

# "The Silver Helmet" and 2nd DIVISION MRCs

**Key:** N = nominated champ, W = win, L = lost,  
DW = Default win, DL = Default loss, (injury, non-appearance, etc.) .

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## SILVER HELMET

1948 - '53; Nat'l Lge Div.II

Monthly Nominated, Best of 3, H.& A.

1948	Apr/May	<b>Fred Tuck</b>	bt. Dick Geary (2-0, 2-0)
	June	<b>Wilf Jay</b>	bt. F.Tuck (2-0, 2-0)
	July		bt. Frank Hodgson (2-1; WJ inj)
	** Jly/Aug	<b>Stan Dell</b>	bt. F.Hodgson (0-2, 2-1, 2-0)
	Aug	<b>Graham Warren</b>	bt. Stan Dell (2-1, 2-0) bt. Paddy Mills (2-0, 2-0)
*1949	AUG	<b>Billy Hole</b>	bt. Ken le Breton (2-0, 2-0)
	Sept	<b>Phil Clarke</b>	bt. Billy Hole (0-2, 2-1, 2-0)
1950	S'th- My	<b>Alan Hunt</b>	bt. Phil Clarke (2-0, 2-0)
	N'th- My	<b>Ken le Breton</b>	bt. Jack Young (2-0, 0-2, 2-1)
	June	<b>Ken le Breton</b>	bt. Alan Hunt (0-2, 2-0, 2-1)
	Jly/Ag		bt. A.Forrest (2-0, 2-1)
	Ag/Spt		bt. P.Robinson (1-2, 2-0, 2-0)
(1951	Jan.6 <sup>th</sup> )		(KLB killed in Australia.)
**1951	Ap/My	<b>Jack Young</b>	bt. A.Forrest (2-0, 0-2, 2-1)
	May		bt. Derek Close (2-0, 2-1)
	Jly		bt. Bob Leverenz (2-0, 2-0)
	Jly/Ag	<b>Tommy Miller</b>	bt. Jack Young (0-2, 2-1, 2-0)
	Sept		bt. Jnr Bainbridge (2-1, 2-0)
1952		<b>Tommy Miller</b>	(No challenges)
1953			see regional MRCs - Scot., Mids., Sth'n(Brz.H.)

## MIDLAND MRC - (NL.Div.1 & NL.Div.2)

1953	My/Jn	<b>Alan Hunt</b>	bt. Len Williams (DW = 2-0, 2-0)
	Ag/Spt		bt. Graham Warren (2-1, 2-0)
1954	My/Jn	<b>Alan Hunt</b>	bt. Charlie New (2-1, 2-0)

## NORTHERN MRC - (2<sup>nd</sup> tier Lge.)

1947	<b>Will Lowther</b>	bt. T.Bateman 2-0 @ Gl.WC
	<b>Dick Geary</b>	bt. W.Lowther 2-0 @ Wigan
	<b>Will Lowther</b>	bt. D.Geary 2-0 @ Wigan
	<b>Will Lowther</b>	bt. D.Geary 2-0 @ Gl.WC

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Winter Holders in Full Bold

\* Title vacant as holder moves up Div'n

\*\*Change of Holder by Injury/Default

1970 - '73; BRIT. LGE DIV.II

## SILVER HELMET

Match-by-match, v. Lge.Top Scorer, 1 race

1970	<b>Ross Gilbertson</b>	N,1W,1L
	<b>Ron Bagley</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Malcolm Shakespeare</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Phil Woodcock</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Mike Vernam</b>	1W,1L

## SCOTTISH MRC - NL.Div.2

Monthly Nominated, Best of 3, H.& A.

"Match Race Cup"			
1947		<b>Vic Duggan</b>	bt. M.Grosskreutz ((2-0)
1948		<b>Ron Johnson</b>	( hts + Final; non-MRC.)
"MatchRace Championship"			
1949	May	<b>Ken le Breton</b>	bt. Jnr.Bainbridge (2-1, 2-0)
	Jn/Jly	<b>Jack Young</b>	bt. K.leBreton (0-2, 2-1, 2-1)
	Aug		bt. Dick Campbell (2-0, 2-0)
	Sept		bt. Merv Harding (2-0, 2-1)
1950	Jly/Ag	<b>Tommy Miller</b>	bt. J.Young (1-2, 2-0, 2-0)
	Sept	<b>Ken le Breton</b>	bt. T.Miller (2-0, 2-0)
1951	My/Jn	<b>Jack Young</b>	bt. T.Miller (0-2, 2-0, 2-1)
	Jly		bt.Jr.Bainbridge (2-1, 1-2, 2-0)
*1952	May	<b>Tommy Miller</b>	bt. Derek Close (2-0)
	Jn		bt. Harold Fairhurst (2-0)
	Jly		bt. Jnr. Bainbridge (2-1)
	Aug		bt. Don Cuppleditch (2-0)
	Sept		bt. Derek Close (2-1)
1953	May	<b>Tommy Miller</b>	bt. Derek Close (2-0, 2-0)
	June		bt. Don Cuppleditch (1-1, 2-0)
	July		Comp'n abandoned, "No worthy challengers".

## SCOTTISH MRC - Brit.Lge. (= 1<sup>st</sup> tier Lge.)

1964	July	<b>Charlie Monk</b>	bt. D.Templeton (2-0) @Edin.
	Aug		bt. G. Hunter (2-1) @Edin.
1965	May	<b>Charlie Monk</b>	bt. G. Hunter (2-1) @Glsqw
	June	<b>George Hunter</b>	bt. C. Monk (2-1) @Edin.
1966	Aug	<b>Charlie Monk</b>	bt. G. Hunter (2-0) @Glsqw
	Sept	<b>Bengt Jansson</b>	bt. M.Mattingley (2-0) @Edin.
1967		NO CONTESTS	
		1968, '69 = single races	
1968	May	<b>Bernt Persson</b>	bt. Jim McMillan @Glsqw
	Aug	<b>Oyvind Berg</b>	bt. Bernt Persson @Glsqw
	Sept	<b>Reidar Eide</b>	bt. Oyvind Berg @Ct'brdge
1969	June	<b>Reidar Eide</b>	bt. Charlie. Monk @Glsqw
	** July	<b>Bert Harkins</b>	bt. Jim McMillan @Glsqw
1972	Sept	<b>Jim McMillan</b>	bt. B.Harkins (2-1) @ Glsq.H.Pk.
	Oct	? (J.McM v BB)	
1973 ?		Brit.Lge. Div.2	
1974	Aug.9	B.Beaton v. B.Harkins Not run,(BB not present.)	
1975	May 9	<b>Brian Collins</b>	bt. Sid Sheldrick (2-1) @Ct'brdge
1976		<b>Brian Collins</b>	bt. C.Farquharson(2-1) @ Pslly
1977-'80		NO CONTESTS	
1981	Aug.14	<b>Chas. McKinna</b>	bt. B.Collins(hldr) 2-0 @Glsqw
1982	Oct.22	C.McKinna v. K.McKinna Not run, track deterioration.	

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1984- '99 NAT'L LGE > PREM. LGE

## SILVER HELMET

Match-by-match, v. Lge.Top Scorer, 1 race.

1984	<b>Robert Henry</b>	1L
	<b>Kevin Smart</b>	2W,1L
	<b>Bob Garrad</b>	3W,1L
	<b>Dave Perks</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Mike Spink</b>	1W,1L

	Alan <b>Bridgett</b>	1W,1DW,1W,1L
	Malcolm <b>Shakespeare</b>	4W,1DL
	Paul <b>O'Neil</b>	1DW,4W,1L
	George <b>Major</b>	4W,1L
	Maurie <b>Robinson</b>	2W,1L
	Eric <b>Broadbelt</b>	2W,1L
	<b>John Louis</b>	8W
1971	John <b>Louis</b>	5W,1L
	Graham <b>Banks</b>	4W,1L
	Bruce <b>Forrester</b>	1W,1DL
	Alan <b>Wikinson</b>	1DW,2W,1L
	Malcolm <b>Shakespeare</b>	1W,1L
	Alan <b>Wilkinson</b>	2W,1DL
	Reg <b>Wilson</b>	1DW,1L
	John <b>Louis</b>	21W,1L
	<b>Phil Crump</b>	2W
1972	Phil <b>Crump</b>	1W,1L
	Richard <b>Greer</b>	1W,1L
	Brian <b>Foote</b>	1W,1L
	Pete <b>Bailey</b>	1W,1L
	Roger <b>Mills</b>	5W,1L
	Gordon <b>Kennett</b>	1W,1L
	John <b>Davis</b>	3W,1L
	Dave <b>Baugh</b>	1W,1DL
	Roy <b>Carter</b>	1DW,4W,1L
	Rodney <b>Haynes</b>	1W,1L
	Paul <b>Tyrer</b>	1W,1DL
	Dave <b>Mills</b>	1DW,1L
	Arthur <b>Browning</b>	3W,1DL
	Richard <b>Greer</b>	1DW,1DL
	<b>George Major</b>	1DW
1973	George <b>Major</b>	3W,1L
	Roger <b>Mills</b>	3W,1L
	Mike <b>Broadbank</b>	4W,1L
	Tony <b>Childs</b>	1W,1L
	Peter <b>Moore</b>	1W,1L
	George <b>Major</b>	1W,1L
	Sid <b>Sheldrick</b>	1W,1L
	Derek <b>Cook</b>	1W,1L
	Lou <b>Sansom</b>	1W,1L
	Bobby <b>McNeil</b>	1W,1L
	Mike <b>Broadbank</b>	4W,1L
	Geoff <b>Ambrose</b>	1W,1L
	Peter <b>Moore</b>	2W,1L
	Mitch <b>Graham</b>	2W,1L
	Andy <b>Meldrum</b>	1W,1L
	Mike <b>Broadbank</b>	1W,1L
	Brian <b>Clark</b>	1W,1L
	Trevor <b>Barnwell</b>	2W,1DL
	Carl <b>Glover</b>	1DW,1W,1L
	Lou <b>Sansom</b>	3W,1L
	<b>Ted Howgego</b>	1W.

1974 - format change.

1974 - '83; NATIONAL LGE

Monthly Nominated, Best of 3, H.& A.

*1974	Jack <b>Millen</b>	bt. C.Glover (2-0,2-1)
	Bobby <b>McNeil**</b>	bt. M.Mackay (2-0,2-0)
(BL.II)	Jack <b>Millen</b>	bt. B.McNeil (2-0,2-0)
	Bruce <b>Forrester</b>	bt. J.Millen (2-0,DW)
	<b>Arthur Browning</b>	bt. Forrester (0-2,2-0,2-1)
		bt. B.McNeil (2-0,2-0)
1975	John <b>Jackson</b>	bt. A.Browning(1-2,2-0,2-0)
(N.Lge)		bt. L.Rumsey (1-2,2-0,2-0)
	Tom <b>Owen</b>	bt. J.Jackson (2-0,2-0)
		bt. L.Etheridge(2-0,0-2,2-0)
		bt. Molyneux (2-0,1-2,2-0)
	<b>Joe Owen</b>	bt. Tom Owen (2-1,2-0)
		bt. Paul Gachet (2-1,2-0)
1976	<b>Joe Owen</b>	bt. L.Etheridge(0-2,2-0,2-0)
		bt. Weatherby (2-0,2-0)
		bt. J.Jackson (2-0,0-2,2-0)

	Paul <b>Stead</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Smart</b>	1W,1L
	Andy <b>Buck</b>	2W,1L
	PeterE <b>Smith</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Teager</b>	1W,1L
	Graham <b>Drury</b>	1W,1L
	Alan <b>Sage</b>	1W,1L
	Nigel <b>Crabtree</b>	2W,1L
	Steve <b>Lawson</b>	1W,1L
	Mark <b>Fiora</b>	1W,1L
	Carl <b>Blackbird</b>	3W,1L
	Paul <b>Thorp</b>	1W,1L
	David <b>Blackburn</b>	1W,1L
	Mick <b>Hines</b>	1W,1L
	Colin <b>Cook</b>	2W,1L
	<b>Keith White</b>	1W
1985	Keith <b>White</b>	1L
	Nigel <b>Sparshott</b>	1W,1L
	Trvor <b>Banks</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Finch</b>	1W,1L
	Tom <b>Owen</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Wilcock</b>	1W,1L
	Paul <b>Thorp</b>	1W,1L
	Nigel <b>Sparshott</b>	1W,1L
	Dave <b>Morton</b>	1W,1L
	Stan <b>Bear</b>	10W,1L
	Mike <b>Ferriera</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Wilcock</b>	1W,1L
	Andrew <b>Silver</b>	4W,1L
	Martin <b>Dixon</b>	2W,1L
	Alan <b>Mogridge</b>	2W,1L
	Neil <b>Middleditch</b>	1W,1L
	Paul <b>Thorp</b>	2W,1L
	Carl <b>Baldwin</b>	4W,1L
	Doug <b>Wyer</b>	1W,1DL
	Ian <b>Barney</b>	1DW,1W,1L
	<b>Jim McMillan</b>	3W
1986	Jim <b>McMillan</b>	1L
	Colin <b>Richardson</b>	1W,1L
	Paul <b>Evitts</b>	3W,1L
	Dave <b>Jessup</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Smart</b>	1W,1DL
	Steve <b>McDermott</b>	1DW,1DL
	Les <b>Collins</b>	1DW,1W,1L
	Dave <b>Perks</b>	1W,1L
	Les <b>Collins</b>	1W,1L
	Andrew <b>Silver</b>	2W,1L
	Andy <b>Hines</b>	1W,1L
	Martin <b>Dixon</b>	2W,1L
	Keith <b>White</b>	1W,1L
	David <b>Cheshire</b>	1W,1DL(inj)
	Eric <b>Monaghan</b>	1DW,1L
	Andy <b>Hines</b>	1W,1L
	Gordon <b>Kennett</b>	1W,1L
	David <b>Mullett</b>	2W,1L
	Nigel <b>Crabtree</b>	1W,1L
	Mark <b>Fiora</b>	1W,1L
	Paul <b>Thorp</b>	3W,1DL(inj)
	Travor <b>Banks</b>	1DW,1W,1L
	Malcolm <b>Simmons</b>	1W,1L
	Les <b>Collins</b>	1W,1L
	Martin <b>Dugard</b>	6W,1L
	<b>Nigel Flatman</b>	1W
1987	Nigel <b>Flatman</b>	2W,1L
	Steve <b>Schofield</b>	2W,1DL
	Gerald <b>Short</b>	1Dw,1L
	Paul <b>Woods</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Wilcock</b>	1W,1L
	David <b>Blackburn</b>	12W,1L
	Charlie <b>McKinna</b>	1W,1L
	Nevill <b>Tatum</b>	3W,1L
	Martin <b>Dixon</b>	1W,1L

		bt. B.Collins (2-1,2-1)
		bt. Hollingworth (2-1,2-0)
		bt. Tom Owen (2-1,2-0)
	***	bt. B.Clark (2-0, ***)
*1977	Brian <b>Clark</b>	bt. T.Hubbard (2-0, 0-1)
	Colin <b>Richardson</b>	bt. B.Clark (0-2,2-0,2-1)
		bt. T.Owen (2-1,1-2,2-1)
		bt. T.Hubbard (2-1)
		bt. S.Koppe (2-1)
	<b>Martin Yeates</b>	bt. Richardson(2-0,0-2,2-0)
		bt. J.Jackson (0-2,2-0,2-0)
1978*	<b>Tom Owen</b>	bt. B.Coles (2-0,2-0)
		bt. S.Finch (2-0,0-2,2-0)
		bt. M.Sampson (2-0,2-0)
		bt. L.Rumsey (2-0,2-0)
		bt. K.Mularkey (2-0,DW)
		bt. N.Allott (2-0,1-2,2-0)
		bt. S.Koppe (2-0,2-0)
1979	<b>Tom Owen</b>	bt. Humphreys (2-1,2-1)
		bt. J.Jackson (2-0,2-0)
		bt. M.Hines (2-1,2-0)
		bt. D.Perks (2-0,2-1)
		bt. S.Lawson (2-0,2-0)
	** <b>Karl Fiala</b>	bt. AndyGrahame(2-0,2-0)
		bt. I.Gledhil (2-0,2-0)
1980	Les <b>Rumsey</b>	bt. K.Fiala (2-1,2-0,2-1)
		bt. Wilcock (2-1,0-2,2-0)
		bt. L.Rumsey (2-0,2-0)
	Dave <b>Perks</b>	bt. B.Garrad (2-0,2-0)
	**Mike <b>Ferreira</b>	bt. M.Ferreira (1-2,2-0,2-0)
	<b>Paul Woods</b>	bt. D.Gagen (2-0,2-0)
*1981	Martin <b>Yeates</b>	bt. D.Perks (2-0,2-0)
	Steve <b>Lawson</b>	bt. M.Yeates (2-1,2-1)
	Mike <b>Ferreira</b>	bt. S.Lawson(2-0,0-2,2-1)
		bt. N.Collins (2-0,2-0)
	* <b>Mark Courtney</b>	bt. W.Brown (0-2,2-0,2-0)
1982	<b>Steve Lawson</b>	bt. Wilcock (0-2,2-1,2-0)
		bt. S.Naylor (2-0,2-1)
		bt. J.Barker (0-2,2-0,2-0)
		bt. Simon Wigg (2-0,2-1)

\*\*\*JO inj'd, Clark declined title.

### 1983 - format change.

#### Match-by-match, v. Lge.Top Scorer, 1 race.

1983	Steve <b>Lawson</b>	1DL
	Paul <b>Price</b>	1DW,1L
	Mark <b>Fiora</b>	1W,1L
	Bob <b>Garrad</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>McDermott</b>	2W,1L
	Barry <b>Thomas</b>	7W,1L
	Julian <b>Parr</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Teager</b>	2W,1L
	Steve <b>Wilcock</b>	3W,1L
	Ashley <b>Pullen</b>	1W,1L
	Jim <b>McMillan</b>	1W,1L
	Bruce <b>Cribb</b>	1W,1L
	Keith <b>Millard</b>	3W,1L
	Marvyn <b>Cox</b>	4W,1L
	Jim <b>McMillan</b>	1W,1L
	Barry <b>Thomas</b>	2W,1L
	Nigel <b>Sparshott</b>	2W,1L
	Barry <b>Thomas</b>	3W,1L
	Steve <b>Lomas</b>	2W,1L
	Mick <b>Hines</b>	2W,1L
	<b>Robert Henry</b>	1W

1984 Cont'd above, top Rt. . . .

	David <b>Mullett</b>	2W,1L
	Nigel <b>Leaver</b>	1W,1L
	Keith <b>Pritchard</b>	1W,1L
	David <b>Blackburn</b>	1W,1L
	Darren <b>Sumner</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Trevor Banks</b>	2W
1988	Trevor <b>Banks</b>	1W,1L
	Nigel <b>Crabtree</b>	1W,1L
	Andy <b>Galvin</b>	8W,1L
	Todd <b>Wiltshire</b>	1W,1L
	Melvyn <b>Taylor</b>	3W,1L
	Martin <b>Goodwin</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Jolly</b>	1W,1L
	Martin <b>Goodwin</b>	4W,1L
	Nigel <b>Crabtree</b>	3W,1L
	Andy <b>Galvin</b>	1W,1L
	Kevin <b>Hawkins</b>	1W,1L
	Louis <b>Carr</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Steve Schofield</b>	1W
1989	Steve <b>Schofield</b>	1W,1L
	Jens <b>Rasmussen</b>	8W,1L
	David <b>Norris</b>	2W,1L
	Preben <b>Eriksen</b>	2W,1L
	Andy <b>Galvin</b>	4W,1L
	Mick <b>Poole</b>	2W,1L
	Mark <b>Courtney</b>	2W,1L
	Richard <b>Green</b>	2W,1L
	Martin <b>Dixon</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Schofield</b>	2W,1L
	Les <b>Collins</b>	5W,1L
	<b>Kenny McKinna</b>	3W
1990	Kenny <b>McKinna</b>	1L
	Craig <b>Boyce</b>	2W,1L
	Kenny <b>McKinna</b>	5W,1L
	Dean <b>Standing</b>	3W,1DL(inj)
	Chris <b>Louis</b>	1W,1L
	Craig <b>Boyce</b>	3W,1L
	Dave <b>Bargh</b>	1W,1L
	Rob <b>Tilbury</b>	2W,1L
	Jens <b>Rasmussen</b>	1W,1DL(inj)
	Paul <b>Woods</b>	1W,1L
	Steve <b>Lawson</b>	1W,1L
	Nigel <b>De'ath</b>	2W,1L
	Darren <b>Sumner</b>	1W,1L
	Dave <b>Bargh</b>	5W,1L
	<b>Andy Grahame</b>	1W

### 1997 - '99; PREM LGE

#### Match-by-match, Lge.Top Scorer, 1 race

1997	Dave <b>Mullett</b>	1W,1L
	Robbie <b>Kessler</b>	3W,1L
	Neil <b>Collins</b>	3W,1L
	Leigh <b>Lanham</b>	1W,1L
	Stuart <b>Robson</b>	4W,1L
	Les <b>Collins</b>	1W,1L
	<b>Scott Smith</b>	3W.
1998	Scott <b>Smith</b>	1L
	Paul <b>Fry</b>	1W,1L
	Nicki <b>Pedersen</b>	6W,1L
	Kevin <b>Little</b>	2W,1L
	Leigh <b>Lanham</b>	3W,1L
	Ray <b>Morton</b>	1W,1L
	Glenn <b>Cunningham</b>	1W,1DL
	<b>Leigh Lanham</b>	2W
1999	Leigh <b>Lanham</b>	3W,1L
	Sean <b>Wilson</b>	5W,1L
	<b>Carl Stonehewer</b>	13W