



Jill Smith wins top Community Award!

By Lanarkshire Badminton

After a jam packed year of activity in club, community & schools, the efforts and commitment of Lanarkshire's Jill Smith of BASE and our Group Convenor were recognised as Jill received Community Coach of the Year Award at the 2022 Badminton Scotland Awards.

The newly launched awards took place during the European Mixed Team Championship Qualifiers at the National Badminton Academy at Scotstoun in Glasgow. They were introduced to give recognition and praise to those who go above and beyond within the Scottish badminton community.

Jill's work within the Lanarkshire badminton scene proved that she was a worthy recipient of the award. Her work as a coach with BASE has included expanding the network of junior club opportunities with regular sessions taking place across 4 sites: Rutherglen, East Kilbride, Lanark and Wishaw. Further to this Jill in the past season 2021/22 delivered badminton to more than 60 primary schools providing a pathway for children to progress from playing badminton in their school into local community club sessions.

A huge well done to Jill on receiving this award!

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