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Annual Conference & AGM





Welcome to STRATFORD-UPON-AVON



A Very Warm Welcome to Stratford-upon-Avon from Dave Webb, **Executive Director, Stratford-on-Avon District Council & Sarah** Summers, Town Clerk, Stratford-upon-Avon Town Council.

Stratford-on-Avon District Council welcomes delegates to the NABMA Annual Conference in Stratford-upon-Avon. The theme is something the District Council, in partnership with Stratford-upon-Avon Town Council, is continually promoting because we believe that the markets held in the town are an integral component of the local economy.

Both Councils are delighted that NABMA have again chosen to come to Stratford-upon-Avon and hope the Conference goes well and that delegates have the

opportunity to sample the many great things that

the town offers.



Dave Webb Executive Director Stratford-on-Avon District Council



Sarah Summers Town Clerk Stratford-upon-Avon Town Council



Our Conference Hotel

Crowne Plaza Stratford upon Avon is set amid landscaped gardens beside the River Avon, just 10 minutes off the M40 motorway. There is plentiful on-site parking and the town centre is a two-minute walk away. Stratford-upon-Avon railway station is a mile away, with frequent trains to London and Birmingham. The hotel has 259 modern rooms, a heated pool and a riverside terrace.

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A NABMA Welcome to CONFERENCE



How quickly the Annual Conference approaches. It hardly seems twelve months that we were here celebrating our last Annual Conference. I am delighted with the support we have again received and we are looking at approaching, and possibly surpassing, last year's record attendance figure. This is clear evidence of the continuing value of our Annual Conference and its important contribution to setting the markets agenda. This year we look at a number of different themes and we see how markets contribute to their delivery in various locations. We also take time to look at some of the topical issues that current confront the markets industry. Conference is a time for getting up to date and seeing what others are doing but it is also an important occasion to meet up with friends. We are providing a programme that I hope will satisfy everyone. At the start of Conference I will be standing down as President. It has been a privilege for me to serve in this capacity and I believe that NABMA continues to make a

vital contribution to the health and well-being of our markets industry. I know events like this do not happen without a lot of planning so I want to thank the NABMA Team for all their hard work and also our sponsors who enable to deliver such quality events.



Councillor Chris Rosling Josephs (Sheffield) NABMA President







NABMA Conference Reception Desk

Open – Hotel Foyer

Sunday 11.00 a.m. - 7.00 p.m.Monday 8.00 a.m. - 10.00 a.m.Tuesday 8.00 a.m. - 9.00 a.m.

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If this is your first time attending a NABMA Conference or you are attending by yourself then Steve Pickering (07730 075 946) and Chris New (07890 843 112) are available to assist in making sure the Conference experience is as good as it can be.



Sunday 16th September 2018

4.00 - 5.00pm NABMA AGM and Open Forum

(All NABMA members and sponsors are invited to attend.)

Hidcot Room

7.30pm Drinks Reception & launch of Market Place Exhibition

Meet your fellow delegates and NABMA sponsors, exhibitors and partners.

8.00pm A Stratford-Upon-Avon Welcome

Welcome Buffet and Entertainment with Steel Band (colourful clothing optional)

Monday 17th September 2018

All conference sessions will be held in the Grand Ball Room unless stated otherwise.

9.45am Welcome and Opening of Conference

A delegate welcome from NABMA President and the Mayor of Stratford upon Avon.

10.00am Markets Promoting Culture, Locality and Tourism

Our headline presentation is by Professor Steve Millington of Manchester Metropolitan University exploring the relationship between markets and our conference agenda. Where do markets sit in local and national policies and strategies around culture, tourism and locality?

10.40am Markets and Localism

As a renowned market authority, how are Barnsley Markets contributing to major health policies within the town, what is their influence and who are their partners?

Paul Clifford, Head of Economic Development, and Kaye Mann, Senior Health Improvement Officer, Barnsley Council

11.15am Coffee

11.45am Mission4Markets Survey 2018

We present results, headlines and updates from markets and individuals demonstrating the health or otherwise of the markets industry.

Colin Wolstenholme, Markets Manager, Bradford MDC and Chris Savage, Projects Manager, NMTF

12.15pm Markets Attracting Tourists

Norwich is a wonderful fusion of the modern and historic, one complementing the other. It has a flourishing arts, music and cultural scene with its market in the heart of the city. In terms of local tourism we examine how important the local market is within the local economy?

Kristina Fox, Norwich City Council

1.00pm Presentation of Diplomas in Market Administration

We celebrate the achievements of the 2018 students.

Steve Pickering, Professional Development Consultant, NABMA

1.15pm Lunch

2.15pm Markets and Professional Development

An interview with students that have achieved academic success in the NABMA DMA programme. Why study? What was the journey? What difference has it made personally and professionally? What are their views of the future of the markets industry?

Our Panel members are Karen Bates, Chester, Richard Gibbon, Doncaster, and Steph James , Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead.

2.45pm Salisbury- A Town in Recovery

Salisbury has suffered badly from the poison attack on two residents. We hear about the impact on the town and how the market is recovering.

Annie Childs, City Clerk, Salisbury City Council

PROGRAMME

3.15pm Markets and the Social Dimension

Leeds University are undertaking a major study on markets and looking at the importance and relevance of the social dimension.

MyfanwyTaylor and Sara Gonzalez of Leeds University

3.30pm Coffee and Marketplace Exhibition

4.00pm Workshops

An opportunity to informally discuss with colleagues:

- 1. Helping Declining Markets Nick Rhodes, Market Place
- 2. Benchmarking/Performance Debbie Johns, APSE
- 3. Leeds University Markets and Social Dimension Myfanwy Taylor and Sara Gonzalez, Leeds University

5.30pm Conference Close

7.30pm NABMA Gala Awards Drinks Reception

Kindly sponsored by Crowne Plaza Hotel, Stratford Upon Avon

8.00pm NABMA Gala Awards Dinner

With presentation of the Blachere Illumination UK Awards 2018; the Krys Zasada Award 2018, sponsored by Manchester City Council, for outstanding service to the Markets Industry and other awards.

Tuesday 18th September 2018

9.30am Markets Attracting Tourists

Fleetwood market in the North West is a popular attraction for tourists and we look at its appeal and the way it is adapting to modern requirements.

Julian Brent, Markets Manager, Wyre Borough Council

10.00am Young People and Markets

Our challenge is to build the next generation of markets shoppers and traders. We look at the work being done by NMTF with the national and regional youth markets and also the partnership work being undertaken by NABMA members with schools/colleges. Rachel Harban, Deputy Projects Manager, NMTF and Graham Wilson, Chief Executive, NABMA

10.30am Markets and Culture

Hull's designation as UK City of Culture in 2017 has been described as a "rip-roaring, life-enhancing success", with organisers vowing to build on its legacy. What part do markets play in this cultural celebration and what is the legacy?

Carl Lewis, Project Manager and Lucy Lines, Old Town Markets Leader, Hull City Council

11.00am Coffee and Marketplace Exhibition

11.30am Dealing with VAT

This is a major issue for markets and Ian Harris, VAT officer for Leicester Council and adviser to NABMA, will bring us up to date on the current situation and provide some pointers to the future.

Ian Harris, VAT & Taxation Advice Office, Leicester City Council

12.00pm Management Models

Last year NABMA published a major piece of research on how markets were looking at different management models. Twelve months on we look at what progress has been made and whether further lessons can be learned.

Andrew McCall, Managing Director, ROI Team Ltd

12.30pm Are Market Rights Still of Value?

Market Rights have often been referred to as the "crown jewels" of market law. We review their current relevance and status. Graham Wilson, Chief Executive, NABMA

1.00pm Conference Close and Lunch



Gala Awards Dinner

At our Gala Dinner we have the opportunity to celebrate the achievements of a number of people who have made significant contributions to local markets and the markets industry generally.

It also provides NABMA with the opportunity to express its appreciation to various people and organisations who have helped us to promote and support the markets industry on the national stage.

This occasion represents a very real highlight of our Conference and NABMA sends its sincere congratulations to the various recipients.

Graham Wilson OBE, Chief Executive



Blachere Illumination UK Ltd Market Awards 2018

NABMA is delighted to extend its thanks to Blachere for their kind sponsorship of our market awards. This year we have had some outstanding entries in all the various sections and such has been the overall quality that the judges have exercised a discretion and made an additional award.

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The NABMA Krys Zasada Outstanding Achievement Award 2018

This award, kindly sponsored by Manchester City Council in memory of Krys Zasada, is made annually to the person that NABMA believes has done much to promote the markets industry. This is the highest award that NABMA presents and is determined by the Presidency of the Association.

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Presentation of Honorary Life Membership Awards

The NABMA Conference also rewards recognition of service and support to NABMA and the markets industry.

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NABMA Appreciation Awards

We recognise those who have made a significant contribution to the work of NABMA.

The 2017 Award Winners





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For sponsorship of the Market Awards 2018 for Market Officer, Market Team, Market Innovation and Young Market Champion of the Year.



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- Networking opportunities through conferences and specialist seminars
- Free health checks for your markets
- Market legal advice
- Wholesale Forum with visits to markets to share good practice
- A Markets Manual with lots of up to date policies and procedures
- Access to the NABMA Market Place Consultancy Services for specialist advice and project planning and management
- NABMA training events on wide ranging subjects
- A range of membership services including template documents, website, member information request service and job advertising
- Our promotion of the Great British Market Awards and other Market Awards
- Buddy Scheme linking you with experienced market officers
- A wide range of publications about all aspects of the markets industry
- A toolkit of information and resources to help you set up a new market
- Whatever your market interest or aspiration be assured that NABMA will be able to assist, or sign post your enquiry to an appropriate source of help
- Promotion of LYLM the world's biggest markets event
- Benchmarking Template and Review of Market Management Arrangements

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We manage local authority contracts in various places and last year we hosted the launch of LYLM in Keswick.

Special Events Programme

Under our International Street Market brand, we have established an excellent track record in the development, organisation and operation of Event Markets within the United Kingdom.

For expert advice on your market initiatives from the market leaders, please contact our central office and a member of the team will be delighted to assist you.



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Forge Market



Special Events Programme



We are looking for nominations for the best of British Markets. Join with us and help promote and celebrate the excellent markets that can be found in our cities, towns and local communities. The categories are below.

■ BEST LARGE INDOOR MARKET

BEST SMALL INDOOR MARKET

■ BEST LARGE OUTDOOR MARKET

BEST SMALL OUTDOOR MARKET

■ BEST COMMUNITY/PARISH MARKET

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■ BEST SMALL SPECIALITY MARKET

BEST WHOLESALE MARKET

■ BEST FOOD MARKET

■ BEST MARKET ATTRACTION

A LARGE MARKET IS CONSIDERED TO HAVE 50+ STALLS, A SMALL MARKET IS CONSIDERED TO HAVE LESS THAN 50 STALLS

Tick a box. You can enter as many categories as you wish. Please use a separate form for each category of market that you enter. Entries can be submitted from 1st September until 30th November 2018.



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