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# Royal Dynasty Tournament Meadowmill 2012



A selection of the winners, from left to right: Lara Stirling, Calum Morrison, Alex Wheeler, Jamie Arnott, Jason Fleming, Christopher Wheeler, Colin Dalglish



Edinburgh hosted a team of 6 players and their Coach Peter Borg Cadrona from Malta at ESC

# The Edinburgh and Lothians Table Tennis League

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Welcome to the 2012-13 season in the Edinburgh and Lothians Table-Tennis League. Many of us will have seen the table-tennis at the Olympics in London, a novelty for these Games were the dedicated 24 High Definition Olympic sports channels on the television. The standards at the top of the world game are truly high, but let those lofty standards inspire, not daunt, us.

The League Committee have had to implement a modest degree of League restructuring over the summer, to equalise the number of teams in each Division.

Royal Dynasty continue to sponsor us, and the Royal Dynasty Tournament will be held in due course most likely at Meadowmill.

We will hopefully run the Edinburgh Closed tournament on Sunday 9th December, probably in Penicuik. The Edinburgh Schools tournament will be at North Merchiston in January 2013.



At the end of the 2011-2012 season Murrayfield, fielding a team all of whom were too young to vote, finally ended North Merchiston's nine-year reign at the top of the Edinburgh League. Murrayfield's team included Christopher Wheeler, who, astonishingly for a boy just 12 years of age for the vast majority of the season, remained undefeated in the Premier Division.

There have been several changes to the League Office-Bearers. We are grateful to our former Treasurer Eddie Scott for his four years of service. We welcome Kirsten and Moira Atkinson who will combine to fulfil the Treasurer duties. Alas, one enforced and unplanned change concerns the Match Secretary. We are still in shock from the sudden death on 1st November 2011 of the vastly-experienced John Glen, who had been League Match Secretary for three decades, and we are very thankful that Russell Frith agreed to step in at short notice, and remains in post.

Lastly, we will be starting a new online scoring system, devised by Robert Inder. We will run it in parallel with the old scorecards this season, but for the 2013-2014 season we will be recording the match results electronically only.

Ken Benjamin  
President

# Player of the year Award



**This years player of the year award goes to Colin Dalglish from Murrayfield Memorial Club for his outstanding season winning the Scottish and 6 Nations Junior Title, as well as League Championships, Scottish Inter-League Champions, Scottish National League and Handicap Cup.**

## Past Winners

2010/11	L Muir	2001/02	Penicuik Club	1991/92	K Cadogan	1982/83	J McKenzie
2009/10	J Oughton	2000/01	T Hook	1990/91	R Copeland	1981/82	K McKenzie
2008/09	Corstorphine Club	1998/99	A Collier	1989/90	W Gibbs	1980/81	H Purvis
2007/08	K Cadogan	1997/98	H Findlay	1988/89	M Knox	1979/80	E Forbes
2006/07	Muirhouse Team	1996/97	T Killin	1987/88	C Robertson	1978/79	P Kerr
2005/06	G Oliver	1995/96	I Purvis	1986/87	L Hood	1977/78	G Mackay
2004/05	C Howieson	1994/95	M MacLaren	1985/86	W Moffat	1976/77	B Dawson
2003/04	J Glen	1993/94	P Lugton	1984/85	M Cook	1975/76	R Kerr
2002/03	D Atkins	1992/93	L Muir	1983/84	G Turnbull		

# Constitution

1. The league shall be known as the “Edinburgh & Lothians Table Tennis League”

2. The League shall affiliate to Table Tennis Scotland.

3. Object : to promote, develop, and control, the game of table tennis within the city of Edinburgh and the Lothians.

4.(a) The Office-Bearers shall consist of – the President, Vice-President, Honorary Secretary, Honorary Match Secretary, Honorary Match Secretary, whom with members to be elected at the Annual General Meeting will constitute the committee. Each club with 3 or more teams will be required to nominate at least one member and at least 4 members will be elected. The committee shall be elected annually and any retiring member shall be eligible for re-election. No club shall be entitled to have more than 3 representatives on the Committee.

(b) The Committee shall have power to co-opt members who will not have Voting Power but who are not subject to the proviso in the final sentence of paragraph 4(a).

(c) The Committee shall elect a Chairman at its first meeting following the Annual General Meeting.

5. The Annual General Meeting shall be held by 15 May, and each Club in the League shall be entitled to send one Representative for each two teams, or part thereof, entered in the League. The Meeting shall be called by Circular to each Club, together with Motions to be discussed, and fourteen days notice of the Meeting shall be given. At the Annual General Meeting each Representative shall have one Vote.

6. The Monies of the League will be deposited with the Bank of Scotland. All cheques must be signed by the Honorary Treasurer and countersigned by one of the undermentioned, namely, The President, or one nominated Committee Member. The specimen signatures to be lodged with the Bank annually by the 15 June.

7. Honoraria, the amount of which shall be determined the Annual General Meeting, shall be paid to such Officials as recommended at the Annual General Meeting.

8. A Special General Meeting of the League shall be convened on a Resolution of the Committee, or within 14 days of receipt by the Secretary of a Resolution signed

by the authorised representatives of at least one-third of the Clubs in membership of the League, and paragraph 5 of the Constitution and paragraph of the Constitution respecting circulation of Notices and Procedure shall apply as at the Annual General Meeting. Only “Business” detailed on the Agenda, which shall be circulated to all Clubs in League membership, may be discussed at a Special General Meeting. There shall be no ‘Any other Business’ item on the Agenda.

9. The Committee shall have powers to decide matters arising in connection with the League. The Committee shall have power to appoint representatives from each Division of the League to meet as necessary during the Playing Season to discuss the affairs of all Divisions.

10. Five shall form a Quorum of the League Committee, and the Chairman of the Meeting shall have a deliberate as well as a casting Vote.

11. The Constitution and Rules shall only be capable of being altered, added to, or amended, on notice being given to the League Secretary of any proposed alteration, not later than the end of March, which notice shall give in detail any proposed alteration, addition, or amendment. A motion to alter, amend, or add to the to the Constitution and Rules must be carried at the Annual General Meeting by a majority of at least two-thirds of those present and Voting at the Meeting.

**Membership:** Membership is open to all and no application for membership will be refused on other than reasonable grounds. There will be no discrimination on grounds of race, occupation, sex or religious, political or other opinion.

**Dissolution:** If, upon the winding up or dissolution of the League there remains after the satisfaction of all the League’s debts and liabilities any property whatsoever, the same shall be given or transferred to some other organisation or organisations having objects (that is, aims and activities) similar to the objects of the League, such organisation or organisations to be determined by the members of the League by Resolution passed at a General meeting at or before the time of the dissolution, and in so far as effect cannot be given to such provision then to some charitable objects.

**Equity:** The League operates an Equal Opportunities Policy where no one is denied the right to equal access on the grounds of age, race, creed, colour, gender, disability, occupation, religion, sexual orientation or political persuasion or marital status or having or not having dependants. Where there is equality of opportunity in terms of the playing rights and the rights of members to attend general meetings, vote and hold office.

**Protection:** The League is fully committed to safeguarding the welfare of all children in its care. It recognises the responsibility to promote safe practice and to protect children from harm, abuse and exploitation. Staff and volunteers will work together to embrace difference and diversity and respect the rights of children and young people.



# ELTTL Rules

1. The games under the League shall be played according to the Rules of Table Tennis Scotland (TTS)
2. The league shall be open to such clubs in Edinburgh and the Lothians as the Committee may decide. A club may enter more than one team in the league, but each team so entered must pay in advance an annual subscription to be determined at the Annual General Meeting of the league, plus such sums as are payable to the TTS.

3. All players must be registered members of the club for which they play. All players must be registered with the TTS at least 24 hours before playing in any match. **Players registered mid-season should have their registration confirmed with TTS who will furnish an appropriate membership number.**

Should any team play a non-registered player then all games won by that team, in the match in question, shall be void, and will be awarded to the opposing team.

A player may transfer clubs during the season as long as his/her previous club agrees. It is the responsibility of the new club to re-register the player, and provide the League Match Secretary with the written or electronic agreement of the previous club, at least 24 hours before playing for their new club. The Match Secretary should agree the relative playing strength of the registering player.

4. No team shall play in any match until all fees are paid. Any team failing to comply with this rule shall forfeit all matches from the start of their season until all Fees are paid.

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6. Any club entering more than one team in the League should register their 3 strongest players in the first team, their next 3 strongest in the second team, and so on in order of playing strength for all teams. The committee shall have the power to refuse the registration of any player where his/her playing strength warrants his / her playing for a higher team. No player shall be allowed to play for a lower team than the one he/she is registered for. Any new player, whose strength is unknown to the selection Committee will only be allowed to play for the team he/she has been initially registered with. **The assessment of the strength of a new player shall not take longer than four evenings of League play.** Once the player's strength has been confirmed by the club to the Match Secretary he/she can be fully registered in the correct team.

Any player having played a total of 5 matches with a higher team or teams in league matches other than the one he/she is registered for, he/she shall then only be eligible to play for the highest team played for during these matches. **This also applies to playoff matches.** If a player subsequently plays in a higher team than the one he/she became committed to, the player will automatically become registered for the higher team only. Any player joining a club after initial registrations have been submitted should be registered for the team most suitable to his/her playing

strength. NO player shall be eligible to play in ANY re-arranged fixtures originally scheduled for a date prior to his/her registration. Failure to do so will result in the team forfeiting the match.

Any club wishing to relegate a player or player to a lower team must apply to the committee to do so. Any club wishing to register or re-register a player in a lower team than his/her strength warrants shall apply to the committee, giving reasons for special recognition. If permission is granted, the said player will only be allowed to play for his / her reregistered team. Prior to the start of the Season the League must advise affected clubs, in writing, of the names of players who are not permitted to play for a higher team. There is no need for clubs to apply to the committee for the re-registering of a player "up". Such players will not be eligible to play in any re-arranged fixtures which had been postponed prior to his/her re-registration.

7(a) When entries are made to the League a home night for each team will be specified. A fixture list based on this information will be compiled and included in the handbook. When a team changes its home night after the information has been printed in the handbook, the team secretary must notify it writing (or by telephone) all other teams in the division of the change and ensure that the change is confirmed by all relevant team secretaries. Failure to do so may result in the first named team forfeiting the match.

(b) A sufficient number of handbooks will be provided for each club on registration.

(c) All teams must start the season according to the handbook unless otherwise agreed by the committee.

8(a) A match is played between two sides of three players each, and consists of ten games, best of 5 sets, each player playing every opponent plus one doubles game. Two points will be awarded for a win and one point will be awarded to each team for a draw. Prior to the commencement of each match the players of the home team shall be inserted in the match scorecard by the captain of the home team, and thereafter the names of the players of the away team shall be inserted by the captain of the away team. The order of play shall be printed on the scorecard. The timing for the nomination of the Doubles pairing need not be declared until immediately prior to the doubles game, however the home team will still be required to nominate their pairing first.

(b) All matches should start at the time stated in the handbook. Any player not ready to play within half-an-hour of the scheduled start time of the match may forfeit all games in the match.

(c) No player may play for more than one team in the same evening.

(d) The home club is responsible for posting the result electronically or by posting an addressed score-card, to reach the match secretary not later than seven days after the date of the match specified in the handbook. If the match secretary does not receive a result within the above period, (except in the event of a postponement being granted), (in terms of the immediately succeeding sub-paragraph), the home club will be fined, the amount to be fixed at the AGM. **The fine for the current season**

**is £1 for the first offence, £2 for the second offence, £4 for the third offence and thereafter doubles for each subsequent offence.**

(e) A team may not postpone a match except with the prior confirmed (verbal or written) consent of the other team, such consents and confirmations to be obtained no later than three days prior to the scheduled Date of the match. A postponement MUST be played within 4 playing weeks of the scheduled date. The home team will be responsible in offering alternative date(s) to the away team, irrespective of who requests the postponement. In the event of the away team requesting a postponement, the home team should offer at least one date as an alternative to the original date. In the event of the home team requesting a postponement, the home team should offer as many dates as is necessary to the away team. Failure to do so will result in the requesting team forfeiting the match. In the event of the revised date not having been agreed upon, the match will be awarded against the team requesting the postponement. All complaints will be made to the match secretary. Any team penalised under this rule has a right of appeal to the committee.

(f) Any team that concedes a league match without playing it, shall be deducted one league point

9. Each club shall pay in advance a deposit of £10, returnable at the end of the season, provided the club has fulfilled all its fixtures to the satisfaction of the committee. A serious view will be taken of the non-appearance of a team when either insufficient or no notice has been given to their opponents, or when a match is conceded. Such offences shall be punished by fines, as under first offence = £5; second offence = £8; third offence = £20 and a suspension of the team from the League for the remainder of the season. The committed players of the team which is suspended will also be suspended, the team will automatically be relegated to the bottom division for the following season, subject to an appeal to the committee. If a team is suspended during the first half of the season then all fixtures are void; if a team is suspended in the second half of the season then the first half results would stand and all second half fixtures are void.

10.(a) Any player playing under an assumed name will be suspended, along with his/her team members on that occasion, for a period not less than three playing months, and the player's club fined a minimum of £10.

(b) Disciplinary action will be taken against any club and / or individual found guilty of ungentlemanly conduct.

11. A club having more than one team will require to replace their deposit of £10 within one month if the previous deposit has been lost. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to the club being suspended.

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13.(a) All divisions of the League will consist of one section of no more than fourteen teams

(b) At the end of each season promotion and relegation will be affected as follows :  
Premier Division : Bottom team will be relegated to the 1st division. The

second bottom team will compete in a play off with the team placed 2nd, in the 1st Division for a place in the Premier Division.

Other Divisions : Top team will be promoted to a higher division and the bottom team will be relegated to a lower division other than the bottom division from which there can be no relegation. In all divisions, promotion to, or retention of, a place in a higher division will be decided by a play off between the second bottom placed team in the higher league competing with team placed 2nd in the lower Division.

In the event of league reorganisation being required in any season additional promotion places will be offered to the play off runner up and qualifiers as appropriate .

(c) In the event of a team requesting to be relegated to a lower division, and such being approved by the League Committee, the team will be ineligible for the Division Title and/or promotion in the season so requested.

(d) To accommodate the number of teams registered, the committee reserves the right to amend promotion or relegation to ensure the best distribution of teams across the divisions.

In all divisional play-offs, the following rules shall apply:  
The ties shall be organised so that 2nd bottom team in the higher division would play at home to the 2nd top team in the lower division. The Home team would require to offer 3 dates to the Away team and the ties must be played prior to the league AGM.

In order to be eligible for playing in playoff games, players require to have competed in at least **third** of their team's matches over the season or **have played in half of their own (lower) registered team's matches over the season.**



Dr Mike Allison Shield award  
this year goes to Kirsten  
Atkinson of North Merchiston  
Club.

Kirsten had a very good year  
culminating in representing  
Scotland at the British Schools  
Table Tennis Championships in  
Guernsey



# Regional Training Squad at Bathgate with Gareth Herbert.



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# Divisional Awards



Murrayfield 1 team win the Premier Title, Colin and Blair collecting the trophy and penant.



Murrayfield V win the George Smith Trophy as Division 1 winners. Brian Cornet and Alex Asiunkin the award.



Edinburgh Sports Club win Division 2 award, Calum Morrison received the penant.



Kevin Lawson of Blue Liners receiving the award for Division 3.

Premier Division	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Conc.
Murrayfield I	24	24	0	0	222	18	48	
North Merchiston I	24	22	0	2	204	36	44	
North Merchiston II	24	18	2	4	145	95	37	1
Murrayfield III	24	15	2	7	132	108	32	
Murrayfield II	24	14	3	7	137	103	31	
North Merchiston III	24	12	3	9	126	114	27	
Penicuik I	24	13	1	10	126	114	27	
Edinburgh Sports Club I	24	6	4	14	96	144	16	
West Lothian I	24	4	5	15	80	160	13	
North Merchiston IV	24	3	5	16	87	153	11	
Edinburgh International I	24	3	4	17	73	167	10	
Edinburgh Sports Club II	24	2	5	17	73	167	9	
Murrayfield IV	24	2	2	20	59	181	6	
Division 1	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Conc.
Murrayfield V	26	25	1	0	210	50	51	
West Lothian II	26	24	1	1	191	69	49	
Edinburgh International II	26	20	1	5	178	82	41	
Edinburgh International III	26	12	3	11	141	118	27	
Penicuik II	26	11	4	11	127	133	26	
Edinburgh International V	26	11	3	12	126	134	25	
North Berwick	26	9	7	10	127	132	24	1
Edinburgh International IV	26	11	2	13	120	139	24	
West Lothian III	26	8	5	13	109	150	21	
Corstorphine I	26	8	3	15	111	149	19	
Corstorphine II	26	5	6	15	99	161	16	
Edinburgh University I	26	6	4	16	96	164	14	2
Murrayfield VI	26	6	1	19	88	172	13	



Division 2	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Conc.
Edinburgh Sports Club III	22	17	3	2	160	60	37	
North Merchiston V	22	16	2	4	142	78	34	
Murrayfield VII	22	15	1	6	138	82	31	
Meadowbank I	22	14	2	6	126	94	30	
West Lothian IV	22	14	0	8	131	89	28	
Corstorphine III	22	9	2	11	104	116	20	
Meadowbank II	22	7	6	9	104	116	20	
Edinburgh University II	22	9	1	12	104	116	17	2
West Lothian V	22	7	2	13	104	116	16	
Edinburgh International VI	22	8	1	13	98	122	15	2
Corstorphine IV	22	0	5	17	56	164	5	
Edinburgh International VII	22	2	3	17	53	167	5	2
Division 3	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Conc.
The Blue Liners I	22	17	2	3	156	64	36	
West Lothian VI	22	16	2	4	152	68	34	
North Merchiston VI	22	15	2	5	131	89	32	
Murrayfield VIII	22	14	4	4	139	81	32	
Edinburgh University III	22	13	1	8	124	96	25	2
Edinburgh Sports Club IV	22	9	3	10	106	114	20	1
Edinburgh International IX	22	8	4	10	104	116	20	
Edinburgh International VIII	22	7	5	10	114	106	19	
Corstorphine V	22	8	0	14	92	127	16	
Penicuik IV	22	5	6	11	94	126	15	1
Edinburgh University IV	22	4	1	17	64	156	7	2
The Blue Liners II	22	1	0	21	43	176	2	

## Individual Averages for Season 2011/2012

Premier Division	For	Against	Average	%Played
C Wheeler	69	0	100.00%	95.83%
C Dalgleish	70	2	97.22%	100.00%
D Atkins	61	8	88.41%	95.83%
W Mabon	61	8	88.41%	95.83%
B Fowler	55	11	83.33%	91.67%
S Armitage	59	13	81.94%	100.00%
G Sutherland	55	17	76.39%	100.00%
C Giebler	26	10	72.22%	50.00%
D Renton	41	19	68.33%	83.33%
A Colliar	43	20	68.25%	87.50%
S Gray	47	22	68.12%	95.83%
K Petrauskaite	32	15	68.09%	65.28%
A Wheeler	44	22	66.67%	91.67%
M McKay	45	24	65.22%	95.83%
Gillian Edwards	27	15	64.29%	58.33%
L Muir	24	15	61.54%	54.17%
G Eggar	35	22	61.40%	79.17%
E Scott	40	26	60.61%	91.67%
G Hunter	40	29	57.97%	95.83%
C Ellis	27	21	56.25%	66.67%
C Green	34	29	53.97%	87.50%
B Hunter	32	28	53.33%	83.33%

# Individual Awards



**Christopher Wheeler  
(Murrayfield) winner of the  
Premier Individual Award with a  
100% record.**

**Dariusz Scymczak (West Lothian)  
received the individual Award for  
Division 1 with over 95% record.**



## Individual Averages for Season 2011/2012

<b>Division 1</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>% Played</b>
D Scymczak	46	2	95.83%	61.54%
B Maloney	72	6	92.31%	100.00%
R Frith	55	8	87.30%	80.77%
B Cornet	61	17	78.21%	100.00%
G Booth	60	18	76.92%	100.00%
M Robertson	59	19	75.64%	100.00%
B Bridson	52	20	72.22%	92.31%
A Asiounkin	52	20	72.22%	92.31%
J McCulloch	52	20	72.22%	92.31%
B Hills	44	19	69.84%	80.77%
Iain Johnstone	48	24	66.67%	92.31%
J Grahame	25	14	64.10%	50.00%
J Lodge	38	28	57.58%	84.62%
J Wiersma	24	18	57.14%	53.85%
Babu Valaguruvan	41	31	56.94%	92.31%
K Boyle	25	20	55.56%	57.69%
K benjamin	40	32	55.56%	92.31%
C Brindley	40	35	53.33%	96.15%
<b>Division 2</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Average</b>	
M Corrie	47	4	92.16%	77.27%
J Hannah	49	5	90.74%	81.82%
C Morrison	51	9	85.00%	90.91%
J Cullen	55	11	83.33%	100.00%
G Trewartha	44	13	77.19%	86.36%
W McGhee	41	13	75.93%	81.82%
C Nabney	43	17	71.67%	90.91%
I Wodecki	44	19	69.84%	95.45%
T Wallace	39	18	68.42%	86.36%
S Kirk	43	20	68.25%	95.45%
T A Sutherland	44	22	66.67%	100.00%
A Mohammed	36	18	66.67%	81.82%
D McLaren	40	20	66.67%	90.91%

## Individual Averages for Season 2011/2012

Division 2 (Cont)	For	Against	Average	%Played
O Wallentin	27	24	52.94%	77.27%
G Woodhouse	36	21	63.16%	86.36%
A Cameron	22	14	61.11%	54.55%
T Fowler	19	14	57.58%	50.00%
D McLaren	33	27	55.00%	90.91%
M Rumsey	21	18	53.85%	59.09%
Division 3				
J Goffin	36	3	92.31%	59.09%
P Cooper	44	4	91.67%	72.73%
B Flockhart	46	5	90.20%	77.27%
A Ward	37	8	82.22%	68.18%
S Howieson	44	10	81.48%	81.82%
J Wallentin	31	8	79.49%	59.09%
L Knibb	49	14	77.78%	95.45%
D Grant	38	13	74.51%	77.27%
S Collins	33	12	73.33%	68.18%
R Inder	47	19	71.21%	100.00%
T McKenzie	27	12	69.23%	59.09%
A Ghosh	35	19	64.81%	81.82%
G Muir	29	16	64.44%	68.18%
G Hunter	20	13	60.61%	50.00%
N Sears	21	15	58.33%	54.55%
K Lawson	26	22	54.17%	72.73%
D Murray	21	18	53.85%	59.09%
K Khan	24	21	53.33%	68.18%
A Pakarian	35	31	53.03%	100.00%
T Sutherland	24	24	50.00%	72.73%

## Season 2012/2013 Fixtures

Week Commencing	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Sep 24	L	K	J	I	H	G	Fa	Ea	Da	Ca	Ba	Aa
Oct 01	Ka	Ja	Ia	Ha	Ga	La	E	D	C	B	A	F
08	J	I	H	G	F	Ea	Da	Ca	Ba	Aa	La	K
15	Ia	Ha	Ga	Fa	L	D	C	B	A	K	Ja	Ea
22	H	G	F	E	Da	Ca	Ba	Aa	Ka	La	I	J
29	Ga	Fa	Ea	L	C	B	A	K	J	Ia	Ha	Da
Nov 05	F	E	D	Ca	Ba	Aa	Ka	Ja	La	H	G	I
12	Ea	Da	L	B	A	K	J	I	Ha	Ga	Fa	Ca
19	D	C	Ba	Aa	Ka	Ja	Ia	La	G	F	E	H
26	Ca	L	A	K	J	I	H	Ga	Fa	Ea	Da	Ba
Dec 03	B	Aa	Ka	Ja	Ia	Ha	La	F	E	D	C	G
10	Handicap Cup											
Jan 07	La	Ka	Ja	Ia	Ha	Ga	F	E	D	C	B	A
14	K	J	I	H	G	L	Ea	Da	Ca	Ba	Aa	Fa
21	Ja	Ia	Ha	Ga	Fa	E	D	C	B	A	L	Ka
28	I	H	G	F	La	Da	Ca	Ba	Aa	Ka	J	E
Feb 04	Ha	Ga	Fa	Ea	D	C	B	A	K	L	Ia	Ja
11	Handicap Cup											
18	G	F	E	La	Ca	Ba	Aa	Ka	Ja	I	H	D
25	Fa	Ea	Da	C	B	A	K	J	L	Ha	Ga	Ia
Mar 04	E	D	La	Ba	Aa	Ka	Ja	Ia	H	G	F	C
11	Da	Ca	B	A	K	J	I	L	Ga	Fa	Ea	Ha
18	C	La	Aa	Ka	Ja	Ia	Ha	G	F	E	D	B
25	Ba	A	K	J	I	H	L	Fa	Ea	Da	Ca	Ga
Apr 01	Handicap Cup Quarter Finals											
08	Handicap Cup Semi Finals											
15	Handicap Cup Final											

*How to use the above table of fixtures :*

Determine the code letter of your team in the column headed by your team's letter, find the capital letter listed against the date required. This capital letter is the code letter of the opponents. If a small 'a' follows the capital letter YOUR team is away from home.

**Someone from the Home Team MUST input the match scores via the online scoring system within 48 hours (see instructions at \* on page 26).**

**Also within 48 hours, the Home Team Captain must post the completed score card to RUSSELL FRITH, 59 Long Cram, Haddington, East Lothian EH4 4NS.**

**As a precautionary measure we want to be able to fully verify the new system during its first season. Subsequent seasons will rely solely on scores being input online.**

	<b>Premier Division</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>		<b>Division 1</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>A</b>	Murrayfield II	Mon	7.00	<b>A</b>	Edinburgh Int'l II	Mon	7.00
<b>B</b>	North Merchiston III	Mon	6:45	<b>B</b>	Corstorphine I	Thu	6.30
<b>C</b>	Edinburgh Int'l I	Fri	6.30	<b>C</b>	Edinburgh Int'l V	Mon	7.00
<b>D</b>	Penicuik I	Wed	7.00	<b>D</b>	West Lothian III	Wed	7.00
<b>E</b>	North Merchiston I	Mon	7.00	<b>E</b>	Murrayfield V	Wed	7.00
<b>F</b>	Edinburgh Sports Club I	Mon	7.00	<b>F</b>	Edinburgh Sports Club II	Mon	7.00
<b>G</b>	Murrayfield III	Mon	7.00	<b>G</b>	Edinburgh Int'l IV	Mon	7:00
<b>H</b>	North Merchiston IV	Mon	7:00	<b>H</b>	Corstorphine II	Thu	6.30
<b>I</b>	North Merchiston II	Mon	6:15	<b>I</b>	Edinburgh University I	Fri	7.00
<b>J</b>	West Lothian I	Thu	7.00	<b>J</b>	West Lothian II	Mon	7:00
<b>K</b>	Murrayfield I	Wed	6:30	<b>K</b>	Penicuik II	Wed	7.00
<b>L</b>	Murrayfield IV	Thu	7:00	<b>L</b>	Edinburgh Int'l III	Tue	7.00

	<b>Division 2</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>		<b>Division 3</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>A</b>	Corstorphine III	Thu	6.30	<b>A</b>	North Merchiston VI	Wed	7:00
<b>B</b>	Murrayfield VII	Fri	7.00	<b>B</b>	Corstorphine V	Wed	6.30
<b>C</b>	Edinburgh University II	Wed	7.00	<b>C</b>	Edinburgh University IV	Wed	7.00
<b>D</b>	West Lothian IV	Mon	7.00	<b>D</b>	West Lothian VI	Mon	7.00
<b>E</b>	Penicuik III	Wed	7.00	<b>E</b>	Edinburgh Int'l VIII	Tue	7.00
<b>F</b>	Murrayfield VI	Thu	7.00	<b>F</b>	Corstorphine IV	Thu	6.30
<b>G</b>	LBPTT	Tue	7.00	<b>G</b>	Edinburgh Int'l VII	Wed	7.00
<b>H</b>	North Merchiston V	Thu	6:30	<b>H</b>	Murrayfield VIII	Fri	7.00
<b>I</b>	Meadowbank	Tue	6.15	<b>I</b>	Edinburgh University III	Fri	7.00
<b>J</b>	West Lothian V	Mon	7.00	<b>J</b>	Corstorphine VI	Wed	7.00
<b>K</b>	Edinburgh Int'll VI	Mon	7.00	<b>K</b>	Edinburgh Int'l IX	Tue	7.00
<b>L</b>	Edinburgh Sports Club III	Mon	6:30	<b>L</b>	Edinburgh Sports Club IV	Mon	6:30

# Handicap Cup 2011/2012



(from Left to right):

Graham Muir, Steven Gray, Keith Dingwall, Colin Dalglish, Christopher Wheeler, Lindsay Muir (sub), Blair Fowler. [photos by Gordon Muir].

Murrayfield I emerged victorious from an epic final of the Edinburgh & Lothians Handicap Cup to complete a superb table tennis season. The win gives Murrayfield I an unprecedented treble of Cup, Premier League and Inter-League trophies. Their victory was very hard fought, with Murrayfield III pressing them all the way; the match concluding shortly before midnight.

It had looked like Murrayfield I would sweep to a straightforward victory as captain Colin Dalglish and Christopher Wheeler both won two matches; establishing a 4-1 lead. Murrayfield III fought back, with skipper Keith Dingwall leading the way and Steven Gray in superb form, as he beat Wheeler 3-0. In a highly dramatic deciding match, a gritty display from Blair Fowler saw him edge past Graham Muir 3-2.

Charlie Ellis

## Previous Winners

2010/11	West Lothian				
2009/10	West Lothian	1999/00	North Merchiston	1989/90	Murrayfield
2008/09	Murrayfield	1998/99	North Merchiston	1988/89	Murrayfield
2007/08	Murrayfield	1997/98	Post Office	1987/88	DHSS (East)
2006/07	Edinburgh University	1996/97	North Merchiston	1986/87	Craiglockhart
2005/06	Murrayfield	1995/96	Standard Life	1985/86	Longstone Welfare
2004/05	Heriot Watt	1994/95	Standard Life	1984/85	North Merchiston
2003/04	Online Edinburgh	1993/94	North Merchiston	1983/84	North Merchiston
2002/03	Online Edinburgh	1992/93	Murrayfield	1982/81	DHSS (South)
2001/02	Online Edinburgh	1991/92	Longstone Welfare	1981/82	Murrayfield
2000/01	Murrayfield	1990/91	DHSS (Portobello)	1980/81	Longstone Welfare



# Handicap Cup

The Handicap Cup secretary is :

**Ian Robertson,  
94 South Gyle Mains,  
Edinburgh, EH12 9EP  
Tel (0131) 539 1402 (H)**

If a club wishes to enter more teams in the cup than in the league this will be permitted provided the handicap cup secretary is notified in good time.

The rule that players must be registered in playing strength order does not apply.

Handicaps will be notified to the club secretary as soon as possible.

Ties shall not be arranged until handicaps are notified.

The handicap secretary should be informed as soon as possible if anyone, other than the Club Secretary, has been delegated the responsibility for the arrangement of the cup matches.

1. Players must be registered in accordance with league rules.
2. A player may only play for one team throughout the competition.
3. A new player on the handicap list shall play off –6 until the committee can assess his/her strength.
4. The committee shall revise handicaps when deemed necessary.
5. Teams shall consist of 3 players with a maximum of 5 players being allowed to play for a team.
6. A match shall consist of 9 (best of 5 set) games.
7. For all rounds, except the semi-finals and final, the home team (as defined on the draw sheet) shall offer their opponents at least 2 dates within the allotted period, giving at least 4 days notice. Teams which are unable to offer more than one date in the scheduled week of the competition will be required to forfeit home advantage. If the other team has the same problem, the date and venue will be decided by the handicap cup secretary.
8. The visiting team shall be deemed to have defaulted the match should they not accept one of the dates offered and the match shall be awarded to the home side.
9. The semi-finals will be played during the first week after the end of the normal season, at neutral venues or as mutually agreed. The final will be played during the second week after the scheduled end of the normal season. The final will be played on the Monday evening at Murrayfield, or at an alternative venue and date as mutually agreed, during that week.
10. Players not available to play 30 minutes later than agreed starting time shall forfeit their games.
11. A scorecard (showing actual scores) shall be forwarded by the winning team to the Handicap Cup secretary to arrive not later than 48 hours after the closing date of the respective round.

12. Any dispute shall be submitted (in writing) to the Handicap Cup secretary to be considered by the competition committee whose decision shall be final.

13. Minus handicaps are added to 11.

Plus handicaps are within 11 points as follows :

Plus v Plus : deduct one handicap from the other and play to 11

(e.g. If +2 plays +6, play begins at 0 - 4 and is played to 11).

Minus v Minus : deduct one handicap from the other and play to 11 plus difference.

(e.g. If -2 plays -6, play begins at 0 - 4 and is played to 15)

Minus v Plus : add the plus to the minus handicap and play to 11 plus the minus handicap

(e.g. If -2 plays +6, play begins at 0 - 8 and is played to 13)

Scoring : the winner of a game must always score 2 points more than their opponent.

(e.g. In a game of 17 up, deuce shall be called at 16 all.)

14. When a fifth set is necessary, ends will be changed when either player has scored half the points necessary to win the set.

(e.g. If +5 plays -5, +5 plays off 10 to 16 and -5 plays off scratch.

Players will change ends when either : +5 reaches 13 or -5 reaches 8.)

<b>Byes to round 2</b>	<b>2nd Round Draw</b>
Corstorphine 2, Corstorphine 1, Edinburgh International 3, Murrayfield 2	Corstorphine 2 V Corstorphine 1 Edinburgh International 3 V Murrayfield 2
<b>1st round Draw</b>	Murrayfield 6 or North Merchiston V West Lothian 3 or Murrayfield 4
Murrayfield 6 V North Merchiston	Edinburgh Sports Club 4 or Corstorphine 4 V Penicuik 2 or Edinburgh Sports Club 2
West Lothian 3 V Murrayfield 4	Murrayfield 3 or Edinburgh International 1 V Edinburgh International 4 or Edinburgh International 2
Edinburgh Sports Club 4 V Corstorphine 4	West Lothian 4 or Edinburgh International 5 V Murrayfield 5 or Murrayfield 1
Penicuik 2 V Edinburgh Sports Club 2	Corstorphine 3 or West Lothian 1 V Penicuik 1 or Blue Liners
Murrayfield 3 V Edinburgh International 1	Corstorphine 5 or West Lothian 2 V Edinburgh Sports Club 1 or Edinburgh Sports Club 3
Edinburgh International 4 V Edinburgh International 2	
West Lothian 4 V Edinburgh International 5	
Murrayfield 5 V Murrayfield 1	
Corstorphine 3 V West Lothian 1	
Penicuik 1 V Blue Liners	
Corstorphine 5 V West Lothian 2	
Edinburgh Sports Club 1 V Edinburgh Sports Club 3	
<b>The first team is the home team.</b>	

## HANDICAPS 2012/13 - subject to changes by HC Committee

<b>LBPTT</b>		Alan Ward	-2	Alexander Asiounkin	-7	Ian Woodyer	-2
Paul Cooper	-3	Struan Henderson	-2	Brian Cornet	-7	James Wighton	-2
Lester Knibb	-1	Jin Wei	-2	Colin Clark	-7	Tom McKenzie	Scr
David Murray	+2	Dong Yang Sun	-1	Stuart Wilson	-7	Phil Daly	Scr
Kevin Lawson	+2	Alan Black	-1	Derek Croll	-6	Gavin Hunter	+1
Stephen Davey	+4	Neil Robertson	-1	Ian Moran	-6	Abby Wighton	+7
Mike Warren	+7	Ian Walker	Scr	Jake Cullen	-6	<b>West Lothian</b>	
<b>Corstorphine</b>		Robert Inder	Scr	Rowan Campbell	-6	Brian Hunter	-12
Stan Stoodley	-10	Ken Cadogan	Scr	Gary Trewartha	-5	Dariusz Scymczak	-10
Russell Swan	-8	Jim Lee	+2	Chris Markey	-5	Lewis Hills	-8
John Lodge	-5	Ali Pakarian	+2	Roger Thomas	-4	George Flanagan	-7
Tom Wallace	-5	Dave Cartwright	+4	Lynn Somerville	-2	John McCulloch	-7
Amjad Mohammed	-5	John Bradshaw	+4	Bob Sterling	-2	Barry Hills	-7
Bill Fleming	-4	Mike Eggar	+6	Ian Robertson	Scr	Robbie Fairley	-7
David Hall	-4	Roy Buchanan	+6	David Grant	Scr	Kieran Boyle	-5
Tom Sutherland Jnr	-4	Alan Gracie	+7	Graham Muir	Scr	Andy MacDougall	-5
Kenny Fraser	-3	Tim Wong	+8	Nicole Sears	+1	Ian Wodecki	-5
Eric Henderson	-3	Ben Wong	+8	Masoud Nowbaveh	+1	Davie Fletcher	-5
David Grant	-3	<b>Edinburgh Sports Club</b>		<b>North Merchiston</b>		Kevin Milne	-4
Steven Collins	-1	Graham Sutherland	-15	Stewart Armitage	-17	Andy Wyles	-4
Kevin Filmer	Scr	Keith Walker	-10	Willie Mabon	-17	Keith Mackay	-4
Chris McCathie	+1	Alan Nisbet	-9	David Atkins	-17	Aaron Cameron	-4
Alan Grant	+1	Scott McKenzie	-8	Alan Colliar	-14	Sam Stanton	-4
Steve Chalmers	+1	John Hannah	-7	Donald Renton	-14	Drew McLaren	-4
Gavin Chalmers	+1	Chris Shaw	-6	Gillian Edwards	-14	John Swift	-3
Khurran Khan	+2	Thomas Grant	-6	Eddie Scott	-13	Martin Rumsey	-3
Tom Sutherland snr	+3	Callum Morrison	-6	Glyn Eggar	-13	Benny Flockhart	-3
Alan Easton	+3	Oscar Wallentin	-3	Geoff Hunter	-12	Stephen Gray	-3
Dougie Smith	+3	Johan Wallentin	-1	Ying Jin	-11	Jim Stewart	-3
Alastair Grant	+4	Jamie Crawley	Scr	Colin Weir	-9	Jamie Arnott	-2
Stevie Hastings	+4	Sean Morgan	+1	Matthew Corrie	-8	George Anderson	-1
Graham Stark	+5	Peter Lamont	+4	Alexander Morozov	-7	Daniel Mackay	-1
Steve Gargaro	+7	Craig Morrison	+5	Liz Robb	-6	Paul Keddie	+1
<b>Edinburgh International</b>		Hamish Robertson	+8	Chris Nabney	-5	Kevin Boyle	+2
Marek Domagala	-11	<b>Murrayfield</b>		Ken Benjamin	-5	Liz Henry	+5
Russell Frith	-9	Chris Wheeler	-20	Kirsten Atkinson	-2	Graham Chambers	+5
Graham Booth	-7	Colin Dalglish	-19	Sterling Howieson	-2	Iain Henry	+5
Brian Bridson	-7	Blair Fowler	-18	Kamran Ashfar	Scr	Colin Neilson	+6
Jim Grahame	-7	Carsten Giebeler	-15	Arghya Ghosh	Scr		
Peter Aird	-7	Steven Gray	-14	Ranjit Sinha	+6		
Ian Hislop	-6	Gordon Muir	-14	Anna Dawe	+7		
George Oliver	-6	Stuart Fowler	-14	<b>Penicuik</b>			
Matthew Robertson	-6	Alex Wheeler	-14	Martin McKay	-14		
Charlie Brindley	-5	Lindsay Muir	-13	Colin Green	-12		
Babu Valaguruvan	-5	Charlie Ellis	-12	Greig McDonnell	-10		
Jack Oughton	-5	Howard Beck	-10	Ian Johnston	-9		
Adam Alnack	-4	Vito Ferrari	-10	Iain Johnstone	-7		
Danny Ward	-3	Brian Maloney	-9	Brian Bailey	-4		
David Sykes	-2	Keith Dingwall	-8	Andy Grant-Rob-	-4		

# Advice To Club Secretaries

The League Committee is always willing to be of assistance to your club. You are requested to make yourself familiar with the rules, but do not hesitate to seek advice of the committee members if you are in doubt on any point.

Always answer correspondence promptly and make sure written matter of interest to your members is brought to their attention.

Ensure that your playing conditions are of an acceptable standard; e.g. replace faulty light bulbs, arrange spectator seating well clear of the playing area, use a new approved ball at the start of every match (see Equipment & Playing Conditions), check net height and have a net measure available. Your attention is drawn in particular to the rules governing the night the fixture should be played (Rules 7 & 8).

There has been controversy over Rule 8 b. It is the right of the opposing team to decide whether latecomers be allowed to play on arrival - once the player has completed games the issue will not be discussed. As a matter of courtesy if you are forewarned one of your players may be late, a telephone call to ascertain whether the opposition will have any objections to this, could prevent frayed tempers and bad feeling.

Provide adequate changing facilities for your visitors.

Finish the match with refreshments. If, as the visiting team, you do not intend staying for refreshments, please advise the home club's secretary at least a day before the fixture.

It is expected that club officials will advise their members of their mode of conduct during a match.

Consult with the match secretary as well as the opposition in respect of postponing a match. Ensure the scorecard is posted off in plenty time, otherwise a fine is involved.

Please note Scorecards for the handicap cup go to the Handicap Cup secretary (Ian Robertson).

**\* Access online scoring system via <http://elttl.interactive.co.uk> where your login name is your first name plus initial of your surname (e.g. russellf for Russell Frith). Your password will initially be set to your two initials in lower case followed by 8-digit date of birth. Where your d.o.b. Is not on the system then it would only be your two initials,**

**e.g. rf for Russell Frith.**

**A personalised fixture list for each player is available as an iCal calendar.**

**Full instructions are available via <http://elttl.interactive.co.uk/help/first-login>**

# Club Details

For more accurate directions or bus services please contact the club or team secretary.

## Corstorphine Table Tennis Club

Club Address	Corstorphine Youth and Community Centre. 14 Kirk Loan. Edinburgh EH12 7HD corstorphine_tt_club@hotmail.co.uk www.corstorphinetablettc.com		
Club Secretary	Alan Easton 64 Thomson Road Currie, EH14 5HW alan.easton0@gmail.com alan.easton@selexgalileo.com	(H) (M) (W)	0131 449 2957 0780 171 8949 0131 343 5225
Secretary (Team 1)	Russell Swan russwan@blueyonder.co.uk	(H)	0131 539 4997
Secretary (Team 2)	Kenny Fraser kennyfraser301170@yahoo.co.uk	(M) (H)	0782 844 0611 0131 444 1454
Secretary (Team 3)	Tommy A. Sutherland tommyasutherland@hotmail.co.uk	(H) (M)	0131 334 8427 0778 579 0011
Secretary (Team 4)	Alan Grant alancgrant@blueyonder.co.uk	(H) (M)	0131 442 7308 0771 770 0128
Secretary (Team 5)	Club Secretary		
Secretary (Team 6)	Dougie Smith	(H)	0131 334 4668
Directions	Corstorphine Youth & Community Centre is located at the end of Kirk Loan in Corstorphine. From St John's Road (LRT Bus Routes, 12, 26,31) access Kirk Loan near foot of Clermiston Road and club is c. 200 yards from St Johns Road. From Saughton Road North (LRT Bus Route 1) Kirk Loan is adjacent to Saughton Road North and Corstorphine High Street. Club is on south east corner of the junction.		

Corstorphine

# Edinburgh International Table Tennis Club

(Formerly Post Office)

Club Address	North Merchiston Club, 48 Watson Crescent, EH11 1EP		
Club Secretary	Danny Ward 78 Corstorphine Rd, EH12 6JG danny@wardelectrical.net	(H) (M)	0131 337 6984 07883 206241
Secretary (Team 1)	Graham Booth 8 Curriehill Castle Drive Balerno EH14 5TA graham.Booth@blueyonder.co.uk	(H) (M)	0131 4495096 07970615077
Secretary (Team 2)	Babu Valaguruvan babukumarv@gmail.com	(H) (M)	0131 466 4121 0770 101 6359
Secretary (Team 3)	Charlie Brindley Larchwood, Shieldhill Road, BIGGAR ML12 6NA charlie.brindley@kinetassist.com	(H) (M)	01899 221587 07702 797675
Secretary (Team 4)	Mathew Robertson mattrobertson@fsmail.net	(M)	0771 766 6982
Secretary (Team 5)	Club Secretary		
Secretary (Team 6)	Allan Black	(H)	0131 346 7378
Secretary (Team 7)	Ian Walker 74 Gylemuir Road EH12 7DW cockerseniior@virginmedia.com	(H)	0131 538 6259
Secretary (Team 8)	Robert Inder 3 Lauriston Gardens, EH3 9HH robert@3lg.org	(H) (B) (M)	0131 229 1052 0131 229 1052 07808 492213
Secretary (Team 9)	Alan Gracie 52/7 Restalrig Drive Edinburgh EH7 6JF alan_gracie@standardlife.com	(H) (B) (M)	0131 652 0308 0131 245 7918 07787 508718
Directions	Bus to Dundee Street (Fountainbridge), up Fowler Terrace, turn right, club is situated at the far end of Watson Crescent		

# Edinburgh Sports Club

Club Address	Edinburgh Sports Club,(www.edinburgh-sports-club.co.uk) 7 Belford Place, Edinburgh, EH4 3DH		
Club Secretary	Alan Nisbet 6 Buckstone Wynd Edinburgh,EH10 6UQ alan.nisbet@lloydsbanking.com	(H) (W) (M)	0131 445 3453 0131 442 7452 07717 548319
Secretary (Team 1)	Scott McKenzie	(M)	0712485645
Secretary (Team 2)	Club Secretary		
Secretary (Team 3)	Johan Wallentin, , 14 Learmonth Terr, EH4 1PG wallentin@btinternet.com	(H) (M)	0131 332 9386 07815049563
Secretary (Team 4)	Craig Morrison, 37 Murrayfield Gdns, EH12 6DH ccm.2x@btinternet.com	(H) (M)	0131 337 5213 07720775307
Directions	The Club is located in Belford Place which is off Belford Road. Take left turn past Travelodge Hotel coming from West End/Haymarket		

Edinburgh Sports

# Edinburgh University

Club Address	E.U. Pleasance Sports Centre 48 Pleasance, Edinburgh EH8 9JT		
Club Secretary	Vuong Ngo vuong_ngo@hotmail.co.uk	(M)	07951 636718
Club President	Gary McIntyre paisley99@hotmail.co.uk	(M)	07792 693046
Secretary (Team 1)	Andres Opazo a.f.opazo@sms.ed.ac.uk	(M)	07956 513753
Secretary (Team 2)	Club Secretary		
Secretary (Team 3)	Not decided until late Sept. '12 Email Gary McIntyre for info at Paisley99@hotmail.co.uk	(M)	07792 269046
Secretary (Team 4)	Oliver Stobbart oliverstobbart@gmail.com	(M)	07957 844824
Directions	From Tron Church (Halfway point in Royal Mile) progress east (down) High Street and Canongate turning right into St Mary Street going straight over at junction and up hill. Sports Centre is on the left about 200 yards up.		

Edinburgh University

**All University matches will start week commencing 1st October**  
**Note that EUTTC shall be playing all home games on 2 tables**

# Meadowbank

Club Address	Meadowbank Table Tennis Club		
Club Secretary	Steve Kirk, 10 Douglas Crescent, Edinburgh EH12 5BB  kirky1@gmail.com	(M)	07703 174640
Secretary (Team 1)	Club Secretary		
Directions	Any bus along London Road e.g. 4, 5, 15, 26, 44 - Stadium on left hand side		

Meadowbank

# LBPTT (formerly The Blue Liners)

Club Address	Lothian and Borders Police HQ Fettes Avenue Edinburgh EH4 1RB		
Club Secretary	Kevin Lawson kevin.lawson@lbp.pnn.police.uk	(M)	07521914951
Secretary (Team 1)	Club Secretary		
Directions	<p>Police Headquarters is well signposted and is serviced by buses stopping on Comely Bank and Orchard Brae. If arriving by car please park on Fettes Avenue, which is free after 5.30pm. Walk up to Police HQ main reception and report in there.</p> <p>Players will be met and taken to the changing rooms and squash courts where the matches will be played. Security is important within the building so players will have to be escorted at all times. Prompt arrival and players arriving together would be helpful.</p>		

LBPTT



# Murrayfield Memorial Club

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Secretary (Team 2)	Gordon Muir 29 Succoth Park Edinburgh. EH12 6BX gordon@muir.cc	(M) (H)	07739337169 0131 337 7020
Secretary (Team 3)	Keith Dingwall 66 Saughton Road North Edinburgh, EH12 7JX Kdingwall@eastlothian.gov.uk	(H) (M)	0131 334 1449 07793392953
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Murrayfield

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North Merchiston

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Penicuik

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West Lothian

# Scottish Inter-League



In the Inter-League event at Largs, Edinburgh were represented by teams made up from players from Murrayfield, North Merchiston, ESC and Penicuik.

The Ladies (Kirsten Atkinson & Kristina Petrauskaite) were in excellent form, winning all their matches and therefore winning their event.

In the Men's both Edinburgh A (Stewart Armitage, David Atkins, Willie Mabon) and Edinburgh B (Chris Wheeler, Colin Dalglish, Blair Fowler) had good weekends, with the B team winning the semi-final clash between the two and going on to win the Senior Men's event, beating Ayrshire 3-1 in the final (Colin beating Chris Main 3-0 to seal victory). Edinburgh A beat West Of Scotland 3-2 in a very tight 3rd/4th place match.



The Minor Boys (Calum Morrison, Jamie Crawley, Stuart Gibson) dominated their event, winning all their matches.

The Junior Boys (Ying Jin, Alex Wheeler, Robbie Fairley) were a close 2nd to WOS, going down 2-3 in the final. The Minor girls (Nina Afshar, Imogen Evans) were runners up in their event.

The Cadet Boys (Kamran Afshar, John Hannah, Peter Zhang) had good games in a strong division. Kamran's excellent win vs Murray Raeburn was the highlight, while John did well to beat Jamie Arnott and Peter had a good win in the match versus Dumfries.

The Vets I (Graham Sutherland, Geoff Hunter and Colin Clark) had several excellent matches and just missed out on reaching the final of their event, won by WOS.

The Vets II side (Martin Mackay [replaced by James Wighton on Sunday], Colin Green, Greig McDonnell) also had a number of very tight matches and finished in 4th place.



## Tribute - John Glen (1956 - 2011)

The event that had the most effect on our League this 2011-2012 year, or indeed for many years, was the sudden death on 1st November 2011 at the still-prime age of only 55, of our very own vastly experienced League Match Secretary John Glen.

Of course, quite apart from the void left to our table-tennis league much the major loss was to his children, to his wife and his parents. John had been the League Match Secretary for 31 years, since 1980 when he was with Craigmillar Boys' Club.

Among the more questionable of John's very many deeds for the League is that he is responsible for my being President, when he reminded me at the AGM of 2009 that I had mentioned that I might be prepared to take on the Presidency, in delayed succession to Ken Cadogan, and before I

knew what was happening I found myself sitting on the top table! John was always polite but diplomatically forceful when handling potential awkward situations, whether in person or by email. Indeed, I quite often found myself on the receiving end of his considerations! Two of the last three emails that John sent to me were moderate rebukes. John had a well-deserved reputation for fairness in adjudicating matters between individuals and clubs. His funeral on 11th November was deservedly very well attended. Alan Nisbet is a very long-standing teammate of John's going back to Boys' Brigade, EFM Musselburgh and Online Edinburgh days, and highlights two of his many memories of John, one from the early days and one from this 2011-12 season. Alan recalls John being involved in a great match – a BB final – against Geoff Hunter (now of North Merchiston, of course) in about 1974. Anyway this particular final drew lots of applause from the spectators. Apparently Geoff and John played each other in the League early this season. It is fitting that Alan's most recent memory of John was the contribution that John, with one singles win, had made in Edinburgh Sport Club II's 6-4 victory over Murrayfield IV, only a week before his untimely death.

Brian Bailey of Penicuik observes that he had become aware only at the 2011 League AGM and the subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting just how great was the contribution that John made to the smooth running of the League.

To further paraphrase a famous misquotation from William Shakespeare's Hamlet: "Alas, poor John! We knew him well."

Ken Benjamin



**John receiving player of the year award at the 2004 AGM**

# Edinburgh Championships

Penicuik January 2012



Edinburgh Champion,  
Christopher Wheeler  
with runner-up Colin  
Dagleish.

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event.

## Division 1



## Division 2



**Veterans**



**Veterans 2**



**Division 3**



**Under 11**



**Cadet**



**Minor**



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	Premier	I	II	III	IV
2011/12	Murrayfield I	Murrayfield V	Edinburgh Sports Club III	Blue Liners I	
2010/11	Nth Merchiston I	Edinburgh Intr'l II	Penicuik III	Nth Merchiston VI	
2009/10	Nth Merchiston I	Murrayfield IV	West Lothian III	West Lothian IV	
2008/09	Nth Merchiston I	Edinburgh Sports Club II	HPO S&S Club I	Penicuik III	
2007/08	Nth Merchiston II	Murrayfield III	West Lothian III	Nth Merchiston VI	
2006/07	Nth Merchiston I	Murrayfield III	Nth Merchiston IV	West Lothian III	
2005/06	Nth Merchiston I	Post Office I	West Lothian I	Post Office VI	
2004/05	Nth Merchiston I	Nth Merchiston IV	Edin University II	Murrayfield VI	
2003/04	Nth Merchiston I	Mactaggart Scott I	Post Office II	Edin University II	West Lothian II
2002/03	Nth Merchiston I	Online Edinburgh I	Murrayfield IV	Edin University I	Edin University II
2001/02		Murrayfield I	Post Office	Murrayfield V	Murrayfield VI
2000/01		Murrayfield I	Online Edinburgh I	Nth Merchiston VI	Nth Merchiston VII
1999/00		Murrayfield I	Nth Merchiston V	Penicuik I	Muirhouse I
1998/99		Polwarth I	Nth Merchiston III	Nth Merchiston VI	Post Office VI
1997/98		Murrayfield I	Mactaggart Scott I	Post Office IV	Heriot Watt I
1996/97		Murrayfield I	Murrayfield IV	Nth Merchiston V	Polwarth IV
1995/96		Murrayfield I	Edin University I	Polwarth III	12th B.B. II
1994/95		Murrayfield I	Polwarth II	Muirhouse I	Standard Life I
1993/94		Nth Merchiston II	Lasswade II	Longstone Welfare I	West Port House II
1992/93		Nth Merchiston II	Murrayfield III	Forestry Comm. I	Polwarth III
1991/92		Nth Merchiston I	Polwarth I	Polwarth II	Muirhouse II
1990/91		Murrayfield I	EFM Musselburgh I	Nth Merchiston V	Edin University II
1989/90		Nth Merchiston I	Nth Merchiston IV	Muirhouse I	Muirhouse II
1988/89		Tynecastle	Edin University I	DHSS (Portobello)	Polwarth I
1987/88		Gambit I	Murrayfield III	Edin University I	DHSS (Portobello)
1986/87		Murrayfield I	Lasswade II	Postal HQ I	Lasswade III
1985/86		Tynecastle I	Murrayfield IV	Lasswade II	Longstone Welfare I
1984/85		Tynecastle I	Musselburgh Crudens I	Mackays of Leith I	Nth Merchiston V
1983/84		Tynecastle I	Murrayfield V	Gambit III	Nth Merchiston V
1982/83		Tynecastle I	Police I	Lasswade I	Murrayfield VII
1981/82		Gambit I	Murrayfield II	Murrayfield IV	Lasswade I

	<b>Opponents</b>	<b>Match Score</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>%</b>
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