

May Day Queens of Geddington

The May Day celebrations that we now see, was first organised by the school in 1949. The order of events has changed very little in the following years - a service in the church, a parade to the Eleanor Cross, the crowning of the Queen, ending with the Maypole dancing by the schoolchildren.

With the exception of 1955, we have found all the May Queens, but not all the May Queen's attendants or the 'Crowners'. If you can fill in the gaps, please let us know. Dates in **blue** mean that there are images of the May Queen of that year in the website archive. If you have a picture of any of the remaining May Queens, can we borrow it please? Or send us a jpg. image to editor@geddington.net. Thank you very much.

<u>Year</u>	<u>May Queen</u>	<u>Crowned by</u>	<u>Consort/Attendants</u>
1951	Margaret Cooper	Revd Brodie	
1952	Diane Blanchard	Revd Brodie	
1953	Gwendoline Robinson	Duchess of Buccleuch	Peter Hughes, Janet Bell, Valerie Toseland, Dorothy Carver, Marlene Blackwell, Hillary Miller, Bridget Palmer
1954	Susan Chamberlain	Lady Margaret Hawkins	
1955			
1956	Marlene Blackwell		
1957	Valerie Toseland		
1958	Joan Robinson (now Meeson)	Mr J E Stanger (head)	John Abrahams, Pauline Bates, Kathleen Dix, Jane Pinfold, Doreen Wheatley, Pamela Abrahams, Hillary Miller
1959	Jean Bass		
1960	Judith Hooper		
1961	Josephine Sharp		
1962	Sandra McArthur	Mrs W J Penn	Michael Arnold, Lynne Toseland, Linda Harris, Jacqueline Payne, Lisa Ambery, Marice Tracey, Doreen Wheatley
1963	Nina Jane Giles		
1964	Judith Abbott	Mrs M Gregory	
1965	Carol Toseland	Mrs J Crick	Stephen Bell, Sally Barlow, Linda Moss, Julie Chapman, Celia Brentnail, Dawn Walther, Irene Proctor
1966	Odette Biddle	Mrs J Shuttleworth	Kevon Brown/Johnson, Patsy Tomlinson, Trudie Dumpich, Jane Compton, Jane Toseland, Hazel Brown, Susan Chester
1967	Wendy Scarborough		
1968	Sharon McLoughlin		Hazel Freeman
1969	Sally Barlow	Mrs Mildred Harker	Suzie Wilson
1970	Julie Chapman		
1971	Linda Brown		
1972	Tracy McLoughlin		
1973	Angela Eastbrook		
1974	Sally Bradbury	Mayoress Mrs C Pepper	Rodney Bird, Helen Kemp, Kristi Dennis
1975	Tracey Bale		

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1976	Donna Lawman		
1977	Alison Driver		Andrew York, Maria Biddell, Emma Dennis, Kim Northen, Lisa Osborne, Kerry Pearson, Lisa Richardson
1978	Francine A'Ness		
1979	Rosemary Hill		
1980	Lisa Osborne		Tara Couch
1981	Caroline Spence		
1982	Lisa Richardson		
1983	Kerry Smith	Countess of Dalkeith	James Richardson
1984	Clare Tate	Mrs Jennifer Freeman	
1985	Lisa Dumpich		
1986	Susanna Tabner		
1987	Katy-Jane Snelson	Mrs R Atkinson	
1988	Lucy Tabner	Mrs Jane Woolfenden	
1989	Rachel Gibbard		
1990	Michelle Tate		
1991	Katie Sneddon	Mrs Gwen McHolm	Richard Norman, Charlotte Wright, Lois Downton, Camilla Newman, Linzi Campbell, Gemma Brown, Sarah Jones
1992	Rebecca Miles	Muriel Bigford	Gareth Livesey, Adrienne Tartaglia, Jemma Bell, Fiona Warren, Natalie Abrahams, Alice Chittock
1993	Jane Walters	Nathan Richardson	
1994	Leanne Garley	Mrs Annie Bagshaw	
1995	Hayley Brown		
1996	Odette Biddle		
1997	Holly Cochrane	Diane Hootton	Jack Featherstone
1998	Chloe Minnard	Mrs A? Toseland (Valerie Wills from School)	Cavan Treanor
1999	Jade Hobbs	Duchess of Buccleuch	Joshua Tebbutt
2000	Sarah Brown	Rev Audrey Clark	
2001	Eleanor Hawkins	Frances Knight	
2002	Victoria Moisey	Terry Burnham	Briony Wilson, Tom Issett, Jessica Issett, Samuel Compton, Jamie-Leigh Grove, Bradley Mason, Zoe Pygot, Matthew Johns, Jessica Gingell, Charlie Gingell, Eleanor Ward, Ellis Hammond
2003	Kimberley Eisenhart	Barbara Godber	Luke Sweeney
2004	Natalie Robinson	Ms Alison Buckley	
2005	Lana Doran	Debbie Spick	
2006	Elisabeth Mahase	Cynthia Duckworth & Jane Follet	
2007	Chelsea Noble	Gail Johns	Sam Pask

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2008	Holly Brown	Jenny Pettitt	Ben Tebbutt
2009	Eleanor Rowden	Rosemary Wootton	Dominic Askew
2010	Alice Brown	Julie Lee	Luke Noble
2011	Alexia Dickens	Trevor Harker	Jamie Dale
2012	Georgia Lorentzen	Nicola Hoy	Ethan Harker
2013	Grace Brown	Sue Lovejoy	Sam Parker, Megan Eady, Jessica
2014	Holly Gibson	Sue Spooner	Aiden Love
2015	Ifeloluwa Akaji	Doreen Worsdell	James Hogg
2016	Lucy Parris		Ashley Brandrick, Ruby, Lily, Poppy, Milly, Zennor & Lily. Escorts: Thomas, Finley, Liam, Oliver, Eric & Daniel
2017	Imogen	Jim Harker	Eric