

Record of AGMs and officers of NACTSEW

May 1985 Inaugural Meeting in Gloucester – Chairman Andrew Gravells

Year of AGM	Venue	Chair	Vice-Chair	Secretary	Treasurer
1985 (Sept)	Canterbury	Andrew Gravells	Michael Bartram (York)	Tom Steele (Canterbury)	Lila Cooper (Norwich)
1986	Poole	Andrew Gravells	Michael Bartram	Gordon Williams (Gloucester)	Lila Cooper
1987	York	Andrew Gravells	Michael Bartram	Gordon Williams	Lila Cooper (Norwich)
1988	Carmarthen	Lila Cooper	Michael Bartram	Randolph Meech (Poole)	Agnes Dunbar (Carmarthen)
1989	Southampton	Lila Cooper	Randolph Meech	Alan Troughton (Gloucester)	Agnes Dunbar
1990	Oxford	Lila Cooper	Randolph Meech	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1991	Berwick	Lila Cooper	Randolph Meech	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1992	Norwich	Lila Cooper	Randolph Meech	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1993	Chester	Randolph Meech	John Reay (Berwick)	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1994	Lichfield	Randolph Meech	John Reay	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1995	Haverfordwest	Randolph Meech	John Reay	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1996	Lincoln	Randolph Meech	John Reay	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1997	Gloucester	Randolph Meech	John Reay	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
1998	Nottingham	Brian Marshall (Nottingham)	John Reay	John Ebo (Chester)	Agnes Dunbar
1999	Canterbury	Brian Marshall	John Reay	John Ebo	Agnes Dunbar
2000	Poole	Brian Marshall	John Reay	John Ebo	Agnes Dunbar

2001	York	Douglas Gomm (Canterbury)	Vacant	Alan Troughton	Agnes Dunbar
2002	Carmarthen	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg Haverford -west)	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2003	Southampton	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2004	Oxford	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2005	Berwick	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2006	Norwich	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2007	Haverford-west	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2008	Lichfield	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2009	Chester	Douglas Gomm	Don Twigg	John Reay	Agnes Dunbar
2010	Lincoln	Douglas Gomm	Patrick Vaughn (Lincoln)	Sylvia Briggs (Nottingham)	Agnes Dunbar
2011	Newcastle	Barrie Ferguson (York)	Don Twigg	Sylvia Briggs	Andy Swinburne (Berwick)
2012	Gloucester	Barrie Ferguson	Peter Barrett (Lichfield)	Sue Blakeley (Gloucester)	Andy Swinburne
2013	Nottingham	Barrie Ferguson	Peter Barrett	Sue Blakeley	Andy Swinburne

The founder of NACTSEW, Andrew Gravells, was declared Life President at the AGM in Carmarthen, in 1988.

Randolf Meech and Alan Troughton were declared Honorary Vice-Presidents for Life at the 1999 AGM in Canterbury. (No more than four Honorary Vice Presidents may hold office simultaneously.) Agnes Dunbar was elected Honorary Vice President for Life in 2006 in Norwich.

John Reay was elected as Honorary Vice-President for Life in Lincoln in 2010

Douglas Gomm was declared Honorary Vice President for Life in Gloucester in 2012

The constitution of the Association was changed in Newcastle in 2011 to limit the term of office of Chairman to one of three years.

Recalling the decisions of the Association...

The minutes of the AGMs record that the Association has been alert to any changes in the role of city or town Sheriff considered by local authorities, and to encourage those which considered reinstating the role. Since the inauguration of the Association, an invitation was issued to the Sheriffs in London, who have not joined, while Newcastle has done so, the office of Sheriff having been restored in 1997. Worcester and Bristol have allowed the office of Sheriff to lapse. In the case of Nottingham the Sheriff would attend the AGM as part of Civic Duties. In 2013 Hull reinstated the role of Sheriff, and the Association looks forward to welcoming the Sheriff in office at a future date.

The AGMs record decisions regarding subscriptions, the dress codes for different events during the Weekend Celebrations, classes of membership, the production of twice yearly newsletters for members, a website, issues regarding the financing of events, and the choice of a Hymn to be sung at the annual church service ("Ye who know the Lord is Gracious.") In addition, arrangements have been made for the production of ties and badges.