

TIPS FOR MAKING SCARECROWS

Here are some basic ideas to start you off. However, there are no “rules” for making a prize-winning Scarecrow. You may have a much better plan.

Materials:

- * A stake of some sort if you’re making a standing scarecrow**
- * 2 pairs of tights are useful - one for the head and arms and one for the hips and legs.**
- * A bin bag or plastic sack for the body.**
- * Stuffing could be screwed up plastic bags, plastic milk bottles.
(Straw and paper will need to be in plastic bags to be weatherproof.)**
- * Old clothes and overalls are useful.**
- * Stuffed surgical gloves or gardening gloves can be used for the hands.**
- * Old shoes or boots for feet.**
- * Unravelled synthetic rope or wool for hair.**
- * Metal coat hangers for the shoulders.**
- * A chair for a seated Scarecrow.**

Useful Websites:

www.familycrafts.about.com

www.burkesbackyard.com

www.monkeysee.com

www.henandhammock.co.uk

Or go to Google (other search engines are available!) and type in “Making a Scarecrow”.

GOOD LUCK EVERYONE!

Let’s make Littleham famous for its great Scarecrows.