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# YOUR GARDEN AWARDS - COMPETITION

Every year the "Your Garden" awards celebrate the passion and hard work that has created some stunning gardens across North Lanarkshire and helped improve the local environment.

So if you or your neighbours have a garden to be proud of, then why not take part in this year's competition?

Applications can be made by individuals or groups or you can nominate a neighbour, relative, friend or group of residents who you consider to have an award winning garden.



# **CATEGORIES**

# **Category 1: Best Individual Garden Award**

The award is open to an individual address and the garden must be maintained by a member of the household. One winner per locality.

- Airdrie & Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages and Northern Corridor
- Motherwell & Bellshill
- Wishaw & Shotts

# **Category 2: Best Shared/Communal Garden Award**

The award is open to an individual address and the garden must be maintained by a member of the household. One winner per locality.

- Airdrie & Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages and Northern Corridor
- Motherwell & Bellshill
- Wishaw & Shotts

# **Category 3: Best Use of Space Award**

The award is open to individuals or a shared area to showcase those who have made the most of the space they have available e.g. a veranda or containers/hanging baskets. One winner per locality.

- Airdrie & Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages and Northern Corridor
- **Motherwell & Bellshill**
- Wishaw & Shotts

# **Category 4: Most Improved Award**

The award is open to individuals or a shared space who have made an improvement to their garden/space over the last year (before and after photos would be beneficial) One winner per locality.

- Airdrie & Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages and Northern Corridor
- **Motherwell & Bellshill**
- Wishaw & Shotts

# Category 5: Sustainable Garden Award

This award focuses on sustainability, focusing on individuals or a shared area using their space to grow their own food or plants to benefit pollinating insects. One winner per locality.

- Airdrie & Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages and Northern Corridor
- Motherwell & Bellshill
- Wishaw & Shotts

# **Category 6: Young Gardener Award**

The young gardener award is open to tenants under 30 maintaining their garden. One winner per locality.

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- Motherwell & Bellshill
- Wishaw & Shotts



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# **ENTRY CRITERIA**

- Only North Lanarkshire Council tenants can be nominated for the individual garden award and the garden MUST be maintained by a member of that household
- For the shared/communal garden award the majority of residents MUST be North Lanarkshire Council tenants
- Awards are for gardens of any size

# **JUDGING CRITERIA**

The gardens will be judged on:

- Quality of floral display colour, form, composition
- Quality of permanent planting variety, year round interest and scent
- Quality of design and use of space imagination, use of colour and depth
- Contribution to the visual environment impact on the street/neighbourhood
- Effort and enthusiasm

# PRIZES!

A winner will be chosen from each locality and will have the chance to win a £50 voucher and an overall winner will be chosen for North Lanarkshire and will win an additional £50 voucher, in both categories.

### **Localities:**

- Airdrie and Cumbernauld
- Coatbridge, Kilsyth & Villages, and Northern Corridor



# NORTH LANARKSHIRE IN BLOOM, GARDEN COMPETITION 2024 Entry Form

To nominate yourself, please enter your details below. If you wish to nominate a neighbour/relative/friend/group, see overleaf.

Your name:	
Your address:	
	Your postcode:
Your tel number:	Your E mail:
If you wish to receive e-mail alerts and information from North Lanarkshire Council please tick	
If you wish to receive e-mail alerts and information from Tenant Participation please tick	
How did you hear about these awards?	
Please tick the category you are entering: Best Individual Gai	rden Best Shared/Communal Garden

Best Use of Space Award Most Improved Award Sustainable Garden Award Your

**Young Gardener Award** 

### **ENTRY ADVICE**

As well as completing this form, all nominations should include photographs. These can be printed and posted to the TP team or emailed to **TenantParticipation@northlan.gov.uk** however we can also visit the gardens if this is not possible. Council staff may be in touch for further supporting evidence before judging.

Please cut entry form out and return to:

North Lanarkshire Council, Enterprise & Communities - Tenant Participation, 3rd Floor Civic Centre, Windmillhill Street, Motherwell ML1 1AB

# **ENTRY FORM**

To nominate a neighbour, relative, friend, group etc please complete the following information.

Their name:	
Their address:	
	Their postcode:
Their tel number:	Their email:
Brief description of their entry:	

Please tick the category you are nominating this person/group for:

Best Individual Garden Best Shared/Communal Garden Best Use of Space Award

Most Improved Award Sustainable Garden Award Young Gardener Award

Do you wish to be identified as having submitted the nomination: Yes No

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# HOUSING OFFICES

# **Airdrie**

1 Chapel Lane, Airdrie ML6 6GX Tel: 01236 758035

# **Kilsyth**

Parkfoot Street Kilsyth G65 9AA Tel: 01236 828120

### **Viewpark**

135 Burnhead Street Viewpark G71 5DD Tel: 01698 403700



# Bellshill

26 Motherwell Road Bellshill ML4 1RE Tel: 01698 332340

# Moodiesburn

Blackwoods Crescent Moodiesburn G69 0EN Tel: 01236 638888

### **Wishaw**

Houldsworth Centre Kenilworth Avenue Wishaw ML2 7LP Tel: 01698 302920



# Coatbridge

Buchanan Centre 126 Main Street Coatbridge ML5 3BJ Tel: 01236 812530

# Motherwell

Dalziel Building 7 Scott Street Motherwell ML1 1SX Tel: 01698 274135



# Cumbernauld

Fleming House 2 Tryst Road Cumbernauld G67 1JW Tel: 01236 618161

### **Shotts**

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