



The Hammer Circle

The Association of
British Hammer Throwers
Founded 1952



THE 2nd PRESIDENTS SALVER



1952	M C Nokes	2005	D Smith
1960	C J Reidy	2008	C Black
1963	J H R Freeborn	2011	I Tempest
1966	D N J Cullum	2014	P R G Aston
1971	D F A Vanhegan	2017	A P Woods
1972	A H Payne	2023	G Cook
1980	D F A Vanhegan		
1982	J C Rodda		
1986	R Bowden		
1991	A Bertram		
1995	D Bayes		
1998	K Madden		
2001	P Dickenson		

History of Second Presidents Salver

The first President's Plate was originally presented in the year that The Hammer Circle was founded, 1952. Engraved on each appointment around its outside circumference, it became completely full of names in the available space after the inscription of its last incumbent.

A replacement was required, and the need was kindly filled by Peter and Carole Aston. This Second Plate, now renamed as a Salver in common with some other of The Hammer Circle's awards, was originally presented to Carole Aston's paternal grandfather by a close friend as a token of remembrance and friendship. It came to Carole as part of her inheritance, and its prestigious new use within the Hammer Circle is a worthy continuation of its journey in life. Carole and Peter are delighted to have made the donation.

The Salver, like the original Plate, is held by the President of the Hammer Circle during his or her term to recognise the worthy state of the office and the already significant contributions to our event of those selected to serve in that position.



The Presidents Plate
1952 - 2023