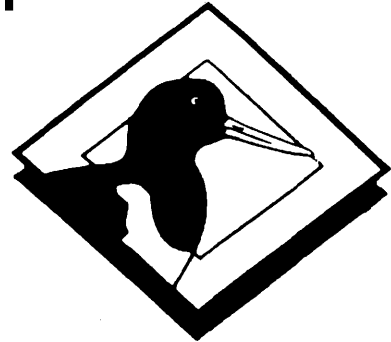


# WADER STUDY GROUP



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## **1996 WSG Annual General Meeting, Belgium**

The 1996 WSG Annual General Meeting will be held at 09.00 on Saturday 9 November 1996 during the annual conference in Belgium.

### **AGENDA**

1. Apologies
2. Minutes of the last AGM held on 16 September 1995 at Aveiro, Portugal (*Bulletin 78*: 1-2)
3. Chairman's Report
4. Treasurer's Report
5. Membership Secretary's Report
6. Editor's Report
7. Co-ordinator's Report
8. WSG-WI Liaison Officer's Report
9. Election of officers and members of the Executive Committee
10. Subscription rates for 1997
11. Charitable status for WSG

The Vice-Chairman, Theunis Piersma, the Editor, David Stroud, the WSG-WI Liaison Officer, Nick Davidson, and the Membership Secretary, Rodney West, all complete their terms of office this year and their positions fall vacant. The Officers concerned have indicated their willingness to stand for a further term, and the Executive Committee thus proposes the election of the following Officers:

Vice-Chairman Theunis Piersma

Editor David Stroud

Membership Secretary  
Rodney West

IWRB-WI Liaison Officer  
Nick Davidson

The terms of office of Nicola Baccetti, Mark Barter, Jadwiga Gromadzka and Brigitte Hötter-Klinner are completed this year. Nicola Baccetti and Mark Barter have indicated their willingness to stand for a further term of office on the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee thus proposes the election of Nicola Baccetti and Mark Barter for a further term of Office.

The Executive Committee also proposes for election to the Committee Ole Thorup (to act as Project Co-ordinator), Jan van Gils (to act as Survey Co-ordinator) and Julianne Evans (currently acting as

Assistant *Bulletin* Editor). These three individuals have all indicated their willingness to stand for election.

Alternative nominations for the posts of Officers and Executive Committee members may be made by any members of the Wader Study Group. Nominations must be signed by a proposer and a seconder and must include a signed statement by the candidate indicating that she or he is willing to stand. All of these people must be paid up members of the Wader Study Group. Nominations should be sent to the General Secretary, Petra de Goeij, to arrive by 15 September 1996.

## **1996 WSG Annual Conference, de Hoge Rielen, Kasterlee, Belgium**

The Conference will be held on 9-10 November with a one day workshop on 11 November. Arrival will be on the Friday evening, 8 November.

Full Conference details, booking forms, and talk and poster offer forms, together with details of the elections of Officers and Executive Committee Members were posted separately to WSG members in June.