

The Catt's Eye View

TC Table Tennis CV

June 2025

I have been involved in the management of table tennis since the 1980s. My table tennis CV reads as follows.

Playing

- Playing in local leagues since 1976
 - currently registered to play in Brighton, Colchester, Crawley & Horsham, London Banks & Civil Service Leagues, London Central.
- Playing tournaments and county standard and representative events since 1985.
- Playing in Senior and Veterans' British League.

Administration

- Member of Southampton Table Tennis League Management Committee 1986-1990
- Member of Hampshire Table Tennis League Management Committee 1986-1990
- Hampshire Senior Team Match Secretary 1987 -1990
- Hampshire Inter-Town League Secretary 1986 -1990
- Committee member of various clubs.

I was then moved by my bank from Southampton to Brighton in 1991.

- Sussex Veteran Match Secretary 2007 – date
- Sussex National Councillor 2010 – date re-appointed 2024
- Crawley & Horsham District TTL Secretary 2019 - date
- Table Tennis England Member Elected Deputy Chair 05/2019 – 02/2021
- National Council Chair 2017 – 2019
- Sussex County Secretary 2008 – 2011
- Sussex Deputy-Chair 2024 – date
- Committee member of various clubs and leagues
- National Council Governance Select Committee 2023 -date

Qualifications

- Coaching level 1
- Umpire level 1
- Tournament Organiser level 2

Continuous Professional Development

Sports Governance Academy courses attended

- Diversity, resilience, Growth
- Chairing skills
- Leading Sports Governance
- Essential Sport Governance

Directors CPD – since 2021, undertaken 60 hours of training run by In Touch Networks (NED training), Companies' House, Institute of Directors and other agencies.

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Events

- Tournament Organiser – VETTS Western Masters 2016
- I have umpired and been tournament referee at the World Championship of Ping Pong.

I have written [various summaries and reports](#) about various aspects of Table Tennis in England.

Activities in other sports

Cricket

- ran age group from Lewes Priory CC -2006 -2012
- Organised training sessions
- Ran teams – only year group to ever put two teams into the league
- 2012 – team won league and also Sussex County champions.

Rugby

- Helped to coach year group 2004 – 2011
- Qualified UKCC1 coaching

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