

**Staffordshire Guides Have Got Talent.....
And yesterday at our open auditions they proved they had!
Congratulations to everyone who took part.**

What a great day - we saw dancers, singers, musicians, soloists and groups and were treated to a wealth of outstanding talent from across the county. Everyone had worked really hard to perfect their piece and we thank everyone for taking part. Unfortunately not everyone can be a winner but if you enjoyed the day as much as we did then you are winner.

The judges felt that all the performers did exceptionally well and were very complimentary about the standard of performance they saw.

I am delighted to announce that the **winner** of Staffordshire Guides Have Got Talent is.....

“SARAH LEWIS”

“CONGRATULATIONS”

Sarah is 13 and from Lapley Division and she danced to the Michael Buble song ‘Sway’. The judges, who were unanimous in their decision, said “she owned the stage, smiled throughout and we wanted to see more, she is worthy winner and we look forward to see her perform at Shugborough in September.”

In **second place** was **Laura Whittington** who sang and played guitar. Laura was excellent and showed a real talent for music. Laura is 15 and from Lapley Division. Congratulations Laura.

In **joint third place** were **Bethany Howells** a 13 year old soloist from Stone Outward Division and **Connect 3** a group of 3 dancers Ellie, Katie and Laura from Stafford Division. Both acts delighted the judges and were very competent performers.

Due to the high standard we will be giving the runners up the opportunity to perform alongside Sarah, so members from the county are in for a real treat

They all wowed the judges and are stars of the future. Girlguiding Staffordshire is very proud of you all.

Everyone will have a chance to see our winner **Sarah** and the runners up perform at **our Centenary Party in the Park** on September 5th at Shugborough Hall alongside faces from the world of music and entertainment.

Please log onto the website from May 28th as we reveal the line up for the party in our 100 day countdown.

Congratulations to the following for taking part (*in no particular order*)

The Camp Rockers	Rugeley	Emma	Lapley
The Pussycat Guides	Uttoxeter	Copy Cats	Stafford
Amelia	Cannock	Nattie	Lapley
Wendy House	Rugeley	Katie & Elizma	Lichfield
Little Annie's	Leek	Strictly Come Guiding	Uttoxeter
Cute Chicks	Lichfield	Dani	Uttoxeter
Stephanie & Megan	Uttoxeter	Isabelle & Rachel	Lichfield
The Sundays	Longton	Girlicious	Needwood
Verity & Emily	Stone Outward	B & B	Longton
Laura & Ciara	Leek	Zoe	Stafford
Lauren & Phoebe	Leek	Felicity	Leek
Groovy Guides (19)	Stafford	Groovy Guides (20)	Stafford
Three Degrees	Needwood	Guide Act	Rugeley
The Shadows	Lapley	Groovy Dancers	Stafford
Pussycat Juniors	Stafford	Jessica	Stone Outward
Emily	Lapley	Jennie	Stafford
Loopy Longton's	Longton	Susan	Longton
Edelweiss	Stafford	Gnosall Triple Act	Lapley
Isabel	Stone Outward	Laura	Uttoxeter
Charlotte	Lapley	Pip	Lapley
The Abba Maniacs	Lichfield		