

# William Bayley



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Gender	M
Handicap class	7
Country	Great Britain
Right-handed	

## International records

Year	Event	Town	Results
2011	<b>European Championships</b>	<a href="#">Split</a> (Croatia)	Gold <a href="#">Men's singles class 7</a>
			Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 7</a>
	British Open	<a href="#">Sheffield</a> (Great Britain)	Bronze <a href="#">Men's singles class 7</a>
			Bronze <a href="#">Men's teams class 7</a>
	Bayreuth Open 2011	<a href="#">Bayreuth</a> (Germany)	Gold <a href="#">Men's teams class 7</a>
			Silver <a href="#">Men's singles class 7</a>
	Slovakia Open	<a href="#">Piestany</a> (Slovakia)	Silver <a href="#">Men's singles class 7</a>
			Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 7</a>
	Dutch Open 2011	<a href="#">Rotterdam</a> (Netherlands)	Silver <a href="#">Men's singles class 7</a>

Will Bayley has been dubbed by Channel 4 TV as: the “bad boy of disability table tennis”. Charismatic and popular, Will is currently ranked number 1 in the world in class 7. He lives in Sheffield and trains at the English Institute of Sport in Sheffield with the GB Para table tennis squad. His most impressive performance so far was at the European Championships in October 2011 when he took his first major title by becoming European Champion, winning the Class 7 Singles. In the class 7 team event, he added to his gold by taking the silver with his teammate Paul Karabardak

His medal tally on the international circuit for 2011 was 2 golds, 5 silvers and 2 bronze.

# Aaron McKibbin



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Gender	M
Handicap class	8
Country	Great Britain
Right-handed	

International records			
Year	Event	Town	Results
2011	Copa Tango IX	<a href="#">Buenos Aires</a> (Argentina)	Silver <a href="#">Men's singles class 8</a>
			Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 8-9</a>
	Czech Open	<a href="#">Ostrava</a> (Czech Republic)	Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 8</a>
	British Open	<a href="#">Sheffield</a> (Great Britain)	Bronze <a href="#">Men's teams class 8</a>
	Brazil Open 2011	<a href="#">Rio de Janeiro</a> (Brazil)	Gold <a href="#">Men's singles class 8</a>
			Gold <a href="#">Men's teams class 8</a>
Romania Open 2011	<a href="#">Cluj Napoca</a> (Romania)	Bronze <a href="#">Men's teams class 8</a>	

Aaron McKibbin lives in Sheffield and trains at the English Institute of Sport in Sheffield with the GB Para table tennis squad. His current world ranking in his class is 15. His most impressive performance so far was at the European Championships in October 2011 when he exceeded all expectations by reaching the bronze medal play-off, having lost in the semi-final of the Class 8 singles event. He finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place.

In 2011, Aaron won 2 golds, 3 silvers and 2 bronze medals at international tournaments.

# David Wetherill



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Gender	M
Handicap class	6
Country	Great Britain
Right-handed	

International records			
Year	Event	Town	Results
2011	Czech Open	<a href="#">Ostrava</a> (Czech Republic)	Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 6</a>
			Bronze <a href="#">Men's singles class 6</a>
	Bayreuth Open 2011	<a href="#">Bayreuth</a> (Germany)	Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 6</a>
			Bronze <a href="#">Men's singles class 6</a>
	8 <sup>th</sup> Slovenia Open	<a href="#">Lasko</a> (Slovenia)	Bronze <a href="#">Men's teams class 6</a>
	Lignano Master Open	<a href="#">Lignano</a> (Italy)	Silver <a href="#">Men's teams class 6</a>
Bronze <a href="#">Men's singles class 6</a>			

David Wetherill is our most severely disabled standing athlete. He plays with a crutch and competes in Class 6. David lives in Sheffield and trains at the English Institute of Sport in Sheffield with the GB Para table tennis squad. His current world ranking in his class is 157. His most impressive performance so far was at the European Championships in October 2011 when he reached the bronze medal play-off, having lost in the semi-final of the Class 6 singles event. He finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place.

In 2011, David won 2 silvers and 4 bronze medals at international tournaments.