



## Regional Recognition Awards

The Regional Recognition Awards are awarded to individuals affiliated to the Swim England for outstanding contribution within the award category area.

2025

### Regional Awards

Talent Development Coach – **Ryan Crouch**, Deben SC  
Children/Age Group Coach – **Annette Skeet**, Newmarket & District SC  
Participation and Community Coach – **Jayne Jarvis**, Potters Bar Artistic SC  
Technical Official – **Jamie Tape**, Borough of Southend and Training Club  
Young Volunteer of the Year – **Ruby Brace**, City of Peterborough SC  
Volunteer of the Year – **Tom Brennan**, Aqualina Artistic SC  
Water Polo Club of the Year – **Colchester Swimming and Water Polo Club**  
Swimming Club of the Year – **Basildon and Phoenix SC**  
Artistic Swimming Club of the Year – **Aqualina Artistic Swimming Club**

2024

### Regional Awards

Artistic Swimming Development Coach – **Emma Chapman**, Dacorum Artistic SC  
Artistic Swimming Performance Pathway Coach – **Kerri Brennan**, Aqualina Artistic  
Diving Development Coach – **James Hadley**, Southend Diving  
Swimming Development Coach (Inc Masters & para) – **Nick Thompson**, St Felix School SC  
Swimming Performance Pathway Coach – **Ben Negus**, City Of Peterborough SC  
Water Polo Development Coach – **Adam Page**, Watford Water Polo Club  
Artistic Swimming Club of the Year – **Potters Bar Artistic SC**  
Swimming Club of the Year – **City Of Peterborough SC**  
Water Polo Club of the Year – **Watford Water Polo Club**  
Technical Official of the Year – **Jane O'Brien**  
Volunteer of the Year – **Lottie Thompson**

2023

### Regional Awards

Artistic Swimming Club of the year – **Aqualina Artistic Swimming Club**  
Diving Club of the Year – **Dacorum Diving Club**  
Swimming Club of the Year – **Flitwick Dolphins Swimming Club**  
Water Polo Club of the Year – **Colchester**  
Coach of the Year – Sarah Vanderloo (West Norfolk Swimming Club)  
Volunteer of the Year – **Ian Rollinson** (Luton Diving Club)  
Technical Official of the Year – **David Metcalf** (Biggleswade Swimming Club)

2022

**Regional Awards**

Club of the Year – **Swimming** – Newmarket & District SC

Club of the Year – **Diving** – Luton Diving Club

Spirit of Aquatics – **Kerry Clewlow** (Aqualina)

Coach of the Year – **Kirsteen Mitchell** (Luton Diving)

Volunteer of the Year – **Jemma Garry** (Mildenhall and District SC)

Youth Volunteer of the Year – **Catherine Banham** (Linslade Crusaders)

2021

**Regional Awards**

Engagement Innovation Award– **Nikki Merrill/ Stewart Park** (Norwich Swan SC)

Inspirational Athlete Award– **Evie Reynolds** (Chelmsford City SC- Artistic Swimming)

Inspirational Club Coach/ Teacher Award– **Dave Champion** (Teamipswich Swimming)

Inspirational Volunteer Award- **Louise Perkins** (Teamipswich Swimming)

Inspirational Young Volunteer Award- **Molly Monk** (Dereham Otters/ City of Norwich SC)

Sport Innovation Award– **Lottie Thompson** (Cambridge Dive Team)

2020

**No Awards were presented due to Coronavirus pandemic.**

2019

**Regional Awards**

Youth Achievement- **Zoe Parnham**, Aqualina Synchro Club

Youth Volunteer- **Canvey Island Youth Volunteering Team**

Volunteer of the year- **Tom Baster**, Basildon & Phoenix SC

Coach of the Year- **Sue Purchase**, St Felix SC

Club of the Year- **Modernian SC**

Official of the Year- **Ian Macleod**, Southend Diving Club

Long Service- **John Bellis**, South Beds Masters Club

2018

**Recognition Awards**

**Eleanor Short**, Hoddesdon SC - Young Volunteer of the year

**Deborah Swann**, Lowestoft & Oulton Broad SC – Volunteer of the Year

**Wade Piercy**, Canvey Island SC – Teacher of the Year

**Ben Negus**, City of Peterborough SC – Coach of the Year

**Jill Walker**, Lowestoft & Oulton Broad SC – Services to Aquatics

2017

**Recognition Awards**

**Elora Graham**, Cambridge Dive Team – Young Volunteer of the Year

**Tom Stokes**, City of Peterborough SC – Young Volunteer of the Year

**Chris Felce**, Modernian SC – Volunteer of the Year

**Dean Walker**, Chelmsford SC – Coach of the Year

**Roberta Wilson**, Stowmarket SC – Services to Aquatics

2016

**Recognition Awards**

**Pam Spratt** Bishops Stortford SC – Outstanding Club Contribution

**Sheila Mackenzie Hoddesdon SC** – Outstanding Contribution at a Regional Level

**Dave Robinson** Mildenhall & District SC – Lifetime Achievement Award

**Geoff Wood** Berkhamsted SC – Excellence in Coaching

2015

**Recognition Awards**

**Paul Bowman** Newmarket & District SC – Club Volunteer of the Year

**Gillian Briars** West Suffolk SC – Outstanding Contribution to Swimming in the Community

**Warwick Thompson** Norwich Swan SC – Outstanding County – Regional Contribution

**Stewart Murray** West Norfolk SC – Services to Officials Development

**Victoria Tidmas** Harlow Penguins SC – Volunteer Teacher or Coach of the Year

2014

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Bill Blackaby** - Stowmarket SC - Club Volunteer of the Year

**Tyla Danskin** Linslade Crusaders SC - Outstanding contribution by a Young Volunteer

**Janet Warrington Hoddesdon SC** - Outstanding contribution to Swimming in the Community

**Keith Belton** Norwich Swan SC - Outstanding County-Regional Contribution

**Tony Smith** UEA City of Norwich SC - Services to Officials' Development

**Derek Beaumont** – Beaumont Diving Academy - Volunteer Teacher or Coach of the Year

2013

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Bryan Thompson** Harpenden SC - Club Volunteer of the Year

**Amy Thompson** Harpenden SC - Outstanding contribution by a Young Volunteer

**Su Felce** Modernian SC - Outstanding contribution to Swimming in the Community

**Amy Bryant** Aqualina SS - Outstanding County-Regional Contribution

**Stephen Christian** Deben SC - Services to Officials' Development

**Peter Jewell** Dacorum DC - Volunteer Coach of the Year

2012

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Barry Brinkley**- Leiston & Dist SC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Steve Chambers** -Watford Water Polo Club - Outstanding contribution at county/regional level

**Mike Woodbridge** – Team Luton SC - Long service award - 25 years or more

**Alex Fussey** - Newmarket & Dist SC - Young volunteer, under 18yrs

**Laura Frostick**- Chelmsford Synchro SC - Young volunteer, 18-25yrs

2011

**Aquaforce & Coaching Awards**

**Carol Naunton** - Deben SC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Janet Rayner**– Halstead ASC - Long service award - 25 years or more

**Lydia Backhaus** – Ware SC - Young volunteer, under 18yrs

**Michael White** – Leiston and District SC - Young volunteer, 18-25yrs

**Malcolm Sedgwick** – Linslade Crusaders SC - Fundamentals Coach of the Year

**Cheryl Betts** – Lowestoft and Oulton Broads SC - Skill Development Coach of the Year

2010

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Mr Phil Lynch** – Stowmarket SC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Mr Tony Smith** – Norfolk ASA - Outstanding contribution at county/regional level

**Ms Pat Hollis** – Great Yarmouth SC - Long service award (25 years or more)

**Mr Chris Murrell** – Lowestoft & Oulton Broads SC - Young volunteer, under 18

2009

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Maggie Hargraves** – Colchester Phoenix ASC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Bob Outtram** – Luton SC - Outstanding contribution at county/regional level

**Stan Vanner** – Ware SC - Long service award (25 years or more)

**Katrina Wolfe** – Ware SC - Young volunteer, under 18

**Claire Matthews** – Ware SC - Young volunteer, 18 – 25

2008

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Phil Nice** – Thurrock SC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Ian Cotton** – Deben SC - Outstanding contribution at county/regional level

**Sharon Bord** – Cambridge DT - Long service award (25 years or more)

**Laura Cotton** – Deben SC - Young volunteer, under 18

**Oliver John Christian** – teamlpswich SC - Swimming Young volunteer, 18 – 25

2007

**Aquaforce Awards**

**Wendy Read** – Mildenhall & District SC - Outstanding contribution at club level

**Bill Clark** – Southend-on-Sea SC - Outstanding contribution at county/regional level

**Bobbie Wilson** – Stowmarket SC - Long service award (25 years or more)

**David Whitely** – North Bedford SC - Young volunteers Award