



# Sudbury on Show

[sudbury-tc.gov.uk/sudbury-on-show](https://sudbury-tc.gov.uk/sudbury-on-show)

## Purpose and Eligibility Criteria

Founded by the late, great Andrew Phillips, OBE - Sudbury on Show is a biennial celebration of the many community organisations that make Sudbury unique. The event is organised by Sudbury Town Council, and since 2024, has been organised and hosted in partnership with Sudbury Arts Centre.

The event celebrates the many passionate local people, from all walks of life, who generously donate their time to running a range of vital community organisations - from gardening groups, sports clubs, community cafes, keep fit classes, to local history & heritage associations. The event also encourages the Community to actively seek opportunities to get involved with the great work of the many Community Groups on show.

The last Sudbury on Show was held at Sudbury Arts Centre on Saturday 23rd March 2024 and the next Sudbury on Show will be hosted across two venues: Sudbury Town Hall and Sudbury Arts Centre on **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026, 10am – 3pm.**

All eligible groups / organisations are offered a free exhibition table (with chairs) at one of the assigned venues. Please see timeline and eligibility criteria below:

## Timeline for Sudbury on Show 2026:

- **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2025** - Applications to exhibit at Sudbury in Show open, exhibition application form published on: [sudbury-tc.gov.uk/sudbury-on-show](https://sudbury-tc.gov.uk/sudbury-on-show) and publicised.
- **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026** – Exhibitor applications close
- **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2026** – All exhibitor details finalised for show guide
- **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2026** – Show Guide goes to print
- **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2026** – Exhibitors announced and Press Release
- **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026** – Exhibitor deliveries and set up at venues (timings to be announced).
- **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026** – Sudbury on Show day!

## Sudbury on Show exhibitor eligibility criteria and application form:

Exhibitors must represent or belong to organisations which are:

- Not-for-Profit Community associations which may be; cultural, environmental, educational, sporting etc, which are non-commercial and whose field of activity is for the benefit of Sudbury's wider Community.



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- Constituted as a Community Interest Organisation (CIO or CIC), Voluntary Organisation or Charity.

The following organisations or groups are not eligible:

- Businesses / organisations run for profit.
- Individuals not representing a Community Group.
- Political Parties or Political Groups.

## Exhibitor application form:

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### [Sudbury on Show 2026 - Exhibitor Application form – Fill out form](#)

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*"We live in challenging times! Driven by the assumption that 'bigger is better' the overlooked reality is that contentment and fulfilment mostly depend on a sense of belonging and a communal life rich in relationships, otherwise people tend to feel lonely – even anonymous'.*

*'Sudbury on Show' is a chance for us all to celebrate the many great things still going on in our wonderful town and district. Above all we hope it encourages people to get involved and so contribute to our general wellbeing"*

#### Andrew Phillips, OBE

(1939 - 2023)

Sudbury on Show Founder

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