



Thomas Telford Trophy 2024

Hayling Golf Club, Hampshire

The 38th Thomas Telford Trophy national team golf competition was hosted by the ICE South East (South) Branch at the stunning Hayling Golf Club in Hampshire on Monday 2nd September 2024. The Civil Engineers' Club is grateful to the organising team for making the arrangements. The TTT team competition was first played for in 1986 and is contested by teams of four players invited from the 16 Local Associations of the ICE. The team competition consists of St. Andrews Foursomes play in the morning and singles play in the afternoon with all 6 Stableford scores aggregated to decide the winning team. At this year's event, 14 of the 16 Regions and Branches Associations were represented, coming together to enjoy a weekend of companionship, sporting endeavour, good food and no doubt a drink or two!



Established in 1883, Hayling GC is the only true links course between Rye and Cornwall. Having hosted a number of Championships events over the years, the quality of the course attracts golfers from far and wide and is recognised as a Top 100 Golf Course in the UK and Top 100 Links Golf Course in UK & Ireland. A challenging Par 71 course with its fast fairways, fine greens, year-round

playability make it a unique and special experience for even the most experienced golfers. The 3-storey Art-Deco Clubhouse offers stunning panoramic views over the course, beach, Sinah lake and coastline, complimented by the full wrap-round accessible from the Bar and Restaurant areas. It offers a beautiful setting to enjoy a bite to eat or drink before and after play.

The 2024 event was held on a day of mixed weather. The wind gave the course some teeth and the rain showers were an annoyance but did not distract from what was an excellent day.

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The morning St Andrews Foursomes was keenly fought with some good scores. Howard Richings and Marc Griffin from the Southern Branch were clear winners with 42 points and Rhys Bright and Claire Jones pipped Rob Hayman and Scott Cumming on countback with 40 points. Both these pairs were from the South West which set them up well for the afternoon. The winner of the afternoon singles was Rob Hayman from the South West region with a fabulous score of 37 points. Honourable mentions due for the runner up Peter Blair (35 points) from the North West region and Mark McEvoy from Northern Ireland who came third on 34 points.



Foursomes Winners – Howard Richings and Marc Griffin

Harry Powell (East Midlands) won the Scott Quaich for the best Stableford score playing off a scratch handicap with a score of 33 points. Rob Davies was a close second on countback also with 33 points and Rob Hayman was third with 31 points.

The sponsor's prize was won by Alex Legge with 28 points and the Nearest the Pin prizes in the afternoon were split between David Watson (5th), Debbie Hay-Smith (11th) and Graeme Hoodless (18th).



Singles Winner - Rob Hayman



Scott Quaich Winner - Harry Powell





The Thomas Telford Trophy itself has been a two-horse race between Northern Ireland and the North East every year since 2014 but this year was different (just!). The South West have been the only team never to have won the trophy however they put that behind them to win this year with a score of 190 points. It was a very close-run thing between 3 teams and the North East were just pipped this year and came second with 189 points with last years hosts, Wales in third with 188 points.



TTT 2024 Winners - South West - Rob Hayman, Scott Cumming, Rhys Bright and Claire Jones



Veterans Winner - Rob Harry 1

There is a Veterans competition for those who have played in previous Thomas Telford Trophy teams. The 18- hole competition was contested by 4 players with the Chilterns Salver being retained by Rob Harry from Wales with a score of 29 points. The Tournament Dinner was attended by ICE Southern Branch immediate past Chair, Nick Gray, who was kind enough to hand out the trophies to the winners. Mike McCabe, vice captain of Hayling GC welcomed us all to the dinner and the top table also included main sponsors, Russell Jackson (Aecom) and Dave Brown and David McKeag (Graham Construction)





The South East (Southern) Branch would like to express their sincere gratitude for the generous sponsorship received from a number of national and local businesses to make the event such a success – Graham Construction, Aecom and JT Mackley. Given the commercial challenges evident in the industry and the wider economy, the financial support provided was hugely appreciated and made the event possible. In addition to their financial support, Aecom and Graham Construction were able to represent their relevant Regions where they are currently working. The Thomas Telford Trophy 2025 is being hosted by ICE North East and will be held at Seaton Carew Golf Club on Monday 1st September 2025. It is a wonderful championship links course designed by Dr. Alister MacKenzie and it celebrated 150 years in 2024. We look forward to another great event and wish the organising committee well in their efforts.

Thomas Telford Trophy 2024 Results

TTT Winners – South West 190 points

TTT Runners Up – North East 189

TTT Third – Wales 188

St Andrews Foursomes AM Winners – Howard Richings and Marc Griffin 42 points

St Andrews Foursomes AM Runners Up – Rhys Bright and Claire Jones 40

St Andrews Foursomes AM Third – Rob Hayman and Scott Cumming 40

Singles PM – Winner – Rob Hayman 37 points

Singles PM Runner Up – Peter Blair 35

Singles PM Third – Mark McEvoy 34

Scott Quaich Winner – Harry Powell 33 points

Scott Quaich Runner Up – Rob Davies 33

Scott Quaich Third – Rob Hayman 31

Nearest the Pin on the 5th – David Watson

Nearest the Pin on the 11th – Debbie Hay-Smith

Nearest the Pin in 2 on the 18th – Graeme Hoodless

Longest Drive on the 17th – Ben Adair

Veterans Winner – Rob Harry 29 points

Sponsors Winner – Alex Legge – 28 points





THOMAS TELFORD TROPHY 2024 - Results Sheet															Calculate		2nd September 2024	
Hayling Island Golf Club, Southern																		
Region Team	PLAYERS	Home Club	WHS Index	Course Handicap	F/5omes Course Handicap	Foursomes Playing Handicap	Singles Playing Handicap	Foursomes Total	Foursomes Back 9	Foursomes Team Total	Singles Total	Singles Back 9	Singles Team Total	Quaich Total	Quaich Back 9	TTT Total		
NORTHERN IRELAND	Edward Bill	Royal Portrush	10.9	10.4823	10.4823						30	10		23	8			
	Mark Matthewson	Donaghadee	12.9	12.5708	12.5708	1.2	10	36	18		18	7		12	4			
	Ben Adair	Rockmont	11.7	11.3177	11.3177	1.6	11				23	12		13	7			
	Mark McEvoy	Balmoral	21.4	21.4489	21.4489		20	37	20	73	34	23	105	21	16	178		
WEST MIDLANDS	Paul McQuade	Shrewsbury	10.4	9.9602	9.9602		9				27	10		20	8			
	Simon Cartledge	Wootton Bassett	15.9	15.7035	15.7035	1.3	15	38	16		18	7		5	1			
	Steve Brookbanks	Rufford Heath	14.9	14.6593	14.6593	1.5	14				20	10		11	5			
	George Webb	Great Barr	15.2	14.9726	14.9726		14	28	12	66	26	11	91	15	7	157		
NORTH EAST	Paul Muirgrave	Bishop Auckland	9.3	8.8115	8.8115		8				34	17		26	13			
	Carl Hatala	North Wiltis	10.0	9.5425	9.5425	9	8	35	16		32	18		25	14			
	Jonathan Portlock	Woolfeth	7.0	6.4097	6.4097	7	6				25	12		21	10			
	David Watson	Hovham	8.6	8.0805	8.0805		8	36	20	71	27	12	118	20	9	189		
EAST MIDLANDS	Russell Jackson	St Endoc	7.1	6.5142	6.5142		6				31	14		25	11			
	Harry Powell	Calcut Park	1.1	0.2487	0.2487	3	0	34	15		33	18		33	18			
			0.0	0.9000	0.9000	1	1				0	0		0	0			
			0.0	0.9000	0.9000		1	0	0	34	0	0	64	0	0	98		
EAST OF SCOTLAND	Debbie Hay Smith	Murrayfield	5.8	6.7726	9.7726		6				30	16		25	13			
	Mark Soutar	Montrose Mercantile	8.0	7.4540	7.4540	9	7	36	21		23	8		18	7			
	Ben Blissett	Longgiddy	11.3	10.9000	10.9000	1.3	10				28	14		21	11			
	Kieran O'Holloran	Chieff	15.7	15.4947	15.4947		15	39	17	75	23	15	104	14	9	179		
LONDON SOUTH	Martyn Taylor	Haywards Heath	17.5	17.3743	17.3743		17				23	12		10	5			
	Peter Stevenson	Royal Cinque Ports	15.0	14.7637	14.7637	1.6	14	31	18		23	6		12	1			
	Neil Farmer	Chobham	12.8	12.4664	12.4664	1.1	12				29	16		18	11			
	Tim Lohmann	Royal Dornoch	9.3	8.8115	8.8115		8	38	20	69	31	15	106	25	13	175		
LONDON NORTH	Dino Nicola	Southern Downs	19.8	19.7761	19.7761		19				23	10		8	3			
	Roger North	RAC	14.0	13.7195	13.7195	1.7	13	31	19		29	10		17	5			
	Richard Thomas	Horton Park	18.4	18.3142	18.3142	1.6	17				21	8		11	4			
	Indi Mooneyan	Muswell Hill	14.7	14.4504	14.4504		14	35	19	66	23	13	96	13	8	162		
YORKSHIRE	John Tirrell	Wakefield	22.1	22.1779	22.1779		21				21	12		7	4			
	Geo Campbell	Low Lathes	15.1	14.8681	14.8681	1.9	14	31	17		19	13		9	7			
	Mark Priestly	Clayton	16.0	15.8080	15.8080	2.0	15				32	17		18	10			
	Corrine Banks	Crookhill Park	24.1	23.8257	23.8257		24	33	15	64	26	13	98	7	3	162		
NORTH WEST	Richard Brown	Ganton	10.0	9.5425	9.5425		9				22	11		16	9			
	Nigel Wilkinson	Hillside	17.3	17.1655	17.1655	1.3	16	30	15		28	17		15	10			
	Peter Blair	Ringway	6.1	5.4699	5.4699	1.1	5				35	17		30	15			
	John Boyd	Conwy	16.8	16.6434	16.6434		16	37	15	67	23	12	108	12	7	175		
SOUTHERN	David Street	Osborne	6.2	5.5743	5.5743		5				25	11		20	9			
	Andy Salmon	Army	9.4	8.9159	8.9159	7	8	32	17		30	11		23	8			
	Howard Richings	Paarkstone	13.0	12.6752	12.6752	1.8	12				20	12		10	7			
	Marc Griffin	golf	22.8	22.9088	22.9088		22	42	21	74	30	12	105	13	6	179		
GLASGOW & WEST OF SCOTLAND	Fogor Minto	Pollok	13.8	13.5106	13.5106		13				33	17		20	11			
	Graeme Hoodless	Cawder	2.5	1.7106	1.7106	8	2	31	16		27	14		26	14			
	Stuart Haddow	Halkirk	1.9	1.0841	1.0841	9	1				21	8		20	8			
	Iain McAllister	Lanark	17.1	16.9566	16.9566		16	33	17	64	32	18	113	18	10	177		
SOUTH WEST	Rob Hayman	Burton on Sea	6.7	6.0965	6.0965		6				37	18		31	15			
	Scott Cumming	Thurleston	9.8	9.3336	9.3336	8	9	40	18		24	12		15	8			
	Rhys Bright	Broadstone	8.5	7.9761	7.9761	1.5	8				31	12		23	8			
	Claire Jones	England id golf	16.9	16.5425	16.5425		16	40	21	80	18	11	110	7	4	190		
WALES	Rob Davies	Pontypool	1.6	0.7708	0.7708		1				34	17		33	17			
	Ray Hooper	St Mellons	15.7	15.4947	15.4947	8	15	38	20		22	10		10	5			
	Jake Bartlett	Llanishen	3.0	2.2327	2.2327	1.1	2				29	12		27	11			
	Lis Jones	St Mellons	19.9	19.8805	19.8805		19	37	19	75	28	14	113	10	6	188		
THAMES VALLEY	Thames Valley 1			0.9	0.9000	1	1				0	0		0	0			
	Thames Valley 2			0.9	0.9000		1	0	0		0	0		0	0			
	Thames Valley 3			0.9	0.9000	1	1				0	0		0	0			
	Thames Valley 4			0.9	0.9000		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
SOUTH EAST	Gareth McLaverty	Balmoral	6.5	5.8876	5.8876		6				30	14		24	11			
	Sean Haxson	Roe Park	13.1	12.7796	12.7796	9	12	36	18		27	12		18	9			
	Paul Nutter	Royal Winchester	15.4	15.1814	15.1814	1.0	14				23	9		14	5			
	David Cameron	Royal Portrush	5.7	5.0522	5.0522		5	32	17	68	26	9	106	21	7	174		



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