

# **COMMUNITY COUNCIL OF STAFFORDSHIRE**

## **BEST KEPT VILLAGE COMPETITION 2017**

### **MAIN SPONSORS**

**STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**and**

### **AREA TROPHY DONORS**

**Stafford – Rubery Owen Holdings Ltd**  
**South Staffordshire – South Staffordshire Council/South Staffordshire Housing Association**  
**Lichfield/Cannock Chase – The Leavesley Group on behalf of The National Memorial Arboretum**  
**Staffordshire Moorlands – Lafarge Cement**  
**East Staffordshire – Community Council of Staffordshire**

### **FORTY-SIX VILLAGES ENTERED THE COMPETITION THIS YEAR**

In the first round judges looked at all villages twice, once in May and once in June.

The villages judged twice in the first round were:

#### **STAFFORD**

Burston  
Church Eaton  
Fulford  
Gnosall  
Haughton  
Hilderstone  
Oulton  
Stowe-by-Chartley  
Swynnerton  
Walton-on-the-Hill

#### **SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE**

Acton Trussell  
Bednall  
Bishops Wood  
Brewood  
Kinver  
Lapley  
Pattingham  
Penkridge  
Stretton  
Swindon  
Wheaton Aston  
Wombourne

#### **LICHFIELD/CANNOCK CHASE**

Edingale  
Elford  
Fradley  
Harlaston  
Haunton  
Hednesford  
Kings Bromley  
Longdon/Longdon Green  
Norton Canes  
Stonnall  
Upper Longdon  
Wall

**STAFFORDSHIRE  
MOORLANDS**

Alton  
Brown Edge  
Cauldon Lowe  
Kingsley Holt

**EAST STAFFORDSHIRE**

Abbots Bromley  
Bramshall  
Denstone & Stubwood  
Dunstall  
Hoar Cross  
Marchington  
Tutbury  
Yoxall

Up to three villages from each category (large and small) with the highest percentage marks in each of the five areas went through to the Area Final round.

**THE RESULTS WERE AS FOLLOWS:**

**STAFFORD AREA  
COMPETING FOR THE RUBERY OWEN HOLDINGS LIMITED TROPHY**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Gnosall  
2<sup>nd</sup> Walton-on-the Hill

**SMALL VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Haughton ♦ Trophy winner  
2<sup>nd</sup> Oulton  
3<sup>rd</sup> Hilderstone

**HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Burston, Fulford, Stowe-by-Chartley, Swynnerton

**SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE AREA  
COMPETING FOR THE SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE COUNCIL/  
SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE HOUSING ASSOCIATION TROPHY**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Brewood ♦ Trophy winner  
2<sup>nd</sup> Kinver  
3<sup>rd</sup> Penkridge

**SMALL VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Acton Trussell  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bednall  
3<sup>rd</sup> Bishops Wood

**HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Pattingham, Wombourne

**LICHFIELD/CANNOCK CHASE AREA  
COMPETING FOR THE TROPHY SPONSORED BY THE LEAVESLEY GROUP  
ON BEHALF OF THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARBORETUM**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Norton Canes  
2<sup>nd</sup> Stonnall  
3<sup>rd</sup> Longdon/Longdon Green

**SMALL VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Kings Bromley ♦ Trophy winner  
2<sup>nd</sup> Edingale  
3<sup>rd</sup> Upper Longdon

**HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Elford, Fradley, Harlaston, Haunton, Hednesford, Wall

**STAFFORDSHIRE MOORLANDS AREA  
COMPETING FOR THE LAFARGE CEMENT TROPHY**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

**SMALL VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Caudon Lowe ♦ Trophy winner  
2<sup>nd</sup> Kingsley Holt

**HIGHLY COMMENDED**

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**EAST STAFFORDSHIRE AREA  
COMPETING FOR THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL OF STAFFORDSHIRE TROPHY**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Abbots Bromley ♦ Trophy winner  
2<sup>nd</sup> Yoxall

**SMALL VILLAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Bramshall  
2<sup>nd</sup> Marchington  
3<sup>rd</sup> Hoar Cross

**HIGHLY COMMENDED**

Denstone & Stubwood, Dunstall, Tutbury

**The overall winner in each area will receive the trophy and a cheque from the trophy donor.**

The Area winners were judged in the County Final round to determine the

**COUNTY WINNERS**

**LARGE VILLAGE**

**GNOSALL**

**SMALL VILLAGE**

**ACTON TRUSSELL**

**Each County Winner will receive a shield donated by the  
Community Council of Staffordshire and a tree donated by Mr Amyas Stafford-Northcote  
on behalf of CPRE**

**AN AWARD OF SPECIAL COMMENDATION  
FOR CONSISTENT PARTICIPATION, EFFORT AND ACHIEVEMENT  
IN BKV OVER 50 YEARS  
IS AWARDED TO:**

**Pattingham**

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**WINNERS OF “THE SPIRIT OF BEST KEPT VILLAGE” COMPETITION  
SPONSORED BY RUBERY OWEN HOLDINGS LTD**

**Winner – Painting – Julie Timmis, Walton  
Winner – Photograph, Heather Fallows, Kingsley Holt**

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**WINNERS OF THE CHILDREN’S COMPETITIONS WILL BE ANNOUNCED  
AT A SEPARATE PRESENTATION EVENING  
TO BE HELD AT ACTON TRUSSELL COMMUNITY CENTRE  
ON MONDAY 11 SEPTEMBER 2017**

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