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BRITISH RANKINGS AFTER GRAND PRIX FINALS (i.e. END OF 1997)

POSITIONS					RANKING POINTS				
NOW	98	99			NOW	1995	1996	1997	1996 & 1997
						only	only	only	prov 1998
1	1	3	Kevin Tunstall	Oxon	263.13	87.40	108.25	67.48	175.73
2	2	7	Keith Sheard	Oxon	260.05	105.05	97.40	57.60	155.00
3	3	6	Paul Sainsbury	Berks	221.75	93.45	70.60	57.70	128.30
4	4	1	Les Green	Kent	189.65	62.60	35.50	91.55	127.05
5	5	14	Kevin Clark	Kent	156.80	33.30	97.50	26.00	123.50
6	8	22	Tony Walsh	Berks	154.20	64.20	69.80	20.20	90.00
7	9	4	Jim Millward	Sussex	147.60	60.20	28.00	59.40	87.40
8	10	9	Pete Farrelly	Northants	141.80	55.10	40.40	46.30	86.70
9	7	10	Steve Mariner	Sussex	141.65	44.80	51.55	45.30	96.85
10	6	2	Mark Sawyer	Berks	123.10	7.50	33.75	81.85	115.60
11	12	5	John Burrows	Bucks	110.45	34.35	16.90	59.20	76.10
12	14	58	Simon Tinto	Surrey	88.95	34.00	47.85	7.10	54.95
13	16	15	Steve Biggs	Northants	84.75	39.40	22.25	23.10	45.35
14	11	8	Paul Wing	Hants	84.40	6.30	30.60	47.50	78.10
15	18	19	Chris Saville	Kent	77.45	33.60	22.15	21.70	43.85
16	13	11	Bernie McCluskey	Berks	74.40	13.30	30.20	30.90	61.10
17	17	31=	Dennis Atkins	Oxon	65.50	20.90	31.30	13.30	44.60
18	21	28	Max Dick	Oxon	64.60	23.80	26.00	14.80	40.80
19	24	13	Mark Brewster	Kent	64.25	27.80	8.50	27.95	36.45
20	27	49	Geoff Jukes	Surrey	63.50	29.90	24.85	8.75	33.60
21	20	44	Mick Lingham	Kent	62.70	21.20	31.90	9.60	41.50
22	15	17	Terry Oakley	Surrey	61.40	14.70	24.50	22.20	46.70
23	19	38	Tony Woolvin	Hants	59.08	16.00	31.65	11.43	43.08
24	31	20=	Mark Turner	Berks	57.70	28.50	8.50	20.70	29.20
25	29	31=	Jon Bamsey	Oxon	47.50	15.60	18.60	13.30	31.90
26	23	16	Eric Hill	Bucks	46.88	9.50	14.50	22.88	37.38
27	26	12	Steve Ahier	Jersey	45.10	10.90	6.20	28.00	34.20
28	30		Geoff Pitt	Berks	43.10	13.70	23.10	6.30	29.40
29	25	23	Mark James	Sussex	42.10	7.70	16.30	18.10	34.40
30	22	39	Tony Martin	Oxon	41.90	4.20	26.30	11.40	37.70
31	46=	25	Vernon Festou	Jersey	41.10	23.50	0.40	17.20	17.60
32=	28	20=	Gareth Lloyd	Sussex	40.40	7.90	11.80	20.70	32.50
32=	32	37	Pete Lee	Oxon	40.40	11.20	17.40	11.80	29.20
34			Chris Grimmett	Kent	38.00	35.00	3.00		3.00
35	35	34	Chris Tupper	Sussex	36.20	10.70	12.90	12.60	25.50
36	58=	40	Ray Hussey	Bucks	35.00	23.80	0.20	11.00	11.20
37=	36		Ian Moquet	Oxon	34.70	9.80	19.30	5.60	24.90
37=	43	29	Phil Hawkins	Berks	34.70	14.00	6.00	14.70	20.70
39	34	26	Ray Sturgess	Oxon	34.50	6.70	11.40	16.40	27.80
40			Alan Donovan	Bucks	33.40	27.40	6.00		6.00

DEADLINE DATE FOR NEXT B.B.Q: MARCH 15th 1998

HEADLINES FOR THIS QUARTER

- Pages 1-2 The final 1997 rankings, but the ladies list is totally complete.
 Page 3 Full 1998 diary, (in)famous quotations, new quiz, & RP adjustment.
 Pages 4-13 Full scores from Jersey, Jim Millward and Dicko amongst trophies.
 Pages 13-16 Jim's team (the Stadium) take the Team Championships.
 Pages 16-17 Darren Isard and Allan Lacey are at opposite ends of the spectrum.
 Pages 17-19 John Burrows stops Sainsbury taking away the bacon in GRAND PRIX.
 Pages 19-21 Les and Ann are a real MIXED PAIR. Pages 21-23 Despatches.
 Pages 24-26 FULL RANKING LIST TO START OFF THE NEW YEAR. Merry Xmas.

FULL FINAL BRITISH LADIES RANKINGS as at end of 1997

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ALL FINAL BRITISH LEADERS RANKINGS as at end of 1997									
NOW	PROV				NOW	1995	1996	1997	1996+1997
	98	99				only	only	only	prov 1998
1	1	1	Jan Taylor	Kent	152.25	40.00	56.65	55.60	112.25
2	2	5	Gail Woods	Surrey	150.38	53.35	67.93	29.10	97.03
3	3	7	Sue Mariner	Sussex	140.28	43.85	69.33	27.10	96.43
4	4	3	Pauline Withey	Oxon	112.50	28.60	50.70	33.20	83.90
5	5	4	Myra Hawkins	Berks	91.82	39.40	21.62	30.80	52.42
6	6	2	Penny Burch	Northants	57.27	10.05	13.17	34.05	47.22
7	7	11	Alison Norman	Surrey	54.82	23.50	19.22	12.10	31.32
8	8	9	Sheila O'Brien	Sussex	51.95	20.75	13.55	17.65	31.20
9	17		Christine Toner	Hants	48.93	31.80	16.93	0.20	17.13
10	10	10	Sue Redmond	Berks	48.02	21.25	14.27	12.50	26.77
11	12	28	Jill Josey	Berks	39.40	13.50	24.10	1.80	25.90
12	15	34=	Jean Over	Sussex	37.05	18.25	17.70	1.10	18.80
13	9	6	Josie Hogan	Surrey	29.15	0.00	0.15	29.00	29.15
14	11	12	Denise Hoadley	Surrey	28.80	2.20	15.50	11.10	26.60
15	13	16	Diana Welburn	Kent	25.45	3.30	15.60	6.55	22.15
16	16	14	Sally Mortimer	Surrey	22.70	5.10	9.20	8.40	17.60
17	14	8	Kim Beeching	Sussex	22.00	2.20	0.10	19.70	19.80
18	20		Dani Relf	Surrey	20.23	9.30	10.93		10.93
19	18=		Janet Hawkeswood	Oxon	18.30	4.90	13.40		13.40
20	38	31	Jenny Abbott	Oxon	15.70	12.30	2.10	1.30	3.40
21	18=		Bella Stoner	Sussex	14.90	1.50	13.40		13.40
22	23	20=	Tina Murphy	Jersey	13.33	4.00	4.33	5.00	9.33
23	29	17	Jenny Noel	Jersey	12.05	6.00	0.00	6.05	6.05
24	25=	15	Joyce Mannell	Hants	11.95	5.20	0.00	6.75	6.75
25	21	18	Josie Maughan	Jersey	11.05	1.00	4.05	6.00	10.05
26	25=	23	Sue Leach	Oxon	10.30	3.55	2.55	4.20	6.75
27			Debbie Surman	Oxon	9.50	9.50	0.00		0.00
28	22	13	Janet Burns	Berks	9.35	0.00	0.60	8.75	9.35
29	24		Ann Keen	Kent	8.60	1.30	6.30	1.00	7.30
30	28	26	Jackie Watson	Berks	8.30	2.10	3.10	3.10	6.20
31			Viv Wright	Kent	7.75	7.75	0.00		0.00
32	35		Jane Carless	Berks	7.60	3.30	4.20	0.10	4.30
33	27		Janie Macoy	Kent	6.80	0.40	5.40	1.00	6.40
34	33=	22	Karen Aubert	Jersey	6.50	2.00	0.00	4.50	4.50
35			Judith Skerman	Sussex	6.40	6.40	0.00		0.00
36	41		Marg't McSweeney	Jersey	6.17	3.50	2.67		2.67
37=	30	19	Anna Taylor	Sussex	6.00	0.20	0.10	5.70	5.80
37=			Sonia Jeanne	Jersey	6.00	6.00	0.00		0.00
39			Marilyn Izzard	Bucks	5.85	5.85	0.00		0.00
40	31=	32=	Jill O'Brien	Kent	5.10	0.10	3.80	1.20	5.00

ALL THE REST (WITH PROVISIONAL RP IN BRACKETS, IF ANY ARE BEING CARRIED THROUGH TO 1998)
 Jan Bithell (Sus) 5.00 (5.00) Jane Wood (Oxf) 4.50 (4.50) Enid Wain (Oxf) 4.10 (4.10) Gill Mackie (Sur)
 4.00 (1.00) Jenny Gorvel (Jer) 3.50 (3.50) Judy Munnoch (Sus) 3.30 (0.20) Jenny Parsons (Oxf) 3.25 (2.20)
 Sheila King (Sur) 3.20 (2.20) Lisa Drew (Ber) 3.20 Carolyn Richardson (Nor) 3.00 (3.00) Emma Mackmin
 (Nor) 3.00 Hilary Chatel (Jer) 2.83 (2.83) Sue Loughran (Sus) 2.40 (2.30) Gill Barbet (Jer) 2.17 (2.17) Sylvia
 Lawson (Oxf) 2.10 Rose Higham (Buc) 2.00 (2.00) Jackie Clark (Jer) 2.00 (2.00) Cathy Sedgwick (Buc) 2.00
 Denise Parcell (Cam) 2.00 Ann Green (Ken) 1.50 (1.50) Alison Shilling (Sus) 1.20 (1.20) Linda Wing (Han)
 1.10 (1.10) Sylvia Vaughan (Ken) 1.10 Lyn Harcourt (Ken) 1.00 (1.00) Jan Teague (Sus) 1.00 (1.00) Sally
 Bateman (Jer) 1.00 (1.00) Karen Bacchus (Sus) 1.00 Brenda Hewitt (Sur) 1.00 Rae Taylor (Ber) 1.00 Jackie
 Peckham (Ken) 0.70 (0.10) Heather Hamon (Jer) 0.50 Eileen Britton (Ber) 0.20 (0.20) Roz Ridge (Sus) 0.10
 (0.10) Ruth Collett (Oxf) 0.10 (0.10) Jan Davidson (Ken) 0.10 Pauline Gregory (Han) 0.10 Chris Willis (Sus)
 0.10

CLICHE QUESTIONS

1. What is the most frequently used phrase on Saturday Morning at the BIOC in Jersey?
 2. What is the most frequently used phrase on Sunday Afternoon at the BIOC in Jersey?
 3. What is the most frequently used phrase on Monday after the BIOC in Jersey?
- ANSWERS: 1. What time do you play? 2. Are you still in? 3. How's the head?

PROVISIONAL DATES OF ALL THE 1998 EVENTS (watch this space for confirmation)

Jan 31	OXFORDSHIRE OPEN	Cowley Conservative Club, Oxford
	Promoter K TUNSTALL 01235-200276. Entry fee £7.50 by 20.12.97.	
Feb 7	ENGLAND v JERSEY INTERNATIONAL MATCHES	Chequers Hotel, Horley
Mar 7-8	BRITISH OPEN PAIRS	Queens Hotel, Bournemouth
	Promoter E HILL 01628-850801. Costs £89.50 inc two days accom.	
Mar 15	BERKSHIRE OPEN	Post Office S & SC, Reading
	Promoter K LEWENDON 01734-419517	
Apr 26	NORTHANTS OPEN	Diamond Centre, Irthlingborough
	Promoter P FARRELLY 01933-357023	
May 10	LADIES OPEN	Post Office S & SC, Reading
	Promoter P HAWKINS 01734-477408 (only staged if at least 32 entries)	
Jun 7	SUSSEX OPEN	Inland Revenue Club, Worthing
	Promoter S MARINER 01273-880336	
Jun 21	CHARITY SINGLES	TBA
	Promoter G PITT 01189-693798	
Jul 12	ALL-ENGLAND INDIVIDUALS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
?	LADIES PAIRS	Frenches Club, Redhill
	Promoter S TINTO 01737-768905	
?	KENT MINNOWS & KENT CLASSIC	TBA
Sep 27	COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Oct 4	LADIES COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Oct 11	ALTERNATIVE RULES CHAMPIONSHIP	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Oct 17	MERMAID OPEN	Moneyfields Club, Copnor
Nov 7-8	BRITISH ISLES OPEN	De Normandie Hotel, St Helier
Nov 15	NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Nov 22	GRAND PRIX MASTERS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Nov 22	UNDER-22 and OVER-50 CHAMPIONSHIPS	Post Office S & SC, Reading
Dec 13	ALL-ENGLAND A.G.M.	TBA

Nov 29 11x11R.

WHO WAS HEARD TO SAY, IN JERSEY.....?

- "I'm the All-England Secretary, but nobody knows OOO-HI-HAM"
- Stepping up with the 17th winning raffle ticket, "Has the £1,000 gone?"
- "God, isn't it expensive winning this tournament?"
- "I'd also like to thank.....for giving me odds of 30-1 yesterday"
- "I'll be back to defend my title next year, and I will have stronger neck muscles. I've also purchased a trophy for myself which I will present to anyone who beats me in November 1998"
- "I wanted to take a photo of a former champion, but I didn't bring a wide angle lens"
- "I knew I shouldn't have tried that squid just before the flight home"
- "Why the hell did I pick THAT cash dispenser? What'll I do with all this Jersey money"
- Seven hours is a very long time to spend at an airport. I now know every inch of it"
- "I was 16th on the b.... Preserve list. I hope I get in next year"
- "Did I hear someone say I was not number one?"
- FOOT IN THE MOUTH AWARD: "I'd like to thank the De Normandie Hotel. I think it's about the best we can get now". Did the sponsors smile or not?

DECEMBER'S QUIZ QUESTIONS

- Which Jersey player entered this year's BIOC from the reserve list (again) and averaged over 6,000 in his 9 legs this year...and will he enter properly next year?
- Which senior England player finally won more than two matches in a Jersey event?
- Which "Lancashire" player was happy to score 2,420 in his first match for a year?
- How many players are fed up of having to win in Jersey to reach the Grand Prix?

RANKING POINTS ADJUSTMENT

Please continue to point out any errors you may find. I came clean last quarter about an error in the points awarded in the 1996 Alternative Rules, and now I apologise calculating the averages of both Mark Brewster and Steve Mariner in the 1997 County Championships. I divided both players' aggregates by THREE instead of FOUR, thus Mark's average should be reduced from 7557 to 5668, and Steve's should be reduced from 8517 to 6388. It does not affect Mark's RP, but reduces Steve's RP by 4.0, and therefore increases the following four players by 1.0: Andy Chambers, Ray Sturgess, Ron Josey & Tony Walsh.

17th BRITISH ISLES OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

SAT-SUN 8th-9th NOV 1997 at the HOTEL de NORMANDIE, ST SAVIOUR, JERSEY

Previous Finals:

1981	Harry Siddal (Jersey)	beat	Derek Payne (Wallingford)
1982	Graham Bisson (Jersey)	beat	Clarrie Queree (Jersey)
1983	Tim Ringsdore (Jersey)	beat	Micky Daw (Jersey)
1984	Peter Noel (Jersey)	beat	Don Cadec (Jersey)
1985	Bernie McCluskey (Reading)	beat	Paul Webb (Guernsey)
1986	Dave Harris (Reading)	beat	Peter Noel (Jersey)
1987	Wayne Poingdestre (Jersey)	beat	Kevin Tunstall (Wallingford)
1988	Alan Le Blond (Jersey)	beat	Micky Daw (Jersey)
1989	Trevor Gallienne (Guernsey)	beat	Bob Taylor (Canterbury)
1990	Steve Ahier (Jersey)	beat	Terry Race (Brighton)
1991	Steve Ahier (Jersey)	beat	Simon Tinto (Redhill)
1992	Dennis Helleur (Jersey)	beat	Harry Barbet (Jersey)
1993	Kevin Tunstall (Wallingford)	beat	Graham Bisson (Jersey)
1994	Kevin Tunstall (Wallingford)	beat	Tony Walsh (Reading)
1995	Tony Walsh (Reading)	beat	Mark Brewster (Rochester)
1996	Terry Oakley (Redhill)	beat	Don Cadec (Jersey)

National Ranking

Before/After

	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd (2 legs)
*Marion Skinner	Sus			150			
Gary Aubert	Jer	2.0		3,780	2,850	3,900	
Ian Holman	Sur			0			
*Jackie Peckham	Ken			1,940	2,130		
*Josie Hogan	Sur			2,840			
STEVE AHIER	Jer	19.8		10,710	8,250	4,350	11,010 12,210
Terry Oakley	Sur			4,350	3,570		
Darrell Skinner	Sus			1,320			
*Sandra Witney	Oxf			1,080			
*Karen Aubert	Jer	5.0		1,720	3,900	3,810	1,690 950
Stuart Mephram	Sus			890			
Alan Duffell	Sus			3,440	3,270		
Dave Pratt	Han			1,150			
Peter Jackson	Cam			1,890	240		
Alan Ferrand	Jer			720			
Robbie Pocock	Ber	2.0		3,600	3,910	3,730	
*Margaret McSweeney	Jer			1,490			
Graham Pallot	Jer			4,570	550		
Ernie Jordan	Buc			1,540			
Terry Girard	Gu	2.0		4,340	2,740	1,840	
Alan Gicquel	Jer			2,920			
LORIN CLOUGH	Oxf	8.4		3,910	9,920	5,940	6,390 4,720
Paul Barnett	Sus			1,490			
John Le Maistre	Jer			3,800	710		
Ted Stringer	Sus			490			
Didier Le Fahler	Jer	2.1		4,460	7,590	1,350	
Paul Horseman	Sus			2,710	1,420		
Derek Surman	Oxf			2,110			
*Sally Mortimer	Sur			2,300			
Dennis Alderson	Sus	5.1		3,140	1,270	7,240	3,720 380
Keith Moucher	Sus			1,490	200		
*Hilary Chatel	Jer			910			

BREAKS*: Ahier 9,920 & 11,010 Clough 5,810 Alderson 5,360

National Ranking

Before/After

	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd	(2 legs)
Anthony Steel	Cam	5.1		4,120	3,060	6,820	560	0
Mick Freeman	Sus			4,030				
Geoff Jukes	19/19 Sur			3,610	1,490			
Wayne Steere	Han			1,030				
Mark Raper	Jer			600				
Gary Sweeney	Sus	2.0		870	4,830	1,330		
Graeme Marett	Jer			2,920				
Keith Austen	Sus			3,530	3,580			
Gary Barker	Buc	2.0		2,580	1,640	1,580		
*Audrey MacDonald	Cam			1,170				
*Sue Leach	Han			3,300	1,190			
Brian Jones	Buc			1,890				
Keith Vibert	Jer			0				
GARETH LLOYD	41/32 Sus	11.9		2,740	6,580	5,050	9,260	12,970
Matt Ogier	Gu			4,880	4,220			
Rob Piziura	Jer			1,640				
*T Murfin	Sus			200				
Bob Le Moignan	Gu			2,830	920			
Micky Daw	Jer			80				
*Jean Over	Sus	2.2		6,190	5,380	90		
Dicko Pembroke	Ber			0				
Norman Wilkinson	Gu			2,520	2,760			
Paul Sainsbury	3/3 Ber	5.5		8,520	4,900	12,150	130	3,190
*Myra Hawkins	Ber			1,160				
CHRIS SAVILLE	16/14 Ken	8.8		3,700	3,730	6,590	11,180	8,640
Pete Phillips	64/70 Oxf			2,180				
Trevor Cordrey	Oxf			450				
*Ann Green	Ken			1,400	3,390			
Andy Pearl	Cam			4,610	1,360			
*Teresa Lee	Oxf			240				
*Judy Saunders	Ber			600				
*Jan Teague	Sus	2.0		1,110	4,310	0		
Dave Perrier	Jer			4,870	2,910			
John Roos	Cam			310				
Gary Le Blond	Jer	2.1		5,460	4,290	2,440		
*Penny Burch	Nor			620				
Dave Huby	Jer	5.0		4,150	3,780	2,480	4,280	4,150
Dave Snashfold	Sur			3,810				
Ken Malorey	Jer			3,900	740			
Rob Hunnisett	Jer			1,250				
J Fitzpatrick	Jer			570				
*Chris Willis	Sus			730	670			
PETER FANN	Jer	8.0		1,060	3,720	4,770	4,770	4,650
Pete Witney	Oxf			1,000				
Tony Martin	27/30 Oxf	2.2		6,190	6,760	2,260		
*Jennifer Gorvel	Jer			830				
Paul Newton	Jer	0.1		5,430	2,400			
Tony Webster	Han			3,840				

BREAKS*: Lloyd 8,100 Sainsbury 8,130 Saville 6,300 Morin 5,030

National Ranking

Before/After

	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd	(2 legs)
Rod Smith	Sus			3,980	690			
Steven Bresset	Jer			1,860				
Ron Porter	Sur			330				
Bob Alton	Jer	2.1		4,860	6,310	2,210		
*Pauline Brown	Sur			500				
Vernon Festou 30/29	Jer	5.8		10,630	28,960	28,860	70	9,090
Terry Race	Sus	0.1		7,630	4,860			
Brian Harrison	Buc			420				
STEVE MARINER 9/9	Sus	15.3		10,260	8,870	6,200	9,070	2,030
*M Thompson	Sus			50				
Sam Goddard	Oxf			1,290				
John Slee 31/52	Sus	0.2		9,610	490			
Frank Sewell-Knight	Sus	2.0		460	1,750	2,450		
Ashley Malorey	Jer			220				
Dave Carliell	Ken			2,980	1,110			
John Burch	Nor			1,240				
Alan Brackenridge	Sus	2.1		3,570	6,550	1,410		
Richard Plaw	Sur			410				
Paul Dyer	Gu			3,750				
*Bella Stoner	Sus			4,760	3,350			
Tony Trevethan	Ber			1,620	1,370			
*Elma Howse	Oxf			530				
*Anne Cope	Ken			990				
Colin Green	Sus	5.2		3,880	28,400	3,380	810	4,450
Alan Shubert 66/73	Ken			4,500				
Dave Neilan	Ber	0.1		6,570	1,910			
*SHEILA O'BRIEN -/67	Sus	8.4		4,600	3,930	26,440	8,190	6,160
Bruce Richardson	Jer			980				
Ian Champion	Gu	2.0		3,360	4,110	3,750		
Neil Martel	Sus			1,930				
Trevor Wanstall	Buc			3,080				
Keith Wilkinson	Sur			3,550	700			
Alec Mair	Jer			1,310				
Jimmy Robson	Oxf			3,630	1,100			
*Sheila King	Sur	2.0		1,750	3,930	1,860		
*Maria Rayson	Jer			1,350				
*Sue Carre	Jer			1,120				
Steve Huntley 60/65	Oxf			3,910	1,310			
Keith Lewendon 45/48	Ber			0				
Jack Marett	Jer	5.0		2,410	4,600	4,460	0	1,910
MICK EOUZAN 78/31	Jer	11.8		7,430	25,320	9,850	10,500	6,270
Tony Perrett	Oxf			510				
Mike Matthews	Jer	0.2		210,920	4,120			
*Kim Radmore	Han			130				
*Anna Taylor	Sus			930				
Geoff Pitt 26/28	Ber			3,510	1,420			
Ian Gicquel	Jer	2.0		3,780	2,320	1,400		
*Sue Oakley	Sur			2,000				

BREAKS*: Festou 8,960 & 8,750
Eouzan 5,060

C Green 7,470 S O'Brien 5,740
Matthews 7,110

National Ranking
Before/After

	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd	(2 legs)
Dave Barnes	Oxf			850	2,100			
Ray Sturgess	Oxf			610				
* Evelyn Steere	Han			670				
*Sally Bateman	Sus	2.0		1,370	3,110	1,050		
Colin King	Jer			1,860				
Colin Frost	Sur			2,720	800			
Ali Macleod	Jer			1,540				
Dave Bewey	Sur	5.1		5,670	4,910	3,670	4,820	1,150
E Waters	Sus			1,440				
DICK HOUSE	Han	8.1		2,830	5,170	4,380	3,930	3,600
*Chris Gardner	Sur			350				
Dave Evans	Oxf			2,950	1,400			
Charlie Gildersleve	Buc			1,930	1,940			
Alan Jones	Jer			1,550				
Phil Hawkins	Ber	2.5		² 11,270	² 8,770	4,110		
Richard Hockey	Han			450				
Andrew Moon	Jer	2.0		2,150	3,490	1,380		
Roland Musk	Sur			1,080				
Peter Taylor	Gu			1,270				
Malcolm Edwards	Sus			1,780	1,170			
Dennis Claydon	Ber	5.3		5,390	7,680	6,880	1,240	480
Phil Keutzer	Gu			0				
Roger Taylor	Sus			1,820				
Dave Anderton	Jer	0.1		5,050	4,080			
*Cindy De Jersey	Gu			770				
Neil Byles	Sur			2,130	430			
Fred Jeanne	Jer	2.2		² 7,610	6,140	0		
Keith MacDonald	Cam			270				
Graham Mephram	Sus			0				
JIM MILLWARD	Sus	22.5		² 10,240	² 8,390	² 11,200	² 11,660	10,000
Tony Guillou	Jer			30				
Dave Chatel	Jer			4,010	3,680			
John Van Der Vliet	Jer			2,540	1,250			
*Jill Barbet	Jer			1,840				
Don Cadec	Jer	2.1		5,450	1,370	2,580		
Dave Skinner	Buc			240				
Dave Tallack	Han			2,810				
Dave Gallichan	Jer	5.2		4,500	5,480	5,180	2,760	4,470
Adrian Taylor	Jer			640	340			
Graeme Le Beuvant	Jer			150				
Bob Jeanne	Jer			3,150				
CHRIS TUPPER	Sus	11.9		5,550	4,970	9,690	8,050	6,710
Emile Sanguy	Jer			3,520	0			
Mick Cotillard	Jer			1,750				
Malcolm Pearce	Buc	2.0		2,830	4,240	590		
Steve Young	Jer			1,360				
Bill Gosling	Ber			2,140	680			
Sean Lee	Oxf			1,800				

BREAKS*: Hawkins 11,270 & 7,650 Jeanne 6,490
 Millward 8,410 5,870 6,700 & 11,170

Ranking Before/After	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd	(2 legs)
Graham Alderson	Jer			1,550				
Joe O'Farrell	Ber	2.1		6,520	3,600	2,310		
Nigel Bisson	Jer			2,910	3,510			
Les Green	4/4 Ken			1,950				
ANDY HAINES	Buc	8.1		4,930	3,860	4,630	2,520	5,080
Andy Burns	Ber			1,570				
Arthur Brown	Sus			1,710				
Steve Plowman	Sur			2,620	1,410			
*Jenny Noel	Jer	5.1		5,240	2,070	3,510	2,390	3,240
Doug Dawson	Sus			4,530				
Martin Atkins	Oxf			2,530	900			
Stuart Falle	Jer			1,860				
Kevin Stoner	Sus			2,450				
Richard Deadman	Sus			3,380	3,610			
Syl Murphy	Buc	2.0		3,000	3,870	810		
Arthur Carless	Ber			1,290				
Simon Tinto	12/12 Sur	0.3		² 11,250	1,510			
B Cook	Sus			650				
Pete Welch	38/42 Oxf			1,640				
Ronnie Rebours	Jer	5.5		5,500	² 8,890	6,030	7,000	170
Trevor Dare	Jer			0				
Mark Brewster	21/21 Ken			1,160	1,810			
Neville Edwards	Sus	2.1		3,290	5,300	2,470		
Mark Vowden	Jer			1,060				
Dennis Atkins	17/17 Oxf			1,840				
*Janet Burns	Ber	0.1		5,340	700			
Barry Le Beuvant	Jer			2,110				
KEITH SHEARD	2/1 Oxf	9.1		5,280	² 12,110	9,580	620	² 12,580
Dave Howarth	Ken			1,060				
Roy Wells	Sus	2.0		1,400	3,610	850		
Alan Mephram	Sus			0				
Graham Lewis	Sus	0.2		² 10,290	550			
Harry Barbet	62/64 Jer	2.1		² 6,550	4,600	4,370		
Steve Purkiss	Ken			760				
Andy Farmer-Wright	Sus		4,690	2,690	4,460			
Mike Leader	Oxf		550					
Paul Bredonchel	Jer		1,790	0				
*Lynn Travis	Gu		490					
Frank Cadoret	Jer		3,980	3,160				
Reg Mannell	Lancs		2,420					
Pete O'Brien	Sus	0.2		² 8,980	800			
Dennis Helleur	49/44 Jer	5.5	1,860	² 11,070	7,740	4,560	2,990	5,460
Ken Wilkinson	Sur		700					
Bernie McCluskey	14/15 Ber		0					
Tony Walsh	5/5 Ber		3,290	0				
Sean Taylor	65/72 Sus		4,340					
*Sue Mariner	Sus	0.2	5,720	6,000	1,700			
John Smith	Buc		1,650					
Pete Farrelly	7/8 Nor	0.1	6,340	0				
Dave May	Ken	2.1	2,310	1,720	6,080	4,470		
*Michelle Le Blond	Jer		770					
*Tina Murphy	Jer		1,550					
*Dee House	Han		1,950	980				

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BIGGEST BREAKS ON PAGE 10.

Ranking Before/After	Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd	(2 legs)
*Diana Welburn	Ken		1,240	1,680				
Brian Daniels	Han		1,040					
Jim Murphy	Sus		620					
Vince Watts	Sus		4,680	2,760	0			
TREV GALLIENNE -/59	Gu	12.3	7,800	² 7,770	² 14,290	² 7,950	8,580	3,190
*June Hopwood	Jer		1,210					
Bert Lovegrove	Oxf		560					
John Haddon	Han		2,460	2,780				
Billy Kerr	Sus	0.1	1,910	5,410				
Paul Trotman	Sur		1,190					
Paul Radmore	Han		830					
Tony Morton	Jer	2.2	1,570	6,210	3,020	5,140		
Brian Richards	Sus		1,700	1,790				
Alan Huntley	Oxf		1,480					
Doug Mahy	Sus		770					
Bill Messenbird	Han		1,060	3,940	430			
BOB KING	Jer	8.6	5,700	5,050	8,840	6,210	4,840	3,400
Andre Layzell	Sus		1,050					
Dino Clark	Buc		2,020					
Alan Le Blond	Jer	0.1	5,150	4,530				
Nigel Ryall	Jer	0.2	1,710	² 10,010	190			
Ian Street	Sus		1,470					
Brian Dawkins	Ber		1,500					
Dave de Jersey	Gu		4,600	1,850				
Pete Collett	Oxf		3,240	3,220				
Tony Fahey	Sur		0					
Mark James	Sus	5.4	5,450	3,940	² 7,610	² 5,890	1,180	6,610
Pierre Theron	Jer		2,420					
Scott McKenzie	Jer			2,670				
Paul Wing	Han		1,210					
Kevin Tunstall	Oxf	0.2	4,840	² 10,410	4,910			
Simon Taylor	Jer		1,640					
Ray Hussey	Buc	2.0	2,000	4,350	4,470	3,720		
Bob Chapple	Gu		1,850					
T Greenyer	Sus		2,870	730				
Steve Hawkes	Sus	0.1	4,200	6,680	1,580			
James Hopwood	Jer		690					
Dave Jones	Jer		2,580					
Paul Caistor	Oxf		3,610	0				
Martin Carre	Jer	0.2	² 7,350	² 6,360	3,100			
Tim Scotney	Sus		3,420					
Mark Turner	Ber	0.1	6,890	3,610				
Richard Kent	Jer		3,470					
Ian Goulding	Sus	2.3	6,530	6,450	6,510	0		
Winston Turner	Jer		90					
Fred Wynn	Sus		0					
Graham Bisson	Jer	0.4	² 11,440	² 5,660				
Peter Noel	Jer	0.2	6,750	5,580	4,850			
Clive Mortimer	Sus		1,330					
*Jane Carless	Ber		2,570	460				
Gerry Peckham	Ken		950					
Roy Le Page	Gu		2,680					
Clive Thompson	Sus	0.1	5,110	1,870				
Mark Sawyer	Ber	5.7	8,560	6,790	6,140	² 12,370	3,770	2,220
Mick Lambert	Jer		2,000					

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BIGGEST BREAKS ON PAGE 10.

Ranking Before/After		Cty	RP	1st Rd	2nd Rd	3rd Rd	4th Rd	5th Rd (2 legs)
ERIC HILL	36/26	Buc	14.6		3,460	² 6,720	4,230	² 7,420
Mike Williams		Sus		630				3,460
Ernie Wilson		Jer		2,440	1,860			
Dave Constable		Sur		1,180				
Graeme Le Monnier		Jer	0.3 ²	12,000	w/o	3,840		
Roy Syvret		Jer		2,380	withdrew			
*Marion Sewell		Han		520				
Tony Plaw		Sur		4,640	740			
Bob Toye		Sus		2,440				
*Lisa Bussby		Oxf		480				
John Mitchell		Ken	0.1	² 7,160	3,480	3,990		
Derek Payne		Oxf		4,530	2,400			
Roy Wain		Oxf		2,070				
Colin De Jersey		Gu		0				
Pete Lee	28/31	Oxf	2.1	7,400	2,440	4,040	3,240	

BREAKS*: Tinto 7,240 Rebours 8,120 Sheard 7,680 & 10,920 Lewis 8,990
 Barbet 5,630 P O'Brien 6,340 Helleur 11,070
 Gallienne 5,670 10,530 & 7,850 Ryall 8,880 James 7,560 & 5,890
 Tunstall 6,200 Carre 5,940 & 5,190 G Bisson 7,090 & 5,660
 Sawyer 8,850 Hill 6,720 & 7,120 Le Monnier 7,470 Mitchell 5,170

PROGRESS OF EACH COUNTY THROUGHOUT THE EVENT

	JER	GU	ENG	SUS	OXF	SUR	BER	HAN	KEN	BUC	CAM	NOR	LAN
Original Entries	89	15	195	64	32	25	23	14	14	14	6	3	0
Actually Played	87	15	197	66	31	24	22	16	14	14	6	3	1
Reached round 3	38	6	84	34	10	9	11	3	7	7	3	0	0
Reached round 4	22	3	39	17	4	2	6	1	2	6	1		
Reached round 5	12	1	19	8	2	1	3	1	1	2	1		
Reached round 6	4	1	11	5	2	0	0	1	1	2	0		
Reached Qtr-fin	2	1	5	4	0			0	0	1			
Reached Semi's	1	0	3	2						1			
Reached Final	1		1	1						0			

THE LATTER STAGES

	Round Six		Qtr-finals		Semi-finals		Final	
S AHIER	²² 14,710	² 11,830	10,620	² 13,050	² 9,560	² 15,330	2,180	0
L Clough	40	960						
G Lloyd	3,520	9,420	200	0				
C Saville	8,170	810						
P Fann	0	780						
S MARINER	9,220	² 13,130	4,990	7,260	3,140	0		
S O'Brien	3,940	2,810						
M Eouzan	4,760	6,760	1,630	1,830				
D House	950	3,030						
J MILLWARD	770	6,110	² 8,980	² 15,170	² 9,680	6,130	200	² 12,580
C Tupper	5,940	8,980	230	0				
A Haines	1,580	1,370						
K Sheard	600	8,490						
T Gallienne	12,920	6,460	2,580	3,990				
B King	1,100	5,140						
E HILL	5,140	2,550	8,770	7,420	240	4,760		

BREAKS IN LATTER STAGES*: Ahier 8,920 5,790 11,710 13,050 9,120 & 15,330
 Mariner 13,130 Millward 8,100 12,780 9,450 & 9,450

PRIZE LIST

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WINNER JIM MILLWARD (SUSSEX)
RUNNER-UP STEVE AHIER (JERSEY)
LOSING SEMI-FINALISTS ERIC HILL (BUCKS) STEVE MARINER (SUSSEX)
LOSING QUARTER-FINALISTS TREVOR GALLIENNE (GUERNSEY)
LAST 16 MICK EOUZAN (JERSEY) GARETH LLOYD & CHRIS TUPPER (SUSSEX)
 LORIN CLOUGH & KEITH SHEARD (OXON) CHRIS SAVILLE (KENT)
 PETER FANN & BOB KING (JERSEY) DICK HOUSE (HANTS)
 ANDY HAINES (BUCKS) SHEILA O'BRIEN (SUSSEX)
BEST 3 U.K. BREAKS PHIL HAWKINS (BERKS) 11,270
 KEITH SHEARD (OXON) 9,580 GRAHAM LEWIS (SUSSEX) 8,990
BEST 3 C.I. BREAKS DENNIS HELLEUR (JERSEY) 11,070
 TREVOR GALLIENNE (GUERNSEY) 10,530 STEVE AHIER (JERSEY) 9,920
FOUR HIGHEST LADIES SCORES (all from SUSSEX) SHEILA O'BRIEN 6,440
 SUE MARINER 6,000 JEAN OVER 6,190 SUE MARINER 5,720
BEST 2 LADIES BREAKS (both from SUSSEX) SHEILA O'BRIEN 5,740
 SUE MARINER 4,910
HIGHEST LOSING SCORES (Rounds 1-5) SEAN TAYLOR (SUSSEX) 4,340
 GRAHAM BISSON (JERSEY) 5,660 KEVIN TUNSTALL (OXON) 4,910
 TONY MORTON (JERSEY) 5,140 VERNON FESTOU (JERSEY) 9,160
SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD KAREN AUBERT (JERSEY)
LUCKY LADY ENTRANT PAULINE BROWN (SURREY)
LUCKY PROGRAMME No. 138 DICK HOUSE (HANTS)

YOUTH EVENT

		Round 1	Round 2	semi-finals	final
STEVEN SHEARD	Oxf	3,140	1,980	3,800	6,130
Matthew Malorey	Jer	620			
Martin Rayson	Jer		1,890		
James Jeanne	Jer		1,580	410	
Gregory Anderton	Jer		0		
Justin Cotillard	Jer	600	970		
Graham Sheard	Oxf	70			
Lee Dare	Jer		1,370	650	
ASHLEY MALOREY	Jer		1,800	4,020	1,570
Ian Bland	Jer		160		

MILLWARD PREVENTS AHIER HAT-TRICK

Jim Millward, the 39-year-old insurance broker from Brighton who had captured his first major title only one month earlier, has added to his collection the biggest prize available in the sport, the 17th British Isles Open Championship at the De Normandie Hotel in Jersey.

His smile as he soaked up the rapturous applause at the end of the two-day extravaganza was almost as broad as the Channel itself.

Millward had just climbed to No. 7 in the British Rankings, but it was that, or even the first prize of a £1,000 holiday voucher, sponsored jointly by British Airways and leading Jersey travel agency Travtel, which caused the smile to be so wide. It was purely the realisation that he had fulfilled his wildest dreams by becoming the British Isles Open Champion of 1997.

What a phenomenal performance it was, and his success was fully deserved.

He achieved it against the odds, playing Steve Ahier, a Jersey bookmaker who had won the title in 1990 and 1991, and hot favourite to become the first to take the prize for a third time.

But the opening leg of the final, being observed by most of the 300 players who

had been eliminated earlier, was somewhat of a disappointment!

Asked to take first break, Ahier, who plays for the local Esplanade team, amazed all on-lookers when he missed a normally straightforward shot off the cushion to a ball near the 10 hole. This casual attempt lost him his initial break of just over 1,000, and it was to be the first of four attempts at similar shots, all of which were doomed to failure. Each time he was losing a small tally of points, and he was obviously becoming more and more frustrated at the unusual reaction of the ball off the right-hand cushion.

After felling the pin on the other occasion in his first five visits, Ahier had still not scored when he came to the table for the 6th time, and despite rocking the pin again he was finally on the scoreboard with a modest 100 points.

By this time, 12 minutes had elapsed, and Millward could not believe what was happening to the normally free-scoring Jerseyman. But he too was struggling, with only 230 by his name.

When Ahier missed another "bread and butter shot" off the cushion, Millward became a little frustrated himself, and managed to knock down the black pin by playing off all three cushions, thus losing the small lead he had built to that point.

The crowd was surprised to see both players miss another opportunity before Ahier finally settled into something like his usual rhythm. Two minutes later, Ahier had made a 2,080 break and the bar dropped to signal the arrival of the half-way interval. Millwall finished off the last three balls but Ahier led 2,180 - 200.

The second leg could not have been more of a contrast. Millward finally benefited from winning the toss, which allowed him the advantage of breaking off in the second leg. He dug deep to summon up all his experience and determination, transferring from dogged perseverance to flamboyant stroke-play, and calmly (outwardly anyway) potted a brilliant 9,450 break, giving Ahier only 5 minutes to score over 7,000.

Although that was a virtually impossible task, Ahier did not concede, but just pinned his next shot, which allowed Millward the chance of a celebratory 3,130 break to the end of the match.

Millward's dreams of super-stardom may have started when he reached the semi-finals of the very first Open in 1981. But he was unplaced the following year, and then totally gave up the game for eight years before starting to climb up the rankings since their inception in 1991 despite suffering from intermittent back problems which have necessitated him to wear a heavy leather belt for support at times.

Millward won the "Alternative Rules Championship" staged in Reading by the All-England Association as practice for the Jersey trip, both events requiring the cue-ball to be placed on the spot in the "D", rather than using the whole "D". This proved to be perfect preparation, although only once before has the same player won both events: in 1994 when Kevin Tunstall was the double champion.

Millward had had an impressive run of breaks throughout the two days: 8,410 in the second round, 5,870 in the third, 6,700 in the fourth, and 11,170 in the fifth. Despite losing a 7,000 effort in the sixth, he was back in form with 8,100 and 12,780 in the quarter-final against team-mate Chris Tupper, and then a solid 9,450 followed by a winning 3,000 against All-England President Eric Hill, the surprise semi-finalist from High Wycombe who had ousted Guernsey's last hope Trevor Gallienne in the previous round.

For Ahier, the final was a big disappointment. He too had amassed a string of big breaks from the 5th round onwards, the point that the competition changes to two-leg matches.

He scored a 11,010 break in a fabulous performance against surprise qualifier Karen Aubert (Jersey) in the 5th round, a trio of breaks (8,920, 5,790 and 11,710) against Lorin Clough (Wallingford, whose recent progress had given him high hopes which never quite came to fruition) in the 6th, another 13,050 in the quarter-final against Horsham's Gareth Lloyd, and then further runs of 9,120 and 15,330 in what had appeared to be a tough semi-final against Steve Mariner (Brighton).

Ahier had also started the tournament with 9,920 in his first match against half of the reigning ladies pairs championship team, Josie Hogan from London, and then easily beat the reigning champion Terry Oakley (Redhill) with two 3,000 breaks in his second. It lifted Ahier 19 places to No. 27 in the latest rankings.

As usual, there were many shocks in the early rounds. 1985 champion Bernie McCluskey went down in the very first game of the first day, but it was no disgrace to lose out to his own Reading team-mate Tony Walsh, the 1995 winner, who lost his next

match to Dennis Helleur, the 1992 champion from Jersey.

Les Green (Rochester) lost a 6,000 break which brought about a defeat at the hands of Organising Secretary Nigel Bisson, and England captain and top-dog Kevin Tunstall (Abingdon) went out against Worthing's Mark James. When Tunstall opened with only 1,270, James replied with a winning 7,560.

But that Tunstall defeat enabled Keith Sheard (Oxford) to go back to the top of the ranking list. Sheard had never before progressed beyond the third round of this event in Jersey, but gritted his teeth to reach the 16 this year before falling to Gallienne.

All-England Secretary Dave Barnes registered a rare victory, against an Eynsham League team-mate Ray Sturgess, runner-up in the Mermaid Open in Portsmouth recently.

Former Jersey International Micky Daw lost comprehensively to Jean Over (Sussex) who won one of the six Ladies Prizes on offer, Brighton's Sue Mariner winning three and Sheila O'Brien (Worthing) the other two.

Phil Hawkins (Reading) and Helleur won the major break prizes, and Sheard's youngest son Steven captured the first-ever Junior Championship, competed between ten under-15's.

Ten-year-old Sheard wiped away eight local players AND his older brother to win the final with an impressive 6,130 in the final against Ashley Malorey.

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Previous Winners:

1973 Mayflower, H Wycombe (Buc)	1974 North Star, Worthing (Sus)
1975 New Inn, Baughurst (Han)	1976 Flying Scud, Redhill (Sur)
1977 Sportsmans Rest, Portsmouth (Han)	1978 Temple Farm WMC, Strood (Ken)
1979 Searles Club "A", H Wycombe (Buc)	1980 Mucky Duck, Rudgwick (Sus)
1981 Crown & Thistle, Oxford	1982 Bush, Blackbird & Thrush (Maidstone)
1983 Hour Glass, H Wycombe (Buc)	1984 Alford SC (Sus)
1985 Crown & Thistle, Oxford	1986 Cabmans Rest, Portsmouth (Han)
1987 Tandem, Oxford	1988 Stocks, Beenham, Newbury (Ber)
1989 Lane End S & SC, Wycombe (Buc)	1990 Lane End S & SC, Wycombe (Buc)
1991 The Victorian (Ken)	1992 Lawrence, Southsea (Han)
1993 Lion, Ash, Sandwich (Ken)	1994 Sun, Reading (Ber)
1995 The Romans, Southwick (Sus)	1996 The Romans, Southwick (Sus)

GROUP ONE

W SWAN (CAM) 3	BLACK BOY (BER) 2	GOOD INT (KEN) 2	STADIUM (SUS) 3
K MacDonald 10,290 *	M Turner 1,070	L Green 9,920 *	G Tully 4,550
P Buckle 1,610	M Sawyer 8,910 *	S Degray 1,350	M James 12,090 *
A Magee 1,230	J O'Farrell 5,660 *	C Driver 5,650	J Millward 7,390 *
P Doherty 4,830 *	B Trinder 960	M Brewster 6,140 *	B Toye 0
E Dugan 8,850 *	P Scouse 430	JJ Addley 3,410	S Mariner 4,920 *
26,810	17,030	26,470	28,950
BREAKS: MacDonald 10,020		BREAKS:	

GOOD INT (KEN) 3	W SWAN (CAM) 2	STADIUM (SUS) 4	BLACK BOY (BER) 1
C Driver 5,870 *	K MacDonald 2,440	G Tully 13,590 *	J O'Farrell 0
M Brewster 3,850	P Buckle 7,530 *	M James 7,280 *	B Trinder 1,890
L Green 15,170 *	A Magee 1,130	J Millward 5,380 *	M Turner 2,260
S Degray 1,010	P Doherty 7,770 *	B Toye 4,750	M Sawyer 14,080 *
JJ Addley 12,400 *	E Dugan 700	S Mariner 10,560 *	P Scouse 7,200
38,300	19,570	41,560	25,430
BREAKS: Green 14,770		BREAKS: Mariner 10,190 Sawyer 14,080	

W SWAN (CAM) 2	STADIUM (SUS) 3	BLACK BOY (BER) 3	GOOD INT (KEN) 2
K MacDonald 8,950 *	J Millward 1,360	J O'Farrell 2,690 *	L Green 1,470
P Buckle 3,470	B Toye 10,760 *	B Trinder 12,390 *	S Degray 800
A Magee 840	G Tully 8,890 *	M Turner 12,090 *	C Driver 1,430
P Doherty 5,020 *	M James 3,400	M Sawyer 5,070	M Brewster 5,740 *
E Dugan 2,080	S Mariner 10,320 *	P Scouse 7,560	JJ Addley 8,190 *
20,360	34,730	39,800	17,630

BREAKS:

BREAKS: Trinder 12,230

GROUP TWO

RED LION (BUC) 4	MILL HOUSE (OX) 1	B S'GRAVE (NOR) 2	PHOENIX (HAN) 3
J Burrows 10,730 *	R Hayter 1,440	S Coleman 1,090	C Newson 4,180 *
A Stevens 4,840	P Burton 4,850 *	M Randall 2,070	T Doswell 3,730 *
E Jordan 3,140 *	K Tunstall 2,260	C Lawman 6,670 *	A Stillwell 1,110
K Ware 8,770 *	T Martin 1,900	I Coleman 2,340 *	C Toner 1,720
D Mahoney 7,190 *	S Florey 5,120	S Oram 370	P Wing 12,720 *
34,670	15,570	12,540	23,460

BREAKS: Burrows 10,030

BREAKS: Wing 12,580

B S'GRAVE (NOR) 2	RED LION (BUC) 3	PHOENIX (HAN) 3	MILL HOUSE (OX) 2
S Coleman 5,400	E Jordan 5,970 *	A Stillwell 1,680	R Hayter 5,360 *
M Randall 2,210	A Stevens 2,650 *	T Doswell 4,540 *	P Burton 3,100
C Lawman 11,210 *	J Burrows 2,180	C Newson 7,370 *	K Tunstall 5,380
I Coleman 6,240	K Ware 10,600 *	C Toner 2,040	T Martin 7,340 *
S Oram 6,720 *	D Mahoney 3,910	P Wing 15,680 *	S Florey 500
31,780	25,310	31,310	21,680

BREAKS: Ware 10,600

BREAKS: Wing 15,350

RED LION (BUC) 5	PHOENIX (HAN) 0	MILL HOUSE (OX) 5	B S'GRAVE (NOR) 0
J Burrows 11,590 *	A Stillwell 1,810	K Tunstall 15,730 *	S Coleman 1,720
A Stevens 2,890 *	T Doswell 2,080	P Burton 5,710 *	M Randall 1,720
E Jordan 6,560 *	C Newson 1,520	R Hayter 4,400 *	C Lawman 2,430
K Ware 4,560 *	C Toner 3,560	T Martin 9,830 *	I Coleman 3,790
D Mahoney 7,920 *	P Wing 1,200	S Florey 9,610 *	S Oram 1,750
33,520	10,170	45,280	11,410

BREAKS:

BREAKS: Tunstall 14,800

TABLES: GROUP ONE

	P	W	L	AGGREG	PTS
The STADIUM TAVERN "C", Hove, Nr Brighton, SUSSEX	3	3	0	105,240	10
The GOOD INTENT, Rochester, KENT	3	1	2	82,400	7
The WHITE SWAN, Conington, CAMBRIDGE	3	1	2	66,740	7
The BLACK BOY, Shinfield, BERKSHIRE	3	1	2	82,260	6

GROUP TWO

The RED LION, Penn, Nr High Wycombe, BUCKS	3	3	0	93,500	12
The MILL HOUSE, Abingdon, OXFORD	3	1	2	82,530	8
The PHOENIX, Portsmouth, HANTS	3	2	1	64,940	6
BARTON SEAGRAVE COMM CENT, Kettering, NORTHANTS	3	0	3	55,730	4

THE FINAL

RED LION (BUC) 1	STADIUM (SUS) 3	
J Burrows 3,830	J Millward 6,190 *	
K Ware 3,530	B Toye 5,240 *	BEST BREAK IN FINAL: Mahoney 9,770
D Mahoney 14,210 *	G Tully 1,180	
A Stevens 3,060	M James 9,400 *	HIGHEST BREAK OF TOURNAMENT:
E Jordan v	S Mariner	Paul Wing 15,350
24,630	22,010	

AVERAGES

Pos	Cty	RP	W	L	Aver	Pos	Cty	RP	W	L	Aver
1 Paul Wing	Han	12.5	2	1	9867	20 Bill Trinder	Ber	0.2	1	2	5080
2 Mark Sawyer	Ber	11.4	2	1	9353	22 Stuart Florey	Oxf	0.1	1	2	5077
3 Les Green	Ken	10.4	2	1	8853	23 Paul Scouse	Ber		0	3	5063
4 Steve Mariner	Sus	11.2	3	0	8600	24 Pete Burton	Oxf	1.0	2	1	4553
5 Dave Mahoney	Buc	9.0	3	1	8308	25 Chris Newson	Han	1.0	2	1	4357
6 Mark James	Sus	8.2	3	1	8043	26 Curt Driver	Ken		1	2	4317
7 JJ Addley	Ken	6.3	2	1	8000	27 Phil Buckle	Cam		1	2	4203
8 Kevin Tunstall	Oxf	4.3	1	2	7790	28 Ian Coleman	Nor		1	2	4123
9 Keith MacDonald	Cam	4.2	2	1	7227	29 Earl Dugan	Cam	0.1	1	2	3877
10 John Burrows	Buc	2.3	2	2	7083	30 Ray Hayter	Oxf	1.0	2	1	3733
11 Grant Tully	Sus	1.3	2	2	7053	31 Trevor Doswell	Han	1.0	2	1	3450
12 Kim Ware	Buc	2.2	3	1	6865	32 Alan Stevens	Buc		2	2	3360
13 Chris Lawman	Nor	1.2	2	1	6770	33 Steve Oram	Nor		1	2	2947
14 Tony Martin	Oxf	1.1	2	1	6357	34 Joe O'Farrell	Ber	1.0	2	1	2783
15 Pete Doherty	Cam	3.0	3	0	5873	35 Simon Coleman	Nor		0	3	2737
16 Mark Brewster	Ken	1.0	2	1	5243	36 Chris Toner	Han		0	3	2440
17 Ernie Jordan	Buc	3.0	3	0	5223	37 Mick Randall	Nor		0	3	2000
18 Bob Toye	Sus	0.1	2	2	5188	38 Alan Stillwell	Han		0	3	1533
19 Mark Turner	Ber	0.2	1	2	5140	39 Andy Magee	Cam		0	3	1067
20 Jim Millward	Sus	2.0	3	1	5080	40 Simon Degray	Ken		0	3	1053

SAME TEAM (...well, almost), DIFFERENT NAME, SAME RESULT

The Stadium Tavern, Hove, are the new All-England Team Champions, but the word "new" may be a little misleading.

They are basically the same players who have won the same title for the previous two years, and there are even connections going back to the Sussex representatives every year since 1991.

Mark James and Ian Lelliott helped the Sussex Arms to runners-up spot in 1991, the presence of Jim Millward could not stop his Royal Exchange team finishing bottom of their group in 1992, but the full Romans side from Southwick (near Brighton) made their first impact upon the tournament in 1993 under somewhat controversial circumstances.

They claimed that as they had the same number of points, and won more matches in their group than group winners and eventual runners-up Flying Scud (Redhill), it should have been the Romans who went through to the final. Lelliott had been joined in the team by Chris Tupper, Steve Mariner, Mark James and Julian Deeprise, and their tardy objection was rewarded when they were given a free entry into the 1994 championships, to make some recompense for the administrative error.

The boost was gratefully received, but they unluckily lost a close final to The Sun (Reading).

Millward replaced Deeprise in the team in 1995, and they beat Oxford's Crown and Thistle 3-1, also retaining the title in 1996 when they beat the Bird-in-Hand (Tilehurst) by the same margin.

Grant Tully and Bob Toye replaced Tupper and Lelliott this year, and they moved home venues to the Stadium, but the 3-1 result in the final against Red Lion (High Wycombe) was just as convincing.

Millward won the vital leg in the final after losing the toss to allow the Bucks side the supposed advantage of having three initial breaks. He won the only game against the break, beating the dangerous John Burrows 6,190 - 3,830.

Toye's 5240 and James' 9,400 were the other winners while Dave Mahoney (14,210) convincingly captured the only consolation, so that anchor-man Steve Mariner was not required to play.

Their group had been keenly fought, just edging out The Good Intent (Rochester) 3-2 and The Black Boy (Shinfield, Berks) 4-1, but they still needed to beat White Swan (Connington, Cambs) to avoid the possibility of the Kent champions catching them.

Toye (10,760), Tully (8,890) and Mariner (10,320) assured a victory and subsequent qualification.

The Bucks team had beaten Mill House (Abingdon) 4-1, Barton Seagrave Community

Centre (Kettering) 3-2 and the Phoenix (Portsmouth) 5-0, the latter boasting the player with the best average in the competition, Paul Wing, who averaged 9,870 in three matches.

Wing also picked up the award for the best break, 15,350.

11th NATIONAL UNDER-22's CHAMPIONSHIPS

SUN 23rd NOV 1997

at the POST OFFICE S & SC, READING

Previous Champions:

1987 Ricky Brownlow (Kent)	1988 Curt Driver (Kent)
1989 Tony Walsh (Berks)	1990 Paul Scouse (Berks)
1991 Kevin Clark (Kent)	1992 Roy Taylor (Sussex)
1993 Sean Taylor (Sussex)	1994 Alan Howes (Kent)
1995 Ian Street (Sussex)	1996 Peter Mitchell (Kent)

Six players drawn into two groups and played on a round-robin basis, with 2 points awarded for winning each leg, and a one point bonus for the best aggregate overall

	POINTS	Cty	First Round		Second Round		Third Round	
Adam Stocker	5 pts	Ber	2860	3010			1560	2790
Steven Sheard	0 pts	Oxf	1430	340	340	1860		
DARREN ISARD	10 pts	Buc			8000	9100	3480	4300
Daniel Newson	0 pts	Han	430	380	660	1230		
ADAM COX	10 pts	Ber	2740	650			4400	6820
Phil Rice	5 pts	Ber			2710	3000	730	490

THE FINAL: Darren Isard (Bucks) 1570 & 4680 beat Adam Cox (Berks) 1750 & 2940

BEST BREAKS: Darren Isard made breaks of 6,230 & 8,870

DARREN EMULATES DEAR OLD DAD

There was a disappointing number of entries for the National Under-22 Championships in Reading this year, but 18-year-old Darren Isard (Watford) will not be complaining.

The players were drawn into two groups with Isard, son of 1982 All-England Champion Terry, romping away with group A with breaks of 6,230 and 8,870, and having to play 17-year-old Adam Cox (Reading) in the final.

Although Cox won the first leg by 180, Isard scored 4,680 in the second.

8th NATIONAL OVER-50's CHAMPIONSHIPS

Previous Finals:

1990 Gerry Whatling (Berks)	1991 Bill Trinder (Berks)
1992 Pete Lee (Oxford)	1993 Bill Trinder (Berks)
1994 John Fullagar (Kent)	1995 Bill Trinder (Berks)
1996 Ernie Jordan (Bucks)	

		Cty	First Round		Second Round		Third Round	
Ian Young	.	Berks			7450	530		
BILL TRINDER	.	Berks	6870	6030	5850	7610	2350	7430
Derek Payne	.	Oxon	3560	3270				
Dave Harris	.	Berks			17830	12880	3010	960
Brian Jones	.	Bucks	760	4060				
Pete Lee	.	Oxon	3430	5320	1020	1360		
ERNIE JORDAN	.	Bucks			4760	5300	8700	6790
Brian Dawkins	.	Berks	4630	5770	1470	2460		
Brian Harrison	.	Bucks	1480	110				
*Bez Rowley	.	Hants			1010	2570	870	3790
Allen Rowley	.	Hants	4720	4030	1780	1440		
Sam Goddard	.	Oxon	1750	2880				

	Cty	First	Round	Second	Round	Third	Round
Ron Britton	Berks	2700	2540				
Charlie Gildersleve	Bucks	5800	2810	690	6130		
Ernie Smith	Oxon	670	260				
Mick Nichol	Kent	11120	4300	10340	6230	2170	560
John Fullagar	Kent	170	5010				
ALLAN LACEY	Oxon	13960	6110	1210	8320	2630	13240
Eileen Britton	Berks	1240	2130				
Robbie Pocock	Berks	6170	2510	2930	1290		
Dave Butt	Oxon	6790	3810	450	8560		
Terry Cook	Oxon	5360	1660				
*Ann Green	Kent	2120	2620				
*Joyce Manneil	Hants	2400	2770	5830	4480	1890	1100
ERIC HILL	Bucks	9060	860	6540	4560	7110	9680
Tony Martin	Oxon	380	7450				
Dave Rowley	Hants	9230	7370	4960	3600		
Dave Barnes	Oxon	3620	1930				

HIGHEST BREAKS*: Dave Harris 17,230 Mick Nichol 10,380 Allan Lacey 13,860

	SEMI-FINALS	FINAL
Bill Trinder	10,220 & 2,810	6710 & 200
Ernie Jordan	60 & 4,210	
Allan Lacey	8,780 & 7,100	620 & 11,040
Eric Hill	500 & 870	

THIRD TIME LACEY

Oxford's Allan Lacey has finally won the National Over-50's Championships after losing the two previous finals.

He lost to Bill Trinder (Wokingham) two years ago, and also to Ernie Jordan (Watford) last year. While Lacey was winning his semi-final against All-England President Eric Hill (High Wycombe), Trinder was beating the defending champion Jordan with the help of an 8,440 break in the other.

When Trinder opened the first leg of the final with a 5,890 break, it seemed that he would be taking the title for the fourth time since he turned 50 in 1991. But Lacey, trailing by over 6,000 at the half-way stage, made a 7,070 opener to the second leg.

He gave Trinder one chance of a recovery, but 200 points later, Lacey was back on the table, and his final score reached 11,040.

Dave Harris (Reading), who won the British Isles Open in Jersey in 1986, has reached the magical age. Bad news for those there already, he made a 17,230 break, the best in the history of the championship.

5th SMALL BUSINESS GRAND PRIX MASTERS

SUN 23rd NOV 1997

at the POST OFFICE S & SC, READING

Previous Finals:

1993	Bernie McCluskey (Berks)	beat	Kevin Tunstall (Oxford)
1994	Kevin Tunstall (Oxford)	beat	Tony Walsh (Berks)
1995	Paul Sainsbury (Berks)	beat	Kevin Tunstall (Oxford)
1996	Paul Sainsbury (Berks)	beat	Keith Sheard (Oxford)

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Winner: £500, Runner-up: £140, Losing semi-finalists: £50,

Losing quarter-finalists: £20, First round losers: £10.

	Seed	NR	Cty	RP	First Round	Second Round	Semi-finals
John Burrows	1	11	Buc	13.4	0 ² 19,560	5,600 8,540	² 18,580 1,200
Ray Sturgess	16	40	Oxf	1.3 ² 16,760	0		
Mark Turner	8	24	Ber	3.2 ² 12,880	6,770	7,280 1,150	
Steve Mariner	9	7	Sus	1.0	0 7,910		
Kevin Tunstall	4	2	Oxf	7.1 ² 20,110	4,900	² 13,230 ² 11,000	250 ² 13,570
Paul Wing	13	14	Han	1.0	130 4,370		
Mark Sawyer	5	10	Ber	3.5 ² 19,280	9,550	2,250 5,810	
Les Green	12	4	Ken	1.1	310 8,620		
Paul Sainsbury	2	3	Ber	10.3 ² 12,440	² 12,370	² 11,680 ² 11,010	0 ² 20,790
Gareth Lloyd	15	33	Sus	1.0	1,730 1,000		
Jim Millward	7	8	Sus	3.1	7,630 8,230	1,590 2,350	
Gary Johnson	10	41	Oxf	1.0	2,800 5,870		
Keith Sheard	3	1	Oxf	3.5 ² 12,720	² 12,470	9,330 230	
Mark Brewster	14	20	Ken	1.0	5,450 5,340		
Kevin Clark	6	6	Ken	7.1 ² 16,110	11,940	2,970 ² 13,180	² 19,260 0
Eric Hill	11	25	Buc	1.0	0 4,070		

FINAL John Burrows ²20,230 & 0 Paul Sainsbury 0 & 5,750

Breaks: BURROWS 19,560, 18,580 & 20,230 STURGESS 16,760 TURNER 12,480
TUNSTALL 13,270, 13,230, 11,000 & 13,040 SAWYER 19,280
SAINSBURY 11,100, 12,000, 11,320, 10,640 & 20,790 SHEARD 12,720 & 12,310
CLARK 16,110, 12,890 & 19,260

The average score in each leg in this event in 1993 was 15,138 (aggreg 454,140),
the average score in each leg in this event in 1994 was 15,280 (aggreg 458,400),
the average score in each leg in this event in 1995 was 15,155 (aggreg 454,660),
the average score in each leg in this event in 1996 was a record 15,742 (aggreg 472,280),
but it may have been more if Steve Mariner had not conceded his game so soon.
the average score in each leg in this event THIS YEAR was 15,272 (aggreg 458,150),
but it would have been a record if hat-trick hunting Sainsbury had got 19,890 in the final.

PAUL'S HAT-TRICK HOPES GETS BURROWED ALIVE

Paul Sainsbury from Bexhill had been promised by the original sponsor, Paul Attwell of Total Tyre and Exhaust Co (Binfield), that he would be allowed to keep the fabulous Gold Cup if he won the Grand Prix Masters for the third consecutive time this year.

That was possibly to extreme pressure which cost the player, who continues to play for Berkshire despite moving to the south coast, the chance of catching the magnificent 20,230 target set by No.1 seed John Burrows from High Wycombe.

Sainsbury was always struggling to keep pace with the required rate and, when a ball whipped out of the 100 hole when he had reached 5,000 and knocked down a pin, the chase was over. Although Burrows missed immediately, Sainsbury's target was now impossible. He raced to 5,750 before conceding the prestigious title to his opponent.

The Masters is an invitational event, only those performing well and building up enough merit marks in the eight open events during the year receiving the call to the showpiece event where all competitors are compelled to wear waistcoats and bow-ties.

The seeding is on those performances, NOT on the current rankings, making it all the more surprising that only ONE of the matches played throughout the day went to the lower seeded player: No.6 Kevin Clark (Rochester) ousting No.3 Keith Sheard (Oxford) in the quarter-finals with a 12,890 opener to the second leg after losing the first by only 6,360.

Defeat cost Sheard his prized No.1 ranking in Britain, allowing Abingdon's Kevin Tunstall to return to that position by virtue of reaching the semi-final stage, but there he came up against the high-flying Burrows, determined to make his mark in a rare

appearance on the scene since winning both Oxfordshire and Berkshire Opens earlier in the year, the reasons why he had been awarded the No.1 seeding.

Burrows made three big breaks in his four matches. In the first round, he had been forced up to top gear to catch Ray Sturgess (Eynsham) who started the match with a 16,760 total clearance. Burrows calmly made 19,560 in reply.

His only struggle was in the last eight against Mark Turner (Wokingham), who had already beaten the dangerous Steve Mariner (Brighton). Burrows trailed 5,600 - 7,280 on the first leg but made 8,540 in the second as Turner lost form.

The big match was his semi-final clash with Tunstall. Burrows made another clearance for 18,580 and was very relieved when the England captain fell by the wayside on only 13,040.

Sainsbury was simply on fire throughout. Breaks of 11,100 and 12,000 saw off the precocious talent of Horsham's Gareth Lloyd, and then breaks of 11,320 and 10,640 put paid to the hopes of Jim Millward (Brighton) who had won everything in the past month, the Alternative Rules, the British Isles Open and also been a mainstay in the Stadium Tavern team who had captured the National Team Championships.

Sainsbury had left his best for when he needed it most in the semi-final clash with Clark. The Kent man played out the first leg for 19,260 and was devastated to see Sainsbury shatter that target for a 20,790 in the second leg.

The overall calibre of play throughout the five years of this competition has been second to none, every year the average score made in each leg has been in excess of 15,000, and there were another twenty breaks of over 10,000 in the 30 legs played in this year's event, with the final being conceded with nearly ten minutes to play.

Final Grand Prix Standings 1997:

BURROWS 30, SAINSBURY 27, SHEARD 26, TUNSTALL 22, SAWYER 21, CLARK 21, MILLWARD 20, TURNER 16, MARINER 16, JOHNSON 15, STEVE AHIER 15 (DECLINED INVITATION), HILL 13, GREEN 13, WING 12, BREWSTER 12, LLOYD 11, STURGESS 11.

Non-qualifiers: Tony Walsh 10, Stuart Giles 10, Pete Farrelly 9, Max Dick 9, Pete Lee 7, Steve Huntley 7.

1st MIXED PAIRS OPEN 1997

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(NON-RANKING EVENT)

SUN 30th NOV 1997 at the ALEXANDRA BOWLING CLUB, Northern Parade, HILSEA
Pairs were placed into eight groups by draw. Ladies to take break in every leg.
Winners of each leg awarded 0.2, with 1.1 bonus for winning the aggregate.

GROUP ONE

Diana Welburn	Susan Andrews	Janet Burns	Joyce Mannell
Alan Shubert (Ken)	Daniel Newson (Han)	Tony Walsh (Ber)	Dave Rowley (Han)
4430 & 7340 1.5	100 & 410 0.0		
10070 & 1700 1.3			
	370 & 430 0.0	10440 & 4980 1.5	730 & 3910 0.2
	790 & 520 0.0		
		2170 & 5570 1.5	1290 & 2070 1.5
5910 & 6740 1.5		3430 & 900 0.0	1470 & 2190 0.0
4.3 points	0.0 points	3.0 points	1.7 points

GROUP TWO

Babs Hiatt	Tracey Goddard	Rose Higham	Sue Leach (Oxf)
Graham Newson (Han)	Darren Woolvin (Han)	Eric Hill (Buc)	Dave Pratt (Han)
410 & 4000 1.5	290 & 520 0.0		
1540 & 1400 0.0			
	540 & 220 0.0	6480 & 8010 1.5	3430 & 1590 1.5
	290 & 720 0.0		
		1800 & 5560 1.5	3910 & 2310 1.5
1310 & 3880 1.3		1780 & 1880 0.2	830 & 1730 0.0
2.8 points	0.0 points	3.2 points	3.0 points

GROUP THREE

Linda Wing	Sue Mariner	Bez Rowley	Katie Holloway
Alan Stillwell (Han)	Steve Mariner (Sus)	Tony Webster (Han)	Dave Holloway (Sur)
7160 & 900 0.2	2380 & 10820 1.3		1970 & 560 0.0
	2600 & 10470 1.5		
7600 & 3880 1.5		3590 & 2910 0.0	
	1240 & 2340 0.0	8310 & 5910 1.5	
1060 & 5430 1.3			1260 & 640 0.2
		3130 & 3270 1.3	1670 & 3630 0.2
3.0 points	2.8 points	2.8 points	0.4 points

GROUP FOUR

Dee House	Penny Burch	Carol Hiatt	Clare Shaw
Fred Large (Han)	Pete Farrelly (Nor)	Chris Newson (Han)	Michael Ives (Buc)
3680 & 2480 0.2	3100 & 4520 1.3		
1790 & 1310 0.0		9240 & 5620 1.5	
1450 & 4980 1.3			3470 & 1620 0.2
	5030 & 4020 1.3	6500 & 2180 0.2	
	11260 & 12440 1.5		950 & 960 0.0
		5840 & 8730 1.5	1840 & 900 0.0
1.5 points	4.1 points	3.2 points	0.2 points

GROUP FIVE

Jane Carless	Di Thorpe	Marion Roberts	Ann Green
Arthur Carless (Ber)	Brian Daniels (Han)	Alan Peters (Han)	Les Green (Ken)
1170 & 1630 0.2	1630 & 1230 1.3		
1180 & 2980 1.3		1970 & 1440 0.2	
0 & 3510 0.0			16440 & 5950 1.5
	2290 & 3130 1.3	2680 & 2220 0.2	
	2760 & 1100 0.2		1650 & 2850 1.3
		1450 & 690 0.0	1850 & 9230 1.5
1.5 points	2.8 points	0.4 points	4.3 points

GROUP SIX

Myra Hawkins	Carol Banting	Pauline Withey
Phil Hawkins (Ber)	Jonathan Smith (Sus)	Keith Sheard (Oxf)
6570 & 5520 1.5	2170 & 3220 0.0	
12480 & 1370 0.2		2060 & 16480 1.3
	1250 & 3860 1.3	2090 & 2470 0.2
1.7 points	1.3 points	1.5 points

GROUP SEVEN

Kady Claydon	Doreen Yorke	Eileen Britton	Chris Toner
Dennis Claydon (Ber)	Tony Woolvin (Han)	Ron Britton (Ber)	Paul Wing (Han)
4210 & 1290 0.2	3070 & 3790 1.3		
1860 & 10420 1.5		1220 & 1430 0.0	
withdrew-ill 0.0	8130 & 510 1.3		940 & 4940 0.2
			walk-over 1.5
	7950 & 8560 1.5	3740 & 2700 0.0	
		1540 & 1210 0.0	8770 & 9300 1.5
1.7 points	4.1 points	0.0 points	3.2 points

GROUP EIGHT

Denise Hoadley (Sur)	Gail Woods	Josie Hogan
Dennis Atkins (Oxf)	Simon Tinto (Sur)	Geoff Jukes (Sur)
1080 & 7540 0.2	6510 & 6090 1.3	
	3360 & 5050 0.2	3110 & 8010 1.3
8580 & 7400 1.5		1590 & 2100 0.0
1.7 points	1.5 points	1.3 points

KNOCK-OUT STAGES

	Cty	Qtr-Finals		Semi-Finals		Final	
Ann Green & Les Green	Kent	6,230	7,530	7,810	2,380	490	14,850
Penny Burch & Pete Farrelly	Nor	4,550	3,340				
Linda Wing & Alan Stillwell	Han	1,290	2,630	1,560	4,890		
Rose Higham & Eric Hill	Buc	2,650	1,220				
Doreen Yorke & Tony Woolvin	Han	900	4,860	9,190	570	13,700	300
Diana Welburn & Alan Shubert	Ken	2,180	190				
Myra Hawkins & Phil Hawkins	Ber	5,600	8,220	3,310	3,990		
Denise Hoadley & Dennis Atkins	Sur/Oxf	490	5,170				

HIGHEST COMBINED BREAK (GROUP STAGES ONLY): Sue and Steve Mariner 18,690.
PRIZES: Winners £100, Runners-up £50, Semi-finalists Trophies, Comb Break £15 each.

THE GREENS EAT THEM ALL UP

Les Green, from Rochester, teamed up with his wife Ann to lift the first-ever National Mixed Pairs Championship at the Alexandra Bowling Club in Portsmouth.

Green had made a 15,740 break in the group stages, but it was a vital 13,700 he made in the second leg of the final which clinched the trophy. Local favourites Tony Woolvin and Doreen Yorke were the opponents, and Woolvin thought that his 12,970 break in the first leg would be enough.

There had been some strong partnerships in the list of entries, but all the following were eliminated before the quarter-finals: Janet Burns/Tony Walsh (Reading), Sue and Steve Mariner (Brighton), Pauline Withey/Keith Sheard (Oxford), Christine Toner/Paul Wing (Portsmouth), Gail Woods/Simon Tinto (Redhill) and Josie Higan/Geoff Jukes (Redhill).

More dismissals in the last eight, with Denise Hoadley (Surrey) and Dennis Atkins (Oxford) losing out to Myra and Phil Hawkins (Reading), and Penny Burch and Pete Farrelly (Northants) losing to the eventual champions.

The Mariners won the best combined break prize, with Steve making 9,440 and wife Sue making 9,250, but they failed to qualify because they lost both legs to underdogs Bez Rowley and Tony Webster (Portsmouth).

QUIZ ANSWERS (JUST TO PUT YOU OUT OF YOUR AGONISING MISERY)

See BBQ 27 (Page 2) for the questions:

1. Mick Lingham
2. Jim Millward
3. Steve Mariner
4. Kevin Clark
5. Les Green, Jim Millward, Paul Sainsbury and Kevin Tunstall
6. 11
7. 1

See this BBQ (Page 3) for the questions:

1. Mick Eouzan
2. Keith Sheard
3. Reg Mannell
4. "I know of at least one, me"

Who said these quotations in Jersey?

1. Dave Barnes
2. Pete Farrelly
3. Jim Millward
4. see no.3
5. Dicko
6. Anon
7. Keith Sheard
8. see no.3
9. see no.2
10. Allan Howes
11. Anon
12. see no.3

DESPATCHES

"MERIDIAN TONIGHT" As the editor is putting together this section of the BBQ (Mon 8th Dec), he receives a telephone call from Charlie Wheeler who is known to many of us. He has arranged Meridian TV to record a feature on Bar Billiards on 10th Dec, and it will be included in the early evening local news programme sometime within a week or so.

NORTHANTS: Rushden Band Club, never before in the top two in any previous seasons, are romping away with the league, 15 points clear of the field with 10 straight wins. Team includes county players Jason Neal (only unbeaten player in Div 1) and Andy Chambers. Chairman Jim Thomson has beaten secretary Pete Farrelly in the Individuals Qtr-finals.

SOUTHERN COUNTIES INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP: SAT 1st NOV 1997

(at the Stadium Tavern, Hove)

MEN'S COMPETITION

Players	Leg 1	Leg 2	Total	Pts
C. Newson	5,790	400	6,190	0.2
G. Hughan	400	8,910	9,220	1.3

Players	Leg 1	Leg 2	Total	Pts
L. Green	2,050	410	2,460	0.0
C. Newson	5,170	780	5,450	1.3

C. Tupper	9,870	4,630	14,500	1.3
L. Green	1,400	7,950	9,350	0.2

G. Hughan	2,430	6,720	9,150	1.3
L. Green	6,130	0	6,130	0.2

G. Hughan	1,910	4,230	6,140	0.0
C. Tupper	3,950	7,470	11,420	1.5

C. Newson	5,610	810	6,420	0.2
C. Tupper	3,100	12,480	15,580	1.3

LADIES COMPETITION

Players	Leg 1	Leg 2	Total	Pts
J. Over	6,300	5,230	11,530	1.5
L. Wing	390	2,150	2,540	0.0

Players	Leg 1	Leg 2	Total	Pts
J. Hogan	5,280	2,110	7,390	0.2
J. Over	1,990	7,610	9,600	1.3

D. Welburn	2,970	1,590	4,560	0.0
J. Hogan	4,430	5,640	10,070	1.5

J. Over	7,220	5,200	12,420	1.5
D. Welburn	1,320	1,510	2,830	0.0

L. Wing	3,860	1,620	5,300	0.2
D. Welburn	1,990	4,970	6,960	1.3

J. Hogan	3,480	4,160	7,640	1.5
L. Wing	1,410	2,940	4,350	0.0

TABLE: MEN	Cty	P	W	Pts	TABLE: LADIES	Cty	P	W	Pts
Chris Tupper	Sus	3	3	4.1	Jean Over	Sus	3	3	4.3
Greg Hughan	Sur	3	2	2.6	Josie Hogan	Sur	3	2	3.2
Chris Newson	Han	3	1	1.9	Diana Welburn	Ken	3	1	1.3
Les Green	Ken	3	0	0.4	Linda Wing	Han	3	0	0.2

1.1 pt for winning match, 0.2 for winning each leg

SOUTHERN COUNTIES PUB TEAM KO 1997

Played @ The Stadium Taven, Hove Saturday 1st November 1997

Teams – Windmill (Sus) Flying Scud (Sy) Good Intent (Kent) Phoenix (Hants)

All Matches were best of 5, all games best of 2 legs:

Best Scores (over 2 legs)

Phoenix 3 v 2 Flying Scud	Greg Hughan 18,960, Geoff Jukes 18,050, Paul Wing 16,100
Windmill 1 v 4 Good Intent	Curt Driver 16,070, Kevin Clark 15,250
Phoenix 3 v 2 Good Intent	Paul Wing 21,470, Kevin Clark 19,060, Tony Woolvin 17,920
Windmill 3 v 2 Flying Scud	Geoff Jukes 19,250, Clive Thompson 14,500
Phoenix 5 v 0 Windmill	Paul Wing 34,820, Tony Woolvin 21,160
Good Intent 2 v 3 Flying Scud	Simon Tinto 23,610, Kevin Clark 19,880, Mark Brewster 17,330

Points Table	Pld	Won	games	Pts	2 points for a match win
Phoenix	3	3	11	6	
Good Intent	3	1	8	2	High Break: 19,100 – Paul Wing
Flying Scud	3	1	7	2	
Windmill	3	1	4	2	

Players Averages: –

Players	Team	Pld	Won	Score	Average
P. Wing	Phoenix	3	3	72,390	12,065
T. Woolvin	Phoenix	3	3	55,080	9,180
K. Clark	Good Int	3	3	52,190	8,698

STADIUM TAVERN "OFF THE SPOT" SINGLES COMPETITIONPlayed at the Stadium Tavern, Hove Sunday 2nd November 1997

The early rounds were drawn into 4 groups and played in a round-robin format. Best of 1 leg, equal break.

GROUP 1			
S. Mariner	3,870	6,630	K. Clark
H. Leeson	2,290	2,150	G. Crosbie
K. Clark	7,540	2,750	V. Watts
G. Crosbie	690	11,210	S. Mariner
V. Watts	5,330	3,050	G. Crosbie
S. Mariner	50	6,020	H. Leeson
H. Leeson	9,110	490	V. Watts
K. Clark	3,190	7,680	H. Leeson
G. Crosbie	4,320	8,580	K. Clark
V. Watts	470	7,440	S. Mariner

GROUP 2			
S. Mephram	660	4,660	W. Steere
D. Bewey	3,370	5,420	M. Sawyer
W. Steere	0	4,760	C. Tupper
M. Sawyer	0	4,050	S. Mephram
C. Tupper	12,310	30	M. Sawyer
S. Mephram	3,370	3,570	D. Bewey
D. Bewey	3,180	5,140	C. Tupper
W. Steere	4,750	2,390	D. Bewey
M. Sawyer	5,210	4,580	W. Steere
C. Tupper	7,230	0	S. Mephram

GROUP 3			
H. Banting	230	14,220	J. Millward
C. Banting	0	3,560	K. Austen
J. Millward	9,000	520	R. Pembroke
K. Austen	2,660	250	H. Banting
R. Pembroke	360	2,420	K. Austen
H. Banting	1,200	1,980	C. Banting
C. Banting	1,410	1,580	R. Penbroke
J. Millward	11,790	1,480	C. Banting
K. Austen	2,210	5,530	J. Millward
R. Pembroke	3,160	480	H. Banting

GROUP 4			
P. Wing	4,400	1,840	J. Smith
T. Woolvin	7,020	3,710	C. Newson
J. Smith	2,830	3,230	S. Minihane
C. Newson	3,210	5,870	P. Wing
S. Minihane	1,770	4,380	C. Newson
P. Wing	12,010	2,630	T. Woolvin
T. Woolvin	4,930	260	S. Minihane
J. Smith	2,260	0	T. Woolvin
C. Newson	2,950	1,090	J. Smith
S. Minihane	830	19,060	P. Wing

First named player had first break.

Top 2 in each group go on in main competition. Third and fourth go into the plate. Last in group go home early.

Group 1 Points	Group 2 Points	Group 3 Points	Group 4 Points
H. Leeson 4	C. Tupper 4	J. Millward 4	P. Wing 4
K. Clark 3	M. Sawyer 2	K. Austen 3	T. Woolvin 2
S. Mariner 2	W. Steere 2	R. Pembroke 2	C. Newson 2
V. Watts 1	D. Bewey 1	C. Banting 1	S. Minihane 1
G. Crosbie 0	S. Mephram 1	H. Banting 0	J. Smith 1

MAIN COMPETITION (best of 2 legs)

Q-Final	Semi Final	Final
H. Leeson 5,450	M. Sawyer	M. Sawyer 330
M. Sawyer 14,500	21,140	
J. Millward 11,620	16,810	7,730
T. Woolvin 4,280	J. Millward	
C. Tupper 13,230	K. Clark	P. Wing
K. Clark 17,050	5,530	
P. Wing 16,550	8,780	
K. Austen 1,450	P. Wing	

PLATE COMPETITION (best of 2 legs)

Q-Final	Semi Final	Final
S. Mariner 11,590	S. Mariner	S. Mariner 13,800
D. Bewey 1,600	17,560	
R. Pembroke 3,350	2,790	2,380
S. Minihane 3,070	R. Pembroke	
W. Steere 7,840	W. Steere	W. Steere
V. Watts 3,830	8,670	
C. Newson 1,000	3,900	
C. Banting 160	C. Newson	

PRIZE LIST

WINNER	PAUL WING	£60.00 + TROPHY
RUNNER UP	MARK SAWYER	£35.00 + TROPHY
SEMI FINAL	JIM MILLWARD	£10.00
SEMI FINAL	KEVIN CLARK	£10.00
HIGH BREAK	JIM MILLWARD	£20.00 + TROPHY (11,410)
PLATE WINNER	STEVE MARINER	£10.00 + TROPHY
PLATE RUNNER UP	WAYNE STEERE	£5.00 + TROPHY
SPEED BREAK	STEVE MARINER	£10.00 + BOTTLE GIN (3,700 in 3 mins)

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY STEVE MARINER, SO IT MUST BE RIGHT

NEW BRITISH RANKINGS as at start of 1998

POSITIONS				RANKING POINTS			(with Provisional positions and ranking points being carried forward for 1999)
NOW	PROV			NOW	1996	1997	
1	3	Kevin Tunstall	Oxon	175.73	108.25	67.48	
2	7	Keith Sheard	Oxon	155.00	97.40	57.60	
3	6	Paul Sainsbury	Berks	128.30	70.60	57.70	
4	1	Les Green	Kent	127.05	35.50	91.55	
5	14	Kevin Clark	Kent	123.50	97.50	26.00	
6	2	Mark Sawyer	Berks	115.60	33.75	81.85	
7	10	Steve Mariner	Sussex	96.85	51.55	45.30	
8	22	Tony Walsh	Berks	90.00	69.80	20.20	
9	4	Jim Millward	Sussex	87.40	28.00	59.40	
10	9	Peter Farrelly	Norths	86.70	40.40	46.30	
11	8	Paul Wing	Hants	78.10	30.60	47.50	
12	5	John Burrows	Bucks	76.10	16.90	59.20	
13	11	BernieMcCluskey	Berks	61.10	30.20	30.90	
14	58	Simon Tinto	Surrey	54.95	47.85	7.10	
15	17	Terry Oakley	Surrey	46.70	24.50	22.20	
16	15	Steve Biggs	Norths	45.35	22.25	23.10	
17	31=	Dennis Atkins	Oxon	44.60	31.30	13.30	
18	19	Chris Saville	Kent	43.85	22.15	21.70	
19	38	Tony Woolvin	Hants	43.08	31.65	11.43	
20	44	Mick Lingham	Kent	41.50	31.90	9.60	
21	28	Max Dick	Oxon	40.80	26.00	14.80	
22	39	Tony Martin	Oxon	37.70	26.30	11.40	
23	16	Eric Hill	Bucks	37.38	14.50	22.88	
24	13	Mark Brewster	Kent	36.45	8.50	27.95	
25	23	Mark James	Sussex	34.40	16.30	18.10	
26	12	Steve Ahier	Jersey	34.20	6.20	28.00	
27	49	Geoff Jukes	Surrey	33.60	24.85	8.75	
28	20=	Gareth Lloyd	Sussex	32.50	11.80	20.70	
29	31=	Jon Bamsey	Oxon	31.90	18.60	13.30	
30		Geoff Pitt	Berks	29.40	23.10	6.30	
31	20=	Mark Turner	Berks	29.20	8.50	20.70	
32	37	Pete Lee	Oxon	29.20	17.40	11.80	
33	30	Gary Johnson	Oxon	28.00	13.40	14.60	
34	26	Ray Sturgess	Oxon	27.80	11.40	16.40	
35	34	Chris Tupper	Sussex	25.50	12.90	12.60	
36		Ian Moquet	Oxon	24.90	19.30	5.60	
37	36	Dennis Helleur	Jersey	24.00	11.90	12.10	
38	24	Pete Welch	Oxon	22.90	5.10	17.80	
39	18	Mick Eouzan	Jersey	22.30	0.20	22.10	
40	27	Bill Trinder	Berks	21.60	5.50	16.10	
41	55	Ernie Jordan	Bucks	21.05	13.25	7.80	
42		Don Cadec	Jersey	20.90	18.80	2.10	
43	29	Phil Hawkins	Berks	20.70	6.00	14.70	
44		John Slee	Sussex	18.60	14.30	4.30	
45		Phil Buckle	Cambs	17.70	11.10	6.60	
46	25	Vernon Festou	Jersey	17.60	0.40	17.20	
47	35	Trevor Gallienne	Guernsey	17.60	5.30	12.30	
48	33	Nigel Ryall	Jersey	17.40	4.60	12.80	
49		Curt Driver	Kent	15.00	15.00		
50		Alan Chaloner	Berks	14.90	8.00	6.90	
51		Chris Newson	Hants	14.20	7.70	6.50	
52		Graham Bisson	Jersey	13.30	11.90	1.40	
53		Alan Shubert	Kent	12.80	12.50	0.30	
54		Keith MacDonald	Cambs	12.60	7.10	5.50	
55		Geoff Powell	Oxon	12.60	7.70	4.90	
56	53	Andy Haines	Bucks	12.20	4.00	8.20	
57		Sean Taylor	Sussex	12.10	6.40	5.70	

POSITIONS		RANKING POINTS				
NOW	PROV		NOW	1996	1997	
58	40	Ray Hussey	Buc	11.2	0.2	11.0
59	41	Barry Radford	Han	11.2	0.3	10.9
60	56	Peter Noel	Jer	11.2	3.8	7.4
61	47	Dick House	Han	11.1	2.0	9.1
62	54	Peter Fann	Jer	11.1	3.1	8.0
63		Simon Degray	Ken	10.8	9.2	1.6
64	42	Lorin Clough	Oxf	10.7	0.5	10.2
65	57	Terry Isard	Buc	10.6	3.4	7.2
66		Ronnie Rebours	Jer	10.5	5.0	5.5
67	43	Stuart Giles	Oxf	10.0	0.2	9.8
68	45	Chris Lawman	Nor	9.9	0.4	9.5
69		Martin Leach	Han	9.9	4.0	5.9
70		Keith Lewendon	Ber	9.8	8.9	0.9
71	48	Steve Huntley	Oxf	9.5	0.5	9.0
72	46	Dave Mahoney	Buc	9.3	0.0	9.3
73		Ian Lelliott	Sus	9.3	9.3	
74		Jan Taylor	Ken	9.2	6.5	2.7
75	51	Bob King	Jer	9.0	0.4	8.6
76		Paul Dorgan	Ber	9.0	8.9	0.1
77	50	Sheila O'Brien	Sus	8.8	0.1	8.7
78		Bob Teye	Sus	8.7	3.0	5.7
79		Dennis Claydon	Ber	8.5	2.6	5.9
80		Paul Dique	Oxf	8.5	8.5	
81	52	JJ Addley	Ken	8.4	0.0	8.4
82		Keith Vibert	Jer	8.4	8.4	
83		Reg Mannell	Han	8.2	8.2	
84		Pete Phillips	Oxf	7.8	2.2	5.6
85		Dave Gallichan	Jer	7.6	2.4	5.2
86		Stuart Mephram	Sus	7.5	3.0	4.5
87=		Dino Clark	Buc	7.3	5.2	2.1
87=		Andy Brack'ridge	Sus	7.3	5.2	2.1
89		Gail Woods	Sur	7.0	7.0	
90		Pete Doherty	Cam	6.85	0.0	6.85
91		Eric Mills	Ken	6.7	6.7	
92		Dave Bewey	Sur	6.6	1.5	5.1
93		Andy Chambers	Nor	6.6	3.2	3.4
94=		Steve Blain	Ber	6.6	6.6	
94=		Harry Leeson	Sus	6.6	6.6	
96		Bob Taylor	Ken	6.4	3.8	2.6
97		Tex Anderson	Jer	6.4	6.4	
98		Gary Coupar	Oxf	6.3	0.7	5.6
99		Max McDonnell	Oxf	6.2	0.2	6.0
100		Sue Mariner	Sus	6.2	4.4	1.8
101=		Jason Byng	Ber	6.2	6.2	
101=		Mick Green	Sus	6.2	6.2	
103		G Le Monnier	Jer	6.1	2.3	3.8
104		Alan Donovan	Buc	6.0	6.0	
105		Allan Howes	Ken	5.9	0.1	5.8
106		Martin Carre	Jer	5.8	5.6	0.2
107		Brian Smyth	Buc	5.7	0.0	5.7
108		Dave Mitchell	Ber	5.4	5.4	
109		Ian Street	Sus	5.3	0.0	5.3
110=		Dave Perrier	Jer	5.3	5.3	
110=		Mick Freeman	Sus	5.3	5.3	
112		Colin Green	Sus	5.2	0.0	5.2
113		Steve Hawkes	Sus	5.2	5.1	0.1
114=		Micky Daw	Jer	5.2	5.2	
114=		Bob Chapple	Gue	5.2	5.2	
114=		Steve Purkiss	Ken	5.2	5.2	

POSITIONS		RANKING POINTS				
NOW			NOW	1996	1997	
117=	Dennis Alderson	Sus	5.1	0.0	5.1	
117=	Jenny Noel	Jer	5.1	0.0	5.1	
117=	Anthony Steel	Cam	5.1	0.0	5.1	
120=	Neil Martell	Sus	5.1	5.1		
120=	Bill Houlton	Jer	5.1	5.1		
122=	Karen Aubert	Jer	5.0	0.0	5.0	
122=	Dave Hubby	Jer	5.0	0.0	5.0	
122=	Jack Marrett	Jer	5.0	0.0	5.0	
125	Barry O'Brien	Oxf	5.0	2.7	2.3	
126	Steve Oram	Nor	4.7	2.2	2.5	
127	Darren Isard	Buc	4.5	0.3	4.2	
128	Jason Neal	Nor	4.4	3.2	1.2	
129	Diana Welburn	Ken	4.3	3.0	1.3	
130	Harry Barbet	Jer	4.1	0.5	3.6	
131	Janet Burns	Ber	4.1	1.0	3.1	
132	Neville Edwards	Sus	4.1	2.0	2.1	
133	Andy Godden	Buc	4.0	0.0	4.0	
134	Ian Gicquel	Jer	4.0	2.0	2.0	
135	Pauline Withey	Oxf	3.6	0.4	3.2	
136	Joe O'Farrell	Ber	3.4	0.1	3.3	
137	Ron Josey	Ber	3.4	0.3	3.1	
138	Alan Rowley	Han	3.38	0.0	3.38	
139	Micky Jones	Oxf	3.3	0.0	3.3	
140	Pete Witney	Oxf	3.2	2.8	0.4	
141	Alan Messer	Sus	3.1	0.0	3.1	
142	Paul Yeo	Ber	3.1	0.4	2.7	
143	Syl Murphy	Buc	3.1	1.1	2.0	
144	Nigel Bisson	Jer	3.0	0.0	3.0	
145	Pete Stedman	Han	3.0	1.0	2.0	
146=	Chris Grimmett	Ken	3.0	3.0		
146=	Christine Toner	Han	3.0	3.0		
148	Greg Hughan	Sur	2.9	1.8	1.1	
149	Myra Hawkins	Ber	2.9	2.5	0.4	
150	Ian Goulding	Sus	2.8	0.5	2.3	
151	Terry Cook	Oxf	2.6	0.5	2.1	
152	Martin May	Buc	2.6	2.0	0.6	
153	Dave Tooke	Oxf	2.6	2.2	0.4	
154	Jason Cat'mole	Oxf	2.6	2.6		
155	Mike Matthews	Jer	2.5	2.3	0.2	
156	Paul Barnett	Sus	2.4	1.2	1.2	
157	Tony Morton	Jer	2.3	0.1	2.2	
158	Alan Le Blond	Jer	2.3	0.2	2.1	
159	Roger Taylor	Sus	2.3	2.2	0.1	
160=	Win Turner	Jer	2.3	2.3		
160=	Terry Vallis	Ber	2.3	2.3		
162=	Fred Jeanne	Jer	2.2	0.0	2.2	
162=	Jean Over	Sus	2.2	0.0	2.2	
162=	Kim Ware	Buc	2.2	0.0	2.2	
165	Tony Willis	Oxf	2.2	0.5	1.7	
166	Paul Newton	Jer	2.2	2.1	0.1	
167	Jill Josey	Ber	2.2	2.2		
168=	Bob Alton	Jer	2.1	0.0	2.1	
168=	Gary Le Blond	Jer	2.1	0.0	2.1	
168=	Didier LeFahler	Jer	2.1	0.0	2.1	
168=	Dave May	Ken	2.1	0.0	2.1	
172=	Mick Cotillard	Jer	2.1	2.1		
172=	Bob Jeanne	Jer	2.1	2.1		
172=	Sue Leach	Oxf	2.1	2.1		
172=	Matt Ogier	Gue	2.1	2.1		

POSITIONS NOW			RANKING POINTS		
			NOW	1996	1997
176=	FSewell-Knight	Sus	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Gary Aubert	Jer	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Gary Barker	Buc	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Sally Bateman	Jer	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Ian Champion	Gue	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Trevor Doswell	Han	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Terry Girard	Gue	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Sheila King	Sur	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Malcolm Pearce	Buc	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Robbie Pocock	Ber	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Gary Sweeney	Sus	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Jan Teague	Sus	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Andrew Moon	Jer	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Linda Wing	Han	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	Roy Wells	Sus	2.0	0.0	2.0
176=	C Chilton	Han	2.0	0.0	2.0
192=	Bob Collis	Sus	2.0	2.0	
192=	Colin DeJersey	Gue	2.0	2.0	
192=	Bill Gosling	Ber	2.0	2.0	
192=	Ian Haberman	Buc	2.0	2.0	
192=	P Howes	Sur	2.0	2.0	
192=	Tina Murphy	Jer	2.0	2.0	
192=	Kevin Stoner	Sus	2.0	2.0	
192=	Tony Webster	Han	2.0	2.0	
192=	Tony White	Buc	2.0	2.0	
192=	Pete Whitear	Han	2.0	2.0	
192=	Ernie Wilson	Jer	2.0	2.0	
203	Neil Mackmin	Nor	1.9	1.5	0.4
204	Paul Caistor	Oxf	1.8	0.0	1.8
205	Simon Coleman	Nor	1.7	0.1	1.6

POSITIONS NOW			RANKING POINTS		
			NOW	1996	1997
206	Kent Murray	Buc	1.7	0.8	0.9
207	Kevin Godfrey	Oxf	1.7	1.4	0.3
208	Andy Lobley	Sur	1.7	1.7	
209	Andy Harcourt	Ken	1.6	1.6	
210	Penny Burch	Nor	1.5	0.0	1.5
211	Roger Bowen	Oxf	1.5	0.1	1.4
212=	Dick Allen	Jer	1.5	1.5	
212=	Nick Stops	Cam	1.5	1.5	
214	Barry Holt	Sus	1.4	0.0	1.4
215	Tony Lewis	Sus	1.4	0.2	1.2
216	Grant Tully	Sus	1.3	0.0	1.3
217	Earl Dugan	Cam	1.3	0.2	1.1
218	Martin Atwill	Nor	1.3	1.2	0.1
219=	Andy Relf	Sur	1.3	1.3	
219=	Barry Timson	Sus	1.3	1.3	
221=	Gary Trussler	Ber	1.2	1.2	
221=	A Parkhurst	Sur	1.2	1.2	
221=	Mick Nichol	Ken	1.2	1.2	
221=	Jack Lockyer	Han	1.2	1.2	
221=	Roger Chilton	Han	1.2	1.2	
226	Andy Dennis	Cam	1.1	0.0	1.1
227=	Pete Burton	Oxf	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	Graham Newson	Han	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	John Miller	Buc	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	Alan Huntley	Oxf	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	Denise Hoadley	Sur	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	Ray Hayter	Oxf	1.0	0.0	1.0
227=	Ann Green	Ken	1.0	0.0	1.0
234=	Dave Franklin	Cam	1.0	1.0	
234=	Nick Brown	Sus	1.0	1.0	

PLAYERS UNDER 1.0 RP (with split between 1996 and 1997 RP)

- 0.9: Leon Beer (Oxf) 0.8 0.1 Gary Bosher (Oxf) 0.9 0.0 Alan Shaw (Sus) 0.9 0.0
 0.8: Paul Scouse (Ber) 0.2 0.6 Roy Clough (Oxf) 0.5 0.3 Dave Gray (Sur) 0.8 0.0
 0.7: Wolfie Storch (Oxf) 0.5 0.2 Mark Woods (Ken) 0.5 0.2 Tony Smith (Oxf) 0.7 0.0
 0.6: Neil Higgins (Sus) 0.6 0.0 M Wright (Sus) 0.6 0.0
 0.5: Brian Daniels (Han) 0.1 0.4 Derek Payne (Oxf) 0.1 0.4 Tony Ewen (Oxf) 0.5 0.0
 Geoff Haynes (Oxf) 0.5 0.0
 0.4: Sean Lee (Oxf) 0.1 0.3
 0.3: Pete O'Brien (Sus) 0.0 0.3 Tim Bourner (Ken) 0.0 0.3 Dave Neilan (Ber) 0.0 0.3
 Bob Whitehouse (Oxf) 0.0 0.3 Dave Williamson (Ber) 0.2 0.1 Julian Deeprose (Sus)
 0.3 0.0 Allan Lacey (Oxf) 0.3 0.0 Dave Rowley (Han) 0.3 0.0 Ian Young (Ber) 0.3 0.0
 0.2: Graham Lewis (Sus) 0.0 0.2 Mark Sollis (Oxf) 0.0 0.2 Chris Gregory (Han) 0.0 0.2
 Steve Buckle (Buc) 0.1 0.1 Brian Ray (Buc) 0.1 0.1 Derek Altham (Jer) 0.2 0.0 Chris
 Kirby (Ber) 0.2 0.0 Derek Soper (Ber) 0.2 0.0 Vince Watts (Sus) 0.2 0.0
 0.1 (1997): Dave Anderton (Jer) Maurice Izzard (Buc) Martin Atkins (Oxf) Ken Barrett
 (Oxf) Cliff Collins (Ken) A Dobson (Han) Stuart Florey (Oxf) Dennis Hudson (Buc)
Billy Kerr (Sus) G Mace (Oxf) John Mitchell (Ken) D Nash (Han) P Oakley (Sus)
T Race (Sus) A Ray (Oxf) Phil Spencer (Oxf) Alan Stevens (Buc) Clive Thompson (Sus)
 0.1 (1996): Phil Deller (Ber) Doug Hook (Buc) Alan Stillwell (Han) Andy Walker (Nor)
 John Baldry (Cam) Dave Barnes (Oxf) Andy Burns (Ber) Dave Constable (Sur) Pete
 Ewins (Oxf) Mark Farragher (Sur) Josie Hogan (Sur) A Horn (Sus) Pete Kenyon (Oxf)
 Josie Maughan (Jer) Alison Norman (Sur) Colin Norman (Sur) Jack Panting (Ken)
 Shaun Redmond (Ber) Jimmy Robson (Oxf) T Rouse (Oxf) Colin Tucker (Sus) John
 Van der Vliet (Jer) Ted Waters (Sus)