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Newbury In Bloom Judges Impressed by Standard of Entries in this year's Competition



One of the beautiful displays judged for this year's Newbury In Bloom Competition.

Newbury Town Council is delighted to announce that the judging is now complete for this year's Newbury In Bloom competition. Considering this year's intense temperatures and lack of water, the judges, Mayor of Newbury, Cllr Gillian Durrant, Mr John Winterbourne and Mrs Frances Berry, were exceptionally impressed by the displays viewed over the two days of judging on the hottest days of the year so far.

Town Council officer Sue Page, who accompanied the judges, said "You could see the vast amount of effort that the people had made to overcome the acute conditions of this year. One of the entrants told us that it had taken them up to four hours a day to water their garden due to the hosepipe ban. I think you can safely say that is pure dedication to the cause".

Scores will now remain top secret until the Presentation Evening which is due to take place on Friday 15 th September at 7pm in the Town Hall Chamber

The Tallest Sunflower category is still to be judged and can be entered by completing an entry form available at the town council offices or on our website www.newbury.gov.uk

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