



THE COMPANY OF CUTLERS IN HALLAMSHIRE

MASTERS CUTLER

There has been an annually elected Master Cutler since August, 1624, except during the two World Wars. There are a number of men who served more than one year, but in the early years, it is not possible to say whether the same name refers to the same person.

Date listing of Masters Cutler

1624	Robert	Sorsby	1677	John	Pearson
1625	John	Rawson	1678	Thomas	Jennings sen
1626	William	Warter	1679	Joshua	Baies (or Bayes)
1627	William	Webster	1680	Jonathan	Webster
1628	Robert	Sorsby	1681	Robert	Nicholls
1629	John	Webster	1682	John	Winter
1630	William	Creswick	1683	Edward	Badger
1631	Robert	Stacie (or Stacy)	1684	William	Ellis
1632	James	Creswicke	1685	Thomas	Tooker (or Tucker)
1633	George	Valliance	1686	Benjamin	Kirkby (or Kerkbie)
1634	William	Walker	1687	John	Webster jun
1635	Thomas	Creswicke	1688	Robert	Breilsforth
1636	Richard	Wilkinson	1689	James	Webster
1637	John	Crooke	1690	Joseph	Downes
1638	James	Creswick	1691	John	Webster
1639	Robert	Carr	1692	Thomas	Johnson
1640	Robert	Scargell	1693	John	King
1641	Thomas	Milward	1694	John	Trippett
1642	Richard	Slack	1695	John	Spooner
1643	Richard	Base	1696	Christopher	Broomhead
1644	William	Pell	1697	Richard	Downes
1645	William	Warter	1698	Andrew	Wade
1646	Thomas	Ludlam	1699	Benjamin	Pearson
1647	Malin	Sorsby	1700	Robert	Savage
1648	Robert	Brelsforth	1701	Richard	Marsh
1649	Richard	Jackson	1702	Ephraim	Nicholls
1650	George	Barnesley	1703	John	Pearson
1651	William	Birley	1704	Edward	Sanderson
1652	Thomas	Bate	1705	Joseph	Nutt
1653	Edward	Barlowe	1706	Ezra	Cawton
1654	William	Crawshawe	1707	George	Cartwright
1655	Thomas	Pearson	1708	John	Downes
1656	John	Webster	1709	James	Hoole
1657	Malin	Sorsbie	1710	John	Morton
1658	John	Rawson	1711	Samuel	Smith
1659	William	Creswicke	1712	Samuel	Twible
1660	Stephen	Carr	1713	Thomas	Tooker or Tucker)
1661	Robert	Allin	1714	Jonathon	Birks
1662	James	Staniforth	1715	William	Moor
1663	James	Newton	1716	Thomas	Broadhead
1664	John	Pearson	1717	John	Guest
1665	Thomas	Jeninges	1718	Tobias	Ellis
1666	Nathaniel	Robinson	1719	Peter	Symon
1667	George	Creswicke	1720	James	Longden
1668	John	Webstarr	1721	James	Crawshaw
1669	Robert	Sorsby	1722	John	Smith
1670	Edward	Barlow	1723	Jonathon	Moor
1671	Richard	Parramour	1724	Jeremy	Beet
1672	Matthew	Arnold	1725	Thomas	Radforth
1673	John	Sutton	1726	John	Tooker (or Tucker)
1674	Castle	Shemeld	1727	Andrew	Wade
1675	William	Crashaw	1728	Andrew	Wade
1676	James	Newton	1729	Thomas	Cotton jun
			1730	Samuel	Wainwright
			1731	Thomas	Wilson
			1732	John	Ward
			1733	Cotton	Watkin
			1734	John	Osborne
			1735	Joseph	Turner
			1736	Joshua	Cawton
			1737	Joseph	Sheppar (or Shepherd)
			1738	Joseph	Kenyon
			1739	Jonathon	Dixon jun
			1740	Jonathon	Dixon sen
			1741	Richard	Kent



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1742	Thomas	Rose	1807	Peter	Brownell
1743	George	Marriott	1808	Ebenezer	Rhodes
1744	John	Spooner	1809	Robert	Brightmore
1745	Joseph	Leathley	1810	John	Tillotson
1746	Robert	Dent	1811	John	Eadon
1747	Edward	Windle	1812	James	Smith
1748	Leonard	Webster	1813	John	Hoult
1749	George	Smith	1814	Joseph	Parkin
1750	William	Hides	1815	James	Makin jun
1751	Thomas	Newbould	1816	Thomas A	Ward
1752	Joseph	Parkin	1817	George	Tillotson
1753	Thomas	Law	1818	John	Fox
1754	Joseph	Owen	1819	John	Hounsfild
1755	William	Webster	1820	Joseph D	Skelton
1756	Benjamin	Withers	1821	William	Colley
1757	John	Wilson	1822	Thomas	Champion
1758	Jonathon	Moor	1823	Thomas	Dewsnap
1759	Joseph	Ibberson	1824	Peter	Spurr
1760	William	Webster jun	1825	Henry	Moorhouse
1761	William	Parker	1826	William	Sansom
1762	George	Greaves	1827	Samuel	Hadfield
1763	Joseph	Hancock	1828	James	Crawshaw
1764	Samuel	Bates	1829	Philip	Law
1765	Joseph	Bower	1830	Enoch	Barber
1766	William	Birks	1831	John	Blake
1767	John	Turner	1832	Thomas	Dunn
1768	Thomas	Beely jun.	1833	Thomas	Ellin sen.
1769	Jeremiah	Ward	1834	John	Sansom
1770	Joshua	Cawton	1835	John	Spencer
1771	William	Trockett	1836	Thomas	Blake
1772	Robert	Owen	1837	John	Greaves
1773	George	Brittain	1838	Samuel	Hadfield
1774	Joseph	Kenyon	1839	Samuel	Smith
1775	John	Winter	1840	James	Moorhouse
1776	John	Green	1841	Thomas	Ellin jun.
1777	Samuel	Norris	1842	William	Broadhurst
1778	William	Linley	1843	Thomas	Wilkinson
1779	Josephus	Parkin	1844	Francis	Newton
1780	John	Rowbotham	1845	William	Butcher
1781	Peter	Spurr	1846	Thomas B	Turton
1782	Joseph	Hawksley	1847	Henry	Mort
1783	William	Fowler	1848	Frederick	Fenny
1784	Benjamin	Broomhead	1849	Henry	Atkin
1785	Thomas	Settle	1850	Samuel S	Deakin
1786	Samuel	Wilson	1851	William	Webster
1787	Jonathon	Watkinson	1852	Michael	Hunter
1788	Thomas	Nowill	1853	W A	Matthews
1789	Thomas	Tillotson	1854	Thomas	Moulson
1790	Joseph	Ward	1855	Fred T	Mappin
1791	George	Wood	1856	George	Wostenholm
1792	John	Henfrey	1857	William	Hutchinson
1793	Thomas	Warris	1858	Robert	Jackson
1794	Benjamin	Withers	1859	Robert	Jackson
1795	William	Birks	1860	Michael	Hunter jun
1796	Joseph F	Smith	1861	George	Wilkinson
1797	John	Linley	1862	Henry	Harrison
1798	Samuel B	Ward	1863	Thomas	Jessop
1799	Benjamin	Vickers	1864	Charles	Atkinson
1800	Samuel	Newbould	1865	John	Brown
1801	Joseph	Bailey	1866	John	Brown
1802	Joseph	Withers	1867	Mark	Firth
1803	James	Makin	1868	Mark	Firth
1804	William	Nicholson	1869	Mark	Firth
1805	John	Eyre	1870	William	Bragge
1806	John	Sorby	1871	Thomas	Turner



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1872	T Edward	Vickers	1937	Col Frederick A	Neill
1873	Samuel	Osborn	1938	Alan J	Grant
1874	George	Wilson	1939	Ashley S	Ward
1875	Edward	Tozer	1940	William W	Wood
1876	Edward	Tozer	1941	William W	Wood
1877	David	Ward	1942	William W	Wood
1878	William H	Brittain	1943	William W	Wood
1879	Joseph B	Jackson	1944	William W	Wood
1880	William	Chesterman	1945	Samuel E	Osborn
1881	John E	Bingham	1946	Hon Robert A	Balfour
1882	Albert A	Jowitt	1947	Edward W	Senior
1883	George	Barnsley	1948	Lt Col John P	Hunt
1884	John E	Bingham	1949	William R S	Stephenson
1885	Charles	Belk	1950	G Wilton	Lee
1886	George F	Lockwood	1951	Geoffrey M	Flather
1887	James T	Dixon	1952	Sir Harold	West
1888	Samuel E	Howell	1953	Robert L	Walsh
1889	Samuel G	Richardson	1954	William G	Ibberson
1890	Robert	Colver	1955	Robert P	Phillips
1891	Robert	Belfitt	1956	Sir Peter	Roberts
1892	John F	Atkinson	1957	Sir Frederick	Pickworth
1893	George	Howson	1958	J Hugh	Neill
1894	Charles H	Bingham	1959	Percy J C	Bovill
1895	Herbert H	Andrew	1960	Charles H T	Williams
1896	Sir Alexander	Wilson	1961	Gerard	Young
1897	Maurice G	Rodgers	1962	Stephen de	Bartolome
1898	Frederick C	Wild	1963	Howard P	Forder
1899	Robert A	Hadfield	1964	James R A	Bull
1900	Richard G	Holland	1965	Sir Eric	Mensforth
1901	Arthur R	Ellin	1966	Anthony B	Hampton
1902	Albert J	Hobson	1967	John B	Peile
1903	Michael J	Hunter	1968	Gilbert	Willis
1904	George	Hall	1969	Hon Mark	Balfour
1905	Sydney J	Robinson	1970	Thomas H	Burleigh
1906	William F	Osborn	1971	Arnold	Carr
1907	Henry H	Bedford	1972	Richard	Doncaster
1908	Douglas	Vickers	1973	Kenneth H	Lewis
1909	Herbert	Barber	1974	Charles G	Murray
1910	George	Senior	1975	Norman	Hanlon
1911	Arthur	Balfour	1976	David S W	Lee
1912	James R	Hoyle	1977	Stanley	Speight
1913	Thomas W	Ward	1978	Michael	Mallett
1914	William H	Ellis	1979	Bernard	Cotton
1915	William H	Ellis	1980	Herbert E	McGee
1916	William H	Ellis	1981	James E	Eardley
1917	William H	Ellis	1982	Kenneth G T	Clephane
1918	Col Sir Albert E	Bingham	1983	William J D	Carr
1919	Lt Col Henry K	Stephenson	1984	Ian S	Porter
1920	William	Clark	1985	Peter Wilton	Lee
1921	Marmaduke	Wardlow	1986	Derek	Bray
1922	Ronald W	Matthews	1987	Rowland	Walker
1923	James	Neill	1988	Alan	Jowitt
1924	William W	Wood	1989	John E	McGee
1925	Thomas R	Ellin	1990	Hugh R	Sykes
1926	David	Flather	1991	John	Harvey
1927	Percy W	Lee	1992	Raymond A	Douglas
1928	Thomas G	Sorby	1993	Derrick	Willingham
1929	Arthur Kingsford	Wilson	1994	Christopher J	Jewitt
1930	Peter B	Brown	1995	David R	Stone
1931	Joseph	Ward	1996	Richard D	Field O.B.E.
1932	Lt Col Arthur N	Lee	1997	Paul J	Tear
1933	Charles J	Walsh	1998	Douglas B	Liversidge
1934	Alexander	Williamson	1999	H Stuart	Johnson
1935	Sir Samuel	Roberts	2000	Vernon J	Smith P
1936	Col William	Tozer	2001	Richard J	Prest



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2002	John C	Bramah
2003	Hon Neil	Turner
2004	John	Tissiman
2005	Timothy	Reed
2006	Alan D B	Reid
2007	Gordon	Bridge
2008	Martin	Howell
2009	James	Newman
2010	William B	Speirs
2011	Pamela E	Liversidge



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1661	Robert	Allin	1706	Ezra	Cawton
1895	Herbert H	Andrew	1736	Joshua	Cawton
1672	Matthew	Arnold	1770	Joshua	Cawton
1849	Henry	Atkin	1822	Thomas	Champion
1864	Charles	Atkinson	1880	William	Chesterman
1892	John F	Atkinson	1920	William	Clark
1683	Edward	Badger	1982	KennethG T	Clephane
1679	Joshua	Baies (or Bayes)	1821	William	Colley
1801	Joseph	Bailey	1890	Robert	Colver
1911	Arthur	Balfour	1979	Bernard	Cotton
1969	Hon Mark	Balfour	1729	Thomas	Cotton jun
1946	Hon Robert A	Balfour	1675	William	Crashaw
1830	Enoch	Barber	1721	James	Crawshaw
1909	Herbert	Barber	1828	James	Crawshaw
1670	Edward	Barlow	1654	William	Crawshawe
1653	Edward	Barlowe	1638	James	Creswick
1650	George	Barnesley	1630	William	Creswick
1883	George	Barnsley	1667	George	Creswicke
1962	Stephen de	Bartolome	1632	James	Creswicke
1643	Richard	Base	1635	Thomas	Creswicke
1652	Thomas	Bate	1659	William	Creswicke
1764	Samuel	Bates	1637	John	Crooke
1907	Henry H	Bedford	1850	Samuel S	Deakin
1768	Thomas	Beely jun.	1746	Robert	Dent
1724	Jeremy	Beet	1823	Thomas	Dewsnap
1891	Robert	Belfitt	1887	James T	Dixon
1885	Charles	Belk	1739	Jonathon	Dixon jun
1894	Charles H	Bingham	1740	Jonathon	Dixon sen
1918	Col Sir Albert E	Bingham	1972	Richard	Doncaster
1881	John E	Bingham	1992	Raymond A	Douglas
1884	John E	Bingham	1708	John	Downes
1714	Jonathon	Birks	1690	Joseph	Downes
1766	William	Birks	1697	Richard	Downes
1795	William	Birks	1832	Thomas	Dunn
1651	William	Birley	1811	John	Eadon
1831	John	Blake	1981	James E	Eardley
1836	Thomas	Blake	1901	Arthur R	Ellin
1959	Percy J C	Bovill	1925	Thomas R	Ellin
1765	Joseph	Bower	1841	Thomas	Ellin jun.
1870	William	Bragge	1833	Thomas	Ellin sen.
2002	John C	Bramah	1718	Tobias	Ellis
1986	Derek	Bray	1684	William	Ellis
1688	Robert	Breilsforth	1914	William H	Ellis
1648	Robert	Breilsforth	1915	William H	Ellis
2007	Gordon	Bridge	1916	William H	Ellis
1809	Robert	Brightmore	1917	William H	Ellis
1773	George	Brittain	1805	John	Eyre
1878	William H	Brittain	1848	Frederick	Fenny
1716	Thomas	Broadhead	1996	Richard D	Field O.B.E.
1842	William	Broadhurst	1867	Mark	Firth
1784	Benjamin	Broomhead	1868	Mark	Firth
1696	Christopher	Broomhead	1869	Mark	Firth
1865	John	Brown	1926	David	Flather
1866	John	Brown	1951	Geoffrey M	Flather
1930	Peter B	Brown	1963	Howard P	Forder
1807	Peter	Brownell	1783	William	Fowler
1964	James R A	Bull	1818	John	Fox
1970	Thomas H	Burleigh	1938	Alan J	Grant
1845	William	Butcher	1762	George	Greaves
1971	Arnold	Carr	1837	John	Greaves
1639	Robert	Carr	1776	John	Green
1660	Stephen	Carr	1717	John	Guest
1983	William J D	Carr	1899	Robert A	Hadfield
1707	George	Cartwright	1827	Samuel	Hadfield
			1838	Samuel	Hadfield



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1904	George	Hall	1980	Herbert E	McGee
1966	Anthony B	Hampton	1989	John E	McGee
1763	Joseph	Hancock	1965	Sir Eric	Mensforth
1975	Norman	Hanlon	1641	Thomas	Milward
1862	Henry	Harrison	1723	Jonathon	Moor
1991	John	Harvey	1758	Jonathon	Moor
1782	Joseph	Hawksley	1715	William	Moor
1792	John	Henfrey	1825	Henry	Moorhouse
1750	William	Hides	1840	James	Moorhouse
1902	Albert J	Hobson	1847	Henry	Mort
1900	Richard G	Holland	1710	John	Morton
1709	James	Hoole	1854	Thomas	Moulson
1813	John	Hoult	1974	Charles G	Murray
1819	John	Hounsfield	1937	Col Frederick A	Neill
2008	Martin	Howell	1958	J Hugh	Neill
1888	Samuel E	Howell	1923	James	Neill
1893	George	Howson	1800	Samuel	Newbould
1912	James R	Hoyle	1751	Thomas	Newbould
1948	Lt Col John P	Hunt	1844	Francis	Newton
1852	Michael	Hunter	1663	James	Newton
1903	Michael J	Hunter	1676	James	Newton
1860	Michael	Hunter jun	1702	Ephraim	Nicholls
1857	William	Hutchinson	1681	Robert	Nicholls
1759	Joseph	Ibberson	1804	William	Nicholson
1954	William G	Ibberson	1777	Samuel	Norris
1879	Joseph B	Jackson	1788	Thomas	Nowill
1649	Richard	Jackson	1705	Joseph	Nutt
1858	Robert	Jackson	1873	Samuel	Osborn
1859	Robert	Jackson	1945	Samuel E	Osborn
1665	Thomas	Jeninges	1906	William F	Osborn
1678	Thomas	Jennings sen	1734	John	Osborne
1863	Thomas	Jessop	1754	Joseph	Owen
1994	Christopher J	Jewitt	1772	Robert	Owen
1999	H Stuart	Johnson	1761	William	Parker
1692	Thomas	Johnson	1752	Joseph	Parkin
1988	Alan	Jowitt	1814	Joseph	Parkin
1882	Albert A	Jowitt	1779	Josephus	Parkin
1741	Richard	Kent	1671	Richard	Parramour
1738	Joseph	Kenyon	1699	Benjamin	Pearson
1774	Joseph	Kenyon	1664	John	Pearson
1693	John	King	1677	John	Pearson
1686	Benjamin	Kirkby (or Kerkbie)	1703	John	Pearson
1829	Phillip	Law	1655	Thomas	Pearson
1753	Thomas	Law	1967	John B	Peile
1745	Joseph	Leathley	1644	William	Pell
1976	David S W	Lee	1955	Robert P	Phillips
1950	G Wilton	Lee	1957	Sir Frederick	Pickworth
1932	Lt Col Arthur N	Lee	1984	Ian S	Porter
1927	Percy W	Lee	2001	Richard J	Prest
1985	Peter Wilton	Lee	1725	Thomas	Radforth
1973	Kenneth H	Lewis	1625	John	Rawson
1797	John	Linley	1658	John	Rawson
1778	William	Linley	2005	Timothy	Reed
1998	Douglas B	Liversidge	2006	Alan D B	Reid
1886	George F	Lockwood	1808	Ebenezer	Rhodes
1720	James	Longden	1889	Samuel G	Richardson
1646	Thomas	Ludlam	1956	Sir Peter	Roberts
1803	James	Makin	1935	Sir Samuel	Roberts
1815	James	Makin jun	1666	Nathaniel	Robinson
1978	Michael	Mallett	1905	Sydney J	Robinson
1855	Fred T	Mappin	1897	Maurice G	Rodgers
1743	George	Marriott	1742	Thomas	Rose
1701	Richard	Marsh	1780	John	Rowbotham
1922	Ronald W	Matthews	1704	Edward	Sanderson
1853	W A	Matthews	1834	John	Sansom



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1826	William	Sansom	1987	Rowland	Walker
1700	Robert	Savage	1634	William	Walker
1640	Robert	Scargell	1933	Charles J	Walsh
1947	Edward W	Senior	1953	Robert L	Walsh
1910	George	Senior	1939	Ashley S	Ward
1785	Thomas	Settle	1877	David	Ward
1674	Castle	Shemeld	1769	Jeremiah	Ward
1737	Joseph	Sheppar (or Shepherd)	1732	John	Ward
1820	Joseph D	Skelton	1790	Joseph	Ward
1642	Richard	Slack	1931	Joseph	Ward
1749	George	Smith	1798	Samuel B	Ward
1812	James	Smith	1816	Thomas A	Ward
1722	John	Smith	1913	Thomas W	Ward
1796	Joseph F	Smith	1921	Marmaduke	Wardlow
1711	Samuel	Smith	1793	Thomas	Warris
1839	Samuel	Smith	1626	William	Warter
2000	Vernon J	Smith P	1645	William	Warter
1806	John	Sorby	1733	Cotton	Watkin
1928	Thomas G	Sorby	1787	Jonathon	Watkinson
1657	Malin	Sorsbie	1668	John	Webstarr
1647	Malin	Sorsby	1689	James	Webster
1624	Robert	Sorsby	1629	John	Webster
1628	Robert	Sorsby	1656	John	Webster
1669	Robert	Sorsby	1691	John	Webster
1977	Stanley	Speight	1680	Jonathan	Webster
1835	John	Spencer	1748	Leonard	Webster
1695	John	Spooner	1627	William	Webster
1744	John	Spooner	1755	William	Webster
1781	Peter	Spurr	1851	William	Webster
1824	Peter	Spurr	1687	John	Webster jun
1631	Robert	Stacie (or Stacy)	1760	William	Webster jun
1662	James	Staniforth	1952	Sir Harold	West
1919	Lt Col Henry K	Stephenson	1898	Frederick C	Wild
1949	William R S	Stephenson	1861	George	Wilkinson
1995	David R	Stone	1636	Richard	Wilkinson
1673	John	Sutton	1843	Thomas	Wilkinson
1990	Hugh R	Sykes	1960	Charles H T	Williams
1719	Peter	Symon	1934	Alexander	Williamson
1997	Paul J	Tear	1993	Derrick	Willingham
1817	George	Tillotson	1968	Gilbert	Willis
1810	John	Tillotson	1929	Arthur Kingsford	Wilson
1789	Thomas	Tillotson	1874	George	Wilson
2004	John	Tissiman	1757	John	Wilson
1726	John	Tooker (or Tucker)	1786	Samuel	Wilson
1685	Thomas	Tooker (or Tucker)	1896	Sir Alexander	Wilson
1713	Thomas	Tooker or Tucker)	1731	Thomas	Wilson
1936	Col William	Tozer	1747	Edward	Windle
1875	Edward	Tozer	1682	John	Winter
1876	Edward	Tozer	1775	John	Winter
1771	William	Trickett	1756	Benjamin	Withers
1694	John	Trippett	1794	Benjamin	Withers
2003	Hon Neil	Turner	1802	Joseph	Withers
1767	John	Turner	1791	George	Wood
1735	Joseph	Turner	1924	William W	Wood
1871	Thomas	Turner	1940	William W	Wood
1846	Thomas B	Turton	1941	William W	Wood
1712	Samuel	Twible	1942	William W	Wood
1633	George	Valliance	1943	William W	Wood
1799	Benjamin	Vickers	1944	William W	Wood
1908	Douglas	Vickers	1856	George	Wostenholm
1872	T Edward	Vickers	1961	Gerard	Young
1698	Andrew	Wade			
1727	Andrew	Wade			
1728	Andrew	Wade			
1730	Samuel	Wainwright			