

## It's Pride and joy as volunteers are honoured

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Dozens of hard-working and dedicated volunteers have been recognised in the local stage of the Pride of Table Tennis Awards.

Clubs and Leagues all over the country have named their Club / League Volunteers of the Year for 2016/2017.

Winners have been awarded a Pride of Table Tennis Club or League Volunteer of the year certificate to recognise and celebrate their achievements.

The awards have been presented in a many ways including at presentation nights, league matches and training sessions and with friends, family and communities all coming together.

All Club / League winners have been put forward into the Regional Award under the Pride of Table Tennis Award. Regional winners will be publicly announced in the New Year.

Following this, successful Regional Winners and National Award nominations will be put forward into the National Pride of Table Tennis Awards, where a panel will decide the shortlisted finalist. The Shortlisted Finalists will be invited to the PG Mutual National Championships in March where they will find out if they are successful.

Table Tennis England's Volunteer Development Officer Lucy Budworth said:

We have received an amazing number of almost 70 local winner of Club / League Volunteer of the Year across the country, which shows how important volunteers are to table tennis.

It's great to see so many clubs and leagues making sure they value and thanks their volunteers for the countless hours they put in to help our sport thrive.

If any clubs or leagues have not yet been let us know about their winners, please send your pictures and a small brief to [prideoftabletennis@tabletennisengland.co.uk](mailto:prideoftabletennis@tabletennisengland.co.uk)

The Pride of Table Tennis Awards aims to celebrate and thank our unsung heroes in table tennis. If you didn't nominate this year, then keep an eye out for the next season's Pride of Table Tennis Awards – nominations will open next year.

**Well done to all of the Club / League Volunteers of the Year:**

Phil Wright – Abbeydale Park Table Tennis Club  
Craig Dring – Beaumont Accountancy Nomads  
Maureen Hazell – Blades Table Tennis Club  
Arthur Clark – Chelmsford Table Tennis Club  
Sunjay Thakker – Cippenham Table Tennis Club  
Kelly Southward – Garstang Table Tennis Club  
Ian Hook – Greatwood Primary School Table Tennis Club  
Vassilis Karatzios – Kidlington Forum Table Tennis Club  
Sophie Richardson – Loop Table Tennis Club  
Robert King – Norwich and District Table Tennis League  
Stuart Laws – Norwich and Wymondham League  
Sam Carson – Norwich City Table Tennis  
Jim Hurford – Stroud League & Stroud Table Tennis Club  
Beverly Sharp – Thwaites Table Tennis Club  
Ian McCarthy – Wandsworth and District Table Tennis League  
David Kells – Warren Springs Table Tennis Club  
Nathan Lowrey – Whitehaven Harbour Youth Project Table Tennis Club  
David Mawdesley – Wigan and District Table Tennis League  
Mick Smith – Bishop Auckland Table Tennis Club  
Carol Rodway – Bishop Auckland Table Tennis Club  
Brian Jackson – Blackpool League  
Jasmine Chan – Ellenborough Table Tennis Club  
Ron Smith – Ellenborough Table Tennis Club  
Brian Freer – Ely and District Table Tennis League  
Andy Meads – KeePING Active  
David Morley – Knighton Park Table Tennis Club  
Trevor Free – Merrow Table Tennis Club  
Richard Costall – Nuneaton Table Tennis League  
Caroline Hanson – Thanet Vikings Club  
Kieran Alvey – The Albert Premier Table Tennis Club  
Harold Webb – Winchmore Hill Table Tennis Club & Ellenborough Table Tennis Club  
Terry Bailey – Alexandra Blenheim Table Tennis Academy  
Jane Milward – Baildon, Bradford League  
Malcom Sealey – Bridgewater District Table Tennis League  
Rob Millard – Bridgewater District Table Tennis League  
Craig Weaver – Carlton Le Willows Academy  
John Wickings – Chesterfield Warriors Club & Canterbury League  
Campbell McKellar – Club Karma  
Adam Wilson – Corby Smash Table Tennis Club  
Neil Wilkinson – East Boldon Table Tennis Club  
Valerie Clack – Ferndale Table Tennis Club  
Trevor Campbell – Fusion Table Tennis Club  
John Dennison – Fusion Table Tennis Club  
Jan Lunn – Halton Table Tennis Club  
Robyn Cosgrove – Halton Table Tennis Club  
Naushad Tejani – Hampton Club  
Teresa Bennett – Hastings and District TTA (League)  
Ryan Jowsey – Jowsey Table Tennis Club  
John Mckay – Littleton Table Tennis Club  
Albert Wood – London Table Tennis Academy

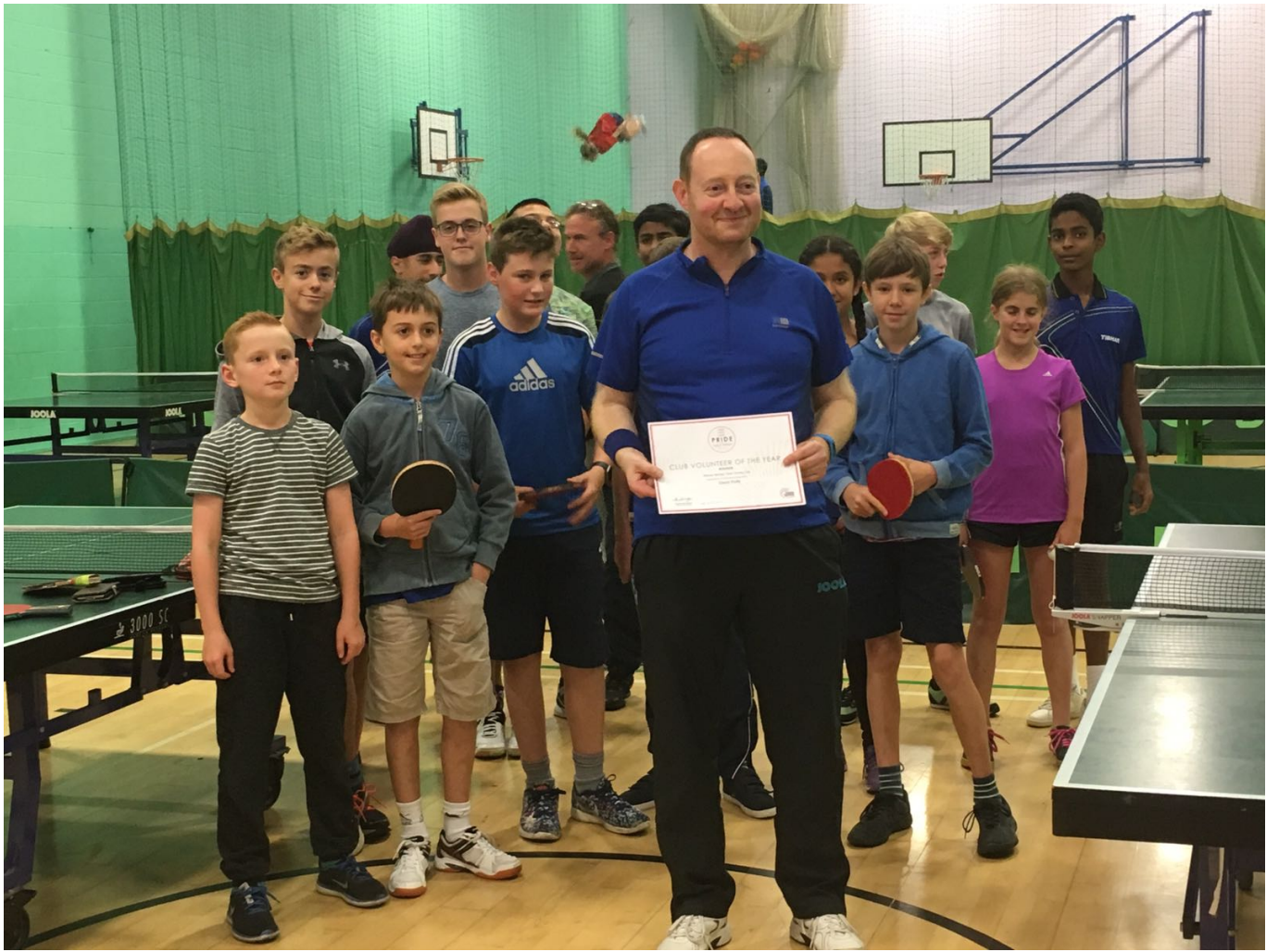
Eamon Brennan – London Table Tennis Academy  
Roy Bayliss – Long Eaton and Draycot  
Brenda Bailey – Macclesfield  
Steve Hemmings – New Milton Table Tennis Club  
Malcom Floyd – New Milton Table Tennis Club  
Lindsey Dare – Norwich and District Table Tennis League & Wensum Table Tennis Club  
Derek Connop – Portishead Table Tennis Club  
Chris Johnson – Rotherham Scorpions & Rotherham Table Tennis League  
Cheryl Mckeown – Sheffield Table Tennis League  
Barry Hayward – Streetly Table Tennis Club  
Conrad Stoddart – Sycamore Table Tennis Club  
Victor Bonfante – Torbay Table Tennis Academy  
Pauline Williams – Warboys Table Tennis Club  
Brian Wilde – Warminster Table Tennis Club  
Robert Bootyman – Wensum Table Tennis Club  
Sam Rock – Wensum Table Tennis Club



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