



Southport & Formby Quiz League

A member of the Merseyside Quiz Leagues

NEWSLETTER

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Handicap League 2025

	P	W	D	L	Pts
Aardvark Zetland (10)	7	5	1	1	11
Formby Sports (4)	7	5	0	2	10
Wings (1)	7	5	0	2	10
Fishermen's Rest (6)	7	4	1	2	9
MPs (15)	7	4	1	2	9
E Street Band (10)	7	4	0	3	8
Quads (13)	7	4	0	3	8
Casablanca (0)	7	4	0	3	8
Cavallette (13)	7	3	1	3	7
Exams (19)	7	3	0	4	6
Mixed Blues (14)	7	2	1	4	5
ExPats (23)	7	2	0	5	4
Southport Grasshopper (13)	7	1	0	6	2
Grapes of Wrath (11)	7	0	1	6	1

In the final round of matches, Aardvark Zetland did not slip their one point advantage over their four nearest rivals. With a comfortable 14 point victory over Southport Grasshopper, they and finished top of the league with just one loss and one draw. Points difference separated the next two places—Formby Sports were runners-up on points difference.

MQL competitions

The S&F **President's Trophy** team finished mid-table in third but did manage to inflict defeat on the holders (Liverpool) and 2024-2025 winners (Ormskirk)

MQL Challenge Cup Quarter-Finals

Wings beat Bishop Eton (Liverpool) to reach the semi-final. They will play Ringers of Warrington on Wednesday 12th March. A depleted E Street Band lost their quarter-final.

Trophies

Any team in currently in possession of a trophy should make arrangements to return to Dag Griffiths before the end of March.

Handicap Cup starts on 24th/25th March—see draw on: <http://www.sfquiz.org.uk/handicap.html>

Eddie Conway Final/ MIMIR Heats 2025

The Southport & Formby heats of the MQL individual Eddie Conway/MIMIR heats competition took place on Wednesday 19th February at Formby Cricket Club. There were 13 participants, Dag Griffiths (Wings) won the competition for an eleventh time, pipping Alastair Gillespie (Formby Sports) by a single point in the final, Geoff Hedley (E Street Band) and Bill Thomas (Casablanca) completed the final line-up. Thanks to Ann and Dan Evans, Owen Lea-Porter and Barbara Farbon for running the evening.

The four finalists together with the next best two semi-finalists Jack Gardner (Grapes of Wrath) and Tom Farley (Wings) qualified for the Merseyside heats on Wednesday 19th March at 8pm at the New Brighton Cricket Club.

AGM

This will be held on **Thursday 24th April** on Zoom with an 8.00 pm start.

All the current officers and committee members are prepared to continue. Each team should ensure the attendance of at least one representative at the AGM.

Registration forms for the 2025/2026 season will be issued prior to the meeting. (Completed forms and remittance must be received by the General Secretary by the 31st May 2025).

Agendas and minutes will be sent to team secretaries before the AGM.

Nominations for Office/Committee can be made in advance or at the meeting. Motions, proposed and seconded by two different teams, should be received by the General Secretary by the 10th April.

CHARITY NOMINATIONS for 2025-2026 should also be received by 10th April