

## Scottish Bridge Union

## **European Youth Team Championships 2017 reports**

The European Youth Team Championships took place in July 2017 in Šamorín, Slovakia.

See the team "video postcard" at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Lv30KfU8mc&feature=youtu.be!

For the U26 Open Team Championship, the selectors decided to build on the experience gained in the Junior Camrose and selected the same team for the U26 Open Team Championship. Abi Wilson & Jun Nakamaru-Pinder, Gints Freimanis & Stewart Pinkerton, Liam O'Brien & Ronan Valentine, NPC: Liz McGowan.. This team ended 16th of 27 in a competition won by Sweden.



Scotland were represented in the Under-16 Series by Rebecca, Kristie, Chloe, and Millie, pictured with NPC Maureen Rennie. Rebecca is the youngest person to represent Scotland at a European event, but Ralph Wiseman retains the record for his Peggy Bayer appearance aged eleven. The young Scots found it heavy going and also finished 16th (but from a smaller field) and the event was won by Poland.

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