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NEWBURY IN BLOOM JUDGING 2017

Newbury in Bloom judges have now visited all of the 42 entries received from local businesses, primary schools, places of worship, allotments, community projects and almshouses.

Councillor Sarah Greenall, Chair of the Working Group, said, "This is the second year of our renewed Newbury in Bloom campaign and the standard of the gardens and floral displays that we've seen have been outstanding. We're so pleased we've had so many entries, even more than last year, and everyone has made such an effort. It will be extremely difficult to choose the winners.

She continued: "Newbury in Bloom is working to make our Town even more beautiful for residents, shoppers and visitors and we are looking forward to growing the campaign year on year."

The Town Council has also been actively involved and their planting can be seen at The Town Hall, Victoria Park, The Wharf Toilets, Old Hospital Green, Greenham House Gardens and St. John's Memorial Gardens. Over 100 colourful hanging baskets have also been erected throughout the town centre and at the Shaw and Newtown Road Cemetery sites. This, together with local businesses taking advantage of purchasing fully maintained baskets from the Town Council, has created a vibrant display for visitors and residents to enjoy.

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Councillor Greenall also thanked the Corn Exchange, Newbury and Tesco Bags of Help together with all of the sponsors for their invaluable support in making this year's campaign such a success.

The winners will be announced at an awards presentation evening to be held on 19th September 2017 at the Corn Exchange, Newbury and all entrants will be invited to attend.

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Attached: Photographs of some of the entries: St Joseph's Church 'Bug House', an allotment plot at West Mills and a Community Garden at Carnarvon Place.

Attached also: Victoria Park, Wharf Toilets and the Clock House floral displays

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Entries for 2017 Newbury in Bloom

Business

Sponsored by:

Maintenance Ltd

The Bakehouse Deli
Weavers Walk
Empire Cafe
The Elephant in the Market
LK Hair and Beauty
Bills Restaurant
Gourmet Burger Kitchen
The Clothes Shop
Lock Stock and Barrel
The Newbury
Naomi House & Jacks Place Charity Shop
The Monument
The Chequers Hotel
The Bacon Arms
The Gun

Allotments

Sponsored by:

Mole Country Stores

Brenda Clark & John Sweeting
Stanley Plumb
Michael Watch
Wendy Drewitt
Jo Dobson
Sarah De Souza
Paul Dean
Patricia Ann Paynter
John Berry
Nick Bune

Schools

Sponsored by: Rivar Sand & Gravel Ltd

Almshouses

Sponsored by:

Volker Highways Ltd

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
St John the Evangelist
Falkland Primary School
St Nicolas Church of England School
Speenhamland Primary School
St John the Evangelist Nursery School

Kimbers Almshouses
Lower Raymond Almshouses
Harvest Green

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Place of Worship **Sponsored by: Sun Dog Hire Ltd**

St Joseph's Church

The Friends Meeting House

St Nicolas Church

St Francis De Sale

**Community
Projects**

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Winchcombe Place Care
Home

Riverside Centre

New Leaf Horticultural Therapy

Carnarvon Place Gardening
Club

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