

THE 2021 INTER-LIVERY REAL TENNIS COMPETITION

Congratulations to Court Assistant Mr Richard Moore, the Honorary Treasurer, and his son, Liveryman Francis Moore who won the inter-livery Real Tennis competition at Queen's on 2 November 2021. Richard writes:

Francis and I represented the Shipwrights in the real tennis competition which was held on 2 November 2021 and I forward a short report.

This is the first time a Shipwrights team has entered. The competition is in its fourth year and was well supported with 24 pairs from 22 livery companies represented and played at Queen's.

There were two trophies, the Skinners' Leopards trophy which was the main trophy which was competed for by the best four teams by handicap and the PSigma Cup for the remaining teams.

I am pleased to report that the Shipwrights are now the holders of the Skinner's Leopard Trophy and so reigning inter livery real tennis champions.

It was very tense as the main trophy was decided on a group basis with each team playing three matches. At the end it went to count back with three teams winning the same number of games and then two teams with the same games difference and then to head to head where we came through finally.

At the moment the trophy is with Francis however please let me know if you would like it displayed in the office. We have to give it back at the end of the year but the Shipwrights will be engraved on it.

Best wishes

Richard



Companies Competing	
Mercers	Saddlers
Grocers	Carpenters
Drapers	Weavers
Fishmongers	Fruiterers
Goldsmiths	Apothecaries
Skinners	Shipwrights
Vintners	Wheelwrights
Brewers	Makers of Playing Cards
Leathersellers	Farmers
Barbers	Chartered Accountants
Tallow Chandlers	International Bankers
Butchers	

Previous Winners			
	SKINNERS' LEOPARDS		PSIGMA CUP
2017	Accountants / Solicitors		Distillers / Glovers
2018	Drapers		Goldsmiths
2019	Skinners		Vintners

