

NATIONAL COMPETITIONS

No member shall enter competitions from more than one Institute. (This also applies at Federation level.)

EDUCATION

ANSTRUTHER GRAY DRAMA COMPETITION: Open to all federations, alternating with the variety competition.

CHALLENGE CUP: Presented in 1930 by the late Mrs C Anstruther Gray CBE, Fife, (first National Chairman 1917-1933) and awarded to the winning team.

CHALLOCH CUP: Presented in 1967 by Challoch WRI, Wigtownshire, to celebrate SWRI's Golden Jubilee, and awarded to the runner-up.

SMITH SALVER: Presented in 1992 by Mrs Mary Smith, Roxburghshire, to celebrate SWRI's 75th Anniversary, and awarded to the team taking third place.

SCOTTISH HOME AND COUNTRY TROPHY: Presented in 1980 by Mrs I M Mitchell and awarded for the best individual performance.

MOREBATTLE SALVER: Presented in 1997 by Mrs Marie Mackie (National Chairman 1987-1993) and awarded to the team with the highest marks for production.

15 MINUTE VARIETY COMPETITION: Open to all federations, alternating with the drama competition.

90TH ANNIVERSARY CUP: Presented in 2009 by Mrs Alison Bayley (National Chairman 2005-08), and awarded to the winning team.

CHOIRS COMPETITION: Open to all federations, alternating with the small singing group competition.

CRAWFORD TROPHY: Presented in 1982 by Mrs P. Crawford, Fife, and awarded to the winning choir.

ERSKINE CUP: Presented in 1982 by Mrs C. Erskine, Perth and Kinross, and awarded for second place.

KINGDOM CUP: Presented in 2002 by Mrs Isobel Fettes, Fife, and awarded for third place.

SMALL SINGING GROUP COMPETITION: Open to all federations, alternating with the choirs competition.

AULHOUSE TROPHY: Presented in 2010 by Mrs Marion Davidson (National Chairman 2008-11) and awarded to the winning group.

ELIZABETH MICHIE TROPHY: Presented IN 2010 by Mrs Elizabeth Michie and awarded to the runner-up.

MATTER OF OPINION COMPETITION: Open to federations in the North and South in alternate years.

SWRI GOLDEN JUBILEE CUP: Presented in 1969 by Mr John and Mrs Marjory Playfair Hannay, Fife, and awarded to the winning team.

KENNEDY SHIELD: Presented in 1974 by the family of Mrs Sylvia Kennedy, Ayrshire, (National Chairman 1948-1954) and awarded to the runner-up.

VARIATIONS ON A THEME COMPETITION: Open to federations in the North and South in alternate years.

LOCHALSH TROPHY: Presented in 1999 by Mrs Joyce MacRae, Ross-shire, (National Chairman 2002-05), and awarded to the winning team.

SYBIL IRVINE SALVER: Presented in 1999 by Miss Sybil Irvine, Lochaber, is awarded to the runner-up.

ART TROPHY: Presented by Miss Helen Lowe, and awarded to the overall winner of art competition categories.

HANDCRAFTS

LENA MEIKLEJOHN TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Munro, Midlothian, in memory of her sister, and awarded to the winner of a competition for an article in coloured embroidery.

VAUGHAN NASH MEDALLION: Silver and bronze medallions, for the winner and runner-up, were made possible by a bequest from the late Mr Vaughan Nash, one-time member of the Development Commission. The competition is for Community Work (Handcrafts).

NANCY MACMILLAN TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Macmillan, West Lothian, and awarded for the best piece of work in the Vaughan Nash Competition outwith the winner and runner-up.

BLACKWOOD TROPHY: Presented by Miss J K Blackwood, Dunbartonshire, and awarded to the winner of a competition for an article in embroidery, only open to members who have not won a national competition before, to encourage the less experienced needlewoman.

EVELYN BAXTER TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Sutton, Inverness-shire, and awarded to the winner of a set competition, only open to members who have attended classes taught by the current Evelyn Baxter Scholars.

WHITECROSS TROPHY FOR KNITTING: Presented by Mrs Janet Whitecross, Berwickshire, and awarded to the winner of a competition for an article in knitting.

WHITECROSS TROPHY FOR SEWING: Presented by Mrs Janet Whitecross, Berwickshire, and awarded to the winner of a competition for an article in sewing.

HANDICRAFTS TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Helen Quartermaine, Perth & Kinross, and awarded to the winner of a competition for an article in a craft other than knitting or embroidery.

HOUSEWIVES

ANNE WALLACE TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Anne Wallace, Ayrshire, and awarded to the winner of a set baking competition, open to federations only.

ISOBEL MACKENZIE TROPHY: Presented by Mrs MacKenzie, West Lothian, and awarded to the overall winner of the Floral Art Competitions.

MORGAN TROPHY: Presented by Miss Helen Young, Edinburgh, in 1996, in memory of her great aunt who won the trophy in 1904 in a Brown & Polson competition for baking. Awarded to the winner of a competition for recipe in a set category and presented at the National Conference and Handcrafts and Housewives Conference.

SWRI 75th ANNIVERSARY TROPHY: Presented by the North East Federations to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the SWRI and awarded to the winner of a Handcraft or Housewives competition, or a combined Handcraft and Housewives competition.

MARY AITKEN TROPHY: Presented by Jean Aitken, Renfrewshire Federation in memory of her late mother. Awarded to the winner of a competition for preserving at both the National Conference and Handcrafts and Housewives Conference.

INTERNATIONAL

SUTTON TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Sheila Sutton, Lochaber, and awarded to the winner of an annual competition.

MARJORY PLAYFAIR HANNAY A.C.W.W. TROPHY: Presented by Mrs Marjory Playfair Hannay, Roxburghshire, and awarded to the winner of an annual competition organised by the International Committee.

MAGAZINE

WARNOCK TROPHY: Presented by Mrs E. Warnock, Lanarkshire, and awarded to the winner of an annual competition in connection with the Magazine "Scottish Home and Country"

CENTRAL COUNCIL

THE ANNABEL AND LAURA HAY TROPHY: Presented in 1995 by Mrs Muriel Heron, in memory of the late Annabelle and Laura Hay, and awarded for a competition entry of the National Chairman's choice at National Conference and Handcrafts and Housewives Conference.

BARBARA BROOKSHIRE AWARD: Presented by Mrs Barbara Brookshire, Indiana, USA, and awarded annually to the institute with the greatest increase in membership. (In 2004, Mrs Brookshire agreed to the criteria being amended by the removal of 'growth in younger membership, under thirty years of age'.)

STONEYCREEK TROPHY: Presented by Miss A Jenkins, Lanarkshire, and awarded annually to the institute with the second greatest increase in membership.

SPORT

OUTDOOR BOWLING

SCOTTISH HOME AND COUNTRY TROPHY: Presented by the SWRI Publications Committee in 1969 and awarded to the winner of the annual outdoor bowling competition.

CHAIRMAN'S CUP: Presented, in 1969, by Mrs Shirley Wallace, Perth & Kinross, (National Chairman 1996-1999) and awarded to the runner-up.

STADIUM BOWLING

BON ACCORD SHIELD: Presented by Aberdeenshire Federation and awarded to the winner of the annual stadium bowling competition.

CHAIRMAN'S CUP: Presented, in 1999, by Mrs Shirley Wallace, Perth & Kinross, (National Chairman 1996-1999), and awarded to the runner-up.

GOLF

MRS A. N. MITCHELL QUAICH: Presented by Mrs I. Mitchell, Fife, and awarded to the winner of the annual golf competition.

SWRI GOLF TROPHY: Presented by The Potato Marketing Board in 1986 and awarded to the best scratch in the annual golf competition.

CURLING

CURLING SALVER: Presented by Mrs W. MacDiarmid, Perth & Kinross, and awarded to the winner of the annual curling competition.

CLYDESDALE TROPHY; Presented by Mrs M. Clydesdale, Perth & Kinross, and awarded to the low road winner in the annual curling competition.