South West Tourism Cup	over 80,000
Tesco Cup	35000-79999
St.Bridget Cup	19000-34999
Portman Cup	12000-18999
Sargent Cup	9000-11999
Preece Cup	7000-8999
SWTA Cup	5500-6999
Ayre Cup	2500-5499
Cox Cup	1500-2499
Mary Mortimer Trophy	under 1500
Donnant Trophy Town or City	

Pennant Trophy Town or City Pennant Village or Small town

Discretionary Awards include

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS AWARD

Competition between a number of 2014 group winners **The SPONSORS AWARD** (The blue ribbon award for the most meritorious entry, excluding Champion of Champions)

ALF CROUCH MEMORIAL AWARD (for outstanding services to Britain in Bloom)

ABBISS CUP (the Best horticultural display – municipal) **CITY OF BATH TROPHY** (for landscaping)

MICHAEL McGAHEY TROPHY (exceptional community effort)

BRUFORD CUP (Best horticultural display-non municipal) **CLEM PREECE MEMORIAL CUP** (for outstanding school effort supporting Britain in Bloom)

SUTTON SEED CUP (outstanding area nature conservation) **LONDON & MANCHESTER CUP** (for outstanding contribution to environmental initiative)

SOUTH WEST TOURISM SALVER (for best portfolio) **SARGENT TROPHY** (for outstanding effort and dedication from a competition entry)

GORDON FORD TROPHY (Best Neighbourhood Award entry)

SOUTH WEST IN BLOOM YOUTH AWARD (for outstanding contribution by youths or youth groups)

WESTCOUNTRY TV CUP (outstanding specific project)
THE MONK TROPHY (for Best use of native plants, indigenous to the area)

WHEATLEY TROPHY (for an outstanding industrial site)
URBAN COMMUNITIES TROPHY (for the best urban
Community)

PLANTSCAPE COASTAL TROPHY (Best seaside entry) VIRADOR SCHOOL COMPOSTING AWARD (Best scheme) BARRY CRUSE MBE Trophy (Best Web site)

VIC VERRIER CUP (Best new entry)

SHAUN CREGAN TROPHY (Best Floral pub)

AMBEROL TROPHY (Best business floral display)

SERCO CUP (Best Community Initiative)
BEST PARK

*above awards subject to changes at discretion of judges

New Dicretionary Award for 2015

Art in the Community

Population Figures

Population figures for all entries must be taken from the electoral roll, so that there is uniformity amongst entries.

The electoral roll figure for your entry includes <u>all wards</u> within boundary of your village, town or city.

This information can be obtained from your county planning department, where a research officer (demographer) has responsibility for the various uses of population figures.

In addition, for entries with a population in excess of 2,500, a map showing the boundaries of all the urban ward(s) which comprise your entry, and the name(s) of the ward(s) which comprise your entry, should be included with your entry form.

Judging 2015

Judging will take place in the fortnight between Wednesday 8th July & Wednesday 22nd July. You will be contacted by your judges in early June to confirm your judging date.

Main Competition Fees 2015 (unchanged)

Category	Population	Fee(£)
City	80,000 plus	190
Large Town	19,000-79,999	110
Town	9,000-18,999	85
Small Town	2,500-8,999	40
Village	up to 2,499	20
New entry		0 (1st yr)

Fees Pennant Entry

Category	Fee(£)
BIDS Area	FREE for 2015
Town or city	FREE for 2015
Village or Small Town	FREE for 2015
New entry	FREE

BRITAIN IN BLOOM South West 2015

Please return your completed form to

The Secretary,

Denise James, 150 Charlton Road,

Keynsham, Bristol BS31 2JZ.

Tel No 0117 911137

It would be appreciated if you can return your entry as early as possible

Closing date SATURDAY 14th MARCH

Conditions

- * no refund will be made to entrants who withdraw from the competition
- * the judges decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into
- * entry into the competition indicates acceptance of these terms and conditions
- * results will be announced at the regional awards ceremony

Results

The awards ceremony will this year by held on Thursday 24th September for both the IYN results and the In Bloom awards. The venue is still under discussion

Again there will be a judges surgery where 'In Bloom' entrants and get additional feedback straight from the judges.

Full details as they are confirmed will be added to the website.

South West in Bloom 2015 Entry form

Name of entry:	
Population: (source : electoral roll)
Category:	
Contact Name:	
Contact Address:	
POST CODE	
Telephone No. :	
Mobile No. :	
Website:	
F-mail Address:	

Entry forms must be completed and returned to Entries to The Secretary,
Denise James, 150 Charlton Road,
Keynsham, Bristol BS31 2JZ. .
Tel No 0117 911137
E Mail southwestinbloom@aol.com
By Saturday 14th March

All main & Pennant entries that are received before 31st January will receive one free ticket to one of the Spring seminars.

You are able to enter **ON LINE** by the South West in Bloom web site.

www.southwestinbloom.org.uk

If confirmation of receipt required, please enclose 2nd class s.a.e..

Britain in Bloom

Since it started in 1963, Britain in Bloom has grown into the biggest horticultural campaign in Europe.

Communities across Britain combine horticultural skill, enthusiasm and fun to improve and regenerate our local environments through imaginative planting of trees, shrubs, flowers and landscaping, conservation and recycling projects, and to sweep away the eyesores that blight our streets such as litter, graffiti and vandalism.

Under the auspices of the Royal Horticultural Society, the Britain in Bloom campaign judging criteria has been revised for 2015 but is still focused around three core pillars:

Horticultural Achievement Environmental Responsibility Community Participation

The new judging criteria and forms will be sent to all entrants. The new criteria places more emphasis on the role of communities .

South West in Bloom is one of the eighteen regions/nations which make up Britain in Bloom.

We are hoping that the main SW in Bloom co-ordinators will assist judges in arranging the judging of the It's your neighbourhood entries in their area' especially if they are not judged on the same day as the main entry.





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