

The Honours Book

The HBA was founded circa 1937 and was among the first few counties to be affiliated to the EBU. The initiative to form the County Association came from the Welwyn Garden City and Harpenden Bridge Clubs which had both been set up circa 1935. The minutes of an EBU meeting in 1939 records the presence of an HBA representative. Sadly much of the history of the development of the Association from that time has not been recorded. Fortunately many of the trophies date back to 1937 and indicate the events that took place in those early years and the names of some of those that took part in its formation.

When trophies are presented at an AGM there is only a fleeting chance for a few members to scan the trophies for past winners and most members never have that opportunity. This Honours Board has been set up on the web site to enable all members to peruse the winners, find all their own past and present glories and acquaint themselves with some of the history.

HELP PLEASE To give a more friendly presentation I have turned the initials on trophies into forenames wherever my senior memory can recall them. Some may be wrong others still have initials. So if any member can fill in some of the gaps please let me know. Also if a trophy history is in error or you can add more details please email me with the amendments.

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