



## Manifest Awards & Nominations

### AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS

#### 2024

- Best play for Summer and Smoke.
- The Jan King award went to our Stevie Sadler.
- Best Young Actor won by Ewan Beeston-Cocks for Jumpers for Goalposts
- Best Young Actress won by Maddy Smith for Gaslight.
- Best supporting Actor won by Les Chisnall for Gaslight.

#### 2020

##### Nominations from North Essex Theatre Guild 2019/20

###### **Santa Goes on Holiday - Directed by Kerry King**

- King Costume Award.
- Award for Technical Achievement.
- Award for Best Dame - Nigel Rowe as Flossy and Rob Sadler as Droopy Drawers. (Joint award)
- Best Actress - Amanda Rowe as Wicklopedia.
- The Debbie Millar School of Dance Award for Choreography - The Bollywood routine.

###### **Sherlock Holmes and the Seven Wooden Figurines - Directed by Lea Friend**

- The Terry Sadler Memorial Trophy for Front of House.
- The Millenium Writers Award for Best Original Script - Tom Hitchcock.
- Full-Length Play Festival Costume Award.
- Set Design/Construction/Dressing Award.
- Best Supporting Actor - Paul Man as Sir Cuthbert Worthington-Jones.
- Best Supporting Actress - Bethany Jones as Lady Arabella Thorn.
- The David Knight Shield for Best Actor - Rob Sadler as Sherlock Holmes.
- Best Actress - Amanda Rowe as Lady Veronica Worthington-Jones.
- The Cliff Hudson Award for Comedy. (Production)

###### **Of Mice and Men - Directed by Alison Baker**

- Award for Set Design/Construction/Dressing.
- Lyndon Trophy for Technical Achievement.
- Best Supporting Actor - Nigel Morton as Candy.
- The David Knight Shield for Best Actor - Paul Reed as George and Brandon Lee as Lennie. (Joint nomination)
- The Doris Griffith Memorial Cup for Best Dramatic Full Length Play.

#### 2019

##### Nominations from North Essex Theatre Guild 2018/19

- Best Director - Kate Sheffield - Talking Heads
- Best Actress - Jenni Horn - Talking Heads
- Technical Achievement - Tech Crew - Talking Heads

- Set design, construction and dressing - Tech & Props teams - Talking Heads

**2014**

**Nominations from North Essex Theatre Guild 2014/15**

- King Costume Award - [Jack The Ripper](#)
- Jean Jones Award for Set Design/Construction/Dressing - [Jack The Ripper](#)
- Technical Achievement - Lighting & Sound in [Jack The Ripper](#)
- Best Young Actor - Malachy Lockie as Daniel Mendoza in [Jack The Ripper](#)
- Best Actress - Nancy Dines as Marie Kelly in [Jack The Ripper](#)
- Collyer-Smith Marine Trophy for Best Musical - [Jack the Ripper](#) directed by Kerry King
- The Terry Sadler Memorial Trophy for Front Of House - Manifest Theatre Group
- Costume Award - [Roleplay](#)
- Set Design/Construction - [Quartet](#) & [Roleplay](#)
- Lyndon Trophy for Technical Achievement - [Roleplay](#)
- Best Supporting Actress - Helen Bridge as Arabella in [Roleplay](#)
- The David Knight Shield for Best Actor - Paul George as Justin in [Roleplay](#)
- Best Actress - Alison Baker as Julie-Ann in [Roleplay](#)
- The Doris Griffith Memorial Cup for Best Production - [Roleplay](#) directed by Val Taylor

## 2013

### Nominations from NODA East District 11

- Best Play Category - [The Heiress](#) directed by John Roberts

## 2012

### Nominations from NODA East District 11

- Best Technical Award - Set of [Dead Guilty](#) and consistent brilliant sets for all productions in 2012
- Best Drama - **Dead Guilty** - Directed by Glyn Hill

## 2010

### NETG Nominations 2009/10

- Costume Award: [Blood Brothers](#)
- Lyndon Trophy for Technical Achievment: **Blood Brothers**
- Norman Harris Trophy - Adjudicators Award: The team playing of the cast (particularly as children) in **Blood Brothers**
- Best Actress: Caroline Roberts as Mrs. Johnstone in **Blood Brothers**
- King Costume Award: [70 Girls 70](#)
- Technical Achievement: **70 Girls 70**
- Best Supporting Actor: Nigel Rowe as Harry in **70 Girls 70**
- Best Actress: Val Taylor as Ida in **70 Girls 70**
- Best Supporting Actress: Rosamund Pettet as Sadie in **70 Girls 70**
- Front of House Award: Broadway themed F.O.H. display for **70 Girls 70**

## 2009

### Award from NODA East District 11

Best Drama 2009: [Barefoot in the Park](#) directed by Caroline Roberts

### NETG Awards 2008/9

- Best Supporting Actor: Lester Pearce as The Genie in [Aladdin](#)
- Set Design/Construction for [Pack of Lies](#)
- Set Design/Construction for [Barefoot in the Park](#)

### NETG Nominations 2008/9

- Best Supporting Actor: Lester Pearce as The Genie in [Aladdin](#)
- Best Supporting Actress: Amanda Rowe as The Spirit in [Aladdin](#)
- Best Actress: Pheobe Day as Princess Jasmine in [Aladdin](#)

- Set Design/Construction for [Pack of Lies](#)
- Best Supporting Actor: John Roberts as Stewart in [Pack of Lies](#)
- Best Actress: Rosamund Pettett as Barbara Jackson in [Pack of Lies](#)
- The Doris Griffiths Memorial Cup for Best Production in [Pack of Lies](#)
- Best Supporting Actor: Mike Johansen as Victor Valasco in [Barefoot in the Park](#)
- Best Supporting Actress: Val Taylor as Mrs.Banks [Barefoot in the Park](#)
- Set Design/Construction for [Barefoot in the Park](#)
- The Cliff Hudson Award for Comedy: Alan Wheeler as Rene in [Allo Allo](#)

## 2008

### Award from NODA EAST district 11

Best Drama of 2008: [Our Town](#) directed by Kerry King

### Brantham Play Festival 1<sup>st</sup> November 2008

#### Nominations for "Talk in the Park"

- Best Production
- Best Direction
- Best Costume Achievement
- Best Supporting Actress - Gloria Streames
- Best Supporting Actress - Christine Phasey
- Best Supporting Actor - Gordon Prior
- Best Supporting Actor - Chris Bush

#### Awards

#### Brantham Play Festival Adjudicator's Award

#### North East Essex Theatre Guild

**Award for Best Young Actor:** Ryan Maslen as Nigel in [The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole aged 13 ¾ years](#)

**Jan King unsung hero award:** Yvonne Cobbold (founder member and Bar Manager)

**Nominations for [The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole aged 13 ¾ years](#) by the North East Essex Theatre Guild were:**

- Costume Award:
- Best Young Actor: Matthew Barrott and Daniel Richardson in the shared role of Adrian Mole
- Best Young Actor: Ryan Maslen as Nigel
- Best Supporting Actor: Gordon Prior as Bert Baxter

**Nominations for [Our Town](#) by the North East Essex Theatre Guild were:**

- Best Young Actress: Pheobe Day as Emily Webb

Nominations by the North East Essex Theatre Guild for

THE DORIS GRIFFITHS MEMORIAL CUP for BEST PRODUCTION: [Our Town](#) directed by Kerry King

## 2007

### Award from NODA EAST district 11

Best Pantomime of 2007: [Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs](#)

**Nominations by the North East Essex Theatre Guild Awards were:**

- Set Design/Construction: [Steel Magnolias](#)
- Best Supporting Actress: Val Taylor as Ouisa in [Steel Magnolias](#)
- Best Actress: Emma Race as Shelby in [Steel Magnolias](#)

## 2006

In the Full Length Play section there have been nominations for Gloria Streames for her role as the twittering Mercy in '[Humble Boy](#)', John Roberts for his portrayal of the scheming taxman Mr Dodds in '[My Friend Miss Flint](#)', and both plays will compete with each other after being nominated for Best Set Design/Construction.

### **Nominations by the North East Essex Theatre Guild Awards were:**

- Set design / construction: [Humble Boy](#)
- Set design / construction: [My Friend Miss Flint](#)
- Best Supporting Actor: John Roberts as Mr Dodds in [My Friend Miss Flint](#)
- Best Supporting Actress: Gloria Streams as Mercy in [Humble Boy](#)

## 2005

In the Showcase section the Manifest Theatre's moving production of '[Oh, What A Lovely War](#)' has been nominated four times! Best Technical Achievement for Light & Sound, the Adjudicator's award for Front of House Organisation and Display, Best Young Actor for Ryan Maslen, and the Collyer-Marine Trophy for Best Musical.

### **Nominations by the North East Essex Theatre Guild Awards were:**

- Technical Achievement: Sound and Lighting in [Oh What a Lovely War](#)
- Adjudicators' Award: Front of house organisation and display - [Oh What a Lovely War](#)
- Best Young Actor: Ryan Maslan in various roles in [Oh What a Lovely War](#)
- Collyer-Marine Trophy for Best Musical: for [Oh What a Lovely War](#) directed by Kerry King

## 2004

Nominations for [Blithe Spirit](#) by the North East Essex Theatre Guild Awards were:

- Best Actress - Val Taylor
- Best Actor - Nigel Lister
- Best Set Design
- Best Costumes

## 1995

Awards for [The House of Frankenstein](#) by the North East Essex Theatre Guild;

- Best Production: Director - Chris Mason, Production Manager - Val Taylor
- Technical Achievement: Lighting - Bruce Emeny, Sound - Greg Garrad

## 1992

Awards for [Ladies in Retirement](#) by the North East Essex Theatre Guild;

- Best Production: Val Taylor as producer
- Best Young Actor: Chris Mason

Nominations

- Technical Achievement: Bruce Emeny and Greg Garrad
- Best Costume: Karen Carter and Moira Hutt
- Best Actress: Jill Laurie
- Best Supporting Actress: Viv Wheatley