

Waddington Scarecrows

Rules and regulations:

1. Anyone who either lives in the village or who has connections to the village is invited to enter the scarecrow competition. Scarecrows from outside the village will be referred to as 'foreign scarecrows' and will be displayed in the gardens of the Alms Houses (by prior arrangement).
2. To participate, entrants must register and have their scarecrow in place by the required time. There are a limited number of spaces available for foreign scarecrows, therefore these will be allocated on a first come first served basis, so please register early!
3. Registration forms are available on the website or from the Post Office. Please either save and complete the form, then email it to waddingtonscarecrows@gmail.com or print and deliver it to the Post Office. Registration will close one week prior to the event to allow time for the trail to be prepared.
4. All scarecrows must be on display by 10am on Saturday 22nd June 2019.
5. This year's theme is FILM and TV which is optional. There are no specific requirements for the construction of your scarecrow, however please keep your scarecrows polite and appropriate! Scarecrows should not be offensive and may be disqualified if it is deemed that they are.
6. Your scarecrow should be named, with the name being clearly displayed for identification purposes.
7. Only scarecrows registered and displayed by the required time will be judged.
8. The judges' decision is final.
9. The categories of the competition are i) Best overall scarecrow ii) Best technical scarecrow (this element will be judged by Lindsey Dillon-Massey Editor for Children's BBC) and iii) Best pun, relating to the name of the scarecrow.
10. The winner will be announced at the duck race on Sunday afternoon 23rd June 2019, prizes are TBA. The winner will also be notified by text/email if not present.
11. It is free to enter the scarecrow competition.
12. The 'Scarecrow Trail' leaflets will go on sale at 10am on Saturday 22nd June and will be available from all the 'Duck Race' ticket stations throughout the village and at the 'Fine Food and Wine Festival'. The trail leaflets will contain a map of the scarecrow locations and will include a quiz for participants to complete along the way.