



**HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE**

Response Date: 24/02/2026

2026/164 - Current and Former Chief Officer

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I am writing to request information regarding individuals who have served in the following senior leadership roles within your police force:

- Chief Constable
- Deputy Chief Constable
- Assistant Chief Constable

I would be grateful if you could provide the names of those who currently hold these positions, as well as those who have previously held these roles. Where possible, please include the dates during which each individual served in their respective position.

Full Name (Actual)	Employee End Date	Grouped Post	Post Start Date	Post End Date
WOLFENDALE, CLIVE	13/09/2009	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	02/04/2001	30/09/2003
CURTIS, STEPHEN	31/08/2013	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/10/2003	31/03/2006
SHANNON, IAN	30/06/2013	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	04/01/2005	30/07/2009
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/06/2009	14/06/2010
WILLIAMS, GERAINT	02/05/2011	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	07/12/2009	21/03/2010
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	15/06/2010	06/11/2011
SHAW, SIMON	16/02/2016	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	07/11/2011	31/03/2012
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	03/01/2012	09/04/2013
SHAW, SIMON	16/02/2016	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	10/04/2013	16/02/2016
DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	02/06/2014	12/03/2017
ANDERSON, NEILL	16/02/2022	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	13/03/2017	23/04/2017

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DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	24/04/2017	20/07/2018
ANDERSON, NEILL	16/02/2022	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/08/2018	28/04/2019
HATCHETT, SACHA	26/09/2021	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	29/04/2019	26/09/2021
HARRISON, NIGEL		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	13/09/2021	13/02/2022
ALLSOP, CHRIS		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	14/02/2022	02/09/2022
GOSS, ALEX	31/10/2024	NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	03/09/2022	30/10/2022
ALLSOP, CHRIS		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	31/10/2022	07/08/2023
HARRISON, NIGEL		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	08/08/2023	05/11/2023
ALLSOP, CHRIS		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	06/11/2023	Current
EVANS, GARETH		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/04/2024	Current
LLEWELLYN, OWAIN		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	09/02/2026	Current
EVANS, NICHOLAS		NPCC ASSISTANT CHIEF CONSTABLE	09/02/2026	Current
BRERETON, WILLIAM	31/07/2004	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/01/2001	31/07/2004
WOLFENDALE, CLIVE	13/09/2009	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/10/2003	30/07/2009
SHANNON, IAN	30/06/2013	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	31/07/2009	06/11/2011
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	07/11/2011	02/01/2012
SHANNON, IAN	30/06/2013	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	03/01/2012	30/06/2013
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	10/04/2013	12/03/2017
DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	13/03/2017	23/04/2017
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	24/04/2017	31/07/2018
DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	21/07/2018	02/09/2022
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	05/11/2018	16/11/2018
ALLSOP, CHRIS		NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	03/09/2022	30/10/2022
DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	31/10/2022	30/10/2023
ALLSOP, CHRIS		NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	08/08/2023	05/11/2023
HARRISON, NIGEL		NPCC DEPUTY CHIEF CONSTABLE	06/11/2023	Current
BRUNSTROM, RICHARD	30/07/2009	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/01/2001	30/07/2009
WOLFENDALE, CLIVE	13/09/2009	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	31/07/2009	13/09/2009

POLIN, MARK	31/08/2018	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/11/2009	31/08/2018
SHANNON, IAN	30/06/2013	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	07/11/2011	02/01/2012
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	13/03/2017	23/04/2017
PRITCHARD, HUW	16/11/2018	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	01/08/2018	04/11/2018
FOULKES, CARL	14/10/2022	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	05/11/2018	14/10/2022
DEBICKI, RICHARD	30/10/2023	NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	03/09/2022	30/10/2022
BLAKEMAN, AMANDA		NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	31/10/2022	15/01/2026
BLAKEMAN, AMANDA		NPCC CHIEF CONSTABLE	17/01/2026	Current

Data prior to 2000 (not further details held):

	Post Start Date	Post End Date
Chief Constable:		
MJ Argent	1994	31.12.2000
D Owen		31.03.1994
P Myers		
Deputy Chief Constable:		
JT Owen		31.03.2000
E Evans		1991
Assistant Chief Constable:		
Elfed Roberts		05.03.2000
TJW Cooke		1999
Richard Heseltine		1994
Graham Lloyd Jones		1987

If available, I would also like to request any official photographs or publicly released images associated with these individuals (for example, official portraits used for media or organisational purposes). If photographs are held but are exempt from disclosure, I would appreciate clarification on whether this exemption applies.

Current Chief Officers photos are available on our website;

[Chief officers | North Wales Police](#)

Please find attached further photographs held.

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