

which lists databases, websites, statistical and reference sources etc. that are relevant to nursing and midwifery (<http://www.nottingham.ac.uk/library/resources/index.html>). In addition, I am involved in working groups across the whole of Library Services and of course I am now a committed member of Libraries for Nursing.

More information about Nottingham University's Library Service can be found at:

<http://www.nottingham.ac.uk/library> and I can be contacted at:

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AGM SECRETARY'S REPORT - 2001

Committee

Rebecca Davies remained as Chair and Editor of the Bulletin, agreeing to continue in office, as the Committee lost several experienced members this year. Rebecca is from Wales. Other members come from North and South England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and the Channel Islands, so there is geographically wide representation. Alison Aiton left at the end of the year after a very committed term of office as Treasurer, having streamlined procedures and handing over to Caroline Lynch. This leaves a vacancy for a Scottish Representative. Sue Woodburn took over from Donald Mackay as Membership Secretary. Karen Smith completed an

extra year as Marketing Officer, then handed over to Jane Shelley. New members were Jennifer Drury and Johanna Westwood. Meetings were scheduled for February, May, September and December. Olwen Revill continued organising Study Days with support from other Committee members.

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