



SUSSEX COUNTY INDOOR BOWLS ASSOCIATION

takes pleasure in presenting the

Sussex Martlet Special Recognition Award
to

Harry Payne

(Falaise IBC)

In Appreciation for Services set forth in the following Citation

For exceptional and meritorious service with a deep undertaking to Falaise Indoor Bowls Club, Sussex County Indoor Bowls Association and the sport of indoor bowls in general. Harry Payne has for decades served Falaise IBC with total allegiance, has represented his own club and Sussex County with loyalty and devotion serving for the large part as a Member of the Sussex County Executive and the administration of that body which he did so with pride and dedication well beyond the call of his remit. Harry has held office at almost every County level having been SCIBA President in 2006/7 and concluding his glittering years of indoor bowls leadership as the SCIBA Team Secretary, a demanding and detailed role requiring total commitment and concentration and many long hours at the computer. He has handled it all with an attentiveness and adherence second to none and has given his all in the sole interest of the Sussex Members. Over the past 12 years in particular, he has been instrumental in helping to modernise and reshape the County Indoor Association often against condemnation and disparagement from the diehards of the sport dismissive of any change. Harry has been and will continue to be a great ambassador for the sport and Sussex County Indoor Bowls Association along with all its Members both recognises and salutes the part he has played in sustaining bowls both indoor and out in Sussex.

The Sussex County IBA Martlet Special Recognition Award pays tribute to one of their very own, a faithful servant of distinction to Sussex bowls who quite simply stands head and shoulders above his peers in light of his prodigious contribution to our sport. Harry Payne is a most worthy holder of this special accolade and shall forever be held in our highest esteem.

Tony Phillips
Hon. Secretary
Sussex County Indoor Bowls Association

Martyn Naylor
President
26th March, 2017