



PREVIOUS WINNERS AND RUNNERS UP 1953 – 2025

Year	Country	Champion Conventional	Runner up Conventional	Champion Reversible	Runner up Reversible
2025	Prague Czech Republic	James Witty England	Stefan Steiner Austria	Marco Angst Switzerland	Jer Coakley Rep. of Ireland
2024	Tartu Estonia	Eamonn Tracy Rep. of Ireland	Andrew B. Mitchell Snr. Scotland	Jer Coakley Rep. of Ireland	Søren Korsgaard Denmark
2023	Kuldiga, Latvia	Eamonn Tracey Rep. of Ireland	Martin Lindberg Velling Denmark	John Whelan Rep. of Ireland	Marco Angst Switzerland
2022	Ratheniska, Co. Laois Republic of Ireland	Eamonn Tracey Rep. of Ireland	Thomas Debes, France	John Whelan Rep. of Ireland	David Wright, Northern Ireland
2019	Lake of the Woods, Minnesota, USA	Andrew B. Mitchell, Snr., Scotland	Eamonn Tracey, Ireland	Marco Angst, Switzerland	John Whelan, Ireland
2018	Hofgut Einsiedel, Germany	Eamonn Tracey, Ireland	Thomas Debes, France	Thomas Cochrane, Northern Ireland	John Whelan, Ireland
2017	Nakuru, Kenya	Gene Gruber, USA	Eamonn Tracey Republic of Ireland	John Whelan Republic of Ireland	Bob Mehrstens New Zealand

2016	York, England	Andrew B. Mitchell (Jnr) Scotland	Eamonn Tracey, Republic of Ireland	Andrew Mitchell (Snr), Scotland	Thomas Cochrane, Northern Ireland
2015	Vestbo, Denmark	Eamonn Tracey, Ireland	Andrew B. Mitchell (Jnr) Scotland	Andrew Mitchell (Snr.), Scotland	John Whelan, Ireland
2014	Saint Jean D'Illac - Bordeaux France	Eamonn Tracey, Ireland	Andrew B Mitchell (Jnr) , Scotland	Andrew Mitchell (Snr), Scotland	Beat Sprenger, Switzerland
2013	Canada	Barbara Klaus, Austria	Fabien Landre, France	John Whelan, Republic of Ireland	Margareta Heigl, Austria
2012	Croatia	Andrew Mitchell Jnr, Scotland	Eamonn Tracey, Republic of Ireland	Yves Thievon, France	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland
2011	Lindevad, Sweden	Christian Lanz, Austria	Bengt Andersson, Sweden	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland	David Wright, Northern Ireland
2010	Methven, New Zealand	Bruce Redmond, New Zealand	Andrew Mitchell Jr, Scotland	Fabien Landré, France	Thomas Cochrane, Northern Ireland
2009	Moravske Toplice, Slovenia	Werner Eder, Austria	John Tracey, Rep. of Ireland	Roel Cuyvers, Belgium	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland
2008	Grafenegg, Austria	Samual Gill, Northern Ireland	Bernhard Altmann, Austria	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland	Yves Thievon, France
2007	Kaunas, Lithuania	David Gill, Northern Ireland	Andrew Mitchell Jr, Scotland	Simon Witty, England	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland
2006	Tullow, Co. Carlow, Republic of Ireland	Andrew B. Mitchell jnr, Scotland	Peter Lanz, Austria	Simon Witty, England	Fabien Landré, France

2005	Prague, Czech Republic	Bernard Altmann, Austria	John Tracey, Rep. of Ireland	Simon Witty, England	Ove Gedsø, Denmark
2004	Limavady, Northern Ireland	Peter Lanz, Austria	Evan Watkin, Wales	Simon Witty, England	Thomas Cochrane, Northern Ireland
2003	Guelph, Ontario, Canada	David Wright, Northern Ireland	Evan Watkin, Wales	James Witty, England	Kris 't Seyen, Belgium
2002	Bellechasse, Switzerland	Martin Kirnstedter, Austria	John Tracey, Rep. of Ireland	Anders Göransson-Frick, Sweden	William Morrison, Scotland
2001	Eskjaer, Skive, Denmark	Henry Thegen, Denmark	Harald Gadermayr, Austria	Freddy Bohr, France	Kris 't Seyen, Belgium
2000	Lincoln, England	Henry Thegen, Denmark	Andrew L. Morrison, Scotland	John Hill, England	Peter Ulrich, Switzerland
1999	Pomacle, France	Martin Kehoe, Republic of Ireland	Georg Menitz, Austria	Christoph Hess, Switzerland	John Hill, England
1998	Altheim, Germany	Bernhard Altmann, Austria	David Wright, Northern Ireland	Graeme Witty, England	Willi Zollinger, Switzerland
1997	Geelong, Australia	Thomas Cochrane, Northern Ireland	Roger Jordan, New Zealand	Andrew Mitchell Snr, Scotland	John Hill, England
1996	Oak Park, Carlow, Republic of Ireland	Jens Iversen, Denmark	Desmond Wright, Northern Ireland	David Carnegie, Scotland	Peter Waters, England
1995	Egerton, Njoro, Kenya	Martin Kehoe, Republic of Ireland	Ole L. Pedersen, Denmark	Willi Zollinger, Switzerland	Odd Braut, Norway
1994	Outram, Dunedin, New Zealand	Martin Kehoe, Republic of Ireland	Matti Tanila, Finland	Hans Frei, Switzerland	Willi Zollinger, Switzerland

1993	Vastraby Gard, Helsingborg, Sweden	Helga Wielander, Austria	Josef Gademayer, Austria	John Hill, England	Willi Zollinger, Switzerland
1992	Albacete, Spain	Graeme Witty, England	Dorinus Schoonen, Netherlands	John Hill, England	Willi Zollinger, Switzerland
1991	Limavady, Northern Ireland	Ulrik Olsson, Sweden	Bengt Andersson, Sweden		
1990	Zeewolde, Netherlands	Graeme Witty, Great Britain	John Hill, Great Britain		
1989	Kleppe, Norway	Daniel Herleer, Belgium	Graeme Witty, Great Britain		
1988	Amana, Iowa, U.S.A.	Graeme Witty, Great Britain	Helge Nielsen, Denmark		
1987	Marchfield, Austria	Karl Altmann, Austria	John Hill, Great Britain		
1986	Olds, Alberta, Canada	Desmond Wright, Northern Ireland	Kees Breure, Netherlands		
1985	Sdr. Naeraa, Funen, Denmark	Niels Balle, Denmark	Desmond Wright, Northern Ireland		
1984	Horncastle, Lincolnshire, Great Britain	Desmond Wright, Northern Ireland	Bjarne M. Nielsen, Denmark		
1983	Harare, Zimbabwe	Hermann Altmann, Austria	Bjarne M. Nielsen, Denmark		
1982	Tasmania, Australia	Ian Miller, New Zealand	Elvery Hunt, New Zealand		

1981	Wexford, Republic Of Ireland	Alan J. Wallace, New Zealand	Sievert Jansson, Sweden
1980	Christchurch, New Zealand	Vivian E. Samuel, Great Britain	John Tracey, Republic of Ireland
1979	Limavady, Northern Ireland	Robert Wieser, Austria	Josef Liszt, Austria
1978	Wickstandt, near Friedberg, Germany	Karl Olov Hedstad, Sweden	Vivian E. Samuel, Great Britain
1977	Flevohof, Biddinghuizen, Netherlands	Franz Rainer, Austria	Paavo Tommiska, Finland
1976	Bjertorp, Vara, Sweden	Hermann Altmann, Austria	Alfred Eder, Austria
1975	Oshawa, Ontario, Canada	Gunnar Herleth, Norway	Ruud Hermus, Netherlands
1974	Helsinki, Finland	Carl-Johan Holmstrom, Finland	John Tracey, Republic of Ireland / Carl Timbers, Canada
1973	Wexford, Republic of Ireland	Paavo Tuominen, Finland	John Tracey, Republic of Ireland
1972	Mankato, Minnesota, U.S.A.	Willi Flatnitzer, Austria	Mads Bakken, Norway
1971	Tauton, Somerset, England	Peter Oveergaard, Denmark	Alan Wallace, New Zealand
1970	Horsens, Denmark	Leif Jac. Huser, Norway	James Murphy, Republic of Ireland

1969	Belgrade, Yugoslavia	Flemming Thyssen, Denmark	Peter Anderson, Australia
1968	Salisbury, Rhodesia	Marinus Schoonen, Netherlands	Adolf Preuss, Germany
1967	Christchurch, New Zealand	Gunnar Johansson, Sweden / Paavo Tuominen, Finland	Jens Kristensen, Denmark
1966	No world Contest		
1965	Ringerike, Norway	Eero Raulaianen, Finland	Fritz Krieglmeier, Germany
1964	Fuchsenbigl, Near Vienna, Austria	Charles Keegan, Republic of Ireland	Eero Aalto, Finland
1963	Caledon, Ontario, Canada	Yngve Mansson, Sweden	Eero Raulaianen, Finland
1962	Dronten, Netherlands	Hans O. Sylling, Norway	Eero Aalto, Finland
1961	Grignon, Paris, France	William Dixon, Canada	Alan Magson, New Zealand
1960	Tor Mancina, Roma, Italy	John A. Gwillian, Great Britain	Arne Braut, Norway
1959	Armoy, Antrim, Northern Ireland	W. Lawrence McMillan, Northern Ireland	Charles Bonney, Canada
1958	Hohenheim, Stuttgart, Germany	T. Leslie Goodwin, Great Britain	W. Lawrence McMillan, Northern Ireland
1957	Peebles, Ohio, U.S.A.	William de Lint, Netherlands	John Mason, Great Britain

1956	Shillingford, Oxford, England	Hugh B. Barr, Northern Ireland	Arne Braut, Norway
1955	Uppsala, Sweden	Hugh B. Barr, Northern Ireland	Ivan McLaughlin, Canada
1954	Killarney, Republic of Ireland	Hugh B. Barr, Northern Ireland	Leslie Dixon, Great Britain
1953	Cobourg, Ontario, Canada	James Eccles, Canada	Odd Braut, Norway