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Dear Judge/Assistant Judge

You are invited to attend a Cumbria in Bloom Judges Seminar on **Monday 26th March 2012 at Newton Rigg College, Penrith, CA11 0AH commencing at 10.30am**. The best meeting place is in Brambles where teas/coffees, scones, cakes etc. are available.

This Cumbria in Bloom judges 'Get Together' is to bring you up to speed on new and changed parts of the competition. It is also to look at and become familiar with marking forms and judging criteria. New and current judges can bring forward any issues and concerns that they have for these to be discussed at the meeting. Ideas will be put forward on how judges can incorporate advice and give support to groups during and following the judging process. The objective is for the judging to be consistent across the whole competition.

Agenda

Item	Description	Lead person	Time
1.	Review of judging forms and criteria		25mins
2.	Judging Diamond Jubilee and Olympic Projects		10mins
3.	Judging the School Gardening Competition		25mins
4.	Judges issues and concerns		20mins
5.	Advice and support to groups		10mins
6.	It's Your Neighbourhood Assessment and related issues concerns		20mins
7.	Summary of meeting		15mins

Please can you let me know whether you are able to **attend or not** by **Monday 12th March 2012** at the latest. If you cannot be at Newton Rigg on 26th March 2012, perhaps you could give some alternative dates that might suit you.

Yours sincerely

Elizabeth Auld
Administrator



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