main singles events.
1973	World Championships, Sarajevo: Richard Yule 14/19, Eric Sutherland Brian Kean & David Fraser were 34/52. Elaine Smith & Kathy Angus 32/40 with Elaine winning 6 out of 9 games played.
1974	At the Spanish Open in Alcoy, Costa Blanca, Scotland had incredible success. The Scottish team of Richard Yule, Grace McKay and Russell Brown with npc John Braithwaite won the team event beating Belgium in the semi-final and Spain in the Final both with a 4-3 scoreline. Richard went on to win the Men's Singles Title and the Mixed Doubles Title partnered by Grace. Belgian Marie-France Germiot and Grace won the Women's Doubles Title.
1974	At an invitation tournament in Bergan, Norway, Elaine Smith (Forbes) won the Women's Singles event.
1976	John McNee emulated Richard Yule by winning the Men's Singles Title at the Spanish Open.
1976	Maggie Jones won a Silver Medal at the Olympiad for the Disabled in Toronto, Canada.
1977	Maggie Jones won a Gold Medal at the International Paraplegic Games at Stoke Mandeville, England.
1977	At the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Guernsey, Elaine Smith (Forbes) won a Silver Medal in the Women's Consolation Singles.
1979	Scotland hosted the 5 th Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in April at Meadowbank Stadium, Edinburgh. Keith Rodger beat David Hannah in the Semi-final and Graham Davies (Wales) in the final to win the Men's Consolation Singles. Carole Dalrymple reached the semi-final in the Women's Consolation Singles.
1979	Scotland introduced a new type of event for players. Assessment events proved very popular giving players more games where all the top players played each other in the final group matches.
1979	As a direct result of the success of the Commonwealths, The Scottish Sports Council agreed to finance the appointment of a National Coach, a Secretary and the setting up of a National Office. Graham Davies from Wales and Morag Blair were appointed and the STTA Offices were established at 7 Frederick

	Street, Edinburgh.
1981	World Championships, Nova Sad: Richard Yule, Keith Rodger, David Hannah & Anwar Majid won all their games to gain promotion to Division 2. David won 13/15. Carole Dalrymple, Patrice Fleming & Valerie Thomson won 6 out of 8 matches. Carole won 9/11 and Valerie (still a junior) won 6/6.
1982	Keith Rodger for the second time won the Men's Consolation Singles at the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships beating Joe Ng of Canada in Bombay, India.
1982	At the European Table Tennis Championships held in Budapest, Hungary, Carole Dalrymple won a Silver Medal in the Women's Consolation Singles.
1983	Andy Fleming of Glasgow Y.M.C.A. received the Torch Trophy Trust Award for Voluntary Services to Sport. The award was presented to Andy by H.R.H. Duke of Kent at a ceremony in London.
1984	David Hannah won the Irish Masters tournament at Newtonabbey beating Nigel Tyler (Wales) John Hilton (England) and Colum Slevin (Ireland). The next day Carole Dalrymple won the Woman's Singles Title at the Irish Open and the Mixed Doubles with David Hannah.
1985	Richard Yule was appointed Director of Coaching and Development for Scottish Table Tennis Association replacing Graham Davies.
1985	Brian Wright won the Men's Singles at the European Maccabi Games.
1985	S.T.T.A. Chairman Henry (Harry) Baxter died at the age of 70. In 1942 Harry won the N.o.S. Open the night Aberdeen was blitzed. Harry represented Scotland between 1946-1949. From 1953 -1973 Harry was Team Captain/Manager for the Scottish Teams over 150 times as well as being delegate to the ITTF Forum. Between 1955-1966 Harry won the Veterans Singles Title at the Scottish Open. Harry held the post of treasurer (1957-1972) Vice Chair (1972/73) and Chairman from 1973 until his death in 1985. In 1981 the CTTA was formed and Harry was elected as it's first Chairman.
1986	Scotland won the Home Countries Quadrangular at the 13 th time of asking. Richard Yule captained the team of Carole Dalrymple, Janet Smith, David McIlroy and Ian Mclean. Scotland drew 4-4 with Ireland and Wales and clinched the title with a 5-3 win over England.
1986	On December 12 th the S.T.T.A. celebrated it's 50 th year with A Golden Jubilee Dinner Dance held at Airth Castle Hotel near Falkirk. A display of antique table tennis equipment was presented by former President Mr Michael S. M. Thomson.
1987	David Hannah became the first Brit. Since 1976 to beat Desmond Douglas. The victory came in the final of the Men's Singles at the Midlands Open in Birmingham. Douglas at the time was ranked number 3 in Europe and number 12 in the World rankings.
1987	In May the S.T.T.A. hosted a Chinese tour of Scotland with matches held in Edinburgh, Glasgow and Perth. Scotland lost all three matches 6-0. Chen Xinhua of China was regarded as the best defender in the World and his showmanship was always a spectacle especially in the exhibition matches played at the end of each match. His team of Wang Zhenyi, Fan Yin Yong, Hui Jun and Chen Zhibin were all highly placed in the World rankings.
1988	Elaine Forbes won the Scottish Coach of the Year Award presented by the British Association of National Coaches for her work at Lasswade Table Tennis Club.

1988	<p>On November 3rd & 4th Scotland hosted a round robin series of 4 matches for Division 2 of the European League held at Bell's Sports Centre, Perth. Scotland played Luxembourg, Norway, Denmark and Spain with Iceland, Wales and Greece the other nations taking part.</p> <p>The next day players from the above nations plus England's Desmond Douglas and players from the Chinese team on tour who were playing in Dumfries the following night, took part in the Leeds Challenge. Matches on the show table were recorded and shown at a later date on Grampian Television.</p>
1988	The Chinese Team played Scotland in the newly opened Dumfries Table Tennis Club.
1989	Janet Smith won the Women's Singles Title at the 1 st Greek Open played in Athens.
1989	<p>Scotland's women team of Carole Dalrymple, Janet Smith and Eleanor McIlroy with npc Richard Yule won a Bronze Medal in the team event at the 9th Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Cardiff.</p> <p>This was the first time Scotland attained a team medal.</p>
1989	David Fairholm replaced Richard Yule as Director of National Coaching and Development.
1989	<p>The Gambit Club of Edinburgh played its last point after 50 years in play.</p> <p>The Gambit were the most success club in Scotland with Bert Kerr involved for most of those years along with Helen Elliot.</p>
1993	Denis George was awarded the I.T.T.F. Merit Award in Gothenburg, at the I.T.T.F. Congress.
1995	Ben Dawson followed Denis in receiving the I.T.T.F. Merit Award. STTA President presented Ben with his award at this year's AGM.
1996	Euan Walker won a Silver Medal in the Consolation Singles at the European Championships held in Slovakia.
1997	Scotland hosted the 13 th Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held at Kelvin Halls, Glasgow between 14 th to 20 th April. Sarah Hurry won a Silver Medal in the Women's Consolation Singles.
1997	Home Countries, Belfast: Euan Walker, Ian Stokes Kevin Liddle & Peter Lugton won the Men's Team event beating England 4-1, Wales & Ireland 3-2 & Isle of Man 5-0. Sarah Hurry, Tamara Powell & Nicola Bentley came third.
1997	Terry McLernon received the Coach of the Year Award in the Community Coach Category for his work at Drumchapel Table Tennis Club. He was presented with his award at a ceremony held at Hampden Park, Glasgow.
1998	Nicol Craig won the Individual Title at the British Primary Schools.
2000	Euan Walker ended the team event at the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships in Singapore undefeated were they finished 9 th . Euan kept up his good form at the World Championships at Kuala Lumpur losing only 2 games.
2000	Junior Home Countries: Gavin Rungay, Stuart Matthew & Michael Bruce with NPC Max Singer won the team event with Gavin undefeated. Gavin lost out in the final of the U18 event to Peter Cleminson (Eng)
2001	A major change in the scoring system saw the end of 21 up. The 11 up matches with the best of any odd number of sets was introduced at the start of the season having been passed by the I.T.T.F. after year of experimentation.
2001	Home Countries, Isle of Man: Euan Walker won the Gold Medal beating Andrew Rushton (Eng) and the England number 1 Gareth Herbert 3-0 in the

	final.
2001	Helen (Elliot) Hamilton now President of the S.T.T.A. was inducted in the Scottish Sports Hall of Fame at the Museum of Scotland in Edinburgh.
2001	At the Home Countries Championships in the Isle of Man Euan Walker won the individual Gold beating Andrew Rushton (Eng) in the semi and England No1 Gareth Herbert 3-0 in the final
2001	Gavin Rungay was voted Scotland Young Sportsman of the Year.
2002	The Scottish Girls Team of Rebecca Russell, Corinna Whitaker, Jenna McBeth & Roxanna Milne won the British Primary Schools International team event in Dublin. The girls beat Ireland 8-2, Wales 9-1 and drew 5-5 with England. Scotland won the title on countback having won 1 game more. Jenna lost out narrowly 2-3 to Jordyn Layfield (Eng) in the singles final.
2004	On the 1 st May Scottish Table Tennis Association officially changed their name to Table Tennis Scotland when they legally became a Public Limited Company.
2004	The Junior Girls team of Laura Rungay, Karin Eggar & Stephanie Matthew won the team event at the Junior Home Countries in Cardiff. Laura lost in the final 0-3 to E Dennet.
2005	Craig Howieson & Craig Hardie won the Cadet Boys team event at the Junior 6 Nations.
2007	Josie Bruce of Glasgow Caledonian University won the Ladies Singles at the Scottish University Championships.
2007	Liam O'Shaughnessy won the Individual gold at the British Primary Schools Championship held in Cork, Ireland. The first Scottish winner since 1998. Liam O'Shaughnessy, Aiden Flegg, Blair Fowler & Garry Wright won the Silver medal in the team event.
2008	Terry McLernon was presented with the Local Hero Award for his continuing work with Drumchapel Table Tennis Club. The award was sponsored by SportsScotland and the Sunday Mail. BBC's Sports Presenter Rhona McLeod handed over the trophy to Terry at a ceremony in Glasgow.
2008	Josie Bruce retained her Scottish Universities Ladies Singles Title. Craig Howieson of Edinburgh University won the Men's Singles Title beating Craig Hardie (Strathclyde University) in the final. Craig Hardie paired with Luc Leboutellier (Heriot Watt University) beating Craig Howieson and Stewart Armitage (Edinburgh University) in the Men's Doubles final.
2009	Stewart Crawford of Stirling University won the Silver Medal at the British Universities Championships.
2009	In the British University Team Championships the Edinburgh University team of Craig Howieson, Stewart Armitage, Allan Robic and Simon Messenger reached the final by beating Leeds University 12-5. In the final they were outplayed by London Metropolitan University losing 9-2.
2009	A team from Drumchapel Table Tennis Club become the first Scottish Team to win the British National League(Premier Division). The team consisted of Ryan and Steven Jenkins, Lai Shi and Lee Dong Wang.
2009	Scotland (Blair Fowler, Ying Jin, Christopher Wheeler and Garry Wright) won the team event at the British Primary Schools Championships held in Blackburn, Lancashire, beating the England team in the final 9-1. In the Individual Championships Christopher Wheeler won Gold, Blair Fowler Silver and Ying Jin Bronze for a clean sweep of the medals.

2009	Scotland hosted the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships for the 3 rd time returning to Glasgow after the success of 1997. This time, the 18 th meeting of Commonwealth Nations was held at Scotstoun Sports Campus
2010	A hat trick of Grand Prix Champion Titles for Gavin Rungay as he tops the points table for the third consecutive year.
2010	10 year old Christopher Wheeler was selected for the I.T.T.F. World Hopes Team 2010/11. Nine players were selected from 5 Continents following a series of try-out camps around the world. Chris attended a training camp in February and obviously impressed ittf Head Coach Dajin Papic to be included in the scheme. Chris will attend a series of training camps and competitions starting with South Korea in July and France in August.
2011	Craig Hardie & Roxanna Milne won the Men's & Ladies Titles at the Scottish University Championships held in Aberdeen.
2011	At the Junior & Cadet 6 Nations held in Ireland, The Junior Boys Team of Scott Barton, Calum Main & Colin Dalglish remained undefeated to win Gold. The Cadets of Blair Fowler, Chris Wheeler & Ying Jin won Silver.
2011	Chris Wheeler reached his third final in a row at the British Primary Schools Championships regaining the title he won in 2009. Yasser Razouk won the Bronze. In the team event Chris & Yasser were joined by Callum Morrison & Greg Robertson to win the team Silver.
2011	Gavin Rungay leading Barrow Table Tennis Club, won the British National League Title.
2011	In the new reformed Scottish National League the inaugural winners were Drumchapel Skyform with a team of Terry McLernon, Craig Hardie & Andy McFadyen.
2012	Purple patch: In the British Schools Championships held in Guernsey the U18 Boys of Scott Barton & Colin Dalglish won Gold beating England in the final 3-0. Chris Wheeler & Yasser Razouk took Silver in the U14 Boys. Chris won an individual Silver while Blair Fowler took Bronze in the U16 Boys. Lucy Elliott & Rachael Crawford won U14 Girls team Bronze with Lucy also winning an Individual Bronze.
2012	Success continued in the Junior 6 Nations in the Isle of Man where the Junior Boys, Cadet Boys & Cadet Girls all took Silver in their respective team events. Colin beat Scott 3-2 in the semi-finals and went on to beat No 1 seed Helsam Weerasinghe in the final 3-2 whereas Scott won the Bronze. Chris also won Bronze in the Cadet Boys.
2012	Chris Wheeler won the British Primary School Championships for a record 3 rd time.
2012	At the Senior 6 Nations in Guernsey Gillian Edwards reached the semi-final to take the Bronze medal. A great victory over Karen Le Fevre (Eng) 3-0 in the quarters but could not overcome Liu Na (Ire) going down 3-0.
2013	Scotland and the table tennis world at large mourned the passing of Scottish & Commonwealth President Helen (Elliot) Hamilton. Condolences arrived from all parts of the globe including glowing obituaries on the ITTF & ETTU Websites. For Her career record go to Helen's Legend pages.
2013	Scotland Para Squad travelled to Hungary for their first taste of International Competition guided by coach Terry McLernon M.B.E. Conor McAdam & Martin Perry were classified in Class 6 with Conor Gordon & Neil Innes in Class 9. Conor & Neil took Bronze while Conor & Martin just missing out in 4 th place.

2013	Success too for Officials as Jonathan Whitaker becomes Scotland's first International Referee following a course held in Henning, Denmark. Charlie Brown & Roy Claxton attended a Referees Course in London to join Stewart McGowan as Scotland's 3 National Referees.
2013	24 year Medal wait over. In 1989 the ladies team won a Bronze at the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships and now in Delhi, India the men have managed to emulate them. Gavin Rungay who won 8 out of 10 lead Craig Howieson, Niall Cameron, Sean Doherty & Scott Barton with Institute of Sport Coach Martin Marsi to a well deserved Bronze. Scotland lost 3-1 to winners Singapore (Gavin beat world No. 93 Feng Cheng) while India beat England in the other Semi. The Ladies team of Gillian Edwards, Corinna Whitaker & Lynda Flaws with NPC Philip McCallum fought to attain a very creditable 7 th place. These successes proved vital to Scotland's effort to play in the 2014 Commonwealth Games. 12 th seeded in the singles Gavin had to withdraw because of a gastric problem denying him his chance to emulate his quarter final place in 2007.
2013	The Commonwealth Squad (less Scott & Corinna) flew direct to Paris to play in the World Championships. In the Mixed Doubles Gavin & Gillian and Craig & Lynda won through to the last 128 of the main draw. Gavin also made the main draw in the Men's Singles.
2013	Preston was the venue for the Junior 6 Nations where Chris Wheeler & Yasser Razouk lost 3-2 to England to win the Silver medal. The Cadet Girls of Lucy Elliott took a team Bronze. In the Individual events Chris won the Cadet Boys Title beating Alex Ward (Eng) 3-1. Scott & Lucy both reached the Junior Boys & Cadet Girls finals both losing 3-1 to English opposition.
2013	A large squad travelled to the Blackpool Grand Prix. In an all Scottish final in the U21 singles Colin Dalglish beat Chris Wheeler 11-7 in the 5 th end.
2013	Euan Walker was appointed by the Commonwealth Games Federation to a position of Team Manager for the Commonwealth Games.
2013	Gavin Rungay's successes continue to mount up not only from the stories above. PPC Villeneuve who Gavin plays for in France won the 'B' League and now becomes the first Scot to play in the 'A' League. Gavin's Grand Prix wins now stand at 24 including this year the prestigious London GP. Due to these outstanding performances in 2012/13 Gavin's World Ranking rose to No. 221.
2013	At the British Primary Championships held in Dublin Jenny Yang won the Individual Bronze and with team mates Faye Leggett, Venus Cheung & Hannah Robb won Team Bronze.
2013	A team consisting of Peter Cameron, Conor Gordon, Neil Innes, Conor McAdam, Kevin McCormack, Euan McLaughlin & Martin Perry accompanied by Coach Terry McLernon MBE took part in the DSE Championships in Nottingham. In Class 6/7 Peter went on to win the Gold Medal, beating World No. 4 ranked David Wetherill in 5. Conor Gordon (Class 8/10) progressed to the Semi-final but lost to Nathan Thomas. Peter partnered by Paul Waumsley lost in the final of the Men's Doubles. In the open singles Peter again progressed from his group in Band A where he beat his doubles partner in 5 and then had a reverse from the Saturday losing in 5 to David Wetherill. Band B saw Martin Perry & Conor Gordon meet in the semi-final where Conor won 3-1. Conor lost to experienced Mehdi Zarafshan 3-1.

2013	Isle of Man was the venue for the British Schools Championships where Chris Wheeler won the U14 individual title beating Hugo Pang (Eng) 3-0. The team of Chris & Yaser Razouk lost out in the final to England 2-3 to receive another Silver.
2014	Martin Perry was selected to represent Great Britain at the Czech Open
2014	The Liverpool Grand Prix saw Gavin lose in the final again to his nemesis Ryan Jenkins but could take consolation in winning the Doubles with Craig Howieson. Colin Dalglish won the under 21 event.
2014	Another successful year for Chris wheeler as he retained the Cadet Boys Singles Title at the Junior 6 Nations. Chris also won the Cadet singles and along with Yasser Razouk won the Cadet Team event at the Stockton Open and the under 21 open at the Newcastle Grand Prix.
2014	The Commonwealth Games was held in Various venues around Glasgow in July. The table tennis was played at Scotstoun Leisure Centre. The Men's team of Gavin Rungay, Craig Howieson, Niall Cameron and Sean Doherty progressed to the quarter finals where they lost to India. Gavin reached the last 16 of the Men's Singles. The Ladies team of Gillian Edwards, Lynda Flaws and Corinna Whitaker made a Commonwealth Games debut where they finished 14 th . Chairman Terry McLernon OBE was given the honour of presenting the medals in two of the categories.
2015	The Junior & Cadet 6 Nations held during March in Cardiff was incredibly successful for Scotland. The Junior Boys of Chris Wheeler & Yaser Razouk won Gold, Lucy Elliott & Rebecca Plaistow representing the Junior Girls won Bronze. In the Cadets, the boys, Calum Morrison & Keir Morton won Silver and the girls, Jennie Yang & Hannah Robb won Bronze. In the Individual event Chris & Calum both won Gold in the Junior & Cadet Boys respectively.
2015	Faye Leggatt won the Girl's Singles event at the Primary Schools Internationals at Blackburn, England. Wiktorina Smolarek took Bronze losing to Faye in the semi-final. Faye also won Silver in the Team Event with Wiktorina, Amelia Norbury and Holly Stephens with NPC Senga Thomson. Rafal Wilowski and Holly Stephens won Consolation Gold.
2015	Sean Doherty, University of Edinburgh, was selected to represent Great Britain's Universities at the World Universities Table Tennis Championships held in Gwangju, South Korea. Scotland's National Performance Coach was selected as non-playing captain.
2015	Cardiff was the venue for the Junior & Cadet 6 Nations. The Junior Boys Team of Chris Wheeler & Yaser Razouk beat Isle of Man, England, Ireland & Guernsey to win the team event. Chris went on to win the Junior Boys Singles title.
2015	Scotland remained undefeated to win the Men's Team Trophy at the Senior 6 Nations held in Lisburn. In the Men's Singles Gavin Rungay & Craig Howieson contested an all Scotland final with Gavin winning 12-10 in the fifth.
2015	Craig Howieson successfully defended his only Grand Prix victory at South Shields. Kenny Lindsay won his 1 st Grand Prix in Cardiff.

2015	Despite only taken up the sport in 2011 aged 16 Martin Perry continues his successful progress. Martin reached the final of the Costa Rican Open beating world ranked No 11 (Danny Bobrov of Israel) and No 9 (Bastien Grundeler of France) in the quarters & semis respectively. Unfortunately Martin was not selected for the 2016 Rio Paralympics
2015	At the end of this year Scotland hold the 6 Nations Men's and Junior Team Title as well as the Men's, Junior Boys & Cadet Boys Singles Titles.
2016	Gavin Rungay won the Men's Singles title at the Ulster Open
2016	Martin Perry won Gold at the US Para Open (Class 6) singles and Silver with Matias Lorca in the Doubles (Class 6/7). Martin beat World No 11 Danny Bobrov (Isr) 3-0 in the groups, beat doubles partner 3-1 in the Semi-Final and 16 year old Ian Seidenfeld 3-2 in the Final
2017	Conor McAdam won the Junior Singles at the Romanian Para Open in March
2017	Playing for UGS Chenois in the Elite Swiss League Gavin Rungay won 32 games and was beaten only 5 times to finish 3 rd . In the subsequent play-offs UGS finished ? overall.
2017	Gavin equalled Euan Walker's record 12 Men's Singles titles at the National Championships but still trails Richard Yule by 3 in Senior National titles. As well as playing at the World Championships in May, Gavin, after a one year gap renews his contract to commentate on matches for the 5 th time.
2017	The Drumchapel Club gained success in both the Scottish National League and the British National League by winning both for the second time, although the 1 st time of doing the double. The squad of Tao Shi played 10 won 10, Sepehr Bidari 14/13, Calum Main 10/8, Craig Howieson 4/4 and Liu Song 4/4 won the Scottish League with ease. The British League saw Drumchapel only drop 1 point on their way to qualifying for a place in the European Club Championships. Squad members He Zhi Wen played 20 Won 19, Liu Song 17/16, Huang Yen Che 11/10, Sepehr Bidari 4/3, Craig Howieson 6/6, Calun Main 14/11, Chris Wheeler 4/4, Eugene Wang 4/3, Tao Che 8/6, and He Bai 6/5 .
2017	A big leap forward for Martin Perry as he is promoted to the British Performance squad. He went on to win the British Para Championships (Class 6) held in Grantham. Martin beat European Bronze medallist and 3 time Paralympian David Wetherill 3-2 in the final. Just to cap things off Martin was voted Player of the Tournament.
2017	At the Senior Schools Internationals held in Jersey the Scotland squad came home with a plethora of medals. U14 Boys (Martin Johnson, Harvey McDonald) Team Gold, U16 Boys (Zaid Khalid, Dylan Curry) Team Silver, U16 Girls Singles Gold Tessa Yau, U16 Boys Singles Silver Dylan Curry, U14 Boys Singles Bronze Martin Johnson, U18 Boys Singles Bronze Calum Morrison, U18 Girls Singles Bronze Alisa Khalid.
2017	Conor McAdam won the Under 21 Singles at the Spanish Para Open and combined with Martin Perry to win Class 6 Team event at the Belgian Para Open.

2018	Another exceptional season for Martin Perry in the Para Class 6 which saw his World Ranking climb to Number 15. Martin was part of the British Team that won Gold in the European Para Championships. In other team events He won Gold in the Spanish Open and combined with Conor McAdam to win Gold in the Belgian Open. Also a Bronze for Martin in the German Open, Italian Open and the Slovakian Open. In the Singles Events Martin won Silver in Belgium and Bonzes in Italy, Germany and Spain. Martin also won the Singles Title at the W.o.S. Disability Open and took Bronze in the British Para Championships. Martin was awarded Parasport Personality of the year at the NRS Scottish Sporting Awards.
2018	Gavin Rungay wins a record 13 Men's Singles titles including the last 11 in consecutive years (also a record), while Craig Howieson equals the Men's Doubles record of ten wins of John Broe & Stewart Crawford. 7 of Craig's wins were with Stewart.
2018	At the Home Nations Secondary Schools Internationals Dylan Curry and Danny Bajwa won Silver in the U18 team event. Dylan went on to win Gold in the singles event while Danny took Bronze.
2018	Colin Dalglish won the Scottish University Championships while John Hannah was winning Bronze with Keir Morton 4 th .
2019	Gavin Rungay reached the Semi-Final of the Nigerian Open in the Challenge Series losing to Hachard (France) to win a coveted Bonze medal.
2019	Martin Perry began his quest for selection to the 2020 Paralympics in Japan. His effort started with winning the British Championships followed by a team Gold at the Italian Open with Paul Karabardak and David Weatherill. Martin also gained a singles Bronze in Italy. Martin is now ranked 18 th in the World Rankings.
2020	Gavin Rungay wins Bronze Medal at the World Championships of Ping Pong in London.
2020	In the National Championships Colin Dalglish stopped Gavin Rungay from winning 9 in a row leaving the 10 (1981-1990) record of David Hannah intact.
2020	Gavin Rungay has spent 780 consecutive weeks (15Years) as Scotlands No1 ranked male player.
2020	The Coronavirus Pandemic and subsequent lockdown ensured that all table tennis was cancelled the World over. The TTS Board however was able to continue with meetings conducted via Zoom.
2020	Martin Perry's Tokyo Paralympic journey has come to a sudden halt due to the Coronavirus leading to a years postponement of the Olympic Games. In the Individual Open events Martin found it difficult to progress from the semi-finals. He took the Bronze Medal at Lignano, Costa Brava, Polish Open, Cancun, Bangkok, Czech Open & Finland Open. It was a different story in the team event with Gold at Lignano, European Championships, China Open & Polish Open. Silver at Costa Brava, Japan Open & Czech Open and Bronze at Cancun.
	For more information on GAVIN RUMGAY, RICHARD YULE, BERT KERR, DAVID HANNAH, EUAN WALKER, HELEN(ELLIOT) HAMILTON, ELAINE (SMITH) FORBES & CAROLE DALRYMPLE go to their Legends pages further on in this book.

SCOTTISH INTERNATIONALISTS

Internationalists who gained their 1 st cap between 1946 to 1959	
Men	Women
JOHN BRAITHWAITE	MARIE COATS
PETER HUTCHISON	C McBEATH
CHARLIE MATTISON	DOREEN ROBERTSON
HARRY BAXTER	
DR ROBERT BURNS	HELEN (ELLIOT) HAMILTON
ALEC HENDERSON	CHRIS NORRIE
JOHN EDWARDS	ELIZABETH PITHY
SIDNEY GILLIES	RENA TOLAN
JACK HILLAN	MINA JOSEPHSON
ROBERT LOTHIAN	SADIE O'DONNELL
EARNEST TEESDALE	ISA CABABI
BUNNY CHERLOCK	OLIVE HAWKINS
PETER COIA	HELEN HOULISTON
VICTOR GARLAND	ALISON LINDSAY
JOHN A T BROWN	DIANE BLACK
RON FOREMAN	LESLEY BARRIE
ALAN GLASS	
TOMMY McMICHAEL	
ALEX METCALFE	
ROSS YOUNG	
JOHN CAMPBELL	
ROBERT KERR	
MONTY McMILLAN	
EDDIE STILL	
DAVID HOLLINGDALE	
JOHN MILLER	
GERRY O'NEIL	
SIDNEY CALLAWAY	
IAN BARCLAY	
TOMMY GILMOUR	

SCOTTISH INTERNATIONALISTS

Internationalists who gained their 1 st cap between 1960 and 1981	
Men	Women
MALCOLM SUGDEN	E BONE
ALEX LAIDLAW	PAT KERR
JIM DOW	DOREEN DONALDSON
JOHN REILLY	MARJORY MURRAY
JIM CARSWELL	KATHY (ANGUS)KNOWLES
PETER CAMERON	ELAINE (SMITH) FORBES
G ANDERSON	CAROLE DALRYMPLE
BRIAN KEAN	PATRICE FLEMING
ERIC SUTHERLAND	GRACE McKAY
JOHN HAWKINS	ELAINE CRAIG
RICHARD YULE	MABEL NEISH
PATRICK FORKER	VALERIE THOMSON
DAVID FRASER	LIZ ROBB
RUSSELL BROWN	
M THOMSON	
ALAN MATTHEWS	
ARCHIE McCULLOCH	
K McLEAN	
JOHN McNEE	
KEITH RODGER	
N SMITH	
JOHN WILSON	
THOMAS DEVERS	
JOHN MOIR	
NORMAN LOVIE	
ANWAR MAJID	
DAVID McILROY	
DAVID CAMPBELL	
DAVID HANNAH	

SCOTTISH INTERNATIONALISTS

Internationalists who gained their 1 st cap between 1982 and	
Men	Women
JOHN BROE	JANET SMITH
BRIAN WRIGHT	DIANE (GREGG) WALKER
IAN McLEAN	LYNN JOHNSTON
DAVID THOMAS	K McKAY
GORDON CLANCY	ELEANOR (MEEHAN) McILROY
CALLUM GERRARD	SARAH HURRAY
IAN STOKES	ISOBEL FERGUSON
EUAN WALKER	JENNIFER HOOK
DAVID LOW	LINDA HOOD
ANDREW BRUCE	CLAIRE BENTLEY
SCOTT GILBERT	HILARY DORMAN
GEORGE INNES	GAIL FULLERTON
PETER LUGTON	EMMA SLOAN
STEWART CRAWFORD	JULIE LAWRENCE
KEVIN LIDDLE	NICOLA BENTLEY
GERRY CAMPBELL	TAMARA POWELL
COLIN ROBERTSON	LORRAINE ANDERSON
ANDY DUNLOP	GILLIAN EDWARDS Age 13
GAVIN RUMGAY	KARIN EDGAR
NIALL CAMERON	LAURA KNOWLES
CRAIG GASCOYNE	JENNY GALLOWAY
CRAIG HOWIESON	STEPHANIE MATTHEWS
CRAIG HARDIE	REBECCA RUSSELL
SEAN DOHERTY	CORINNA WHITAKER
SCOTT BARTON	NATASHA MILLIKEN
CALUM MAIN	LYNDA FLAWS
CHRIS WHEELER	LUCY ELLIOTT
COLIN DALGLISH	REBECCA PLAISTOW
CALUM MORRISON	ALISA KHALID
YASER RAZOUK	FAYE LEGGETT
DYLAN CURRY	LARA STIRLING
CHRIS MAIN	

INTERNATIONAL UMPIRES/CHAIRMEN/PRESIDENTS/AWARDS

<u>INTERNATIONAL UMPIRES</u>	<u>CHAIRMEN</u>	<u>Years in Office</u>	<u>HONORARY VICE PRESIDENTS</u>
Jackie Arnott	J S Bathgate		Michael Thomson Honorary President
Tom Bailie	Peter Coia		Helen Hamilton Honorary President
			Stewart McGowan Honorary President
Charles Brown	Jack Hillan	1960-1966	J S Bathgate P
Stanley Buchan	Peter Candlin	1966-1973	J A T Brown P
Kenneth Campbell	Harry Baxter	1973-1985	R W Stewart P
Bernard Chatterley	Brian Christie	1985-1991	G A Hawkins P
Brian Christie	Ben Dawson	1991-1993	Jack Hillan P
Lawrie Cook	Denis George	1993-1995	Peter Candlin P
Murray Cormack	Sandy Elrick	1995-1998	J McCormack P
Ben Dawson	David Clifford	1998-2003	Ian Dunbar HVP
Robert Edon	Willie Wilson	2003-2005	Ben Dawson HVP
Sandy Elrick	Jonathan Whitaker	2005-2012	Stan Buchan HVP
Ian Farquhar	Terry McLernon	2012-????	Richard Yule HVP
Andy Fleming			David Clifford HVP
Sinclair Houston			Elaine Forbes HVP
Kenneth Kennedy			Stewart McGowan P
Kathy Knowles			Alison Woods HVP
Jeremy Lappin			Ken Cadogan HVP
Stewart McGowan			Eddie Still HVP
John McKellar			Eric Sutherland HVP
Jim Thomas			Billy Gibbs HVP
Roger Thomas			
Stuart Wallis			
Kevin Watt			
Jonathan Whitaker			
Chris White			
William Wilson			
Roy Claxton			
Barry Johnston			

Harry Baxter Award

The Harry Baxter will be presented to a player/official that has shown outstanding service for the advancement of Table Tennis in Scotland.

- 1986 Ian A Dunbar
- 1987 B. Denis George
- 1989 Stanley Buchan
- 1991 Richard Yule
- 1992 Andy Fleming
- 1993 John Broe
- 1994 Billy Gibbs
- 1995 Ken Hurry
- 1997 Melshean Wallis
- 2011 David Clifford
- 2014 Terry McLernon OBE
- 2019 Stewart McGowan

MERIT AWARD

This award was instituted in 2012

2012 Alex Dalrymple – Harry Crawford

2013 Angela Fowler – Lyndsay Muir – Alex Hardie

2014 Alison Woods

2019 Lindsay Muir - Peter Cameron - Hugh McLaughlan

2020 Lorraine Johnston - Senga Thomson

SCOTTISH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (CLOSED)

SENIOR EVENTS

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1946/47	JACK HILLAN				
1947/48	ROBERT BURNS				
1948/49	ALAN GLASS				
1949/50	RONALD FORMAN				
1950/51	RONALD FORMAN	MINA JOSEPHSON			H BAXTER M JOSEPHSON
1951/52	NO	COMPETITION			
1952/53	JOHN CAMPBELL	MINA JOSEPHSON	R FORMAN V GARLAND	M JOSEPHSON S O'DONNELL	
1953/54	EDWARD STILL	HELEN ELLIOT	M McMILLAN R KERR	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	R KERR H ELLIOT
1954/55	ALAN METCALFE	MINA JOSEPHSON	A LAIDLAW V GARLAND	I CABABE M CRUIKSHANKS	A LAIDLAW C CRAIGEN

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1955/56	JOHN MILLER	HELEN ELLIOT	J MILLER E TEASDALE	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	
1956/57	THOMAS McMICHAEL	HELEN ELLIOT	T McMICHAEL T GILMOUR	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	R KERR H ELLIOT
1957/58	ROBERT KERR	HELEN ELLIOT	R KERR I BARCLAY	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	R KERR H ELLIOT
1958/59	ROBERT KERR	HELEN HOULISTON	R KERR I BARCLAY	H HOULISTON A LINDSAY	I BARCLAY A JOHNSON
1959/60	THOMAS McMICHAEL	HELEN HOULISTON	T McMICHAEL T GILMOUR	H HOULISTON A LINDSAY	G FRASER H HOULISTON
1960/61	IAN BARCLAY	HELEN ELLIOT	T McMICHAEL T GILMOUR	H ELLIOT M JULINS	I BARCLAY H ELLIOT
1961/62	ROBERT KERR	ELIZABETH BONE	I BARCLAY A LAIDLAW	E BONE M TERRAS	R KERR P KERR
1962/63	IAN BARCLAY	OLIVE HAWKINS	M SUGDEN J DOW	O HAWKINS D ROBERTSON	J DOW O HAWKINS
1963/64	MALCOLM SUGDEN	LESLEY BARRIE	M SUGDEN J DOW	O HAWKINS D ROBERSON	J DOW O HAWKINS
1964/65	ROBERT KERR	OLIVE HAWKINS	R KERR T McMICHAEL	L BARRIE D DONALDSON	J HAWKINS D ROBERTSON
1965/66	MALCOLM SUGDEN	LESLEY BARRIE	R KERR T McMICHAEL	L BARRIE D DONALDSON	P CAMERON L BARRIE

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1966/67	BRIAN KEAN	LESLEY BARRIE	M SUGDEN B KEAN	L BARRIE M MURRAY	P CAMERON L BARRIE
1967/68	MALCOLM SUGDEN	LESLEY BARRIE	I BARCLAY D HOGG		I BARCLAY B JOHNSTONE
1968/69	MALCOLM SUGDEN	KATHLEEN ANGUS	M SUGDEN B KEAN	O HAWKINS K ANGUS	J DOW O HAWKINS
1969/70	MALCOLM SUGDEN	LESLEY BARRIE	J HAWKINS I HAY	K ANGUS E SMITH	M SUGDEN L BARRIE
1970/71	RICHARD YULE	ELAINE SMITH	P FORKER E SUTHERLAND	O HAWKINS L MONTAGUE	R KERR H HAMILTON
1971/72	RICHARD YULE	MABEL NEISH	R YULE R KERR		R BHALLA P FLEMING
1972/73	ROBERT KERR	PATRICE FLEMING	R KERR R BHALLA	M NEISH G McKAY	R KERR G McKAY
1973/74	DAVID FRASER	KATHLEEN ANGUS	P FORKER R YULE	G McKAY P FLEMING	E BRUCE L BARRIE
1974/75	RICHARD YULE	ELAINE SMITH	R YULE J McNEE	P FLEMING E SMITH	R YULE E SMITH
1975/76	RICHARD YULE	ELAINE SMITH	R YULE J McNEE	G McKAY E CRAIG	R YULE E SMITH
1976/77	RICHARD YULE	GRACE McKAY	R YULE J McNEE	P FLEMING G McKAY	R YULE P FLEMING

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1977/78	RICHARD YULE	GRACE McKAY	R YULE J MOIR	P FLEMING G McKAY	R YULE P FLEMING
1978/79	RICHARD YULE	PATRICE FLEMING	D McILROY K RODGER	C DALRYMPLE M CUTHBERTSON	R YULE C DALRYMPLE
1979/80	RICHARD YULE	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	R YULE J BROE	C DALRYMPLE P FLEMING	R YULE C DALRYMPLE
1980/81	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	R YULE J BROE	C DALRYMPLE P FLEMING	R NIXON C DALRYMPLE
1981/82	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D HANNAH A MAJID	C DALRYMPLE E FORBES	R YULE C DALRYMPLE
1982/83	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D McILROY D CAMPBELL	C DALRYMPLE E FORBES	D HANNAH C DALRYMPLE
1983/84	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D McILROY D CAMPBELL	C DALRYMPLE V THOMSON	D CAMPBELL S TOMKINS
1984/85	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	R YULE J BROE	C DALRYMPLE L JOHNSTON	G CAMPBELL C DALRYMPLE
1985/86	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D McILROY B WRIGHT	C DALRYMPLE J SMITH	B WRIGHT S HURRY
1986/87	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D HANNAH J BROE	C DALRYMPLE E ROBB	G CAMPBELL C DALRYMPLE
1987/88	DAVID HANNAH	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D HANNAH J BROE	C DALRYMPLE E ROBB	B WRIGHT S HURRY

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1988/89	DAVID HANNAH	SARAH HURRY	D McILROY I McLEAN	S HURRY L HOOD	J BROE J SMITH
1989/90	DAVID HANNAH	JANET SMITH	D HANNAH J BROE	J SMITH D WALKER	E WALKER J SMITH
1990/91	JOHN BROE	JANET SMITH	J BROE S GILBERT	L HOOD S HURRY	B WRIGHT S HURRY
1991/92	EUAN WALKER	JANET SMITH	J BROE S GILBERT	L HOOD S HURRY	B WRIGHT S HURRY
1992/93	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY	E WALKER I STOKES	S HURRY E ROBB	I STOKES J SMITH
1993/94	IAN STOKES	SARAH HURRY	J BROE S GILBERT	D WALKER E ROBB	B WRIGHT S HURRY
1994/95	EUAN WALKER	ELIZABETH ROBB	B WRIGHT G CAMPBELL	S HURRY E ROBB	C ROBERTSON J LAWRENCE
1995/96	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRAY	I STOKES E WALKER	S HURRY E ROBB	E WALKER C SYMONS
1996/97	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY	J BROE S GILBERT	S HURRY E ROBB	E WALKER S HURRY
1997/98	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY	E WALKER I STOKES	C BENTLEY S HURRY	P LUGTON S HURRY
1998/99	EUAN WALKER	LAURA KNOWLES	E WALKER B WALKER	L KNOWLES C BENTLEY	S CRAWFORD N BENTLEY

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1999/00	EUAN WALKER	ERICA GYERESI	P LUGTON S CRAWFORD	K KNOWLES L POWELL	A KEZR E GYERESI
2000/01	EUAN WALKER	CLAIRE BENTLEY	P LUGTON S CRAWFORD	C BENTLEY N BENTLEY	N CAMERON C BENTLEY
2001/02	EUAN WALKER	GILLIAN EDWARDS	G RUMGAY N CAMERON	C BENTLEY N BENTLEY	S CRAWFORD N BENTLEY
2002/03	GAVIN RUMGAY	NICOLA BENTLEY	G RUMGAY N CAMERON	K EGGAR L RUMGAY	L WILSON S MATTHEW
2003/04	EUAN WALKER	NICOLA BENTLEY	G RUMGAY N CAMERON	K EGGAR L RUMGAY	L WILSON S MATTHEW
2004/05	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA RUSSELL	S CRAWFORD C GASCOYNE	G EDWARDS N GALLAN	S JOHNSTON J GALLOWAY
2005/06	EUAN WALKER	JENNY GALLOWAY	G RUMGAY N CAMERON	J GALLOWAY K EGGAR	C HOWIESON K EGGAR
2006/07	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA RUSSELL	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	G EDWARDS L POWELL	G CAMPBELL R RUSSELL
2007/08	GAVIN RUMGAY	NATASHA MILLIKEN	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	C WHITAKER N MILLIKEN	G RUMGAY R RUSSELL
2008/09	GAVIN RUMGAY	CORINNA WHITAKER	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	G EDWARDS E FORBES	G RUMGAY R RUSSELL
2009/10	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA RUSSELL	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	C WHITAKER N MILLIKEN	G RUMGAY R RUSSELL

YEAR	MEN'S SINGLES	WOMEN'S SINGLES	MEN'S DOUBLES	WOMEN'S DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
2010/11	CRAIG HOWIESON	NATASHA MILLIKEN	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	C WHITAKER N MILLIKEN	T McLERNON N MILLIKEN
2011/12	GAVIN RUMGAY	LYNDA FLAWS	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	G EDWARDS R MILNE	No Event
2012/13	GAVIN RUMGAY	LYNDA FLAWS	S CRAWFORD C HOWIESON	C WHITAKER L FLAWS	N CAMERON G EDWARDS
2013/14	GAVIN RUMGAY	GILLIAN EDWARDS	G RUMGAY C HOWIESON	C WHITAKER L FLAWS	Y RAZOUK L FLAWS
2014/15	GAVIN RUMGAY	GILLIAN EDWARDS	G RUMGAY C HOWIESON	L STIRLING R CRAWFORD	C WHEELER C WHITAKER
2015/16	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA PLAISTOW	C DALGLISH S BARTON	C WHITAKER L FLAWS	S DOHERTY C CAMERON
2016/17	GAVIN RUMGAY	LYNDA FLAWS	C MAIN S DOHERTY	R PLAISTOW L FLAWS	C DALGLISH R PLAISTOW
2017/18	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA PLAISTOW	C DALGLISH C HOWIESON	R PLAISTOW L ELLIOTT	C DALGLISH R PLAISTOW
2018/19	GAVIN RUMGAY	REBECCA PLAISTOW	K MORTON Y RAZOUK	R PLAISTOW L STIRLING	C DALGLISH R PLAISTOW
2019/20	COLIN DALGLISH	REBECCA PLAISTOW	M JOHNSTON D BAJWA	R PLAISTOW L ELLIOTT	C DALGLISH R PLAISTOW

SCOTTISH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

JUNIOR EVENTS

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
1948/49	A LAIDLAW					
1952/53	C PURCELL					
1953/54	E LATHAM					
1954/55	J CARSWELL					
1955/56	IAN BARCLAY					
1956/57	IAN BARCLAY					
1957/58	IAN BARCLAY					
1959/60	G BRASS					
1960/61	J DOW	MARIE JULIUS				
1961/62	J DOW	MARIE JULIUS				
1962/63	WILLIAM GIBBS	M KENNEDY				

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
1963/64	JOHN HAWKINS					
1964/65	JOHN HAWKINS	M MURRAY				
1965/66	ERIC SUTHERLAND					
1966/67	D McINTOSH					
1967/68	CAMERON McLEOD					
1968/69	D CHARLESTON					
1969/70	D CHARLESTON	ELAINE SMITH				
1971/72	ARCHIE McCULLOCH	ELAINE SMITH				
1972/73	ARCHIE McCULLOCH	PATRICE FLEMING				
1973/74	M THOMSON	GRACE McKAY	COLIN HARKINS			
1974/75	ALAN ALXANDER	MARGARET CUTHBERTSON	COLIN HARKINS			
1975/76	TOM DEVERS	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	COLIN HARKINS			
1976/77	KEITH RODGER	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	D LEE			

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
1977/78	DAVID McILROY	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	DAVID CAMPBELL	J STEWART		
1978/79	NORMAN LOVIE	KIRTIE HAMMOND	DAVID FLETCHER	AILEEN BENNETT		
1979/80	DAVID CAMPBELL	CAROLE DALRYMPLE	MARTIN CRAWFORD	ANTONIA BRESLIN		
1980/81	GRAEME DOCHERTY	VALERIE THOMSON	MARTIN CRAWFORD	LYNN JOHNSTON		
1981/82	GRAEME SUTHERLAND	LYNN JOHNSTON	IAN STOKES	MAUREEN CUSICK		
1982/83	BRIAN WRIGHT	JANET SMITH	GORDON WADDELL	LINDA HOOD		
1983/84	GORDON CUMMINGS	LYNN JOHNSTON	GAVIN TURNBULL	SARAH HURRY		
1984/85	IAN STOKES	LINDA HOOD	CHRIS WOESS	SARAH HURRY		
1985/86	DAVID LOW	SARAH HURRY	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY		
1986/87	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY	ANDREW BRUCE	JENNIFER HOOK		
1987/88	ANDREW BRUCE	LORRAINE ANDERSON	KEVIN McKELLAR	CATHRINE SYMONS		
1988/89	EUAN WALKER	SARAH HURRY	STEWART CRAWFORD	PAULA SLOAN		
1989/90	ANDREW BRUCE	CLAIRE MIDDLEMISS	STEWART CRAWFORD	E CUTHBERT		

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
1989/90	ANDREW BRUCE	CLAIRE MIDDLEMISS	STEWART CRAWFORD	E CUTHBERT		
1990/91	KEVIN McKELLAR	EMMA SLOAN	STEWART CRAWFORD	EMMA SLOAN		
1991/92	STEWART CRAWFORD	EMMA SLOAN	LEWIS WILSON	CLAIRE BENTLEY		
1992/93	STEWART CRAWFORD	CLAIRE BENTLEY	KEVIN LIDDLE	NICOLA BENTLEY		
1993/94	STEWART CRAWFORD	EMMA SLOAN	A MARCHETTI	TAMARA POWELL		
1994/95	STUART WILSON	CLAIRE BENTLEY	A CHALMERS	LINDA BROWN		
1995/96	LEWIS WILSON	LAURA KNOWLES	GORDON REID	MORENA MARCHETTI	STUART WILSON	KATIE MORTON
1996/97	NIALL CAMERON	NICOLA BENTLEY	GAVIN RUMGAY	GILLIAN EDWARDS	GAVIN RUMGAY	NATALIE GALLAN
1997/98	GAVIN RUMGAY	MORENA MARCHETTI	GAVIN RUMGAY	KATIE MORTON	NICOL CRAIG	KARIN EGGAR
1998/99	BRUCE ERSKINE	GILLIAN EDWARDS	NICOL CRAIG	NATALIE GALLAN	KENNY LINDSAY	KARIN EGGAR
1999/00	GAVIN RUMGAY	GILLIAN EDWARDS	DAVID ATKINS	KARIN EGGAR	CALUM FINDLATER	LAURA RUMGAY
2000/01	GAVIN RUMGAY	LAURA RUMGAY	CALUM FINDLATER	LAURA RUMGAY	CRAIG HOWIESON	JENNY GALLOWAY
2001/02	GAVIN RUMGAY	KARIN EGGAR	CRAIG HOWIESON	LAURA RUMGAY	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
2002/03	NICOL CRAIG	LAURA RUMGAY	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL
2003/04	KENNY LINDSAY	STEPHANIE MATTHEW	SCOTT JOHNSTON	JENNY GALLOWAY	GREG MATTHEW	LYNDA FLAWS
2004/05	KENNY LINDSAY	LAURA RUMGAY	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL	CALUM MAIN	JULIE BLACKWOOD
2005/06	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL	RICHARD MAIN	LYNDA FLAWS	CALUM MAIN	LYNDA FLAWS
2006/07	CRAIG HOWIESON	CORINNA WHITAKER	CALUM MAIN	NATASHA MILLIKEN	LIAM O'SH'NESSY	LESLEY ATKINS
2007/08	CRAIG HOWIESON	REBECCA RUSSELL	CALUM MAIN	RHIAN WILLIAMS	LIAM O'SH'NESSY	LESLEY ATKINS
2008/09	SEAN DOHERTY	NATASHA MILLIKEN	SCOTT BARTON	NADINE WRIGHT	BLAIR FOWLER	ALICE WILLIAMS
2009/10	CALLUM MAIN	NATASHA MILLIKEN	SCOTT BARTON	NADINE WRIGHT	CHRIS WHEELER	DONNA GILLON
2010/11	SCOTT BARTON	LYNDA FLAWS	BLAIR FOWLER	LUCY ELLIOTT	CHRIS WHEELER	LUCY ELLIOTT
2011/12	COLIN DALGLISH	LUCY ELLIOTT	CHRIS WHEELER	LUCY ELLIOTT	CHRIS WHEELER	REBECCA PLAISTOW
2012/13	SCOTT BARTON	LUCY ELLIOTT	CHRIS WHEELER	LUCY ELLIOTT	CALUM MORRISON	EMMA RHIND
2013/14	CHRIS WHEELER	LUCY ELLIOTT	CHRIS WHEELER	REBECCA PLAISTOW	MARTIN JOHNSTON	FAYE LEGGETT
2014/15	CHRIS WHEELER	REBECCA PLAISTOW	CALUM MORRISON	FAYE LEGGETT	DYLAN CURRY	FAYE LEGGETT

YEAR	JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	CADET BOYS	CADET GIRLS	MINOR BOYS	MINOR GIRLS
2015/16	CHRIS WHEELER	REBECCA PLAISTOW	DYLAN CURRY	FAYE LEGGETT	MARTIN JOHNSTON	FAYE LEGGETT
2016/17	YASER RAZOUK	REBECCA PLAISTOW	DYLAN CURRY	FAYE LEGGETT	YIFEI FANG	WILLOW SHEK
2017/18	CALUM MORRISON	FAYE LEGGETT	MARTIN JOHNSTON	FAYE LEGGETT	BORUI CHEN	JESSICA HOGG
2018/19	DYLAN CURRY	FAYE LEGGETT	BORUI CHEN	HOLLY McNAMARA	BORUI CHEN	SHANNON BROWN
2019/20	MARTIN JOHNSTON	TESSA YAU	BORUI CHEN	SHANNON BROWN	DANIEL TIBBETTS	MEGAN MULHERN

SCOTTISH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

EXTRA EVENTS

YEAR	VETERANS	MENS BAND 1	WOMENS BAND 1 (LADIES PLATE)	JUNIOR BOYS DOUBLES	JUNIOR GIRLS DOUBLES
1968/69				D BARR A STRUTHERS	
1969/70				A McCULLOCH S FERGUSON	
1974/75	J MITCHELL			J MOIR M STUART	
1975/76	BERT KERR			T DEVERS W LOCHHEAD	
1976/77	BERT KERR			D McILROY F STEWART	
1977/78	BERT KERR			D MAURICE J PROCTOR	
1978/79	BERT KERR			D McILROY N LOVIE	
1979/80	BERT KERR			C DALRYMPLE R NIXON	
1995/96		COLIN ROBERTSON			
1996/97		ANDY DUNLOP	CATHERINE SYMONS		
1997/98		GERRY CAMPBELL	MORENA MARCHETTI		

YEAR	VETERANS	MEN'S BAND 1	WOMEN'S BAND 1 (LADIES PLATE)	JUNIOR BOYS DOUBLES	JUNIOR GIRLS DOUBLES
1998/99		GAVIN RUMGAY	KATIE MORTON		
1999/00		GERRY CAMPBELL	TAMARA POWELL (LP)		
2000/01		CRAIG CHRISTIE	LAURA RUMGAY (LP)		
2001/02		ROSS MARTIN	LINDA POWELL (LP)		
2002/03	DEREK LUNDIE	GERRY CAMPBELL	LAURA RUMGAY (LP)		
2003/04	GERRY CAMPBELL	WILLIAM WILSON	JENNY GALLOWAY (LP)		
2004/05		JAMES RUSSELL	NATALIE GALLAN (LP)		
2005/06		SCOTT JOHNSTON		C HOWIESON S JOHNSTON	
2006/07	GERRY CAMPBELL	TERRY McLERNON (Jnr)	LINDA HORSFIELD	R MAIN C HARDIE	
2007/08	IAN McLEAN	SEAN DOHERTY	RHIAN WILLIAMS	R MAIN C HARDIE	
2008/09	BRIAN WRIGHT	WILLIE MABON	STEPHANIE McCALLUM	C MAIN S DOHERTY	N MILLIKEN S McCALLUM
2009/10	GERRY CAMPBELL	WILLIE MABON	MAUREEN MORAN	C MAIN S BARTON	N MILLIKEN L FLAWS
2010/11	BRIAN WRIGHT	CHRIS MAIN	ROXANNA MILNE	C MAIN S BARTON	L STIRLING J HART

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S.T.T.A. SCOTTISH TEAM CUP

This event was an invitation to the affiliated leagues to send their winner and runner up from their top division to compete for the Scottish Team Cup.

The format was similar to which most teams played in their home leagues.

YEAR	TEAM	ASSOCIATION
1937/38	WESTERN YMCA	West of Scotland
1938/39	WESTERN YMCA	West of Scotland
1945/46 To 1949/50	GAMBIT	EDINBURGH
1950/51	CENTRAL YMCA	West of Scotland
1951/52	GAMBIT	EDINBURGH
1952/53	CENTRAL YMCA	West of Scotland
1953/54 To 1956/57	GAMBIT	EDINBURGH
1958/59	GAMBIT	EDINBURGH
1959/60	EDINBURGH YMCA	EDINBURGH
1960/61	BL PHEBEIANS	DUNDEE
1961/62 To 1973/74	GAMBIT	EDINBURGH
1974/75 To 1976/77	CENTRAL YMCA	West of Scotland
1977/78	SWIFTS	ABERDEEN
1978/79	CENTRAL YMCA	West of Scotland
1979/80	CRAIGMILLAR	EDINBURGH
1980/81 To 1987/88	CENTRAL YMCA	West of Scotland
1988/89	PAISLEY	West of Scotland
1990/91	PAISLEY	West of Scotland
	COMPETITION DISCONTINUED	Scottish Team Cup Trophy remains lost

SCOTTISH NATIONAL LEAGUE

The Scottish National League – A potted history

The Scottish National League was launched on 7th February 1981 with 7 teams. Neil Foley Sports, Murrayfield Joola, College Rosslyn, Tynecastle, Central, Fife and Stirling.

In season 2 Neil Foley Sports changed their name to Coatbridge Lentec, Central added a second team with Rosslyn and Fife dropping out. New teams entering were Springburn, Falkirk (2 teams) Lasswade, Roseburn and Charlie's Angels. Central 'A' featured 3 current Scottish Internationalist in Richard Yule John Broe and David McIlroy.

In season 3 Clober Engineering Ltd agreed a 3 year deal to sponsor the National League. Last seasons winners Central 'A' changed their name to Greaves Sports and David Hannah signed for Murrayfield.

Clober disappeared into their second year then Scotrail took on the mantle for the next 3 years. In 1989 Leeds Building Society sponsored the next 2 years and that was the last of League sponsors.

The league numbers continued to ebb and flow with players finding more prestigious events to play in and eventually gave up the ghost in 1997.

Season	Teams	Div	Winners
1980/81	7	1	Neil Foley Sports
1981/82	11	2	Central 'A'
1982/83	15	2	Greaves Sports
1983/84	19	3	Greaves Sports
1984/85	20	3	Greaves Sports
1985/86	23	3	Greaves Sports
1986/87	24	3	Greaves Sports
1987/88	23	3	Greaves Sports
1988/89	18	3	Paisley Central Y.M.
1989/90	23	3	Paisley Central Y.M.
1990/91	16	2	Stiga Greenock
1991/92	22	3	Falkirk
1992/93	19	3	Tunnocks Redwood
1993/94	16	2	
1994/95	13	2	Tunnocks Redwood
1995/96	8	1	Stiga Greenock
1996/97	8	1	

The Scottish National League was relaunched in season 2010/11 with a Senior League and a Junior League.

After a couple of seasons most of the Juniors wanted to play in the Senior Leagues so the Junior League was abandoned.

The National League has gone from strength to strength and the current numbers in 2019 are 38 teams playing in 5 divisions.

YEAR	WINNING TEAM	PLAYERS
2010/11	DRUMCHAPEL SKYFORM	TERRY McLERNON, CALUM MAIN CRAIG HARDIE
2011/12	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	RICHARD MAIN, CHRIS MAIN COLIN DALGLISH
2012/13	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	RICHARD MAIN, CHRIS MAIN, COLIN DALGLISH
2013/14	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	RICHARD MAIN, CHRIS MAIN, COLIN DALGLISH,
2014/15	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	RICHARD MAIN, CHRIS MAIN COLIN DALGLISH
2015/16	KIGHTSWOOD	SEAN DOHERTY, CALUM MAIN LAURENT HENDRICKX
2016/17	DRUMCHAPEL 'A'	CRAIG HOWIESON, LIU SONG CALUM MAIN, SEPEHR BIDARI TAO SHI
2017/18	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	RICHARD MAIN, CHRIS MAIN, COLIN DALGLISH
2018/19	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	CHRIS MAIN, COLIN DALGLISH
2019/20	NORTH AYRSHIRE TTC	CHRIS MAIN, COLIN DALGLISH ZAK WILSON, ETHAN CHAPMAN

SCOTTISH OPEN TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1938/39	E. MARK Sco	NO RECORD	OF OTHER	COMPETITIONS	
1945/46	GEOFF HARROWER Eng	HELEN ELLIOT Sco	G HARROWER Eng P COIA Sco		
1946/47	LOU PAGLIARO USA	HELEN ELLIOT	L PAGLIARO S SCHIFF USA	H ELLIOT E PITHIE Sco	L PAGWARD R MONESS
1947/48	RICHARD BERGMAN Eng	HELEN ELLIOT	R BERGMAN Eng J HILLAN Sco	H ELLIOT E PITHIE	H O'PREY Ire E PITHIE Sco
1948/49	RICHARD BERGMAN Eng	HELEN ELLIOT	JOHN DAVIES STAN JONES Wales	H ELLIOT E PITHIE	S JONES B GREY Wales
1949/50	JOHN CROSSLEY NZ	HELEN ELLIOT	JACK HILLAN HARRY BAXTER Sco	H ELLIOT E PITHIE	R KERR H ELLIOT
1950/51	IVAN MARTIN Ire	HELEN ELLIOT	I MARTIN V MERCER Ire	H ELLIOT E PITHIE	R KERR H ELLIOT
1951/52	VICTOR MERCER Ire	HELEN ELLIOT	I MARTIN V MERCER Ire	H ELLIOT E PITHIE	R KERR H ELLIOT
1952/53	STAN JONES Wales	HELEN ELLIOT	J DAVIES S JONES Wales	B GREY S JONES Wales	R KERR H ELLIOT
1953/54	GARY FREW NZ	HELEN ELLIOT	G FREW M DUNN NZ	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	R KERR H ELLIOT
1954/55	JOHN MILLER Sco	HELEN ELLIOT	G FRASER G BELL Sco	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	J MILLER H ELLIOT

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1955/56	HARRY O'PREY Ire	HELEN ELLIOT	T GILMOUR T McMICHAEL Sco	H ELLIOT H HOULISTON	I BARCLAY H HOULISTON
1956/57	PHIL ANDERSON Aus	HELEN ELLIOT	T GILMOUR T McMICHAEL Sco		P ANDERSON J WILLIAMSON NZ
1957/58	ROBERT KERR Sco	HELEN ELLIOT			
1958/59	ROBERT KERR Sco	HELEN HOULISTON Sco	R KERR I BARCLAY Sco	H HOULISTON LINDSAY	I BARCLAY JOHNSON
1959/60	DEREK SCHOFIELD Eng	HELEN HOULISTON	R KERR I BARCLAY Sco	H HOULISTON V LAMBERT	G FRASER H HOULISTON
1960/61	ALAN LINDSAY Eng	DOREEN SCHOFIELD Eng	R KERR M McMILLAN Sco	D SCHOFIELD P CLARK Eng	A LINDSAY P CLARK Eng
1961/62	RALPH GUNNION Eng	DOREEN SCHOFIELD Eng	I BARCLAY G LAIDLAW Sco	M COATES G SHIELDS Sco	D SCHOFIELD D SCHOFIELD
1962/63	ALAN TOMLINSON NZ	PAM MORTIMER Eng	S MORGAN S THOMSON Aus	P MORTIMER M HEPPELL Eng	A TOMLINSON P MORTIMER
1963/64	STUART GIBBS Eng	LESLEY BARRIE Sco	A HYDES M JOHNS Eng	L BARRIE B DUNBAR Sco	J DOW Sco O HAWKINS
1964/65	ROGER HAMPSON Eng	MAUREEN HEPPELL Eng	R HAMPSON D SCHOFIELD Eng	M HEPPELL Eng P RICHMOND	R HAMPSON M HEPPELL E
1965/66	BRIAN BURN Eng	PAULINE HEMMINGS Eng	B KEAN Sco B BURN Eng	P HEMMINGS M HEPPELL Eng	A HYDES Eng M HEPPELL

YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1966/67	MALCOLM SUGDEN Sco	NETI TRAILL NZ	A TOMLINSON B FOSTER NZ	C JOHNSON Y FOGARTY NZ	B FOSTER N TRAILL NZ
1967/68	MALCOLM SUGDEN	LESLEY BARRIE Sco	M SUGDEN I BARCLAY Sco	O HAWKINS K ANGUS Sco	M SUGDEN L BARRIE Sco
1968/69	MALCOLM SUGDEN	SUSAN HOWARD Eng	M SUGDEN I BARCLAY Sco	S HOWARD Eng L BASHFORD	M SUGDEN L BARRIE Sco
1969/70	CHESTER BARNES Eng	LESLEY BARRIE Sco	C BARNES A RANSOME Eng	M PHILLIPS Wal K ANGUS Sco	C BARNES M WALKER E
1970/71	DENIS NEALE Eng	JILL SHIRLEY Eng	C BARNES D NEALE Eng	J HEAPS S LISLE Eng	B KEAN Sco J SHIRLEY Eng
1971/72	DENIS NEALE	ELAINE SMITH Sco	D NEALE P TAYLOR Eng	E SMITH C McBEATH Sco	R YULE E SMITH Sco
1972/73	TONY CLAYTON Eng	TERI LEHMANN Swi	L FOLDI M GRIMM Swi	E SMITH K ANGUS Sco	R YULE E SMITH Sco
1973/74	JIMMY WALKER Eng	CAROLE KNIGHT Eng	J WALKER D ANDERSON Eng	C KNIGHT B KEARNEY Eng	D ANDERSON C KNIGHT Eng
1974/75	NICKY JARVIS Eng	CAROLE KNIGHT Eng	N JARVIS J WALKER Eng	C KNIGHT J WALKER Eng	R YULE E SMITH Sco
1975/76	JIMMY WALKER Eng	CAROLE KNIGHT Eng	P DAY N JARVIS Eng	L HOWARD C KNIGHT Eng	P DAY Eng L HOWARD
1976/77	STEVE	ANGELA	S KNAPP	A MITCHELL	

	KNAPP Aus	MITCHELL Eng	R JAVOR Aus	J MARSH Eng	
YEAR	MENS SINGLES	WOMENS SINGLES	MENS DOUBLES	WOMENS DOUBLES	MIXED DOUBLES
1977/78	DONALD PARKER Eng	CAROLE KNIGHT Eng	N JARVIS D PARKER Eng	C KNIGHT Eng A STEVENSON	D PARKER Eng A STEVENSON
1978/79	JOHN HILTON	LEE KI WON KOREAN REP.	EVENT NOT COMPLETED	LEE KI WON KR JUNG KYUNG JA	EVENT NOT COMPLETED
1979/80	ROBERT TUCKETT Aus	MELODY LUDI Eng	R TUCKETT R JAVOR Aus	K WALKER A LEONARD Ire	M CRIMMINS M LUDI Eng
1974/75	TEAM EVENT	ENGLAND			
1975/76	TEAM EVENT	ENGLAND			
1976/77	TEAM EVENT	AUSTRALIA			

Year	Senior Men	Senior Women	Junior Boys	Junior Girls	Cadet Boys	Cadet Girls	Minor Boys	Minor Girls	Veterans
1969/70	WoS	DUND	WoS						
1971/72	EDIN	DUND	WoS						
1972/73	LANK	EDIN	WoS						
1974/75	EDIN	DUND	LANK						
1975/76	ABER	EDIN	EDIN						
1976/77	WoS	STIR	WoS						
1977/78	EDIN	DUND	WoS		WoS				
1978/79	EDIN	ST&M	ABER		WoS				
1979/80	EDIN	ST&M	WoS		STIR				
1980/81	EDIN	ST&M	WoS		STIR				
1981/82	WoS	WoS	WoS		WoS				
1982/83	EDIN	EDIN	WoS		ST&M				
1983/84	WoS	ST&M	ST&M	WoS	WoS	EDIN			
1984/85	WoS	ST&M	WoS	STIR	WoS	EDIN			
1985/86	WoS	ST&M	ST&M	ST&M	WD				
1986/87	WoS	ST&M	WoS	ST&M	WD				
1987/88	WoS	ST&M	WD	EDIN	WD				EDIN
1988/89	WoS	ST&M	WD	EDIN	ST&M	DUMF			
1989/90	WoS	EDIN	WD	EDIN	ST&M	ST&M			

Year	Senior Men	Senior Women	Junior Boys	Junior Girls	Cadet Boys	Cadet Girls	Minor Boys	Minor Girls	Veterans
1990/91	WoS	WoS	ST&M	STIR	WoS	DUMF			
1991/92	WoS	WoS	ST&M	STIR	ST&M	DUMF			
1992/93	ST&M	EDIN	ST&M	DUMF	ST&M	DUMF			
1993/94	WoS	EDIN	ST&M	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF			
1994/95	ST&M	EDIN	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF			
1995/96	ST&M	O&S	ABER		DUMF	PERTH			
1996/97	ABER	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF	PERTH	DUMF			
1997/98	ABER	DUMF	PERTH	DUMF	ABER	DUMF			
1998/99	ABER	EDIN	ABER	DUMF	EDIN	ABER			
1999/00	ABER	ABER	ABER	ABER	ABER	EDIN			
2000/01	ABER	DUMF	ABER	ABER	EDIN	SHET			
2001/02	ST&M	DUMF	ABER	EDIN	EDIN	SHET			
2002/03	ABER	DUMF	EDIN	PERTH	EDIN	EDIN			
2003/04	ST&M	ABER	ABER	EDIN	EDIN	DUMF			
2004/05	EDIN	ABER	EDIN		WoS	DUMF			
2005/06	WoS	WoS	WoS		DUMF	WoS	DUMF	EDIN	
2006/07	WoS	DUND	ST&M	WoS	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF	DUMF	ST&M
2007/08	EDIN	DUND	WoS	WoS	DUMF	EDIN	WoS	DUMF	ST&M
2008/09	WoS	DUND	WoS	EDIN	WoS	ST&M	ST&M	WoS	EDIN

The Stewart McGowan Inter League Trophy

A new trophy was bought for 2009 to be awarded to the Association with the most points gained from all the categories in the Inter League Event. Only the nominated 1st teams can gain points.

2009 West of Scotland

2010 West of Scotland

2011 Event did not take place

2012 West of Scotland

2013 West of Scotland

2014 West of Scotland

2015 Edinburgh

2016 Edinburgh

2017 West of Scotland

2018 West of Scotland

2019 Aberdeen

1947HELEN (ELLIOT) HAMILTON

Born in Edinburgh on 20th January 1927.

Helen did not take up table tennis until she was 16 when she played for Dalry First Aid Post before moving on to Murrayfield. She then had a long association along with Bert Kerr at the Gambit Club.

Only three years after taking up the sport, 1946 was the year everything took off when she won her first of 13 consecutive Women's Singles Titles at the Scottish Open. She also won the Irish Open Women's Singles Title in 1946.



Ann Haydon (Jones)

Helen

Rosalind Rowe

Helen gained her first Scottish cap in 1947 appearing in the World Championships in Paris where to her credit she reached the quarter finals of the women's singles. In the 1948 World Championships held at Wembley in London, Helen again reached the quarter finals in the women's singles. Incredibly, partnered by Dora Beregi of England, she also reached the final of the women's doubles only to lose to Mrs V. Thomas and Miss M. Franks of England.

In Stockholm, Sweden, in 1949 Helen had a new experienced partner at the 16th World Championships in Gizelle Farkas of Hungary. Helen became the first Scot to win a world title as she and Gizelle took the World Women's Doubles Title (W.J. Pope Trophy). Again Helen made it to the quarter finals of the singles.

In 1950 Helen travelled to Budapest, Hungary and played with previous partner Dora Beregi and retained her World Doubles Title. Helen if not consistent reached the quarter finals of the singles for the 4th consecutive year.

The World University Games in 1955 took place in Warsaw, Poland where Helen teamed up with another World Champion Angelica Rozeanu to win the Women's Doubles Title. Both Helen and Angelica contested the Women's Singles final with 6 times World Champion Angelica coming out as the winner.



Thirteen is said to be unlucky for some but not for Helen in 1958 as she won her 13th consecutive Scottish Open Women's Singles Title.

During her playing career Helen coached at Butlins Holiday Camps during the summer months alongside Johnny Leach. Skegness, Pithelli, Clacton, Bognor and Ayr were the holiday camps where they unearthed future table tennis talent between 1955 and 1973.

CAREER HISTORY

World Championships

Women's Doubles

Winner Stockholm 1949, Budapest 1950

Finalist Wembley 1948

Semi-final Bombay 1952

Quarter-final Utrecht 1955

Women's Singles

Quarter-final Paris 1947, Wembley 1948, Stockholm 1949

Budapest 1950 and Bombay 1952

Mixed Doubles

Finalist Utrecht 1955

Semi-final Stockholm 1957

Quarter-final Budapest 1950

Consolation Singles Finalist Stockholm 1957

World University Games

Women's Doubles Winner Warsaw 1955 with Angelica Rozeanu

Women's Singles Finalist Warsaw 1955

European Championships

Women's Singles Quarter-final Budapest 1958

Women's Doubles Quarter-final Budapest 1958

Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships (Inaugural Event)

Women's Doubles Quarter-final Singapore 1971

International Opens

Women's Singles

- Winner Irish Open 1946, Welsh Open 1951, German Open 1955,
Belgian Open 1957
- Final Irish Open 1947, Belgian Open 1946
- Semi-final Welsh Open 1947 & 1954, Belgian Open 1958

Women's Doubles

- Winner Belgian Open 1957 & 1958, Austrian Open 1958
- Final Irish Open 1947, Welsh Open 1947

Mixed Doubles

- Winner German Open 1955
- Final Irish Open 1947, Welsh Open 1947 & 1954,
Belgian Open 1957



English Open

At the time was second in importance to the World Championships. The English Open was held at Wembley every year except 1953 and 1956 where they were held in Manchester.

Women's Singles Women's Doubles Mixed Doubles

Winner

1950 with Victor Barna

1955 with Aubrey Simons

Final

1949 – 1950 – 1958

1950 – 1953

Semi-Final 1953 – 1955 – 1957 1949 1949 - 1953

Quarter-Final 1953 – 1956 1957 – 1958 1957 - 1958

English Open Tournaments

Women's Singles/Doubles & Mixed Doubles Titles

Event	Women's Singles	Women's Doubles	Mixed Doubles
Lancashire Open	1946,1949	1946,1949	1946
Empire News	1946		
Merseyside Open	1947-1948 1953-1954	1948,1954	1948,1953 1954
Yorkshire Open	1948,1954	1954	1954
Home Counties Open		1953	1953
Birmingham Open	1954	1954,1956	
South of England Open	1954,1956	1956	
Gwent Open	1954	1955	1954
East Suburban Open	1955		
Sussex Open			1955
Kent Open	1956	1956	1956
Midlands Open		1956	
North East England Open	1956	1956	1956
East of England Open	1956	1956	
North of England Open	1956	1956	1954,1956
Buckinghamshire Open	1956		1956
Essex Open	1957	1957	

Scottish Events

Open Singles Titles

Midlands Open – 1947 EoS Open – 1948 NoS Open - ???

Highland Open (Elgin) 1954

Open Doubles Title – ????- 1947 with Bert Kerr,
EoS Open – 1949 with Bert Kerr

Women's Singles Titles

EoS Open 1954 & 1971 Lanarkshire Open -1954 Highland Open - 1954
WoS Open – 1954

Women's Doubles Titles

West of Scotland Open 1954 - Meadowbank Open 1971 with Pat Kerr
East of Scotland Open 1971

Mixed Doubles Titles

West of Scotland Open – 1954 Meadowbank Open – 1971

Scottish Open

13 consecutive Women's Singles Titles – 1945 to 1958

9 Women's Doubles Titles 6 with Elizabeth Pithie 3 with Helen Houliston

6 Mixed Doubles Titles 5 with Bert Kerr 1 with Johnny Miller

Scottish National Championships (Closed)

Women's Singles Titles 1954 – 1956 – 1957 – 1958 - 1961

Women's Doubles Titles 1954 – 1956 – 1957 – 1958 - 1961

4 with Helen Houliston - 1 with M. Julins

Mixed Doubles Titles 1954 – 1957 – 1958 - 1961

3 with Bert Kerr - 1 with Ian Barclay

On many other occasions Helen reached the latter stages of all these events listed and are far too many to record here.

Helen was nominated president of the Commonwealth Table Tennis Federation twice in 1997 & 2009.



Sadly Helen passed away on 17th January 2013

ELAINE (SMITH) FORBES

Born in Forfar on April 7th 1955

Success came early for Elaine when at the age of 9 she was 'Girl of the Week' whilst on holiday at Butlin's Holiday camp in Ireland .

In the 1964 finals held at Bognor Regis camp Elaine was News of the World Tiny Tots Champion.

Elaine repeated her triumph in 1966 and 1967 at the News of the World sponsored event.

Elaine's first senior title was at the age of 14 where she won the North of Scotland Open Women's Singles.

1st Junior International Cap was against England in 1968/69 season and the following year she gained her senior cap at the English Open.

In 1971 Scotland played China at Meadowbank Edinburgh. A team of Elaine, Kathy Angus, Malcolm Sugden, Richard Yule and Eric Sutherland with npc Harry Baxter lost in a creditable 5 – 3 defeat with wins from Elaine, Malcolm and Richard.

In 1972 Elaine entered Edinburgh University studying History and Politics and attained a MA hons Degree. In her first year she was awarded her full blue colours for Table Tennis. Elaine won the Women's Singles at the Scottish and British University Championships 3 years in a row as well as a few Women's and Mixed Doubles Titles.

In 1973 Elaine lost in the quarter finals of the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Wales and gained a No 8 Commonwealth ranking.

In 1974 she won the Women's Singles at an invitation event in Bergen, Norway.

In the same year Elaine was selected to play for British Universities in a Quadrangular event against Germany, Belgium and Netherlands where she won all her team matches. In the individual matches she won the Women's Singles and Mixed Doubles.

Also in 1974 Elaine returned to Butlin's for the Summer but this time as a coach at the camp in Ayr.

At the 1975 Spanish Open Elaine was unbeaten in the team event and partnered by Richard Yule was the Mixed Doubles Champions.

At the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Guernsey in 1977 Elaine won the silver medal in the Consolation Singles.

In 1977 Elaine's Table Tennis future was in doubt after a virus attack her knee injury. It was not all bad news as Elaine was appointed Deputy Manager at the new Lasswade High School Centre.

Elaine's return to top flight table tennis was in 1981/82 and she had immediate success by winning trebles at many of the open tournaments she entered which impressed the selectors enough for her to be included in the team to play in the European Championships and the 1983 World Championships in Tokyo.

In 1988 Elaine won the Scottish Coach of the Year Award presented by the British Association of National Coaches for her work at Lasswade Table Tennis Club.

Elaine played for top clubs wherever she was which included; Perth City Boys Club, Rifle Club Dundee and Edinburgh University.

In 2009 although now in her 50's Elaine is still competing in and winning Scottish Events.

Scottish Open

Women's Singles Champion 1972
Women's Doubles Champion 1972 with C. McBeath
1973 with Kathy Angus
Mixed Doubles Champion 1972, 1973 and 1975
All with Richard Yule

Scottish Closed

Junior Girls Champion 1970 and 1972
Women's Singles Champion 1971, 1975 and 1976
Women's Doubles Champion 1970 with Kathy Angus
1975 with Patrice Fleming
2009 with Gillian Edwards
Mixed Doubles Champion 1975 and 1976 with Richard Yule

In 2012 Elaine was conferred as an Honorary Vice President of Table Tennis Scotland.

Richard Yule

Born in Aberdeen in 1950

In the 1970's Richard worked for S.W. Hancock run by Johnny Leach manufacturing Table Tennis bats.

Richard's first senior cap was in 1970 against Wales.

From 1971 Richard studied languages at Edinburgh University, and at the Sorbonne in Paris, Richard studied French Language and Civilisation. In 1982 he left Jordonhill College of Education with a Bed Hons in Physical Education.

In 1971 Richard won the Scottish Universities Men's Singles title but lost in the final of the British Universities Championships to Tony Clayton of England after beating Graham Davies of Wales in the Semi-Final.

In the same year Richard coached at Butlins Clacton for the Summer.

At the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships in Cardiff Richard won the Bronze medal in the Men's Singles.

Richard was part of the Scottish team that won the team event at the 1974 Spanish Open. Richard went on to win the Men's Singles and the Mixed Doubles with Grace McKay.

In 1975 while playing for A.S. Messine (TTC) he started a rare treble by winning the French National League, the English National League with Sealink Milton Keynes in 1980 and the Scottish national League with Aberdeen in 1982.

In 1989 Richard was the Non-Playing Captain of the Scottish Women's Team that won the Bronze at Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships at Cardiff.

Richard retired from playing at National level in 1985 in which time he had amassed 285 Scotland caps. This was a record at the time for a Scottish Sportsman. He had played in 6 World Championships, 7 European Championships and 6 Commonwealths. Chester Barnes, Nicky Jarvis and Dennis Neale were all England's No1 when they were defeated by Richard. He worked in Edinburgh for the Scottish Sports Council before becoming the Director of Coaching and Development for the Scottish Table Tennis Association. From 1995 until he retired in 2013 Richard was the Chief Executive of the English Table Tennis Association. He was also elected to be a Director of C.C.P.R. in July 2005 for a two year term and was re-elected in 2007.

Scottish Open

Mixed Doubles Champion in 1972,1973 and 1975 all with Elaine (Smith) Forbes.

Scottish National Championships

Men's Singles 1971 & 1972 and from 1975 through to 1980

Men's Doubles 1972, 1974, 1975 to 1978, 1980, 1981 and 1985
Partners included Bert Kerr, Patrick Forker, John McNee(3), John Moir, and John Broe(3).

Mixed Doubles 1975 through to 1980 and 1982
Partners included Elaine (Smith) Forbes(2), Patrice Fleming(2) and Carole Dalrymple(3).

Scottish Open Tournaments

Beneagles Open, Perth – MS 1977 MD 1977 XD 1975

Neil Foley Sports Open – MS 1977

Lanark Open (Monklands) – Open Doubles 1981, 1983

Midlands Open – MS 1977 XD 1977

Stirlingshire Open – MS 1984

Strathclyde Open – MS 1978 OD 1978

West of Scotland Open – MS 1976, 1979, 1981
MD 1979,1983 XD 1976, 1979
G E Williamson Open – MS 1983

Richard received the Harry Baxter award in 1989 for services to Scottish Table Tennis.

Richard remains the International Relations Director for the Swathling Club.

In 2012 Richard was conferred by Table Tennis Scotland with the title of Honorary Vice President.

In 2013 Richard was presented with the Award of Merit from the I.T.T.F. at their AGM in Paris.



In 2014 Richard was appointed Chief Operating Officer for Table Tennis Scotland.

CAROLE DALRYMPLE

Born Falkirk, 25th May 1963

Carole gained her first senior cap at the age of 13.

Carole's career was interrupted twice through injury, although they had nothing to do with table tennis. She broke her leg in 1978 playing football and then missed most of the 1983/84 season due to a broken collarbone suffered in a motorcycle accident.

In 1979 at the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships in Edinburgh Carole reached the semi-final of the consolation singles. She went one better at the 1982 European Championships in Budapest, Hungary where she won silver in the consolation singles.

Carole was a member of the Scottish team which won the Home Countries Quadrangular Championships for the first time in its 13 year history.

At the Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships held in Cardiff in 1989 Carole, Janet Smith and Eleanor McIlroy won a bronze medal in the Women's Team Event with n.p.c. Richard Yule.

Scottish National Championships

Junior Girls 1976, 1977, 1978 and 1980

Mixed Doubles 1979 to 1983, 1985 and 1987

Partners included Richard Yule, Ricky Nixon,
David Hannah and Gerry Campbell.

Women's Doubles 1979 to 1988, 10 consecutive titles

Partners included Margaret Cuthbertson,
Patrice Fleming, Valerie Thomson, Elaine Forbes,
Lynn Johnston, Janet Smith and Liz Robb.

Women's Singles 1980 to 1988, 9 consecutive titles

Scottish Open Tournaments

Beneagles Open, Perth – WS 1976, 1977 – WD 1976

Neil Foley Sports Open – WS 1977

Knightswood Open – WS 1983

Korrugal Open, Falkirk – WS 1989

Lanark Open (Monklands) – WS 1972, 1978, 1981, 1983, 1984, 1987
WD – 1987 XD – 1981, 1984

Midlands Open – WS 1979, 1985 WD 1979, 1982, 1991

Strathclyde Open – WS 1978

Stirlingshire Open - WS 1984, 1985

West of Scotland Open – WS 1979, 1980, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987,
1988 WD 1979, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1992

G E Williamson Open – WS 1983 WD 1983

Tragically Carole committed suicide in 2004





DAVID HANNAH

Born Hamilton

David gained his first cap in 1980

David played in the Bundesliga for Hertha Berlin.

Scottish National Championships

Mixed Doubles 1983 with Carole Dalrymple

Men's Doubles 1982 with Anwar Majid
1987, 1988 and 1990 with John Broe.

Men's Singles 1981 to 1990 10 consecutive titles

Scottish Open Tournaments

Lanark Open (Monklands) – MS 1984, 1985 MD 1987 with John Broe

West of Scotland Open – MS 1981, 1983, 1984 1987

MD 1981 with Anwar Majid 1983, 1987 both with John Broe



Euan Walker

Born East Kilbride, 11th May 1972

Euan started playing table tennis at home and soon competed in his first tournament at the age of seven. Although he did not win the schools event that year, he succeeded in 1980.

Euan's first club was the East Kilbride Table Tennis Club.

Being runner-up at the Scottish Primary Schools Championships was probably Euan's breakthrough that led him to be invited to national training at Inverclyde with national coach Graham Davies. At about the same time Euan was invited to Bellahouston Sports Club to train under Andy Fleming which gave him the quality practice against other Scottish Internationalists on a regular basis.

Euan's first international as a Cadet was in 1986 with a European League Match in 1990 being his first of over 200 Senior Internationals.

Coaches played an influential role in his career from Bill Cummings at East Kilbride to Graham Davies, Andy Fleming, Richard Yule, David Fairholm and Kevin Satchell.

Apart from winning a record 12 Scottish Men's Singles titles, Euan's fondest memories were spending a month training in Japan, and parading with the Scottish Team at the Opening Ceremony at the 2002 Commonwealth Games in Manchester.

Euan attended 7 World Championships,
6 European Championships,
5 Commonwealth Table Tennis Championships,
4 European Youth Championships and
1 Commonwealth Games

He also played in the European League 1990 – 2005 and the Home Countries Internationals 1990 – 2005.

Other notable achievements were winning 3 British Men's Singles titles, a World ranking of 200 at the age of 17, runner-up at the U.S. Open under 22 Men's Singles, runner-up at the European Championships Consolation Event, and being undefeated at the 2001 World Championships Team Event.

He was International Schools Champion in 1990 and was given a Commonwealth ranking of 11 in 1995. His biggest wins were Oliver Marmurek of France, and England's Alan Cooke, Carl Prean and Matthew Syed when Matthew was World ranked at No. 33.

Scottish National Championships

Cadet Boys 1986

Junior Boys 1987,1989

Mixed Doubles 1990 with Janet Smith

1996 Catherine Symond

1997 Sarah Hurry

Men's Doubles 1993,1996 and 1998 with Ian Stokes

1999 with his brother Blair Walker

Men's Singles 1992, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999,
2000, 2001, 2002, 2004 and 2006.

After his win in 2006 Euan promptly announced his retiral from competitive table tennis.

IN 2013 Euan was appointed by C.G.S. as Scottish Team Manager for the 2014 Commonwealth Games.



GAVIN RUMGAY

Born:- Perth 27th August 1984

Highest Rankings:- World No. 212 (Nov 14),
New World Ranking System 111 (March 2018), Europe No. 123,
Commonwealth 10th

Ranked 6th in the World Championships of Ping Pong (hard bat)
Gavin has spent 780 weeks consecutively (15years) as Scotland No1
(2020)

Gavin had a gap year after leaving school then headed for Sweden to spend a year training with the Swedish U21 National Team. In 2005 signed for BTK Kalmar where he improved dramatically through practicing with the 1988 North Korean Olympic Gold Medallist Kim Song.

Gavin's professional clubs:-

BTK Kalmar – Sweden Elite League – 12% wins

Immo Mortsel – Belgium Elite League – 70%

BTK Rekord – Sweden Elite League – 50%

PPC Villeneuve – France Professional B League – 65%

UGS Chenois – Switzerland Elite League – 85% wins over 6 years

Leiselheim – German 2nd Bundesliga – 50%

SV Velbert – German 3rd Bundesliga -

Best results

World Championships – (9 World singles & 6 World Team

Championships) Last 128 in singles (5times) & Last 64 in mixed doubles with Gillian Edwards. 2013

Europeans – 2011 Last 32 losing 4-2 to Jorgen Persson

Commonwealth Games – (4 Championships) Last 16 singles 3 times

Commonwealths – Q/F 2007

Gavin led the Scottish Team to the Bronze Medal at the CTTC in Delhi in May 2013 winning 8 out of 10 matches. Unfortunately Gavin who was seeded 12th for the singles event had to withdraw through illness.

Won 2016 Ulster Open Men's Singles title

Gavin reached the Semi-Final of the Nigerian Open (2018) to win a Bronze Medal and a Quarter-finalist in the North Korean Open (2019)

Gavin reached the Semi-Final of the World Championships of Ping Pong in London to win the Bronze Medal in 2020 having previously been a Quarter-finalist in 2014, 2015 & 2016



Gavin's finest wins include:- Xu Hui (World No. 7) , Sun Jian (World No. 30), Ding Yi (Olympic Medallist for China) Lin Ju (World No 39), Paul Drinkhall (5 times) England No2, Gareth Herbert (6 times) England No1, Christian Suss (World Junior No1), Patrick Baum (World Junior No8, Kristian Karlsson (Sweden Team), Mattias Karlsson World Silver Medal), Constantine Cioti (European Junior Champ) and Janos Jacob (European Junior Champ).

Gavin has been very successful on the English Grand Prix Circuit where his current Grand Prix wins is 26. These titles include:-

Bristol 2011/12, 2012/13, 2014/15 and 2015/16
Cardiff 2006/07, 2011/12, 2012/13
Liverpool 2006/07, 2007/08, 2008/09 and 2009/10
London 2012/13, 2018/19
Doncaster 2007/08
Wolverhampton 2008/09, 2009/10, and 2010/11
Salisbury 2009/10
Suffolk 2011/12 and 2012/13
Sussex 2012/13
Woodwell 2012/13

Gavin has won 4 consecutive Grand Prix Champions Titles in coming out top in the GP points table. 2006, 2007, 2008 & 2009

Gavin in 2015 became the first Scot to win the Individual and Team titles in the same year.

In the British National League Gavin played for Barrow who won the Premier Division in 2010/11

Scottish National Championships

Minor Boys 1997

Cadet Boys 1997 and 1998

Junior Boys 1998, 2000, 2001 and 2002

Mixed Doubles 2008, 2009 & 2010 all with Rebecca Russell

Men's Doubles 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2006 with Niall Cameron
2014 & 2015 with Craig Howieson

Men's Singles 2003, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013,
2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019 A record 14



Bert Kerr

Born Edinburgh 1933

Bert started playing for Gambit aged 14 in the 1948/49 season.

Gambit won the Edinburgh & District league title 31 times between 1944 and 1981 and the Scottish Team Cup 28 times 1946-1950 / 1952 / 1954-57 / 1959 and 1962-1974.

Gambit provided all 5 players for the 1955 World Championships, Tommy McMichael, Bert Kerr, Ian Barclay, Helen Elliot and Helen Houliston.

While on National Service Bert played 2 seasons for Rheydt RSU in the German Oberliga with Eberhard Scholer. Under Scholer's influence Bert developed a more defensive style.

Bert gained his first Scotland Cap in 1953 and played in 5 World Championships, London 1954, Utrecht 1955, Stockholm 1957, Prague 1963 and Ljubljana 1965 to take his international appearances to 166.

Appointed by the S.T.T.A. in 2002 as an Honorary Life Member.

Scottish Open

Mixed Doubles 5 titles 1950-1954 with Helen Elliot

Men's Doubles 3 titles 1959 and 1960 with Ian Barclay and 1961 with Michael McMillan.

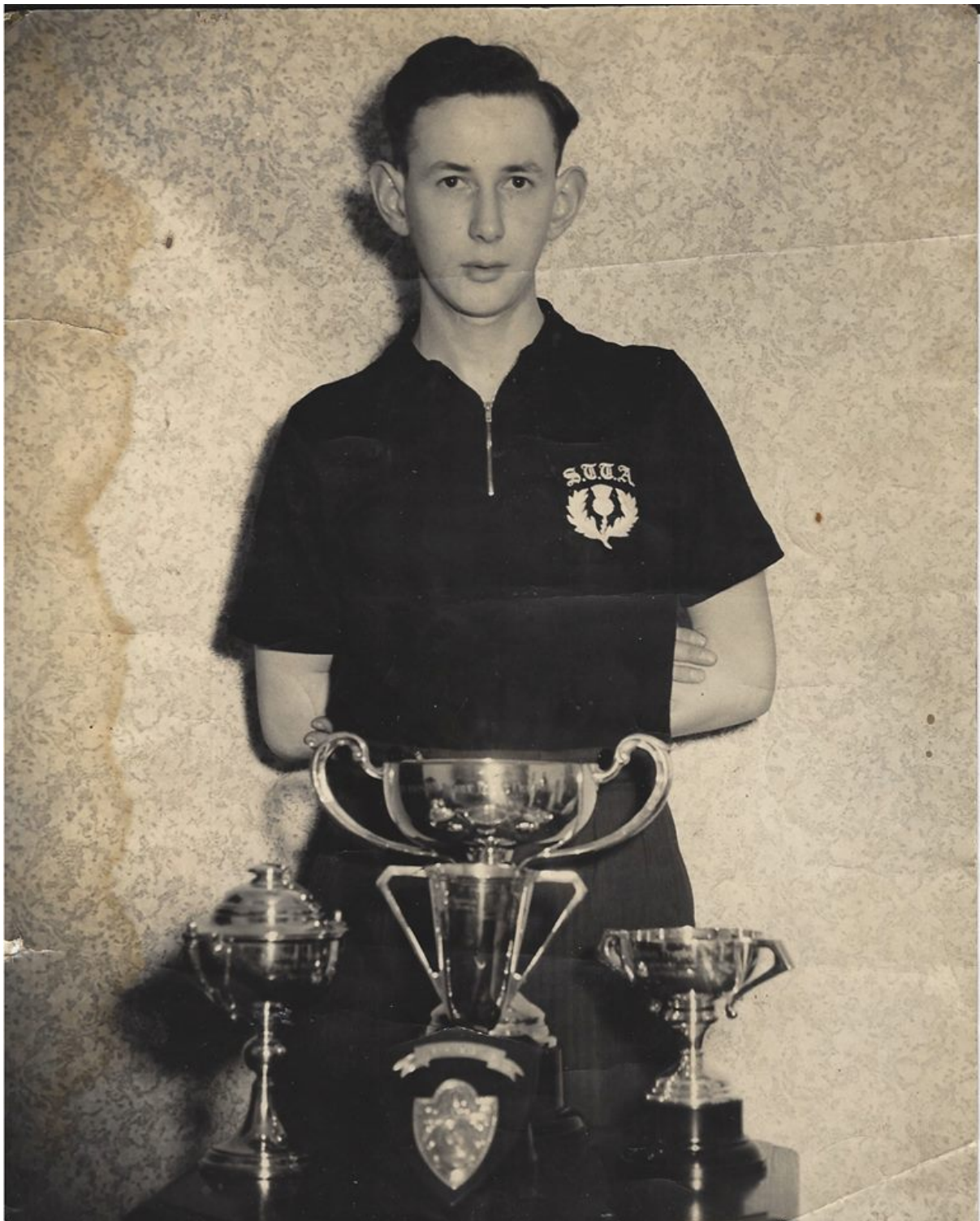
Scottish National Championships

Men's Singles 5 titles 1958/1959/1962/1965/1973

Veteran's Singles 5 titles 1976 – 1980

Men's Doubles 7 title 1954(Michael McMillan) 1958/1959(Ian Barclay) 1965/1966(Tommy McMichael) 1972(Richard Yule) and 1973(Ram Bhalla).

Mixed Doubles 6 titles 1954/1957/1958/1971(Helen Elliot) 1962(Pat Kerr) 1973(Grace McKay)



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