



Children's Painting Competition

First Prize Winners

Group A – (Reception to year 2)

McKeal Abdullah (5) 'Gerbera', Glapton Primary School and Nursery, Clifton, Nottingham

Group B – (Years 3 & 4)

Jude Young (9) 'Orange Blossom', Deeping St James Community Primary School, Deeping St James, Lincolnshire

Group C – (Years 5 & 6)

Demi Reid (11) 'Flower Delight', Grange Primary School, Grimsby, N E Lincolnshire

Group D – (Years 7 to 13)

Equal First Prize

Connor Baker (11) Ellis Guilford School and Sports College, Old Basford, Nottingham

Peace Fenojo (15) 'Garden Gnomes', Ellis Guilford School and Sports College, Old Basford, Nottingham

Children's Digital Photography Competition

First Prize Winners

Class A – (Reception to Year 2)

Mia Wragg (6), Bakewell Church of England School, Bakewell, Derbyshire

Class B – (Years 3 to 6)

Emily Pykett (9), Fairfield Primary School, Scartho, Great Grimsby

Special Awards

♥ **East Midlands in Bloom Award for Horticultural Excellence within Parks**

Welland Park, Market Harborough

♥ **East Midlands in Bloom Award for Best Wildflower and Conservation Area**

Sutton Bridge

♥ **East Midlands in Bloom Award for the Most Improved Entrant**

Gainsborough

♥ **East Midlands in Bloom Award for the Least Littered Environment**

Cleethorpes

♥ **East Midlands in Bloom Committee Award**

Richard Gold

♥ **Frank Constable Award for Best Residential Garden**

Mrs Susan Blades, 40 Stallingborough Road, Immingham

♥ **Barcham Trees East Midlands in Bloom Award for the Best New Permanent Landscape**

Lark Hill Village

♥ **The Art Department East Midlands in Bloom Best Hotel/Pub garden or Display**

The Grange Hotel, Newark

♥ **The Art Department East Midlands in Bloom Best Retail/Commercial Premises**

Chapman's Nurseries, Rosliston

♥ **Vital Earth East Midlands in Bloom Best School Garden**

Spire Infant School, Chesterfield



2011 Campaign Category Awards

Small Village

Silver and Category Winner	Elmton, Derbyshire
Silver	St. Crispin Village, Northamptonshire
Silver	Barton in Fabis, Nottinghamshire
Bronze	Ranby, Nottinghamshire

Judges Award: Elmton – For those responsible for protecting the rare and beautiful Bee Orchids on the Green

Judges Award: St. Crispin Retirement Village - For the excellent colourful terraced garden recently constructed within the heart of the retirement complex

Judges Award: Barton in Fabis – For Angela Plowright in creating her exquisite and magical cottage garden at the Old Forge

Judges Award: Ranby - For the splendid new playing fields recently constructed adjacent to the village school

Village

Gold and Category Winner	Rosliston, Derbyshire
Silver	Milford, Derbyshire
Silver	Middleton by Wirksworth, Derbyshire
Silver	Lark Hill Village, Nottingham

Judges Award: Rosliston – The large number of young children involved in environmental activities in the village

Judges Award: Milford – The Hopping Mill development, its design, layout and inclusion of heritage features and the well maintained front gardens

Judges Award: Middleton by Wirksworth – The Eco Centre for the well designed facility and active programme to train and educate adults in traditional country skills such as dry stone walling

Judges Award: Lark Hill – Award for enthusiasm of all residents and particularly the two Gardening Gnomes ~ the suesnami!

Large Village

Gold and Category Winner	Market Bosworth
Gold	Donington, Lincolnshire
Gold	Caistor, Lincolnshire
Silver Gilt	Sapcote, Leicestershire
Silver	Tansley, Derbyshire
Silver	Kirton in Lindsey, North Lincolnshire
Silver	Asfordby, Leicestershire

Judges Award: Donington The high levels of Rainwater Harvesting around the whole Village

Judges Award: Sapcote The dedication and tireless work of the whole Bloom Committee

Judges Award: Tansley The Tansley Primary School, Staff and Pupils for the continued effort and hard work to develop the School Grounds

Judges Award: Asfordby The tireless work of Peter Thornton in maintaining the Grounds of Bradgate Flats for the elderly occupants



It's Your Neighbourhood*

Presented on 14th September

(*more IYN awards will be presented at local awards presentations on different dates)

Eton Avenue Growers Association ~	level 3
Friends of Chaddesden Park ~	level 5
Choices Group, Southfields Allotments ~	level 2
Choices, Abington Park ~	level 4
St Crispins Retirement Club ~	level 4
FAB Daytime Group ~	level 3
Kirk Langley Community Orchard ~	level 3
Flinders Founders ~	level 5 and DART "Most Inspiring Entry" 2011
Friends of Evington Park and Village Green ~	level 5 and RHS/BiB National Certificate of Distinction

Small Town

Silver Gilt and Category Winner	Uppingham, Rutland
Silver	Bakewell, Derbyshire
Silver	Ibstock, Leicestershire
Silver	Deeping St. James Village, Lincolnshire
Silver	Long Sutton, Lincolnshire
Silver	Holbeach, Lincolnshire
Bronze	Sutton Bridge, Lincolnshire
Bronze	Blidworth, Nottinghamshire
Bronze	Market Deeping, Lincolnshire
Bronze	Crowland, Lincolnshire

Judges Award: Uppingham - for the grounds staff at The Uppingham School for their commitment and assistance to Uppingham in Bloom

Judges Award: Bakewell – For the quality of display and maintenance at Bath Gardens

Judges Award: Ibstock – For the Sence Valley Volunteers for their continued work at Sence Valley Country Park

Judges Award: Deeping St. James Village – For the new planting at the Old Priory Farm shrub bed

Judges Award: Long Sutton – For Jack Tyrrell for his commitment to the Schools Garden Design and Build Competition

Judges Award: Holbeach – For the wonderful grounds and gardening features at Small Saints Pre-School

Judges Award: Sutton Bridge -To the Bloomers for their wonderful floral enhancements across the town

Judges Award: Blidworth - For the Friends of Tippings Wood for their excellent work for the Community and Environment

Judges Award: Market Deeping – For Colin Ward of Swinesmeadow Farm Nursery for his continued support to Market Deeping in Bloom

Judges Award: Crowland - For the commitment of the Bloom Group in growing all the plants used in the town's planters



Town

Gold and Category Winner	Oakham
Silver Gilt	Immingham, N E Lincolnshire
Silver Gilt	Bourne, Lincolnshire
Silver Gilt	Syston, Leicestershire
Silver	Matlock, Derbyshire
Bronze	Staveley, Derbyshire

Judges Award: Oakham – Land's End Europe Ltd.

Judges Award: Immingham - Pilgrim Park HMS in Bloom Project

Judges Award: Bourne - Well Head Gardens

Judges Award: Syston - St Paul's Court

Judges Award: Matlock – Friends of Matlock Railway Station

Judges Award: Staveley - Staveley Centre Care Home

Large Town

Gold and Category Winner	Belper, Derbyshire
Gold	Market Harborough, Leicestershire
Silver Gilt	Spalding
Silver Gilt	Sleaford, Lincolnshire
Silver Gilt	Ilkeston, Derbyshire
Silver Gilt	Long Eaton, Derbyshire
Silver	Newark, Nottinghamshire
Bronze	Gainsborough, Lincolnshire

Judges Award: Belper – For the residents of Meadow Court

Judges Award: Market Harborough - For the Market Harborough in Bloom Committee

Judges Award: Spalding – For the initiatives taken by traders in providing high quality floral displays in the Crescent, Francis Street and Vine Street area

Judges Award: Sleaford – for the Barge and Bottle

Judges Award: Ilkeston – For the Spanish Bar, South Street

Judges Award: Long Eaton – the restoration of the Long Eaton Cemetery Chapel, the approach roads, avenue and entrance gates

Judges Award: Ilkeston – For the work of the Friends of Stanton Road Cemetery to preserve the heritage of the site for future generations

Judges Award: Newark – the Magnus School Special Needs Group (supported by the Eton Avenue Growers Association)

Judges Award: Gainsborough – the Friends of the Old Hall Medieval Manor

Urban Community

Silver and Category Winner	The Meadows, Nottinghamshire
Silver	Littleover, Derby

Judges Award: The Meadows - For the children and teachers of Greenfield Primary School for their wonderful school gardens

Judges Award: Littleover – For the successful shop fronts competition run as part of the Bloom entry



Coastal Resort

Gold and Category Winner

Cleethorpes Lincolnshire

Silver

Mablethorpe, Lincolnshire

Silver

Skegness, Lincolnshire

Judges Award: Cleethorpes – Artwork and sculpture on view throughout the resort

Judges Award: Mablethorpe – The stunning, highly productive allotments and the work of Pat Locke at that site and elsewhere

Judges Award: Skegness – The work of Matthew Partridge and other HOPE volunteers at Witham Lodge and elsewhere in the resort

Small City

Gold and Category Winner

Loughborough, Leicestershire

Gold

Oadby & Wigston, Leicestershire

Silver Gilt

Grimsby, N E Lincolnshire

Silver Gilt

Chesterfield, Derbyshire

Judges Award: Loughborough – Three Close Tenants Association

Judges Award: Oadby & Wigston – the Volunteers of Brocks Hill Country Park for their work and continued support in maintaining Brocks Hill Country Park

Judges Award: Grimsby – St Andrew's Hospice Garden Volunteers

Judges Award: Chesterfield – For the Friends of Holmebrook Park

City

Gold and Category Winner

Northampton

Judges Award: Northampton – George Howard and the outstanding work of the Castle Environmental Group

Large City

Gold and Category Winner

Nottingham

Judges Award: Nottingham – the Floral Sculpture trail

EMiB Regional Finalists

Britain in Bloom 2011

Rosliston - Village

Donington - Large Village

Oakham - Town

Oadby & Wigston - Small City

Cleethorpes - Large Coastal

Results will be announced on 25th September at the Britain in Bloom National Awards Presentation in St Andrews, Fife