

Chester Mayors & Sheriffs 1615 - 1815

Date	Mayors	Sheriffs
1615/6	Thomas Throppe, vinter	Randulph Holmes Thomas Weston.
1616/7	Edward Button, innholder.	Thomas Sutton (died) John Cake Thomas Bird.
1617/8	Charles Fitton, merchant	Fulk Salisbury Gilbert Eaton.
1618/9	Sir Randulph Manwaringe.gentry.	John Brereton Robert Berrie.
1619/20	Hugh Williamson, mercer	Charles Walley Thomas Ince.
1620/21	William Gamull, merchant.	Humphrey Lloyd William Sparke.
1621/2	Robert Whitehead. gent	William Allen Richard Bridge.
1622/3	Sir Thomas Smith, knight	John Williams Hugh Whickstead.
1623/4	John Brereton.	Christopher Bleas William Fisher.
1624/5	Peter Drinkwater, ironmonger	Thomas Knowles William Glegge.
1625/6	Sir RandulphManwaringe, kt	Robert Sproston Robert Harvie.
1626/7	Nicholas Ince, yeoman	Richard Bennet Thomas Humphreys
1627/8	Richard Dutton, gent	William Edwards Thomas Aldersey
1628/9	John Ratcliffe, brewer	Richard Leicester John Leech
1629/30	Christopher Bleas, mercer	John Aldersey William Higgenson (died) Robert Ince.
1630/1	Charles Walley. gent	Thomas Throppe Thomas Cowper.
1631/2	William Allen, draper (died) Thomas Bird, tanner.	Richard Broster William Jones.
1632/3	William Sparke, merchant	William Parnell Robert Wright.
1633/4	Randle Holme, sen., herald- painter.	Randle Holme, jun. Richard Bird.
1634/5	Francis Gamul. gent.	William Ince. Thomas Eaton (died)

1635/6	Thomas Knowles, ironmonger	Edward Evans. Thomas Crosse Calvin Bruen.
1636/7	William Edwardes, ironmonger	Edward Bradshaw Owen Hughes.
1637/8	Thomas Throppe, merchant	Thomas Weston William Wilcocke.
1638/9	Robert Sproston, feltmaker.	Philip Sproston William Drinkwater.
1639/40	Robert Harvie, ironmonger	Richard Bradsawe Raphe Hutton.
1640/1	Thomas Aldersey, ironmonger	John Whittell Edward Hulton.
1641/2	Thomas Cowper, ironmonger	Thomas Mottershed Hugh Leigh.
1642/3	William Ince, yeoman.	William Crompton John Johnson
1643/4	Randle Holmeyounger (jun.) herald-painter	William Whittell William Benett.
1644/5	Charles Walley, innholder.	Humphrey Phillips Rafe Davies (died) Randulph Richardson.
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1646/7	William Edwardes, iron monger & merchant.	John Wynne Richard Sproston.
1647/8	Robert Wright (died) Edward Bradshawe, mercer	William Wright Richard Minshull
1648/9	Richard Bradshaw, merchant Gerard Johnes.	Jonathan Ridge
1649/50	William Crompton, merchant	Thomas Parnell Robert Cappur.
1650/1	Richard Leicester	John Anderson Thomas Reale.
1651/2	Owen Hughes, merchant (died) John Johnson, merchant	Thomas Hands Hugh Mowson.
1652/3	William Bennett, mercer	William Wilson Richard Townsend.
1653/4	Edward Bradshawe, mercer	Daniell Greatback Charles Farrington.
1654/5	Richard Byrd, tanner	Arthur Walley John Griffith.
1655/6	William Wright, merchant	John Witter John Poole
1656/7	Peter Leigh, Ironmonger	Thomas Rohinson. Raphe Burroughes.
1657/8	Richard Mynshull, ironmonger	William Streete.

1658/9	Thomas Hand (died), merchant. Gerrald Jones, goldsmith.	William Brestowe. William Haywood. Randle Oulton.
1659/60	John Johnson, merchant	Thomas Willcocke. John Knowles.
1660/1	Arthur Walley mercer	Richard Taylor. Randle Bennet.
1661/2	Thomas Throppe, merchant	Richard Harrison. John Hulton.
1662/3	Richard Broster sen, tanner	John Maddock. William King.
1663/4	John Poole haberdasher	Charles Leinsley. Edward Kinsey.
1664/5	Richard Taylor, draper.	Robert Morrey. Richard Key.
1665/6	RandleOulton, beerbrewer	Gawen Hudson. Richard Annion.
1666/7	William Streete, beerbrewer.	Henry Lloyd. William Warrington.
1667/8	Richard Harrison, beerbrewer	William Harvy. Robert Caddicke.
1668/9	Charles Ea.rl of Derby (Aristoc.)	Richard Wright. John Yong.
1669/70	Robert Morrey, barber-surgeon.	Thomas Simpson. Owin Ellis.
1670/1	Thomas Wil1cocke, mercer	William Williams. Thomas Bellington.
1671/2	William Wilson, sen., tanner	Robert Townsend. Thomas Ashton.
1672/3	Gawen Hudson, merchant.	George Manwaring Benjamin Chrichley.
1673/4	Thomas Simpson, ironmonger	Wil1iam Ince. Peter Edwards.
1674/5	Richard Wright, innholder.	Edward Ou1ton. Isaac Swift.
1675/6	Henry Lloyd, draper	Nathaniel Williamson. Thomas Wright.
1676/7	John Yonge, mercer	Thomas Baker. Robert Stone.
1677/8	Wil1iam Ince, jun., merchant	Thomas Hand. John Mottershed.
1678/9	William Harvey, innholder	Hugh Starkey. Robert Fletcher.
1679/80	William Williams, innholder	Randle Burroughes. Francis Skellerne.
1680/1	John Anderson, merchant	John Taylor.

1681/2	George Mainwaring, merchant.	William Starkey. William Allen. Henry Bennet.
1682/3	Peter Edwards, goldsmith	Robert Hewit. William Bennet.
1683/4	William Streete, beerbrewer	John Williams. Robert Murrey.
1684/5	Sir Thomas Grosvenor, Aristoc	Richard Harrison. John Johnson.
1685/6	William Wilson, tanner.(jun.)	Randle Turner. Richard Oulton.
1686/7	Edward Oulton, beerbrewer.	Puleston Partington Mathew Anderton.
1687/8	Hugh Starkey, barber-surgeon	Edward. Starkey. Johnathen Whitbey.
1688/9	William Streete, beerbrewer	Robert Murrey. John Golborne.
1689/90	Francis Skellon, ironmonger	Edward Pertington. Randle Batho.
1690/1	Nathaniel Williamson, mercer	John Warrington. Robert Denteth.
1691/2	Henry Earl of Warrington Aristoc	Thomas Maddocke. Michael Johnson. .
1692/3	Roger Whitley. gentry	Joseph Maddocke John Burroughs.
1693/4	Roger Whitley, gentry	Thomas Ward.(Hand?) John Kynaston.
1694/5	Roger Whitley, gentry	Arthur Bolland. Thomas Bolldand.
1695/6	Roger Whitley, gentry	Tymonthy Deane. John Holland.
1696/7	Peter Bennet, grocer	James Mainwaring. Owen Ellis.
1697/8	William Allen, merchant.	Peter Edwards. William Francis.
1698/9	Henry Bennet, merchant	Thomas Parnell. Thomas Wright.
1699/1700	William Bennet, shoemaker	Edward Puleston John Bradshaw.
1700/1	Richard Oulton, beerbrewer.(died) Hugh Starkey, barber-surgeon.	Humphrey Page. Thomas Bowker.
1701/2	Thomas Hand, draper	William Allen William Loker.
1702/3	Earl of Derby, Wm. (died) aristoc. Michael Johnson, rmerchant	John Minshull . Thomas Partington.

1703/4	Mathew Anderton, innholder	George Bennion John Thomason.
1704/5	Edward Partington, mercer	Daniel Perk. Thomas Hoghton.
1705/6	Edward Puleston, draper	John Stringer. Randle Holme.
1706/7	Puleston Partington, watch-maker	Thomas Davies Francis Sayer.
1707/8	Humphrey Page, stationer.	Thomas Williams. Joseph Hodgson.
1708/9	James Mainwaring, merchant	James Comberbach. Alexander Denton.
1709/10	William Allen, merchant	Henry Bennett. Randle Bingley.
1710/11	Thomas Partington, merchant	Hugh Colley. Edward Burrowes.
1711/2	John Minshull, stationer	Thomas Edwards. Thomas Wilson.
1712/3	John Thomason, brewer	Robert Crosby. Laurence Gother.
1713/4	John Stringer, haberdasher	John Parker. Thomas Bolland.
1714/5	Francis Sayer, plumber & glasier	John Parker. Peter Leadbeater.
1715/6	Sir Richard Grosvenor, Aristoc	William Hughes. Thomas Brocke.
1716/7	Henry Bennett, merchant	John Pemberton. James Johnson.
1717/8	Joseph Hodgson, stationer	Massey. George Johnson.
1718/9	Alexander Denton. draper	Thomas Williams Peter Ellams.
1719/20	Randle Bingley, upholsterer	William Johnson (died). Thomas Bridge. Thomas Clark.
1720/1	Thomas Edwards, linen-draper	Roger Massey. John Cotgreave.
1721/2	Thomas Wilson, innholder	Nathaniel Wright. Thomas Hiccocke.
1722/3	Laurence Gother, ironmonger	John Marsden Thomas Duke.
1723/4	Robert Pigot, gent	Peter Parry. Charles Bingley.
1724/5	John Parker, apothecary	Edward Swanbrooke. Samuel Jarvis.
1725/6	Thomas Bolland, barber - surgeon	Edmond Parker

1726/7	John Parker, apothecary	Arthur Mercer. James Burroughs. Thomas Davies.
1727/8	James Comberback, merchant	Thomas Maddock. Thomas Gother.
1728/9	William Hughes, innholder	Joseph Parker. Randle Bingley.
1729/30	Thomas Brocke, pewterer	John Frances. Thomas Ravenscroft.
1730/1	John Pemberton, ropier	Andrew Duke. Gorge Fernall.
1731/2	Trafford Massie, ironmonger	Henry Ridly. Edward Yearsley
1732/3	George Johnson, chandler	Edward Nichols. William Edwards.
1733/4	Peter Ellames, apothecary	Charles Mylton . Robert Bolland.
1734/5	Roger Massey, linen draper	Edward Griffiths. Francis Bassahs.
1735/6	John Cotgreave, brewer	William Speed. Peter Potter.
1736/7	Watkin Williams, gent.	Thomas Bingley. John Hallwood.
1737/8	Sir Robert Grosvenor, Aristoc.	Ralph Probert. Thomas Broster.
1738/9	Nathaniel Wright, ironmonger	John Dicas. John Snow.
1739/40	John Marsden, merchant	Henry Pemberton. William Vizer.
1740/1	Thomas Duke, wet-glover	Edmund Bolland. William Smith.
1741/2	Charles Bingley, chandler	Edward Partington. Benjamin Perrin.
1742/3	Samuel. Jarvis, silk-weaver.	Robert Cawley (died). John Page. William Cowper.
1743/4	Thomas Davies, draper	Benjamin Maddock. John Egerton.
1744/5	Thomas Maddock, goldsmith	Peter Dewsbury. Richard Richardson.
1745/6	Henry Ridly, draper	Thomas Massey. George Griffies.
1746/7	Edward Yearsley, mercer.	Robert Maddock. Thomas Bridge.
1747/8	William Edwards, linen-draper.	James Walley. Thomas Cotgreave.

1748/9	Edward Griffith, ironmonger.	John. Lawton. Peter Ellames.
1749/50	Thomas Bingley, ironmonger.	Charles Parry. Henry Hesketh.
1750/1	John Hallwood, ironmonger.	Holme Burrowes. John Dicas.
1751/2	Ralph Probert, feltmaker.	John Hiccock. James Brjscoe (died). Johh Bridge.
1752/3	Thomas Broster, cutler.	Thomas Hart. Ed\ward Burrowes.
1753/4	Edmund Bolland, mercer.	Richard Ledsham. Richard Ollerhead.
1754/5	William Cowper, physician.	Thomas Astle. John Kelsall.
1755/6	John Page, stationer	Charles Boswell. Joseph Wilkinson.
1756/7	Peter Dewsbury, tailor	John Johnson. George French.
1757/8	Richard Richardson, goldsmith	Robert Lloyd. Thomas Craven.
1758/9	Thomas Cotgreave, linen draper.	Thomas Randles. John Lawton.
1759/60	Sir Richard Grosvenor, Aristoc.	Thomas Slaughter. Peter Morgan.
1760/1	Thomas Grosvenor, gentry	Thomas Marsden. Samuel Bob.
1761/2	Thomas Cholmondeley, gentry.	Joseph Crew. Joseph Dyson.
1762/3	Henry Hesketh, merchant.	John Drake. William Dicas.
1763/4	Holme Burrows, cutler.	Thomas Griffith. John Thomas.
1764/5	Edward Burrowes, feltmaker	James Brodhurst. Francis Walley.
1765/6	Richard Ollerhead, apothecary.	David Smith. John Hart.
1766/7	Thomas Astle, cabinet-maker.	Thomas Bowers. Williarn Seller.
1767/8	John Kelsall, attorney.	Robert Williams. Gabriel Smith.
1768/9	Charles Boswell, brewer	Joseph Snow. Pattison Ellarnes.
1769/70	George French, haberdasher & toyman.	Thomas Powell. Thomas Amery.
1770/1	John Lawton, stationer.	Henry Higg.

1771/2	Henry Vigers, gent.	John Bennett. John Dymock. Thomas Edwards.
1772/3	Joseph Crewe, apothecary.	John Hallwood. Thomas Lea.
1773/4	Sir Watkin Williams, knight.	Edward Orme. William Turner.
1774/5	Joseph Dyson, gent.	Richard Ledsham. William Corles.
1775/6	Thomas Griffith, grocer	Thomas Patton. John Chamberlain.
1776/7	James Brodhurst, apothecary.	John Monk. Peter Broster.
1777/8	John Hart, innholder	John Wright. George Johnson.
1778/9	William Seller, beerbrewer.	Thomas Richards. Charles Francis.
1779/80	Gabriel Smith, watchmaker.	William Brick. George Bingley.
1780/1	Joseph Snow, stuffweaver	William Harrison. Thomas Barnes.
1781/2	Pattison Ellames, druggist.	Rowland Jones. John Bramwell.
1782/3	Thomas Patton, currier	Joseph Turner. Samuel Bromfield.
1783/4	Thomas Amery, linendraper.	Cotton Probert. Daniel Smith.
1784/5	Henry Hegg, druggist.	John Meacock. Richard Richardson.
1785/6	John Bennett, wine merchant.	John Larden. Thomas Jones.
1786/7	Thomas Edwards, grocer	Charles Panton. Edmund Bushell.
1787/8	John Hallwood, ironmonger	Nathaniel Dewsbury. William Edwards.
1788/9	John Legh, esq.	Andrew Davison. Thomas Bennion.
1789/90	Robert Howell Vaugnan, esq.	Robert Whittle. Joseph Wright.
1790/1	Thomas Powell, upholsterer	Thomas Rathbone. John Hassall.
1791/2	Peter Broster, stationer	Roger Hulton. Thomas Jenkins.
1792/3	John Wright, barber	John Johnson. Peter Wilkinson.
1793/4	Thomas Richards, maltster.	William Seller.

1794/5	George Bingley, glazier.	John Thomas. Samuel Barnes. William Newell.
1795/6	William Harrison, grocer. & ironfounder	Thomas Evans Robert Britain.
1796/7	Thomas Barnes, plumber & glazier.	Francis Wood. John Bakewell
1797/8	Rowland Jones, saddler.	Thomas Griffiths. John Webster.
1798/9	John Bramwell, gent	Robert Bowers. Samuel Bennett.
1799/1800	Daniel Smith, merchant.	John Bedward. John Harrison.
1800/1	John Meacock, linen-draper.	John Cotgraves. Robert Williams.
1801/2	John Larden, woollen-draper.	Joseph Bage. Thomas Francis.
1802/3	Robert Hodgson, esq	Henry Bowers. Thomas Bradford.
1803/4	Edmund Bushell, mercer	John Tomlinson. Thomas Richards.
1804/5	William Edwards, grocer	John Powell. John Williamson.
1805/6	Thomas Bennion, feltmaker	Thomas Bole. John Swarbrick.
1806/7	Thomas Rathbone, carpenter	Timothy Whitby. James Bennett.
1807/8	Robert Earl Grosvenor aristoc	Joseph Johnson. John Stewart.
1808/9	William Newell, skinner.	Joseph Hornby. William Cortney.
1809/10	Thomas Evans, wet-glover	William Massey. Joseph Grace.
1810/1	Thomas Grosvenor, gentry	William Moss. Robert Morris.
1811/2	Robert Bowers, watchmaker.	George Harrjson. James Snape.
1812/3	Samuel Bennett, gentry.	Joseph Thomas. Samuel Nevill Bennett.
1813/4	Sir Watkin Williams, gentry	John Fletcher. George Hastings.
1814/5	John Bedward, carpenter.	Thomas Dixon. Titus Chaloner.