

**Name: Carolyn Hedley.**

Carolyn Hedley is a sustainability and environmental management specialist, with 21 years' experience. Following six years in civil engineering, Carolyn was the Environment and Sustainability Manager at Scottish Golf for 15 years. She is now working as a freelance consultant specialising in supporting Sports Governing Bodies, clubs and facilities, and sports events with strategies and solutions for climate resilience, resource efficiency, community engagement and sustainability partnerships. She was also a county and university hockey player in her youth!

Name: Emma Lambert

Emma Lambert is a student at Edinburgh University studying for an MSc in Sports Policy, Management, and International Development. Emma is currently a member of the Scottish Hockey Lead the Way programme, in which she played a role in producing a mental health case study, recently published to the Scottish Hockey website, which has helped bring awareness to this issue within hockey and clubs. Emma has been a keen hockey player and umpire for Edinburgh University over the last five years and has also gained her Level 1 Coaching and district umpiring qualification during this time.

Name: Emma Little

Following a BA in event management, Emma Little was appointed Uddingston Hockey Club Manager. Emma is responsible for overseeing the running and development of the full facility and club. Recently, Emma reactively implemented change as necessary to deal with the recent Covid crisis, whilst remaining focused on the needs of the coaches, captains and players. Emma has developed partnerships with local community groups to deliver sporting activities to those most in need, providing pitch facilities to external clubs alongside maintaining and enhancing the current facility.

Name: Graeme Shield

Graeme has been involved with hockey since the mid 80's; he's played for Stepps, Jersey Hockey Club and represented Jersey. Graeme currently plays for Falkirk & Linlithgow HC where he captains the men's development XI, and is a proactive committee member for the club and East District Youth Hockey.

He has over 30 years' experience in the finance sector, where he has held a number of strategic development and transformation changes roles within the RBS Group. This has included the head of digital position for RBS International where he developed corporate internet solutions and retail mobile banking apps. While he has also managed several branch transformation and legal entity change programmes in recent times.

Name: Jamie Carnegie



Jamie Carnegie is the Scottish Hockey Board representative on the Facilities Group. Jamie is the Director of Hockey at the University of St Andrews. He has helped St Andrews increase their youth coaching programme and their performance programme. Jamie has coached within our pathway in the Regional Performance Academy and was Scottish Hockey Coach of the Year in 2015. He is an active player for the university and previously represented Grove Menzieshill domestically and at both the EHL and indoor European competitions.

Name: Kevin Jackson-Barnes

Kevin is a business architect, business analysis leader & chartered banker who runs his company Better Analysis. They help businesses to address a range of challenges around planning and changing a company to be more efficient. He has mainly worked in investments & financial services, but also worked with London Underground on their facilities upgrade programme. In terms of hockey, Kevin has been the Head of Junior Hockey with Waverley Inveresk Trinity (WIT) for 12 years, he coaches at Trinity Academy in Edinburgh, coaches with East District boys and still plays for Inverleith in the East divisions.

Name: Lesley Wight

Lesley Wight is a super keen sports club advocate and a life-long player of hockey and other sports. Enthused that sports clubs have an important role in building communities that are great places in which to grow up and old, she has served as coach; treasurer; and secretary at various clubs. Lesley has hands-on experience of clubhouse and pitch development as treasurer of the Spencer Club, a large multi-sports club in SW London. Now Lesley helps coach U10s and 14s and serves as the youth fixtures secretary at Inverleith HC. She is a chartered accountant by training and works part time for Girlguiding Scotland.

Name: Josie Warburton

Josie has worked in the sport and fitness industry all her working life. She has worked in facility management at a number of venues. She is Operations Manager of a sport and fitness facility that offers indoor sports, gym/fitness classes and climbing to staff, students and the wider community. She oversees the facilities; manages and supports academic lectures, clubs and organisations with bookings; delivering events; building partnerships and encouraging people to become more active.

Josie worked as a volunteer at the London Olympics, Tour de France, World Triathlon Series, BUCS.



Josie has played hockey for many years and during this time has represented the North of England O40, O45, O50, England O45 and was selected for the Scotland O50s in 2019, but hasn't got her first cap yet due to COVID.

Name: Caitlin Watt

Caitlin is a Facilities Management graduate with a specific interest in sports facilities and events. She gained experience of venue management in Edinburgh's theatres, both in various front of house roles as well as through working as part of the management team behind the launch and running of a new 1500-capacity theatre complex. She has since joined the Events Team at **scottishathletics**, working on national athletics championship events at venues across Scotland and providing support to organisers of other athletics events. She is passionate about making sport more accessible, and promoting the provision of suitable sporting facilities across the country is a key part of this.

Name: Rhoda Howe

Rhoda moved to Scotland in 1999 having played school & club hockey in Co. Cork Ireland. In 2002 Rhoda helped form Troon HC.; a nomadic club due to a lack of facilities in the town. In 2008 she joined the local community sports group in Troon to improve facilities which saw the delivery of 2 artificial pitches – Hockey & Rugby/Football which opened in- 2014 – with funding supported by **sportscotland**. Rhoda is also a trustee of the Troon Sports Hub. While her son was in school in East Ayrshire she was appointed chair of facilities development. Seeing the inequality of the school outdoor sport facilities and bringing them up to the standards of other schools within the authority successful saw the building of the first (to date) artificial hockey pitch in EAC which opened in 2019. Rhoda is also President of Women's West District.