




# recognising achievement

St George's Day Award Recipients 2007

A photograph of a man in a Scout uniform, smiling broadly. He is wearing a light-colored Scout shirt and a neckerchief with red, white, blue, and yellow stripes. A circular badge is pinned to his neckerchief. On his left chest, there is a patch that says "EUROPE". In the background, other Scouts in similar uniforms are visible, though they are out of focus.

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# volunteers

## working for adventure

The announcement of the St George's Day Awards is always a big moment in the Scouting Calendar. As this is our Centenary year, there is an extra shimmer to the awards but the stories we hear are as amazing as ever. Lynda Gray introduces the 2007 roll of honour

This supplement is about saying 'thank you!'

Every adult who gives their time to Scouting supports the development of young people. These volunteers are to be valued because without them, Scouting and the adventure it offers simply would not happen.

However, there are those who make an extra special contribution. This souvenir supplement celebrates such people – whether they have supported a specific project, succeeded in difficult circumstances or

simply worked with local communities to help grow Scouting. We have included several profiles of those who are honoured in this year's list and we're sorry not to be able to do the same for every person. For each of the names you read, there are amazing stories to tell, in every possible area of Scouting imaginable.

From County Training Managers to Mountains Activities Advisers, all of these people have one thing in common – a commitment to helping young people reach their potential.

All St George's Day Awards are made by Peter Duncan, the Chief Scout, advised by the Awards Board. Those eligible are adult Members, Associate Members and exceptionally, others who have given valuable service to Scouting over a considerable period of time.

'2007 is a special year for Scouting,' says Peter, 'and I'm really pleased for all those who have been recognised in this year's St George's Day Awards. As a volunteer myself, I know the challenges of juggling work, family and Scouting. Your huge contribution to Scouting has helped young people look beyond themselves and find real friendship. Thank you for your help in making this possible.'



# Silver Wolf

## 'In recognition of services to Scouting of the most exceptional nature'

The Silver Wolf Award was introduced by Lord Baden-Powell and remains The Scout Association's highest Award for service to Scouting.

The Silver Wolf is the unrestricted gift of the Chief Scout and is only awarded 'for service of an exceptional nature'. It is not normally awarded until at least a Silver Acorn has been gained. In practice, this means that it is seldom awarded for less than 30 years' service, although this is not always the case.

**Harold K Andrews**, Group President, 12th Camberwell (Bradfield), District Vice President, District Scout Fellowship Member, Albany District, Greater London South

**Richard Ash**, District Supporter, District Archivist, Bromley, Greater London South East

**Ann D Athey**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 6th Dronfield (Baptist), Dronfield, Derbyshire

**Pauline W Ballan**, District Member, Harpenden and Wheathampstead, Hertfordshire

**Michael Barker**, County Vice President, Hampshire

**Michael P J Bee**, Camp Warden, Wiltshire

**Rene L Biden**, Appointments Secretary, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk

**Ronald S Branchflower**, Chairman, District Appointments Committee, South Berkshire, Royal Berkshire

**Kenneth J Briers**, County Chairman, Northamptonshire

**Olwen Brockway**, County Commissioner, Wiltshire

**Richard M Butler**, Chairman, Programme and Development sub-committee, Headquarters, County Commissioner, Norfolk

**John T Canning**, County Commissioner, Assistant County Commissioner (Cub Scouts), County Training Manager, County Armagh

**Michael R Chalke**, Assistant District Commissioner (Scouts), Salisbury and South Wilts, Wiltshire

**Godfrey H Chambers**, District Adviser, Cole, County First Aider, Solihull

**Dorothy M Chancellor**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Sawbridgeworth, Bishops Stortford and District, Hertfordshire

**Douglas S J Chapman**, District Secretary, Appointments Secretary, Salisbury and South Wilts, Wiltshire

**Alistair K Cochran**, Scout Leader, 31st Northampton (Shipman Home), Northampton, Deputy County Commissioner, Northamptonshire

**Horace AF Davey**, Appointments Secretary, Ladybrook Valley, Greater Manchester East

**Wendy K Drake**, County Vice President, Central Yorkshire, Member, Awards Board, Headquarters

**Peter M Dunstan**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Mid Cornwall, County Nights Away Adviser, Cornwall

**Ronald S Edwards**, District Member, Wrexham and District, Clwyd

**Frank C Ellery**, District President, District Scout Fellowship Member, Albany District, Greater London South

**Geoffrey Ellis**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 43rd Huddersfield Crossland Moor, Huddersfield South West, West Yorkshire

**Marilyn D Ewart**, Assistant District Commissioner (Development), Northallerton, North Yorkshire

**Keith R Fanshawe**, Group Scout Leader, 6th Northwood, Northwood Eastcote, Greater London Middlesex West

**Robin J Farrington**, Group Scout Leader, 50th Cambridge (Milton), Cambridge, Cambridgeshire

**Sheila Gibbon**, Assistant County Commissioner (Special Needs), County Training Manager, Durham

**Neville Gibson**, District Vice President, District Executive Committee Member, South Belfast, Belfast

**Alan C Goldsmith**, Campsite Chairman, Bentley Copse, Surrey

**Michael Hammond**, District Chairman, Bude and Launceston, Cornwall

**Elizabeth J Harmsworth**, Assistant District Commissioner (Beaver Scouts), Rugby, Warwickshire

**John M Harrison**, County Scouter, County Training Administrator, North Yorkshire

**Michael A Haynes**, Group Scout Leader, 5th Boston, District Executive Committee Member, Boston, Lincolnshire

**Peter J Hobbs**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 1st Sulhamstead & Ufton Nervet, Pang Valley, Royal Berkshire

**Margaret A Hodgetts**, Area Training Manager, Gwent

**Richard J Holden**, Group Secretary, 17th Bromley (Keston), District Supporter, Bromley, Greater London South East

**Richard B Hooper**, District Explorer Scout Administrator, Wimbledon and Wandle, Greater London South West

**Pat Howes**, District Chairman, Eastern Norwich, County Executive Committee Member, Norfolk

**Dolores J Hughes**, Group Supporter, 1st Cwm, Blaenau Gwent, Gwent

**Alexander H Jack**, Deputy Area Commissioner, Forth Valley

**Anne L Jackson**, Group Scout Leader, 7th Belfast (Dundonald Methodist), East Belfast, Acting District Secretary, Belfast

### PROFILE: SHEILA GIBBON, DURHAM

### SILVER WOLF



As County Training Manager, Sheila is passionate about training and very easily enthuses others. Described by her County Commissioner as the 'keystone of a very strong and active County Training Team', she was recommended for her 40 years of robust, dedicated and committed service. 'It's the fun that's kept me in Scouting,' she says. 'You go to another part of the country and immediately there are friends and people who need your help. As a young Leader I benefited from lots of support, and that's what I try and give back in return.'

**PROFILE: PETER HOBBS, BERKSHIRE**

**SILVER WOLF**



Described as 'one of a kind' by his County Commissioner, Peter has given service to grass roots Scouting for 60 years. Peter is a real community man, known as much for his role as Chairman of the Parish Council as for his Scouting links. Despite being seriously ill over recent months, he has continued to share his experience and continued as if nothing were wrong at all: 'I suppose I'm most proud of the Groups I helped establish – and I've built both boathouses and Scout headquarters. This year I'm involved in setting up our Centenary Camp – still putting up the marquees and helping out where I can.'

Assistant County Commissioner (Community Development), Belfast

**Reginald E Jacobs**, District Member, District Badge Secretary, Bishops Stortford and District, Hertfordshire

**Ronald A Jacobs**, Appointments Secretary, City of Portsmouth, Hampshire

**Eunice Jaffe**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Croydon, Greater London South West

**Norman P James**, County Vice President, County Executive Member, Greater London South West

**Mary Key**, District Secretary, Bromley, Greater London South East

**Patrick J Killen**, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Bramshill, Hampshire

**John S King**, Group Skills Instructor, 1st Crowborough, District Vice President, District Scout Fellowship Secretary, Ashdown, East Sussex

**Ronald C Lavalette**, Area Chairman, Ayrshire

**Karen Limond**, Assistant Chief Commissioner, Lanarkshire

**Linda M Lindley**, Assistant Cub Scout Leader, 16th Rugby (St Matthews), District Scout Fellowship Chairman, Rugby, Warwickshire

**Margaret M Ling**, District Scout Fellowship Secretary, Croydon, Greater London South West

**Austin RJ Lusmore**, Camp Warden, Cromwell, Cambridgeshire

**Edward A Mayhew**, Assistant Cub Scout Leader, 19th Wimbledon, Wimbledon and Wandale, Greater London South West

**Janet B McKay**, District Chairman, District Scout Fellowship Member, Swindon North, Wiltshire

**Robert S Medler**, Group Scout Leader, 5th Clacton on Sea Bockings Elm, District Commissioner, Tendring, Essex

**William D Mellens**, Area Vice President, Camp Site Treasurer, Monmouthshire, Gwent

**James A Milburn**, District Scout Fellowship Member, West Herts, Hertfordshire

**David E Mills**, District Vice President, North Ceredigion, County Adviser (Mountain Activities), Ceredigion

**Geoffrey L Minney**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Holme Valley, West Yorkshire

**Victor AG Myers**, Assistant County Secretary, Dorset

**Donald C Norris**, District Secretary, Monmouthshire, Gwent

**Peter Oldham**, Group Scout Leader, 114th Birmingham (St Paul's Hamstead), Tame Valley, District Commissioner, Directly Administered

Birmingham, County Commissioner, Birmingham

**Russell E Parke**, Assistant County Commissioner, County Adviser for Mountain Activities, Hampshire

**William B Patterson**, Assistant District Commissioner (Leader Training), Lisburn and District, County Antrim

**Anthony F Pistell**, District President, Salisbury and South Wilts, Wiltshire

**Margaret Poland**, National Child Protection Coordinator, Headquarters

**Georgina Potter**, Group Contact, 16th St Albans, Honorary Scouter, St Albans, Hertfordshire

**Joan A Quaille**, County Secretary, Merseyside

**Joseph T Raybould**, Assistant Area Commissioner, Greater Glasgow

**Duncan GB Riddell**, Acting Area Commissioner, County Adviser (Activities), Ayrshire

**Albert H Roberts**, District Badge Secretary, District Scout Fellowship Member, Swindon North, Wiltshire

**Brian E Robinson** TD JP, District Chairman, District Commissioner (Acting), Southport, Merseyside

**Bernard E Rose**, Group Supporter, 1st Wargrave, Lodden, Royal Berkshire

**Gerald Russell**, District Commissioner, Salisbury and South Wilts, Wiltshire

**Jeremy W Salter**, Group President, 1st Claygate, Esher, Surrey

**George H Sharp**, Assistant District Commissioner (Scouts), Altrincham and District, Greater Manchester West

**PROFILE: DAVID SMITH, DERBYSHIRE**

**SILVER WOLF**



From organising the District St George's Day Parade and running the Scout Christmas Post to painting scenery and props at the Gang Show, David has worked tirelessly for local Scouting. Although he has many years' experience, he is still happiest chatting with young people and passing on his knowledge. 'I was over the moon when I heard about the award,' says David. 'I love working with young people – you sometimes hear lots of adverse reports about young people, but there's still good kids who want to do things. It's all about young people's achievements at the end of the day.'

**PROFILE: DAVID MILLS, CERIDIGION**

**SILVER WOLF**



David has been active in Scouting all his adult life. Even now, in his 80s, he is still the District Mountain Activities Adviser. A Leader since the 1960s, he is an inspiration to adults and young people alike with a great skill for passing on his knowledge. 'I couldn't quite believe it when I heard,' said David. 'It came completely out of the blue. I just enjoy Scouting and all the people you meet. I suppose my most challenging appointment was Borough Commissioner for Wolverhampton North, South, East and West – all points of the compass!'

**Nigel Sherlock OBE**, County President, Northumberland

**Peter Shore MBE**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Deep Sea Scout Fellowship, Headquarters, District Scout Fellowship Member, Cabot, Avon

**Colin Smale**, Group Sectional Assistant, 4th Potters Bar, Potters Bar, Hertfordshire

**David Smith**, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Chesterfield, Derbyshire

**David E Stevens**, District Public Relations Officer, Christchurch and District, Dorset

**Graham H Stewart**, District Chairman, Renfrew, Renfrew & Inverclyde

**Jillian M Sutton**, District Supporter, Meon Valley, County Supporter, Hampshire

**Derek W Tatum**, Formerly District Commissioner, District Scout Fellowship Member, Colchester Estuary, Essex

**Norman D Taylor**, Group Contact, 1st Crockenhill, Swanley, Kent, District Scout Fellowship member, Albany District, Greater London South

**Robert S Taylor**, District Cub Scout Leader, District Badge Secretary, Wyre, County Supporter, West Lancashire

**Maureen S Tickner**, Cub Scout Leader, 14th Itchen South, Itchen South, Hampshire

**John A Tilley**, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Northampton, Northamptonshire

**Robert A Townson**, District Commissioner, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire

**Winifred M Trott**, District Secretary, Eastbourne and District, East Sussex

**Richard M Twemlow**, County Chairman, Merseyside

**Jane Waley**, Group Chairman, 1st Oulton, Stone and District, Staffordshire

**Ronald D Ward**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Medehamstede, Cambridgeshire

**Colin J Warry**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Gordano, Avon

**Rita M Warry**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Gordano, Avon

**Deann B Weeks**, District Commissioner, Wareham and Isle of Purbeck, Dorset

**Eric Whitaker**, Assistant County Commissioner (Activities), South Yorkshire

**Martin J Whiting**, Assistant County Commissioner (General Duties), Greater London South West

**James Wilson**, Group President, 1st Belper, Belper, Derbyshire

**Jack Young**, District President, Derby North, County Supporter, Derbyshire

**John Young**, District Treasurer, Wimbledon and Wandle, Greater London South West

# Bar to the Silver Acorn



## 'In recognition of further specially distinguished service'

The Bar to the Silver Acorn can only be awarded after at least a Silver Acorn has been gained and a further five years of similarly distinguished service has been completed.

**Sidney D Adams**, District Scout Fellowship Chairman, Stowmarket, Suffolk

**John Ainsworth**, Group Scout Leader, 4th Walton on the Hill, Walton on the Hill, Assistant County Commissioner (Scouts), County Scouter, Merseyside

**David J Andrews**, Assistant County Commissioner (Scout Fellowship), Norfolk

**Colin V Arnold**, County Vice President, Norfolk

**Patricia J Askey**, County Training Manager, Greater London South West

**Keith M Barratt-Smith**, Appointments Secretary, Hyde and District, Greater Manchester East

**Frederick J Bassett**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Swindon North, Wiltshire

**Malcolm R Beerling**, Group Scout Leader, 6th Barking and Dagenham, Barking and Dagenham, Greater London North East

**Audrey Beggs**, Group President, 30th Belfast (Glinahirk Presbyterian), District Executive Member, East Belfast, Belfast

**Jean P Bell**, Local Training Manager, Angus

**Patricia VB Bevan**, District Secretary, District Administrator, Eden, Cumbria

**Michael J Biggs**, Assistant Scout Leader, 27th Derby (Chaddesden), Derby East, Derbyshire

**Brian Blake**, District Scout Fellowship Chairman, Plymstock, Devon

**Stanley E Boddy**, District Scout Fellowship Member, West Leeds, Central Yorkshire

**Gordon Brakewell**, Assistant County Commissioner, Hampshire

**Basil B Brewell**, Appointments Secretary, District Scout Fellowship Member, Boston, Lincolnshire

**William A Bromley-Davenport**, County President, Cheshire

**Roland D Broughton**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Deep Sea Scout Fellowship, Headquarters

**Gladys H Bullimore**, Cub Scout Leader, 9th Bedlington, (1st West Sleekburn), Wansbeck, Northumberland

**Derek W Bullimore**, Group Scout Leader, 9th Bedlington (1st West Sleekburn), Wansbeck, Northumberland

**Helen MC Burrows**, District Commissioner, Morningside, Edinburgh

**William J Cadman**, Assistant County Commissioner, Merseyside

**Maureen Campbell**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 109th Belfast (Lowe Memorial), HQ Commissioner (Beaver Scouts), South Belfast, Belfast

**William S Clapham**, County Commissioner, County Scout Leader, South Yorkshire

**David A Clarke**, Group Executive Member, 43rd Norwich (Saxlingham Nethergate), Group Headquarters Warden, Southern Norwich, Norfolk

**John D Clarke**, District Chairman, Wolverhampton South, West Mercia

### PROFILE: SID ADAMS, SUFFOLK

### BAR TO THE SILVER ACORN

Since retiring as Group Scout Leader of 3rd Stowmarket, Sid has continued to devote a great deal of time and effort in a variety of ways. Involved in the District Gang Show, he still supervises the lighting and electrics as well as appearing on stage as a veteran performer! 'Sid's unfailing support of young people and adults alike is highly respected by all who know him,' says John Mabb, his County Commissioner. 'I've been in Scouting for 40 years this month,' Sid replies, 'and it just seems something that's become part of my life. For me, the camps are the happiest memories.'



**Barbara LJ Collins**, Group Treasurer, Group Executive Member, 1st New Cross (The Greys), District Supporter, Albany District, Greater London South

**Kenneth J Cooper**, District Nights Away Adviser, District Supporter, Windsor and Eton, Royal Berkshire

**Gordon D Coupar**, Area Treasurer, Nights Away Adviser, Training Adviser, Dundee

**Christopher R Croker**, County Chairman, South Yorkshire

**Margaret Danby**, Assistant Cub Scout Leader, 26th Warrington East (2nd Padgate), District Supporter, District Scout Fellowship Member, Warrington East, Cheshire

**Peter J Darbyshire**, District Explorer Scout Commissioner, Chandlers Ford, Deputy County Commissioner, County Appointments Secretary, Hampshire

**John M Darwood**, County Secretary, West Sussex

**Carol A Davies**, District Commissioner, Spelthorne, Surrey

**Oliver H Davies**, District Supporter, Spelthorne, Local Training Manager, Surrey

**Michael N Davis MBE**, Assistant County Commissioner (Explorer Scouts), County Adviser for Duke of Edinburgh Awards, Birmingham

**John W Dawson**, Local Training Manager, Oxfordshire

**Alan JC Dempster**, County Adviser for Mountain Activities, Assistant County Commissioner (Activities), Avon

**Paul D Dimmock**, District Commissioner, Canterbury Whitstable & Herne Bay, Kent

**Melvyn F Dyson**, District Commissioner, Derwent and Dove, Derbyshire

**Jean R East**, County Scout Network Leader, Greater London South West

**Colin Eastwood**, District Executive Member, Huddersfield North, West Yorkshire

**Kenneth M Edwards**, District Chairman, Shropshire Severn and Teme, Shropshire

**Adrian Eggleston**, District Commissioner, Barnsley Central, South Yorkshire

**Patricia E Elrick**, Assistant District Commissioner, Arbroath, Assistant Area Commissioner International, Angus

**Edward J Fannon**, Group Scout Leader, 14th Belfast (Trinity College Mission), West Belfast, Belfast

**Patricia L Fellows**, Assistant District Commissioner (Cub Scouts), Cole, Solihull

**John R Fisher**, Scout Leader, 1st Newtownards, Newtownards, County Down

**Ronald W Fox**, County Adviser (Duke of Edinburgh Awards), Greater London South

**John Frodsham**, District Commissioner, North West Cheshire, Cheshire

**Josephine Gadsby**, Local Training Manager, City of Coventry

**Ronald P George**, County Scout Fellowship Member, Cornwall

**Susan J Goddard**, Assistant District Commissioner (Beaver Scouts), Ellesmere Port and Neston, Cheshire

**Gerald JV Godwin**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Christchurch and District, Dorset

**Peter G Goldstone**, County Explorer Scout Leader, Surrey

**Michael S Gooderson**, Group Scout Leader, 46th Norwich, Southern Norfolk, Norfolk

**Reginald J Gourley**, District President, Walton on the Hill, Merseyside

**William H Grierson**, Group Secretary, 23rd Bromley (St Augustines), District Supporter, Bromley, Greater London South East

**Denis F Gudgeon**, Group Executive Member, Windsor and Eton, County Adviser for Water Activities, Royal Berkshire

**David J Hawkins**, District Commissioner, Surrey Heath, Surrey



**PROFILE: VEREEN MARCER, NORFOLK BAR TO THE SILVER ACORN**



Described as 'probably the hardest working Leader in the District', Vereen is a steadfast supporter of the Cub Scout Section having spent most of her 40 years' service at grass roots level in the Pack. Despite taking on extra duties as ADC (Development) she still takes every opportunity to help out at Section meetings and camps. 'I was really surprised,' says Vereen on hearing the news, 'as it doesn't seem long since the Silver Acorn, but it's wonderful all the same. I'm still doing new things in Scouting. I tried sub aqua at our Moot the other weekend and it was great fun!'

**Geoffrey A Hegarty**, Scout Leader, 1st Cloughfern Church of the Ascension, South East Antrim, Assistant County Commissioner (Scouts), County Antrim

**Peter W Hoare**, District Treasurer, Caterham, Assistant County Secretary, Surrey

**Edward Hobbs**, Group Chairman, 2/289th Manchester Chain Bar Methodist, North Manchester, Greater Manchester East

**Phillip G Holland**, District President, Chairman District Appointments sub-committee, East Belfast, Belfast

**Laurence Hooke**, Group Scout Leader, 1st Anahilt, Lisburn and District, County Antrim

**Brenda M Hope**, District Commissioner, Allerton, Merseyside

**William C Hopkinson**, County Member, Derbyshire

**Richard T Jackson**, Cub Scout Leader, 8th Camberwell 1st British Australian, Albany District, Greater London South

**George B Kerr**, District Secretary, Appointments Secretary, Runnymede, Surrey

**David G King**, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Senlac, East Sussex

**Eric Knight**, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Northampton, Northamptonshire

**Robert FH Lane**, County Commissioner, Solihull

**Alan R Lane**, Assistant Beaver Scout Leader, 7th Malden (St James), District and County

Adviser, Royal Kingston, Greater London South West

**George A Leadbeater**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Knutsford and District, Cheshire

**Mary A Love**, Group Executive Member, West Runton, North East Norfolk, Norfolk

**John R Mabb**, County Commissioner, Suffolk

**Isobel Malcolmson**, Beaver Scout Leader, 20th Belfast, West Belfast, Belfast

**David G Maltby**, Assistant District Commissioner (Scouts), District Commissioner (Acting), Stretford, Greater Manchester West

**Vereen F Marcer**, Assistant District Commissioner (Development), North East Norfolk, Norfolk

**Jacqueline A Martin**, Programme and Development Adviser (International), Headquarters, Group Scout Leader, 3rd Hutton (St Joseph's), Brentwood and District, Local Training Manager, Essex

**David J Mason**, Assistant District Commissioner, Leicester North East, Leicestershire

**Mary Mayo**, District Secretary, Walsall North, West Mercia

**James W McCarty**, Assistant District Commissioner (Camp Warden), Frome and District, Somerset

**John E McMahon**, County Training Manager, Birmingham



**Isabel McNab**, Scottish Headquarters Commissioner for Adult Support, Regional Training Adviser, Headquarters

**Nigel AC Meeks**, Group Chairman, 1st Usk (Burrium), Monmouthshire, Gwent

**Margaret HW Milne**, Area Scouter, County Child Protection Coordinator, Angus

**Diana C Moore**, County Member, Surrey

**Jacqueline Moore**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Antrim, South East Antrim, County Antrim

**Ernest J Moran**, Cub Scout Leader, 11th Portobello St John's Catholic, District Commissioner, Portobello, Edinburgh

**Christopher N Moss**, District Commissioner, Chorley, West Lancashire

**Bernadette E Moynihan**, Cub Scout Leader, 28th Croydon Our Lady of The Annunciation, Croydon, Greater London South West

**Beryl H Mullender**, District Secretary, Basingstoke East, Hampshire

**Thomas W Mulryne OBE**, Chief Commissioner for Northern Ireland, County Chairman, County Chaplain, Belfast, Northern Ireland

**Sandra M Newell**, Explorer Scout Leader (Young Leader), Frome and District, Somerset

**Rodney M Newman**, Group Chairman, 18th Purley and District (Sanderstead United Reformed), Croydon, Greater London South West

**Michael J Nightingale**, County Chairman, Royal Berkshire

**John F O'Connor**, Warden Group HQ, Quartermaster, 1st Caehopkin (Pine) Abercrave, Ystradgynlais, Brecknock

**Trevor S Owen**, Assistant County Commissioner, Hampshire

**Colin Parker**, Scout Leader, 35th Halifax (All Saints), District Commissioner, Halifax, West Yorkshire

**Pauline E Pass**, Group Scout Leader, 10th/18th Barking and Dagenham, Assistant District Commissioner (General Duties), Barking and Dagenham, Greater London North East

**Margaret E Patrick**, District Commissioner, Eastleigh and District, Hampshire

**Susan H Pearson**, Assistant District Commissioner (Adult Support), Grafton, Northamptonshire

**Malcolm J Peaty**, District Secretary, Petersfield, Hampshire

**Hazel Petch**, Chairman District Appointments sub-committee, Chester and District, County Chaplain, Cheshire

**George Pickup**, District President, Petersfield, Hampshire

**David W Platt**, Group Scout Leader, 5th Preston (St Cuthbert's) Assistant Explorer Scout Leader, Preston and District, West Lancashire

**Marina Powers**, Beaver Scout Leader, 1st Ballyclare (High School), District Beaver Scout Leader, South East Antrim, County Antrim

**Keith DT Prior**, District Scout Fellowship Treasurer, Torfaen, Gwent

**John W Pulham**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Reigate, Surrey

**Paul N Quaille**, Assistant County Commissioner (Activities), Merseyside

**Keith Ramshaw**, County Scout Fellowship Member, Birmingham

**Constance E Randall**, District Member, Bromley, Greater London South East

**Henry JG Ringe**, District Commissioner, Ashdown, East Sussex

**Jeffrey H Roberts**, Group Supporter, 9th Ormskirk (3rd Aughton), Ormskirk and District, West Lancashire

**Kenneth Robertson**, Group Scout Leader, 5th Durham City, District Commissioner, Durham City and District, Durham

**Anne I Robinson**, Cub Scout Leader, 90th Belfast, South Belfast, Belfast

**Eric Robinson**, Group Scout Leader, 90th Belfast, South Belfast, Belfast

**Gerry G Russell**, Assistant County Commissioner (Community Development), Birmingham

**Carole E Scott**, Cub Scout Leader, 20th Belfast, West Belfast, Belfast

**Kenneth G Shaw**, County Supporter, Honorary Scouter, West Yorkshire

**Elsie Shekle**, Cub Scout Leader, 30th Brighton (2nd Patcham), District Scout Leader, District Executive Member, District Scout Fellowship Member, Brighton, East Sussex

**Christopher D Sherlock**, Deputy County Commissioner, City of Coventry

**Mabel Sidebotham**, District Secretary, High Peak, Derbyshire

**John D Simpson**, Group Scout Leader, 1st Broughton, Preston and District, West Lancashire

**John R Smith**, District Commissioner, Radnor

**Nigel C Steward**, Deputy County Commissioner, Greater London South West

**James F Street**, Assistant District Commissioner (Scout Fellowship), Pymstock, Devon

**Barry L Thomas**, Assistant County Commissioner (14-25 Support), Suffolk

**Clive W Thomas**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Acton, Brentford & Chiswick, Greater London Middlesex West

**William J Thomas**, Assistant District Commissioner (Development), District Chairman, Gosport, Hampshire

**Agnes C Thomson**, Group Scout Leader, 15th Ayrshire (Androssan), North Ayrshire and Arran, Ayrshire

**Avril E Threapleton**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 17th South West Leeds (St Bartholomew's and St Mary), West Leeds, Central Yorkshire

**Kenneth Tidy**, Honorary Scouter, 2nd Crowthorne, South Berkshire, Royal Berkshire

**Kenneth Tipping**, Scout Leader, Group Scout Leader, 5th Formby, Formby, Merseyside

**John M Trushell**, Group Scout Leader, 15th Renfrew and Inverclyde (1st Kilbarchan) Johnstone, Area Commissioner, Renfrew & Inverclyde

**Anthony D Turner**, Deputy District Commissioner, Harrow & Wealdstone, Greater London Middlesex West

**Patricia A Varney**, Assistant Cub Scout Leader, 1st Fetcham, Leatherhead, Surrey

**Hilda G Vaughan**, District President, District Scout Fellowship Member, Monmouthshire, Gwent

**Ian R Walker**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Croydon, Greater London South West

**Melvyn V Watson**, Group Supporter, 1st Leyton, District Chairman, Waltham Forest South, Greater London North East

**Roy W Webber**, Scout Leader, 23rd Camberwell (St Giles), Albany District, Greater London South

**Nicola J Wells**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Sandridge, St Albans, Hertfordshire

**Philip Wells**, District Supporter, St Albans, Hertfordshire

**Harold S Whitehead**, Group President, 2/289th Manchester Chain Bar Methodist, North Manchester, Greater Manchester East

**Paul Willis**, District Explorer Scout Commissioner, Whitley Bay and District, Northumberland

**Donald J Willis**, Field Development Officer, Headquarters, Formerly Explorer Scout Leader (Young Leader), Ashford, Kent

**Isabella BG Wilson**, Assistant Group Scout Leader, 21st Ayrshire (Kilmarnock), Ayrshire East, Ayrshire

**Ian D Winter-Goodwin**, District Scout Fellowship Member, Unit Assistant, East Wight, Isle of Wight

**Ian H Woods**, Group Scout Leader, 4th St Albans, St Albans, Hertfordshire

**John R Woods**, County Supporter, County Safety Coordinator, Merseyside

**John C Woolley**, County Commissioner (Acting), County Training Manager, Greater Manchester North

**Linda J Wooster**, Group Scout Leader, 18th Bristol 1st Redland Green, Cabot, Avon

**Derek H Wylam**, Group Scout Leader, 8th Bedlington (Stakeford) Wansbeck, Northumberland

**Malcolm A Young**, Deputy District Commissioner, Eastleigh and District, Hampshire

# Silver Acorn

## 'In recognition of specially distinguished service'

The Silver Acorn was first introduced as a St George's Day Award in 1933. It is not normally awarded until after at least a Medal of Merit has been gained and a further five years' service has been completed. It is therefore seldom awarded for less than 20 years' service.

- Mary R Adams**, Group Scout Leader, 4th Daventry (Drayton Grange), Daventry and District, Northamptonshire
- John F Allard**, Assistant Beaver Scout Leader, 27th Norwich (New Costessey), Northern Norwich, Norfolk
- Stuart L Allen**, District Treasurer, Aylesbury, County Treasurer, Buckinghamshire
- Sharon Amass**, Cub Scout Leader, 16th Erith, District Public Relations Officer, Erith and Crayford, Greater London South East
- Peter J Amper-West**, Group Scout Leader, 3rd Hanworth, Feltham & District, Greater London Middlesex West
- John R Andrews**, Deputy District Commissioner, District Scout Fellowship Chairman, Caterham, Surrey
- John D Anstee**, Scout Leader, 1st Stanhope, District Commissioner, Crook and Weardale, Durham

**Kathleen D Anstee**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Stanhope, Crook and Weardale, Durham

**Ian J Appleford**, Assistant Cub Scout Leader, 1st Surbiton (Sealion) Sea Scouts, Royal Kingston, Greater London South West

**Susie M Appleford**, Cub Scout Leader, 23rd Salisbury, Salisbury and South Wilts, Wiltshire

**Edward Appleton**, Group Chairman, 7th Congleton (Dane Valley) & Cheshire, Macclesfield and Congleton, County Treasurer, Cheshire

**Thomas G Ashcroft**, Group Scout Leader, 21st Dipton, Derwentside, Durham

**Raymond Ashley**, Scout Leader, 21st Gateshead (St Helens) Sea Scouts, Local Training Manager, Gateshead and District, Durham

**Patricia A Bake**, Assistant District Commissioner (Beaver Scouts), Bishop Auckland, Durham

**Pamela E Baker**, Group Scout Leader, 12th Erith Our Lady of The Angels, Training Adviser, Erith and Crayford, Greater London South East

**Alan R Bamford**, District Chairman, Greenford & District, Greater London Middlesex West

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### PROFILE: JOHN H BROWN

### SILVER ACORN



As a Group Scout Leader John has recruited and encouraged the leadership team at the 21st Belfast. As Assistant Cub Scout Leader he enjoys working with Cubs while also holding the role of Northern Ireland Commissioner for Leader Training. 'I was very pleased and honoured to hear about the award,' he says. 'I'm in Scouting largely because I enjoy helping young people get more out of life.'

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#### SILVER ACORN

Following a stint as District Commissioner, when her enthusiasm and energy inspired a number of local residents to take up the challenge of becoming adults in Scouting, Pam has now taken on the role of Local Training Manager. While improving the training, she has also found time to become Beaver Scout Leader in her local Colony. 'It's a great feeling when the children achieve things for the first time. Our challenge now is to continue growth in the District.' Husband Jim adds: 'She gets huge personal satisfaction from Scouting – it's all about doing something positive when it's all too easy to talk about the doom and gloom!'



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**Mary C Roberts**, Island Secretary, Jersey

**Patricia C Roberts**, District Secretary, Swanley, Kent

**Philip Roberts**, Camp Warden, Jersey

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**Denise M Robinson**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Lurgan and District, Assistant District Commissioner (Cubs), Lurgan and District, County Armagh

**Margaret Robinson**, Explorer Scout Leader, South Tyne Side, Durham

**Stephen A Robinson**, Group Scout Leader, 1st Heaton Moor, Stockport, Greater Manchester East

**Janette Roche**, Cub Scout Leader, 1st Offerton (St Albans), Stockport, Greater Manchester East

**PROFILE: JEFF MASON, SOUTH YORKSHIRE**

**SILVER ACORN**

Despite being confined to a wheelchair, Jeff has continued to play a vital part in the Group as a member of the Executive. 'I was really chuffed when I heard about the award. I think basically a flair for working with children has kept me in Scouting. I've always been a man of action, and I'd like to think I've passed on some of my passion to the next generation – it's the young people that make it.' Daniel is a Network member who has known Jeff for many years: 'I have never seen him without a smile and a twinkle in his eye. Without his support, my Scouting experience would be far different.'



**Christopher A Munslow**, District Commissioner, Monmouthshire, Gwent

**Christopher J Nagle**, Programme and Development Manager, Headquarters, Scout Leader 22nd Southgate (Our Lady of Lourdes), Assistant District Commissioner (Scouts), Southgate, Greater London North

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**PROFILE: 'JOCK SHAW'**

'It's the young people that keep me in Scouting. We give them that little bit of self-confidence they need to make a success of their lives.'



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**Medal of Merit****'In recognition of outstanding service'**

(Headquarters and County/Area appointments only)

The Medal of Merit is given for 'outstanding service' of not less than 12 years, but exceptionally after 10 years.

**Robert D Halkyard**, Head of Information Centre, WSJ Human Resources, Headquarters, Group Chairman, Silver Leys (Bishops Stortford), Bishops Stortford and District, Hertfordshire

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**Stephen J Reeves**, Field Development Officer, Headquarters

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**Chief Scout's Commendation for Good Service****'In recognition of good service'**

(Headquarters and County/Area appointments only)

This award is given in respect of not less than five years' good service, which stands out. It is the Chief Scout's recognition of the very real contribution made to the Association by the individual concerned.

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