

Proposal to reduce our Trophy Expenditure

We need all members to read and digest the information which is contained within this notice, **your feedback is required**.

For the past few years it is a sad fact that the number of attendees of the Presentation Evening has been reducing to last year's attendance of fewer than 10% of the club membership.

It is obvious that many members do not share my enthusiasm about receiving a trophy, which results in an expenditure of around £700 for over 100 trophies of which approximately 50 are collected on the evening, the uncollected trophies then sit in a large box for many weeks after the event, it is only after chasing the recipients to collect their award that they are mostly collected.....I say mostly as we still have trophies sitting in the box 9 months after the last presentation event.

Please consider the following proposal:

We carry on engraving all of the major trophies (in the display cabinet), and we continue with engraving the various competition boards displayed in the clubhouse.

The major trophies will then be presented to the winners on presentation evening.

We discontinue producing the 100 + small trophies, which, as explained above, many of which are not collected, and many of those that are collected, probably end up in a cupboard.

OK, over to you to please give the committee members your feedback, so that a decision can be made well before the end of October to allow for trophy engraving for this year's presentation evening on 17th November 2018.

Terry Wilson – Club Captain.

Yvonne Wilson – Lady captain.