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BRETT WINS PRESTIGIOUS ONE-OFF RESTORATION AWARD

A very special restoration award celebrating excellence in the restoration of quarries has been awarded to Brett by the Mineral Products Association at their recent 2009 Showcase Event.

The one-off 40th anniversary trophy – ‘the best of the best’ - was awarded to Brett for restoration work at Laleham Quarry, Staines– a site that is widely considered to have set the standards for modern quarry restorations in the UK. The restoration has returned quarried land and a landfilled lake in to high quality agricultural land and 100 acres is now home to a specialised vegetable produce farm.

Brett has previously won 38 awards for restoration over 33 years and the prestigious Cooper Heyman Cup six times including on two consecutive occasions, in 2004 for Westbere Lakes in Kent and 2005 for Church Lammas in Surrey, a wildlife habit and lake. We were also given the Chairman’s Award in 2006 for Conningbrook Lakes and the Julie Rose Stadium.



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Bill Brett, Chairman of the Brett Group receiving the award said: “So many people had a hand in this. To have the vision to properly care for and restore land and in many cases enhance it, to derive benefit to the community and to have the integrity to take a long term view – and for Brett that is for over one hundred years – now that is something sustainable.”

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