

Olga Cup – Ladies Pairs Championship



Brief History

The LCBA first held a ladies pairs event in the season 1951-52. In the summer of 1956 the retiring Chairman, Mrs Olga Gimson, wife of founder member David, donated for an annual competition, what was described as a silver cup. It was decided that it should be called and inscribed the "Olga Cup" and awarded annually to the winners of the Ladies Pairs.

The actual trophy now awarded consists of, what has been described as a silver ash tray (or deep saucer, or shallow soup bowl) retrospectively inscribed with the names of the pre 1956-57 season Ladies Pairs winners, and then forward to 1970. Post 1970 winners names are inscribed on a large plinth.

1952	Mrs O Elias & Mrs D Coker
1953	Mrs L G Cayless & Miss N Oakley
1954	Mrs L Eldridge & Mrs A W Staines
1955	Mrs R W Osborne & Mrs M Hathaway
1956	Mrs M E Cole & Mrs F Millett
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1958	Mrs O Elias & Mrs D Coker
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1961	Mrs L G Cayless & Mrs D M Gimson
1962	Mrs M E Cole & Mrs L Eldridge
1963	Mrs L F Jesson & Mrs M E Webb

1964	Mrs F W Harvey & Mrs G W Reinhardt
1965	Mrs L F Jesson & Mrs M E Webb
1966	Mrs O Elias & Mrs M Hathaway
1967	Mrs G R Buckingham & Mrs N S Wilde
1968	Mrs M Laundon & Mrs K Woodier
1969	Mrs O Elias & Mrs M Hathaway
1970	Mrs M M Harvey & Mrs R Woodcock
1971	Mrs M A Hill & Mrs E Avens
1972	Mrs O Elias & K Woodier
1973	Mrs M Hathaway & Mrs M Buckby
1974	Mrs B M Wilde & Mrs A R Forsyth
1975	Mrs G R Buckingham & J Morrey
1976	Mrs C E Chadwick & Mrs A Long
1977	Mrs M Hathaway & Mrs M Buckby
1978	Mrs L C Pathan & Mrs J V Wightman
1979	Mrs P Macleod & Mrs J Grant
1980	Mrs D Evans & Mrs E Cain
1981	Mrs C Lincoln & Mrs E Glover
1982	Mrs L C Pathan & Mrs J V Wightman
1983	Mrs C E Chadwick & Mrs M B Lebens
1984	Mrs B Hagger & Mrs L Unsworth
1985	Mrs C Hudson & Mrs A Mount
1986	Mrs M Gilbertson & Mrs M Pote
1987	Mrs M Hathaway & Mrs R Wigham
1988	Mrs J Brown & Mrs J Everton
1989	Mrs M Gilbertson & Mrs M Pote
1990	Mrs L C Pathan & Mrs M Hathaway
1991	Mrs A Robson & Mrs P Leeson
1992	Mrs C Hudson & Mrs A Mount
1993	Mrs G Jones & Mrs S Wheeler
1994	Mrs C Hudson & Mrs A Mount
1995	Mrs J Brown & Mrs M Gilbertson
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1998	Mrs P Leeson & Mrs P A Watson
1999	Mrs A Baker & Mrs A Mount
2000	Not Played
2001	Mrs A Blackwell & Mrs P Emery
2002	Mrs V Challands & Mrs P Simpson
2003	Mrs M Samani & Mrs B C Swann
2004	Mrs M Gilbertson & Mrs P A Watson
2005	Mrs M Johnson & Mrs A Mount
2006	Mrs P Norris & Mrs S Stockdale
2007	Mrs V Challands & Mrs P Simpson
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2009	Mrs B Cooklin & Mrs J Grant

2010	Mrs A Blackwell & Mrs S R Horn
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2012	Mrs A Mount & Mrs J Nichols
2013	Mrs A Mount & Mrs J Nichols
2014	Mrs A Abbott & Mrs J Gibson
2015	Mrs L Hilton & Mrs A J Nichols
2016	Mrs J E Hulland & Mrs R M Ronan

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