

# **Cricklade Bloomers**

*Working to Make Cricklade a Better Place*



## **News and Update**

Cricklade Bloomers would like to say a big thank you to everyone who has supported us during the year. Already I have noticed winter planting and hanging baskets appearing around the town please keep up the good work.

We have just been notified that Cricklade has been nominated to be a Britain in Bloom UK National Finalist for 2010. This will be the third time Cricklade has been in the UK Nationals; in 2008 we were awarded the UK Best small Town award, The Conservation & Environment award and The Community Award.

Cricklade continues to achieve these high accolades because of the overwhelming community involvement; comments from the South West in Bloom Judges for 2009 are on our web site [www.crickladeinbloom.co.uk](http://www.crickladeinbloom.co.uk) the introductory comments read: - "This was a good entry in which all the requirements of the competition were covered. The first impression was one of cleanliness and colour but the most striking thing was the enthusiasm of the in Bloom group which was reflected in every person that we met on our tour."

Cricklade Bloomers will continue to meet through December and January on Saturday mornings 9.30am at the Bank garden; there are always plenty of jobs to get on with, please just pop in you will be very welcome. We have a covered working area if the weather is inclement and warm refreshments at around 11.30am.

**We wish you all a Happy Christmas and a Blooming New Year.  
Join us in 2010 working to make Cricklade a better place**

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