

NEW YEAR HONOURS 2017 – HIGH AWARDS

COMPANION OF HONOUR (CH)

Sir Roger Gilbert Bannister CBE

Sir Roger, athlete, physician, academic, was the first man to run a mile in under four minutes in 1954, the same year becoming champion in the Commonwealth and European Games. He achieved this while training as a junior doctor. He became a distinguished neurologist, making a significant contribution to the field of autonomic failure and was given the first Lifetime Award of the American Academy of Neurology. He was the first Chair of the Sports Council and oversaw a rapid increase in funding for local sports centres. He initiated the first testing for the use of anabolic steroids. In 1985 he was appointed Master of Pembroke College, Oxford.

Sir Richard Charles Hastings Eyre CBE

Sir Richard is an acclaimed theatre, film and opera director. His decade-long tenure at the National Theatre resulted in repeated awards, and he has since directed many productions in the West End and on Broadway. He has directed operas for the Metropolitan Opera in New York and the Royal Opera House in London, and has published four books. He was the first President of Rose Bruford College, is a Patron of the Alzheimer's Research Trust, has served on the BBC Board of Governors and is Chairman of the National Theatre Foundation. His awards include six Oliviers, three Evening Standard Awards, a BAFTA and the Prix Italia.

Dame Evelyn Elizabeth Ann Glennie DBE

Dame Evelyn is the world's premiere solo percussionist. Profoundly deaf since the age of 12, she has widened audiences' understanding of what music is and shown that listening is only partly to do with our ears. Her performances receive repeated acclaim from the public, colleagues and critics alike. Her media credits include several award-winning films. She has lobbied hard for funding for music education and was the public face of the Aberdeen Art Gallery fund-raising campaign. In 2015 she was awarded the prestigious Polar Music Prize, an international award celebrating the power and importance of music.

Sir Alec John Jeffreys

Sir Alec, Emeritus Professor at Leicester University, has delivered outstanding insights into human genetic variability and translated these findings into genetic profiling technologies that have had profound impact across the criminal justice system and society as a whole. He developed the concept of DNA fingerprinting and became the founding father of genetic profiling. He also uncovered the way DNA is affected by environmental impacts such as those experienced during the Chernobyl disaster, with broad-ranging health implications. He has won the Royal Society's Royal Medal for distinguished contributions to the applied sciences and the Copley Medal for outstanding achievements in science.

The Right Honourable Baroness (Helen) Mary Warnock DBE

Baroness Warnock, former Mistress of Girton College, Cambridge, has had a long and distinguished academic career as an educationalist, philosopher and ethicist. She chaired the Warnock Committee, an enquiry to look at the educational needs of children with learning difficulties and disabilities, which led to the 1981 Education Act and laid the foundations for the introduction of Statements of Special Educational Needs. The resulting transformation of the special educational system has had a significant impact on the lives of children and their families, ensuring that many children with special needs have been educated in mainstream schools alongside their peer group. She is President of the Governing Council of the Active Training and Education Trust.

The Right Honourable Baroness Shirley Vivian Teresa Brittain Williams

Baroness Williams has been a leading figure in British political life for over fifty years. She served as an MP in three different constituencies following boundary changes, over two decades, co-founded the Social Democratic Party and was the Party's first MP to be elected to the Commons. As Labour Education Secretary she introduced the Comprehensive School system and also served as Paymaster General. She later balanced her role as President of the SDP and then Leader of the Liberal Democrats in the Lords with academic pursuits, including as Professor at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. She helped write the constitutions of post-Gorbachev Russia, South Africa and Ukraine and was sole British representative of the International Commission on Nuclear Non-proliferation and Disarmament, a body jointly established by the Australian and Japanese Governments.

KNIGHT GRAND CROSS (GBE)

Sir Cyril Chantler

Sir Cyril, Emeritus Professor of Guy's, King's and St Thomas's Medical School, is one of the pre-eminent paediatric nephrologists of his generation, with a significant influence on the advancement in the care of children with renal disease. His academic work sits alongside his leadership in the governance of the health sector. At Guy's Hospital, he was the first Medical General Manager of a hospital in the UK. He was Pro-Vice Chancellor of the University of London and chaired both the General Medical Council's Standards Committee and the King's Fund. He led the independent review of the evidence on standardised packaging of tobacco which has now been implemented in practice.

KNIGHTS COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BATH (KCB)

David Richard Beamish

David Beamish has given long service to Parliament. As Clerk of Committees, he led a significant increase in committee activity, enhancing the House's ability to scrutinise the work of Government. As Reading Clerk, he took the lead in establishing and embedding the office of Lord Speaker. Now, as Clerk of the Parliaments, he has overseen both a significant reduction in the costs of the Lords and the development of new rules governing the conduct of Members. He has overseen the development of outreach programmes, championed diversity and secured the House's status as a Living Wage employer. He is a member of the Southwark Diocesan Synod and secretary of the Dulwich Deanery Synod.

Mark Andrew Lowcock CB

Mark Lowcock, Permanent Secretary of the Department for International Development, previously headed the Department's offices in Central Africa and its European Union Department. As Director-General for Corporate Performance, he delivered a change programme of 40% productivity improvement and restructured CDC, formerly the Commonwealth Development Corporation. In subsequent roles, he has led efforts to raise money to help those affected by the war in Syria, helped ensure Sierra Leone remains free of Ebola and secured major reforms of the international rules for Official Development Assistance. He is Chair of Governors of a school which helps children with severe autism and is Lead Governor for a planned new Free School.

DAMES COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE (DBE)

Professor Elizabeth Nneka Anionwu CBE

Professor Anionwu, Emeritus Professor of Nursing, is a national nursing pioneer who is seen by women and those from an ethnic minority background as a role model and mentor. She ran the first UK nurse-led sickle/thalassaemia screening and genetic counselling service. She campaigned hard for the recognition of Mary Seacole, the Jamaican nurse who gave exemplary service during the Crimean War, raising funds needed to erect a statue in her honour and ensuring her inclusion in the school curriculum. She is a Patron of the Nigerian Nurses Charitable Association and of the Sickle Cell Society.

Vera Baird QC

Vera Baird, Northumbria Police and Crime Commissioner, has spent a lifetime ensuring that those who have suffered previously ignored forms of violence are supported and given a voice. Her legal expertise led to fundamental changes in case law around domestic homicide; her political and campaigning experience contributed to reforms to make the criminal justice process more victim-centred; and her charitable work has addressed challenging issues such as human trafficking. She served as MP for Redcar for a decade. As Solicitor-General, she launched the first CPS strategy to counter violence against women and girls and played a key role in shaping the Equality Act and guiding it through Parliament to its enactment in 2010. She chaired both the Fawcett Commission on Women and Criminal Justice and the Every Woman Safe Everywhere Commission. She is chair of Victims First Northumbria and a trustee of Respect.

Inga Kristine Beale

Inga Beale, Chief Executive Officer of Lloyd's of London, is modernising Lloyd's to enable it to compete in the global insurance market. She has opened offices in Dubai and Beijing, updated antiquated paper-based systems, and tackled the risks presented by cyber security. The first female CEO in over 300 years of the London insurance market, she has overcome gender barriers throughout her career and tops the FT annual powerlist of LGBT executives. She is also an external board member to the Government's Financial Services and Investment Board and helped start the international Insurance Supper Club for leading female executives to increase opportunities for women.

Professor Amanda Gay Fisher

Professor Fisher, Director of the MRC Clinical Sciences Centre at Imperial College, London, has made fundamental discoveries in the molecular biology of HIV, the genomic characterisation of stem cells and the study of epigenetic gene regulation. Her observations of the HIV-1 virus underpinned the complete molecular understanding of the HIV genome and were a basis for the subsequent development of antiretroviral drugs. She is a strong advocate and role model for women in science and has made a significant contribution to the public understanding of science and training and mentoring researchers.

Helen Jean Sutherland Fraser CBE

Helen Fraser, lately Chief Executive of the Girls' Day School Trust, refocused the organisation on its core aim to provide excellent education for girls in its 26 schools and academies. She doubled the number of girls receiving full bursaries, while the number of students receiving a partial bursary or scholarship has increased by half. She especially supported girls' take-up of STEM subjects. She is a leading spokesperson for women in the workplace, backing campaigns for women on company boards and lobbying for more women on exam syllabuses and school curricula. She is a sought-after mentor and has led by example through promoting other women onto her boards.

Dr. Katherine Jane Grainger CBE

Dr. Grainger is Britain's most decorated female Olympic athlete. She won a gold medal in the double sculls at London 2012 and a silver at Rio 2016, adding to her previous three silver medals from the previous three Olympics. She also has six world championship titles. She is Chancellor of Oxford Brookes University; a board member of International Inspiration, the British Olympics Athletes' Commission and London Youth Rowing; and honorary patron or vice-patron of a number of sporting and children's charities.

Jessica Ennis-Hill CBE

Jessica Ennis-Hill over a seven year period was the world's best all-round female athlete, winning Olympic heptathlon gold in London and silver in Rio; and was crowned world heptathlon champion three times in 2009, 2011 and 2015, the latter only one year after having her first child. She is a proud Yorkshire-woman and is patron to two local charities – the Sheffield Children's Hospital and the Weston Park Hospital Cancer Charity, as well as supporting Breast Cancer

Awareness charities. She retired after the Rio Olympics and is turning her attention to helping find ways to get the nation fitter and healthier through the creation of a series of inclusive mass participation events.

Professor (Henrietta Miriam) Ottoline Leyser CBE

Professor Leyser, Director of the Sainsbury Laboratory at the University of Cambridge, is an inspirational scientist who has made seminal contributions to plant biology with direct implications for agricultural crops. Among many other awards, she was given the 2016 Genetics Society Medal in recognition of her work which has maintained the UK's scientific leadership in this field. She was President of International Plant Molecular Biology and is a Foreign Associate of the US National Academy of Sciences. She has been a passionate advocate of career development for young researchers, especially women, and won the Royal Society's Rosalind Franklin Award in 2007 for her proposal on combining a research career and a family.

(Katherine) Patricia Routledge CBE

Patricia Routledge is a much-loved actress who is also a patron of many charities and a notable philanthropist. Her Charitable Trust, set up from her private income, has supported numerous charitable causes, including the Chichester Cathedral Restoration and Development Trust, the Cheltenham Festivals, the RNLI and Kids Kidney Research. She is an active patron of hospices in Chichester, Worcester and Merseyside and patron of Age UK Wirral (a charity which gives support to older people), and an ambassador for the Royal Voluntary Service.

Professor Caroline Leigh Watkins

Professor Watkins, Professor of Stroke and Older People's Care at the University of Central Lancashire, is the only nursing professor of stroke care in the UK. She heads a multi-disciplinary research team, whose work influences care of stroke patients, and led the development of a stroke-specific education framework. She has worked to influence the emergency care of stroke patients through a reduction in ambulance response times and the development of staff managing emergency calls. Her work has also addressed the psychological well-being of patients following stroke. She has both a highly altruistic approach and a strategic ability which maximises the engagement of others.

KNIGHT COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE (KBE)

The Right Reverend James Stuart Jones

Bishop James, lately Bishop of Liverpool, as Chair of the Hillsborough Independent Panel led what is widely recognised as the most successful inquiry of its type in recent times. His Report led to the quashing of the original inquests, fresh criminal investigations, and the largest ever investigation into the police. He developed a ground-breaking new forum for engaging bereaved families, making them part of the criminal investigation process while not prejudicing outcomes. He is also Chair of the Independent Panel investigating Gosport Memorial Hospital, led the Expert Panel on the future of forests in England, and served as Bishop for Prisons.

KNIGHTS BACHELOR

Professor Shankar Balasubramanian

Professor Balasubramanian, Herchel Smith Professor of Medicinal Chemistry at Cambridge University, was co-inventor of Next Generation DNA sequencing, the most transformational advance in biology and medicine for decades. Solexa sequencing, as it is now known, allows an individual genome to be sequenced in a day or two at a cost of less than £1000; previously, sequencing the human genome took years of work and cost billions. His work has spawned an entirely new discipline of Bioinformatics. More recently, he has made major contributions to understanding the role of DNA-quadruplexes in cancer and invented a method for the sequencing of epigenetic modifications.

Antony James Beevor

Antony Beevor is a military historian whose authoritative studies of the Second World War and the Spanish Civil War have reached a wide audience in the UK and been translated into more than thirty languages. His work has provided many useful case studies for the training of contemporary Commanders and their staffs and enriched the scholarship which underpins military doctrine, thereby enhancing the professional development of the Armed Forces.

David Behan CBE

David Behan, Chief Executive of the Care Quality Commission, is transforming the CQC from a troubled organisation into an effective and trusted regulator. He has led the development of a more in-depth and specialised model of inspection and embedded an open and transparent culture that learns from past failures. The new-style inspections are seen as credible and regarded by providers as adding value. Previously Director-General in the Department of Health, he had a major impact in progressing the reform of adult social care. He has also served as Director of Social Services in Greenwich, President of the Association of Directors of Social Services and Chief Inspector of the Commission for Social Care Inspection.

Professor Nicholas Andrew Black

Professor Black, Professor of Health Services Research at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, has created an academic environment that produces research evidence with an immediate impact on NHS services. His work has directly influenced how the NHS evaluates its performance and especially patient outcomes. He was the inaugural chair of the UK Health Services Research Network and pioneered research into the feasibility of the routine use of patient-reported outcome measures to assess healthcare quality. He was the founding chair of the National Advisory Group for Clinical Audit and Enquiries and is studying avoidable deaths in hospitals and the impact of care on the quality of life of people with dementia.

Julian William Hendy Brazier TD MP

Julian Brazier has served as Member of Parliament for Canterbury for nearly thirty years, including a period as a Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State in the Ministry of Defence. A former soldier, he has been a member of the Territorial Army for more than a decade, including in the SAS, and served twice on the Defence Select Committee. He organised a cross-party campaign which helped tackle the compensation culture that had started to spoil outdoor activity for young people. He has also led a number of successful local campaigns including in the health sector and championed Christian and children's issues in Parliament. He is President of Canterbury Sea Cadets.

John Park Campbell OBE

John Campbell established Glenrath Farms in the Scottish Borders in 1959. Since then it has become one of the world's largest producers of free range eggs, the world's largest free-range farm and the biggest Borders-based agricultural employer. He is the recipient of a Lifetime Achievement Award in recognition of the six decades he has devoted to the egg industry. He has also demonstrated his determination to put something back into Scottish agriculture, providing eight loans of £100,000 to new entrants to set up their own free-range enterprises.

David Anthony Crausby MP

David Crausby has been the Member of Parliament for Bolton North-East for nearly two decades. Previously, he served as a Councillor on Bury District Council for 13 years. In Parliament, he has been a member of half a dozen Select Committees, most notably acting as Vice-Chair of the HS2 Select Committee which sat for almost 100 days over 8 months, taking evidence from up to 40 petitioners a day. He is Senior Chair on the Speaker's Panel of Chairs and an elected member of both the Council of Europe and the NATO Assembly.

Raymond Douglas Davies CBE

Ray Davies was the lead singer and songwriter for The Kinks. Since their dissolution, he has followed a solo career as a singer-songwriter, winning the 2004 Mojo Songwriter Award. His songs include iconic hits such as *Waterloo Sunset*, *You Really Got Me* and *Sunny Afternoon*. His musical *Come Dancing* won the Mobius Award for Best Off-West End Production in 2009, and his musical *Sunny Afternoon* won four Olivier Awards. He gives his time to songwriting workshops, helping to give children from disadvantaged backgrounds the chance to express themselves and encouraging them to experience The Kinks' old studio.

Kenneth Arthur Dodd OBE

Ken Dodd has entertained the nation for over 60 years, with a unique brand of humour that resulted in record-breaking seasons at the London Palladium and a particular impact in Liverpool. In his late-eighties, his Happiness Shows remain a sell-out. He is involved with over 40 charities, including his own charitable trust; as patron of the Canal Boat Adventure Project for nearly 40 years; and as a long-standing promoter of the Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation and the Clatterbridge Cancer Research Trust. Despite his busy schedule, he still devotes a lot of his time to unpaid charity work.

Mohammed Muktar Jama Farah CBE

Mo Farah is Britain's most successful Olympic track and field athlete. At the Rio Games he successfully defended both his 5,000m and his 10,000m Olympic titles, which, following his two gold medals at London 2012, he is only the second man ever to do. He is now a nine-time global champion, who has broken the European 1,500m record, a feat which means that he is the only athlete in history to run a sub 3:30 1,500m, a sub 13-minute 5,000m and a sub 27-minute 10,000m. He is the founder of the Mo Farah Foundation that worked to help people in eastern Africa and upcoming British athletes and now works closely with a number of UK and international charitable organisations.

Professor Barry William Ife CBE

Professor Ife, Principal of the Guildhall School of Music and Drama, has transformed that institution, building strategic partnerships with the London Symphony Orchestra and the Royal Opera House and overseeing the building of the new Milton Court Concert Hall. He has expanded scholarships from almost a

standing start to coverage of nearly half of the student cadre. His support for outreach has been considerable. The School is now the largest provider of music education for the under-18s and continues to grow through the establishment of Saturday music schools across the country. He is also a generous philanthropist to the arts.

Bryn Terfel Jones CBE

Bryn Terfel is an internationally-acclaimed bass-baritone who is a frequent visitor to all the major opera companies and concert halls in the world. His recordings have won two Grammys and four Classical Brit awards and in 2006 he was the recipient of The Queen's Medal for Music. Through the Bryn Terfel Foundation he has provided financial support to young artists who have displayed talent, outstanding focus, drive and initiative. He is President of the Welsh homelessness charity Shelter Cymru and patron of Bobath Children's Therapy Centre Wales, which provides specialist therapy to children with cerebral palsy. He works tirelessly for the Welsh Air Ambulance Service.

Professor John Vincent McCanny CBE

Professor McCanny is an international authority on silicon chip architectures for Digital Signal Processing and Digital Security, who led the initiative to create the Centre for Secure Information Technology, the UK's Innovation and Knowledge Centre in Cybersecurity. He also developed the vision to create the Northern Ireland Science Park, which transformed a brownfield site into a science and technology hub where over 2,500 people are now employed. He has founded two high technology companies based on the work of his research teams and has served on numerous committees of the Royal Society, the Royal Academy of Engineering and the Royal Irish Academy.

Donald McCullin CBE

Donald McCullin is internationally recognised as the finest photo-journalist of his generation. He has borne witness to the lasting impact of war in all its forms throughout a career that began six decades ago, documenting the unique characteristics of each conflict as well as the human suffering that is common to all. His work has raised international awareness of the causes and lasting consequences of conflict. He is a vocal advocate for peace and raising awareness of human suffering both at home and abroad. Even at 80, he visited Syria and Iraq in 2015. His work is held in the permanent collections of the Tate, the V&A and the National Media Museum.

Andrew Barron Murray OBE

Andy Murray is the first British man to win two Wimbledon singles titles in over 80 years. He is also the only man to win two Olympic gold medals in singles tennis. The winner of three Grand Slam titles, he also led the British team to its first Davis Cup victory in almost 80 years. His 44 singles titles make him the UK's most successful tennis player of the Open era. He helped launch the charity Malaria No More and serves on its UK Leadership Council. He is also an ambassador for UNICEF, WWF and United for Wildlife.

David Charles Ord

David Ord has transformed Avonmouth and Royal Portbury Dock over the last two decades, tripling the tonnage that it handles and creating jobs for over 500 employees. He served as a member of Bristol University's Council for nearly a decade and has a wide range of philanthropic interests across the UK. He is a member of the Advisory Council for the Open Europe think tank. He has also given significant voluntary service to the Conservative Party, as a member of the National Committee of Treasurers, a Trustee of the Conservative Party Archive and a Director of the Conservative Foundation.

David Lee Pearson CBE

Lee Pearson is the most decorated para-equestrian of all time. The winner of eleven Paralympic gold medals, he has represented Britain at five Paralympic Games. He also has 14 World Championship and five European titles. He has achieved all this despite breaking his back in four places when he fell during training in 2011, recovering to win his tenth gold medal in the team dressage event at London 2012.

Ian Clifford Powell

Ian Powell, lately Chair and Senior Partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, has been a prominent promoter of the UK's professional and business services, not least through his personal involvement with the government-business partnership which has developed a collaborative strategy to support economic growth. A leading member of the Professional and Business Services Council, he provided PwC

leadership to the sector's Skills Taskforce. He established the PwC Foundation and was behind the firm's sponsorship of the 2014 Invictus Games. He is Chair of Police Now and also serves on the Development Committee of the National Gallery; and served on the Thought Leadership Group for the Prince's Initiative for Mature Enterprise.

Mark Rylance

Mark Rylance has worked in the theatre since 1980.

David Morgan Sloman

David Sloman, Chief Executive of the Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust, has an outstanding 30-year record as an NHS Chief Executive. At the Royal Free since 2009, he has overseen some of the lowest mortality rates in the country while reducing unit costs to 6% lower than the national average. He has driven the reconfiguration of specialist services across north London, contributed to the success of UCL Partners research group, and worked collaboratively across the local health economy to create a template for GP-to-hospital pathways for earlier diagnosis and treatment. He is providing support to a Trust in special measures and taken on additional leadership for a Sustainability and Transformation Plan.

Dr. (James Cuthbert) Jim Smith FRS

Dr. Smith, Director of Science at the Wellcome Trust and Senior Group Leader at the Francis Crick Institute, is a scientific leader who has transformed our understanding of embryonic development, giving insights into genetic defects in children and how stem cells develop into different tissues. He played a leading role in the development of the Francis Crick Institute from its early beginnings to its establishment in 2015. Previously, as Director of the Gurdon Institute and then of the MRC National Institute for Medical Research, he provided leadership in UK science across a breadth of disciplines and helped nurture the next generation of outstanding scientists, taking particular care to promote the careers of women.

The Right Honourable Steven Webb

Steven Webb served as Member of Parliament for the constituency of Thornbury and Yate (formerly Northavon) for almost two decades. As Minister of State for Pensions for the duration of the Coalition Government, he led significant change to the pensions system, introducing the "triple-lock" pension guarantee and a new and

reformed state pension system, and implementing auto-enrolment into workplace pensions, a policy which has started millions of workers on the road to saving for their retirement. Previously Professor of Social Policy at Bath University specialising in poverty, taxes and benefits, his work has had national impact.