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The SCCA grading list has been published during the first quarter of each calendar year, then supplemented by updates from the ICCF rating system every March and September. The 2008 list was the last to calculate SCCA grades. From 2009, all grades are calculated on the ICCF system, and SCCA domestic events are administered on the ICCF webserver to allow results to be automatically fed into the ICCF system. From 2009, the ICCF grading list has been published quarterly.



Grading List 2018

January 2018 Notes

The first ICCF grading list of 2018 is published and new grades are based on 3 months' results reported between 1 September and 30 November 2017. The grades will apply to internationally graded games starting between 1 January and 31 March 2018.

Two additions were recorded in this list – Neil McEwan and Alan Sedstrem. Six players were removed due to inactivity – Jim Cairney, Tom Craig, Phil Giulian, Doug Harvey, Ian Jamieson and J Thornton. Mickey Blake climbed into the 2300+ grading band – congratulations!

Five new games centurions were recorded – Raymond Burrige reached 1200+; Iain Mackintosh passed the 700 mark; Gordon Anderson and Arthur Knox notched up 300+ and Alan Armstrong is now at 200+. Highest recorded games during this quarter were Eoin Campbell (50), Andrew Macmillan (45) and David Cumming (30).

General Notes

You need to complete 12 ICCF-eligible games to obtain a provisional rating (* below). Provisional ratings apply until 30 games have been processed. Note that correspondence grades are often substantially higher than over-the-board grades. Please get in touch with me at: [grader](#) if you have any queries.

Titled Players

Grandmaster 3xGM

Bryson, D M (1986); Kilgour, D A (1996); Muir, A J (1995).

Senior International Master 5xSIM

Beecham, C R (2009); Craig, T J (2001); Finnie, D S (2002); Giulian, P M (1999); McNab, Dr C A (1999).

International Master 10xIM

Borwell, A P (1993); Livie, G W G (2003); McAlpine, K B (1990); Mackintosh, I (2008); Matheis, T (2010); Pyrich, G D (1995); Sprott, G R (2001); Thomson, T (1999); Watson J (1999); Wickens, T S (1988).

SCCA Master 34xSM

Aird, I (2002); Anderson, G M (2012); Baxter, R W M (1998); Bell, A D (2012); Bennett, P G (2014); Brown, Dr A C (2003); Cumming, D R (2013); Gillam, S R (1997); Graham, S (2011); Lennox, C J (2001); Lloyd, G (2011); Milligan, B (2002); Morrison, G (1987); Neil, D (2002); Norris, A J (1986); Stewart, D J (1998).

[Note that GM, SIM and IM title holders are also included as SCCA Masters]

Scottish Master Title

GM, SIM and IM titles are awarded by ICCF, and their qualifying conditions are explained on the [ICCF website](#) - follow the ICCF Titles links. The Scottish Master (SM) title is awarded by the SCCA, and its qualifying conditions are:

1. Attaining the ICCF GM, SIM or IM title.
2. Attaining 3 norms, without limit of time; one norm for each of the following:
 - o (SCCA or) ICCF grade of 2300 or above, provided this grade is based on at least 30 results in total, and on at least 20 new results since any previous norm has been awarded for grade.
 - o Outright winner of the SCCA Championship Final, or joint winner with at least 75% of total points. (Note that the SCCA Championship should be organised so that players play a minimum of 8 games for this condition to operate.)

- o IM norm.
 - o 50% or more of the points in an ICCF World Semi-Final, or 60% or more of the points in an ICCF World Preliminary.
 - o Winner of an ICCF World or European Master Class.
3. Players must be members of the SCCA and have indicated that the SCCA is their primary CC body when norms are achieved, and the award of the title is subject to ratification by the SCCA Executive Committee.

Highest Scottish ICCF Grades

2500+

2400+

2468 Beecham, C R (SIM); 2456 Matheis, T (IM); 2437 Murden, C (IM); 2405 Bell, A D (SM).

2300+

2386 Mackintosh, I (IM); 2357 Cumming, D R (SM); 2343 Paine, Dr K A; 2342 Bennett, P G (SM); 2330 Anderson, G M (SM); 2315 Blake, M J.

2200+

2297 Watson, J (IM); 2271 Montgomery, R S; 2265 Kilgour, D A (GM); 2255 Borwell, A P (IM); 2241 Gillam, S R (SM); 2226 Lloyd, G (SM).

2100+

2170 Dawson Prof A G; 2170 Stewart, A G; 2163 Beveridge, C; 2141 Pyrich, G D (IM); 2132 Almarza-Mato, C; 2111 Campbell, E S.

Main Grading List

<i>A</i>							
<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
318	Almarza Mato, C				1379	2132	
518	Anderson, G M (SM)				300	2330	
121	Anderson, J				279	1854	
049	Armstrong, A				205	1890	
313	Armstrong, J McK				370	1484	

<i>B</i>							
<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
511	Beecham, C R (SIM)				428	2468	
599	Bell, A D (SM)				223	2405	
501	Bennett, P G (SM)				397	2342	
	Beveridge, C				322	2163	
509	Borwell, A P (IM)				1048	2255	
424	Burridge, R J				1200	2077	

<i>C</i>							
<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
601	Campbell, E S				690	2111	
038	Campbell, I S				293	1862	
	Clark, S L				195	2008	
364	Coope, D W				833	1784	
247	Cormack, W H				107	1894	
166	Cumming, D R (SM)				1293	2357	

<i>D</i>							
<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
422	Dawson, Prof A G				125	2170	
572	Dempster, D				805	1767	
	Dunn, J				275	1522	
	Dyer, M				107	2073	

<i>E</i>							
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371	Edney, D				237	1996	

F

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G

<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
466	Gilbert, R				156	1760	
086	Gillam, S R (SM)				145	2241	
124	Goodwin, B J				345	1801	
399	Grant, J				57	1695	

H

<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
596	Hardwick, M E				945	1168	
1013	Hilton, S H				179	1594	

J

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K

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548	Kilgour, D A (GM)				337	2265	
260	Knox, A				301	1286	

L

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264	Lloyd, G (SM)				831	2226	

Mac-Mc

<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
471	Macgilchrist, Mrs S				52	2095	
584	MacGregor, C A				411	1908	
412	McKinstry, J				94	1481	
532	Mackintosh, I (IM)				704	2386	
216	MacMillen, A N				1159	1468	

M

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566	Marshall, I H				642	1909	
434	Matheis, T (IM)				227	2456	
401	Moir, P J				192	1582	
598	Montgomery, R S				281	2271	
474	Murden, C (IM)				515	2437	
564	Murray, J S				61	2003	

N

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440	Neil, C				280	1342	

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429	O'Neill-McAleenan, C				162	1981	

P

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444	Paine, Dr K A				193	2343	
	Petrie, A				105	1511	
432	Price, D				362	2005	
048	Pyrich, G D (IM)				1029	2141	

R

<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
	Ross, D W				38	1886	

S

<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
439	Smith, M J				69	2067	
	Stewart, A G				36	2170	
546	Stewart, Dr K W C				178	2099	

T

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1120	Taylor, W				84	2036	
452	Toye, D T				77	1582	

V

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<i>Member</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>SCCA Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>	<i>Results</i>	<i>ICCF Grade</i>	<i>Prov</i>
530	Watson, J (IM)				153	2297	

Y

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