

Ravenswood Scarecrow Competition 2009

Competition event Date: 3rd October 2009

This document contains draft rules for the Ravenswood Scarecrow Competition 2009. For up-to-date information, visit our website: <http://www.ravenswood-residents.org.uk/>

The Scarecrow Competition is being arranged by the Ravenswood Residents Association to celebrate 10 years since the foundation stone of the estate was laid. In addition to this competition we will be holding a barn dance. Full details of both events and other activities around Ravenswood are shown on our website.

There will be one entry category for our competition:

Entry fee: None

Prize: A small trophy and free entry for up to 2 people to the 2009 Barn Dance (if the winner has already paid for their ticket(s) this will be refunded.)



Questions: email: scarecrows@ravenswood-residents.org.uk

Official Rules:

- 1) Anyone wishing to enter the scarecrow competition should complete an entry form and return it by 9am on Saturday 3rd October at the latest.
- 2) Entry forms can be handed in person to either the bar at the Raven pub at Ravenswood, or the Ravenswood branch of Ipswich Building Society. Alternatively entries are accepted by email if sent to scarecrows@ravenswood-residents.org.uk . Where an email entry has been received the organisers will provide an email acknowledgement of the entry.
- 3) After the event, entrants are responsible for clearing away their own scarecrow.
- 4) The scarecrow should be placed on your property in a location visible from the street, secured in a manner that they will not blow away and will not otherwise be a danger to or cause injury to anyone.
- 5) Entrants agree to the organisers taking a photograph of their scarecrow which may be displayed on the residents association website or associated documentation after the event. Anyone wishing not to have their scarecrow published by the organisers should indicate so on the entry form. We will in those cases however take a photograph to aid judging, which we will delete after the event.
- 6) Scarecrows are to be on display between 9am and 5pm on the day of the event.
- 7) Only those scarecrows for whom an entry form has been received by the organisers and is on display when we visit your entry will be eligible to win the prize.
- 8) The winning entries will be announced at 5pm on 3rd October 2009 within the Raven pub on Ravenswood. Should the winner be present at the time, we will award the prize at that time. If the winner is not present we will contact you according to details on your entry form.
- 9) The winning entries will be invited to bring their scarecrow to the Barn dance should they do so they will be placed on display for all to see at the Barn dance.
- 10) The judges decision on the winner will be final.
- 11) All entrants are reminded this is a public event. Any entrant designing their scarecrow to cause deliberate offence, will be disqualified from the competition and may be barred from any future event.
- 12) A map of Ravenswood with the location of the scarecrows will be on display at the Raven on the day of the event for anyone wishing to work out a route to walk past and view the scarecrows.



Official Ravenswood Scarecrow Competition Entry Form 2009

Scarecrows to be displayed on Saturday October 3rd 2009 between 09:00 and 17:00.

Please provide the following information for entry (entries marked * are optional):

Name	
Address	
Telephone Number *	
Email address *	
What is your preferred method of contact if you win?	email/phone/SMS/other
Confirm you have read and agreed to terms of entry	Yes/No
Are you happy for a photograph of your entry to be published after the event	Yes/No
Signature (agreement to rules of entry)	

Paper entries, please sign to indicate agreement of rules. For email entries, the email itself will be taken in lieu of signature.

All entries agree to abide by the published rules of entry (pages 1 and 2 of this document) as displayed on <http://www.ravenswood-residents.org.uk/>

By entering you are agreeing for the organisers to photograph your entry for the purpose of judging the competition. We may also publish photographs of some entries on our website or elsewhere after the event. If you do not wish us to do so with your entry please indicate above.

Return entry by one of the following means:

Email entries:

email to: scarecrows@ravenswood-residents.org.uk

Email entries may be submitted as free text containing the information requested above.

Email entries must be sent before 5pm on friday 2nd October 2009.

Paper entries:

Deliver to the bar at the Raven or the counter at Ravenswood branch of Ipswich building society prior to 9am Saturday 3rd October 2009.

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