



Trophy Award Policy

1.0 Policy

The Society shall present awards and trophies to recognise and reward excellence within the international amateur radio community and to recognise those who support the Society. The Society also provides a variety of operating awards but these are subject to a separate policy.

2.0 Background

2.1 Whilst all trophies and awards belong to, and are presented in the name of, the Society, the Board accepts nominations from several sources i.e.

- The HF Manager for the G5RP and ROTAB trophies, presented at the Convention
- Spectrum Forum for certain awards presented at the AGM
- Technical Forum for certain awards presented at the AGM
- Training and Education Committee for certain awards presented at the AGM
- Contesting Committees for contest awards presented at the Convention

In addition, the Board itself identifies recipients for certain trophies, presented at the AGM.

2.2 The list of trophies is attached at Annex 1.

2.3 Nominations for trophies and awards may be made for any amateur, based solely on their adjudged contribution and achievement, with the exception of the G5RP, ROTAB and Contest Awards which may only be awarded to Members of the Society. The IOTA Contest awards are available to any amateur.

2.4 Previous recipients may be nominated to receive the same award more than once.

2.5 Requests for new trophies (or the retirement of existing ones) must be approved by the Board.

3.0 Committee Awards

Awards under the jurisdiction of any committee may not be made to a Full (as opposed to a Corresponding) member of that committee, excepting the case of Contesting Committees, wherein the following shall apply:

- In the case of a member of a Contesting Committees entering a contest as a single operator or as a member of a multi-operator team and being placed in an award-winning position (trophy winner and/or certificate winner), the entry shall be reviewed by a sub-committee of the Contesting Committees. Their decision will be final.

4.0 Procedures

- 4.1 Trophies are awarded on an annual basis except where indicated.
- 4.2 With the exception of the Calcutta Key, recipients living within the UK have the option of taking the trophy away. Trophies may not leave the UK.
- 4.3 Trophies retained by the Society will be stored at nominated locations within the UK and a selection displayed at the National Radio Centre.
- 4.4 Trophies taken away will be done so under the following conditions:
 - The trophy remains the property of the Radio Society of Great Britain
 - The trophy may be retained until required for the next presentation ceremony and must be returned promptly when requested and by the agreed date. Recipients (individuals and/or Affiliated Societies) who do not return trophies by the agreed date will not be permitted to retain trophies
 - The recipient is responsible for ensuring that the trophy and its transport packaging are returned in the same condition that it is in when collected and for the cost of returning it
 - The trophy must be collected from the presentation ceremony given in Annex 1. Due to the fragile nature of some of the trophies, it is not possible to post or courier the trophies to recipients
 - The G5RP, ROTAB and Contest Awards must be signed for by a member of the RSGB
- 4.5 The names and call signs of all award and trophy winners will be published on the RSGB website and selectively in RadCom.

Annex 1

Name of Trophy	Nominated by	Presented at:
* Non-Returnable		
Bennett Prize G8PF *	Technical Forum	AGM
Calcutta Key	Board	AGM
Courtenay-Price Trophy	Technical Forum	AGM
Don Cameron G4SST Memorial	Spectrum Forum	AGM
Founder's Trophy	Board	AGM
Fraser Shepherd Award *	Spectrum Forum	AGM
Harold Rose Plate	Spectrum Forum	AGM
Kenwood Trophy	Training & Education Committee	AGM
Louis Varney Cup	Spectrum Forum	AGM
Norman Keith Adams Prize *	Technical Forum	AGM
Ostermeyer Trophy	Technical Forum	AGM
Raynet Trophy	Board	AGM
Special RSGB Award *	Board	AGM
Wortley-Talbot Trophy	Technical Forum	AGM
1962 Committee Cup	Spectrum Forum	AGM
Scottish Trophies	Nominated by	Presented at:
Jack Wylie Trophy	Board	AGM/Scotland
Jock Kyle Memorial	Board	AGM/Scotland

VHF Trophies	Nominated by	Presented at:
10GHz Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Arthur Watts Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
144MHz BackPackers Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Cockenzie Quaich	Contesting Committees	Convention
John Pilags Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Martlesham Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Mitchell-Milling Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Racal Radio Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Scottish Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
SMC Six Metre Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Surrey Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Tartan Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Telford Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Thorogood Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
VHF Contests Committee Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
VHF Manager's Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G6ZR Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
1951 Council Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Low Power VHF Championship Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G5BY Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Four Metre Cup (New 2003)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Foundation Shield (New 2004)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Intermediate Shield (New 2005)	Contesting Committees	Convention
G6NB Trophy (New 2005)	Contesting Committees	Convention
G00DQ trophy (New 2007)	Contesting Committees	Convention
G3MEH trophy (New 2007)	Contesting Committees	Convention

VHF Trophies (continued)	Nominated by	Presented at:
Bolton Wireless Club Trophy (new 2010)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Hadley Wood Contest Group Trophy (new 2013)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Bill Capstick G3JYP Memorial Award (new 2012)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Bryn Llewellyn G4DEZ Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
HF Trophies	Nominated by	Presented at:
ROTAB - Royal Order of Transatlantic Brasspounders	HF Manager	Convention
G5RP Trophy	HF Manager	Convention
Ariel Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
BERU Senior Rose Bowl	Contesting Committees	Convention
BERU Junior Rose Bowl	Contesting Committees	Convention
Braaten Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Bristol Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Col. Thomas Rose Bowl	Contesting Committees	Convention
Commonwealth Traveller Certificate	Contesting Committees	Convention
David King G3PFS Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Edgware Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Flight Refuelling ARS Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G3MZV Memorial Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
GW4BLE Memorial Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Houston Fergus Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Lilliput Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Marconi Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Milne Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
NFD Shield	Contesting Committees	Convention

HF Trophies (continued)	Nominated by	Presented at:
Northumbria Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Powditch Transmitting Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Rosebery Shield	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB 80m Challenge Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB Lichfield Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Reading QRP Shield	Contesting Committees	Convention
Ross Carey Rose Bowl	Contesting Committees	Convention
The Somerset Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Southgate Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
T E Wilson G6VQ Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Verulam Silver Jubilee	Contesting Committees	Convention
Victor Desmond Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Whitworth Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB CDXC Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
G2QT Winner's Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
Ross Cary G3DYY Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G3PSH Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G3XTJ Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G5MY Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
G8KW Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
1930 Committee Cup	Contesting Committees	Convention
David Hill G4IQM Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Cyril Leyden G4RYY - Memorial Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
GM5VG Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Newbury Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB HF Contesting Committees Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention

HF Trophies (continued)	Nominated by	Presented at:
G5RV Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
Henry Lewis G3GIQ Memorial Cup (new 2012)	Contesting Committees	Convention
Horace Freeman Trophy	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA Expedition Multi-2 Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA Multi-op LP Expedition Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA Multi-op Fixed Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
CDXC Geoff Watts Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
IOTA Contest Manager Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
GMDX (high-power) Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
GMDX (low-power) Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
Summer Isles MM0BQI Sponsor *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA Single-op High Power Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA Single-op Low Power Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB-IOTA QRP Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
Commonwealth Medal *	Contesting Committees	Convention
RSGB John Dunnington G3LZQ Trophy *	Contesting Committees	Convention
VP8GQ Trophy (Sponsor G3LET) *	Contesting Committees	Convention

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