

ILMINSTER TOWN COUNCIL 2023

SCARECROW COMPETITION

Design & make

**your own
scarecrow**

Theme:

**THE BEST
OF BRITISH**

**Please send
your entry forms
to Ilminster
Town Council
by 2pm on
Thursday 1st
June 2023**



**Display outside
your house from
4th to 11th June
2023**

**Good Luck
& get
stuffing &
Creating!!**

ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE FROM

**Ilminster Town Council, Old Magistrates Court, East Street,
Ilminster TA19 0AJ.**



Download from the Town Council website

www.ilminster.gov.uk or

**Ilminster Library and
The Arts Centre, East Street, Ilminster**

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This year Ilminster Town Council are again holding a Scarecrow Competition which all residents and local businesses of Ilminster are welcome to enter. **The Theme this year is celebrating “The Best of British”.**

Scarecrows should be displayed where they can be seen easily and on view from midday Sunday 4th June until 8.00pm 11th June 2023. The Scarecrows will be judged during this period. We are mapping the scarecrows – so the public can also walk round if they choose, so please bear this in mind.

The winners will be announced at IMEX on Sunday 11th June 2023 and there will be prizes to the value of £30, £20, and £10 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places and there will be a 1st and 2nd community group/business prize.

Entry forms are available from the Town Council offices (open 11am - 2pm Monday - Friday), downloaded from the Town Council website www.ilminster.gov.uk, call the office on 01460 52149 or collect from the Ilminster Meeting House & The Arts Centre, Ilminster and Ilminster Library.

Guidelines for Entry

Your scarecrow does not need to be traditional - let your imagination run wild. You can make a scarecrow from virtually anything and you are especially encouraged to use recycled materials.

Local traders could use scarecrows to effectively highlight their particular business, drawing on the theme of the business for creative inspiration.

1. Scarecrows can be built by families or individuals and can be any height up to a maximum of 1.8 metres.
2. The Theme this year is celebrating **“The Best of British”**.
3. Your scarecrow must be made from scratch.
4. Scarecrows will be judged on strength, durability to the weather, imagination, and character.
5. Your entry may be a single scarecrow, a family, or a group.

A list of scarecrows entered the competition along with a map showing their locations, will be made available from Friday 2nd June 2023 online and printed copies can be collected from Monday 5th June 2023 so that members of the public can walk around the town to view the entries.

**Iminster Town Council
Scarecrow Competition 2023
Entry Form**

Name:

Contact telephone no:

Email:

Address:.....

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**COMPLETED ENTRY FORMS MUST REACH THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICES BY
2pm on Thursday 1st June.**

Send your completed entry form to:

Iminster Town Council
Old Magistrates Court
East Street
Iminster TA19 0AJ
Or email town.council@ilminster.gov.uk

