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British Garden Centres' "Decorate Your Door for Christmas" winner revealed!

As the new year unfolds, Gilberdyke and Ramsgate Garden Centre are delighted to announce the winner of our much anticipated "Decorate Your Door for Christmas" competition.

After careful consideration, the judges from British Garden Centres, who own the two stores, reached a unanimous decision, and we are thrilled to unveil that Luke Marriott, Charlotte Blackman and Lauren Rattigan are the winners and take home some gardening goodies.

From the moment you set eyes on Luke's front door, you're transported into a world of festive magic with no effort spared in transforming his doorway into a whimsical display of Christmas wonder.

Adorned with twinkling lights and the traditional red and green of the joyeux season, the Johnsons' door became a beacon of festive cheer in his local area. What truly set Luke's door display apart was its creativity, as he incorporated candy canes lollipops, sweets and snow-covered pinecones to evoke the spirit of Christmas.

Charlotte's door also impressed with incorporated LED reindeer, sparkly trees, wreaths and statuesque nutcrackers, whilst Lauren's was a pastel pink feast for the festive season.

Luke said of his win: "I am overjoyed to have won the Christmas door competition. It is always a pleasure to create a display that local people appreciate and enjoy." Charlotte added "I'm thrilled to have placed again in the decorate your door competition - I'm looking forward to using the voucher to add some colour to my garden this spring."

Amy Stubbs, Project and Development Manager at British Garden Centres said: "Thank you to all the incredible people who entered our competition Each entry reflected the festive enthusiasm and talent of our local community. Congratulations to Luke for their outstanding door display that encapsulated the magic of Christmas."

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About the business:

British Garden Centres (BGC) is the UK's largest family-owned garden centre group with 62 centres around the country. The group is owned and led by The Stubbs family, who also own and operate Woodthorpe Leisure Park in Lincolnshire. BGC was launched in 1987 with the opening of Woodthorpe Garden Centre funded by brothers Charles and Robert Stubbs. Since 2018 it has expanded rapidly with the acquisition of 50 garden centres allowing it to grow from its heartland to the business it is now with 62 garden centres spread from Carmarthen to Ramsgate, Wimborne to East Durham. The group has a team of 2,700 colleagues working across the garden centres, restaurants, 2 growing nurseries, 4 distribution centres and Woodthorpe Leisure Park and Woody's Restaurant & Bar.

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