# Appendix 1: Executive Annual Reports 2022

# **President's Report**

#### **NALA AGM 2022**

- Attended NALA Exec meetings
- Supported the Secretary in the preparation of minutes of meetings
- Together with other languages subject associations, met with the DfE to discuss proposed GCSE reforms
- Worked with other subject associations and exam boards to give a written response to the DfE's consultation about GCSE reform
- Maintained contact with national organisations for languages such as the British Council, APPG, etc.

Jenny Carpenter

23 May 2022

#### Chair

### Since the 2021 AGM:

- I have chaired some executive meetings but not others due to ill health.
- I have promoted the grammar resources.

I would like to say a big thank you to the executive team for covering my absence.

# **Alice Harrison**

June 2022

# Secretary

Since the 2021 AGM I have:

- liaised with Jurys Inn, Sheffield for a possible overnight Executive meeting in January 2022. This in fact did not take place.
- organised and convened three executive meetings and one AGM;
- been in touch with regional convenors and elected officers, collecting and collating their

reports for each executive meeting and the AGM as appropriate;

- taken, written up and re-drafted minutes, and forwarded them to the Communications Officer for uploading to the NALA website and to the rest of the executive committee and regional convenors;
- liaised with the President and the Chair over various issues concerning NALA;
- liaised with Executive members on proposals for changes to the Constitution
- assisted the Conference Organiser and David Moss regarding Conference 2022
- processed new membership applications, requested references and liaised with other executive members regarding these:
- worked with David Moss, Jim McElwee and Marie O'Sullivan on the Grammar project, revising and editing where appropriate.

Mike Rauh, Secretary, May 2022



# Treasurer's report 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

# How things stand at the bank

Current account

Balance as of 2<sup>nd</sup> June £7053.33

Conference account

Current balance £4988.03

Deposit account

Current balance £7797.60

- Conference deposit already paid in 2021 and carried forward to 2022 due to Covid 19. Dates booked 8<sup>th</sup> / 9<sup>th</sup> July 2022.
- Deposit of £2240 carried forward, balance of £2220 to be paid by 8<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

- Conference bookings 12 confirmed members attending plus 1 provisional.
- No fraudulent transactions.
- Certified Accounts received and circulated for scrutiny.
- Spend analysis for 20/21 to be completed by BW.

Bev Whiteside NALA Treasurer

2<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

# **Communications Officer Report**

Thank you again for trusting me with the role of communicating NALA business to members for the past two years.

The website continues to be updated with information as it drops into my inbox; thank you to all members for continuing to provide information for sharing on the website. Please continue to share any updates for inclusion where appropriate.

The updated Grammar Project documents were added to the website and re-shared towards the early part of 2022.

I was delighted to have been able to attend one day of Language World on behalf of NALA this year, as the guest of Sanako.

Marie O'Sullivan Communications Officer 01/06/22