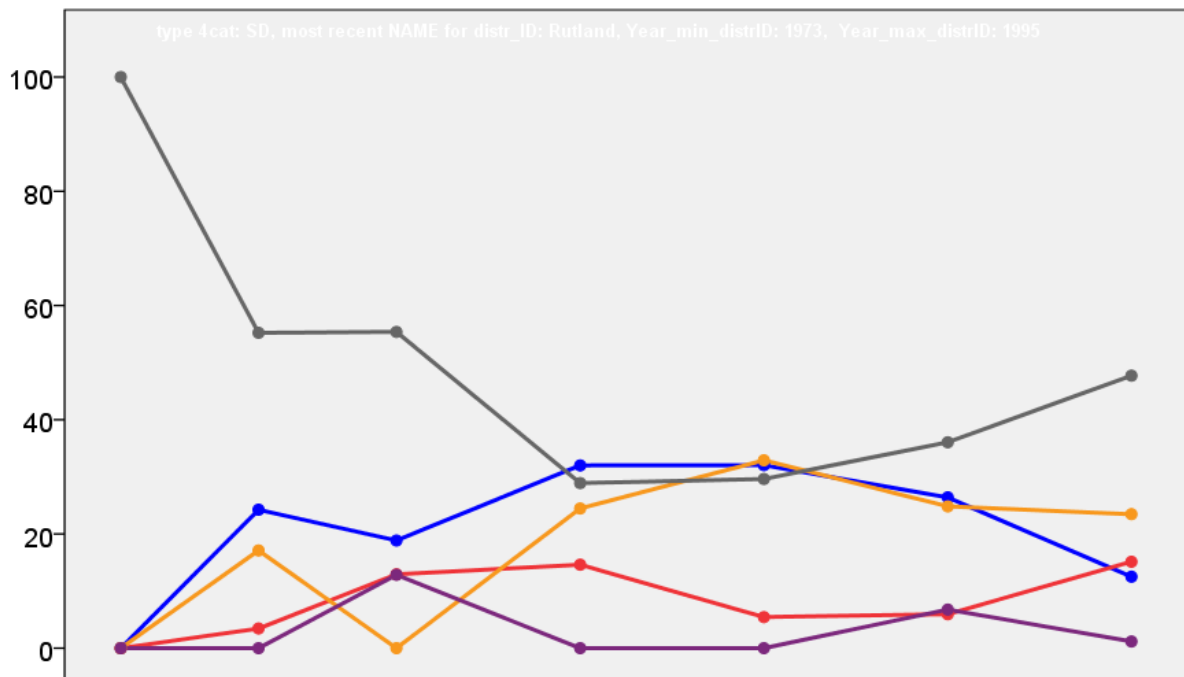


Rutland District Council Election Results 1973-1995



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The information contained in this report has been obtained from a number of sources. Election results from the immediate post-reorganisation period were painstakingly collected by Alan Willis largely, although not exclusively, from local newspaper reports. From the mid-1980s onwards the results have been obtained from each local authority by the Elections Centre. The data are stored in a database designed by Lawrence Ware and maintained by Brian Cheal and others at Plymouth University. Despite our best efforts some information remains elusive whilst we accept that some errors are likely to remain. Notice of any mistakes should be sent to elections@plymouth.ac.uk. The results sequence can be kept up to date by purchasing copies of the annual Local Elections Handbook, details of which can be obtained by contacting the email address above.

Front cover: the graph shows the distribution of percentage vote shares over the period covered by the results. The lines reflect the colours traditionally used by the three main parties. The grey line is the share obtained by Independent candidates while the purple line groups together the vote shares for all other parties.

Rear cover: the top graph shows the percentage share of council seats for the main parties as well as those won by Independents and other parties. The lines take account of any by-election changes (but not those resulting from elected councillors switching party allegiance) as well as the transfers of seats during the main round of local election.

The lower graph shows for each main round of local elections the overall percentage turnout (solid line), the percentage of women candidates standing at (dotted line) and the percentage of women among those elected (hashed line).

Rutland 1973

Barrowden (843)

		vote	share
Tyler R.	Ind	241	53.0
Parkin D.	Ind	214	47.0
	Turnout	54.0	5.9

Belton (966)

		vote	share
Elsley R.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Casterton (704)

		vote	share
Willmer D.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (1311)

		vote	share
Earl Of Gainsborough	Ind	0	0
	0.0		
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Empingham (770)

		vote	share
Cox F.	Ind	177	42.4
Corby S.	Ind	155	37.2
Joyce H.	Ind	85	20.4
	Turnout	54.2	5.3

Exton (830)

		vote	share
Creasey Q. Ms.	Ind	251	53.4
Nicholls R.	Ind	219	46.6
	Turnout	56.6	6.8

Ketton (1243)

		vote	share
Carver E.	Ind	244	62.2
Pedder R.	Ind	148	37.8
	Turnout	31.5	24.5

Langham (938)

		vote	share
Hainsworth E.	Ind	194	56.7
Weston G.	Ind	148	43.3
	Turnout	36.5	13.5

Luffenham (886)

		vote	share
Withers M.	Ind	124	27.9
Broadhurst G.	Ind	117	26.3
Worth J. Ms.	Ind	113	25.4
Joyce P.	Ind	91	20.4
	Turnout	50.3	1.6

No. 1 (Oakham) (5158) @ 5

		vote	share
Suthern T.	Ind	771	100.0
Clark B. Ms.	Ind	729	-
Lemon B. Ms.	Ind	677	-
Bond A.	Ind	666	-
Gilmore J.	Ind	660	-
Watchorn J.	Ind	641	-
Schofield W.	Ind	608	-
Towns R.	Ind	554	-
Ross G.	Ind	532	-
Livingstone J.	Ind	443	-
Tabberer H.	Ind	349	-
Wallace J.	Ind	283	-
Hall J.	Ind	276	-
Cave C.	Ind	233	-
	Turnout	14.9	84.8

No. 10 (Braunston) (696)

		vote	share
Eve S.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

No. 6 (Edith Weston) (861)

		vote	share
Schwab J. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Ryhall (1076)

		vote	share
Naylor A.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Uppingham (1874)²

		vote	share
Toon K.	Ind	428	100.0
Sanuel J. Ms.	Ind	376	-
Stones G.	Ind	296	-
	Turnout	22.8	72.7

Whissendine (1005)

		vote	share
Walker V.	Ind	324	50.1
Forryan W.	Ind	323	49.9
	Turnout	64.4	0.2

Rutland 1976

Barrowden (856)

		vote	share
Tyler R.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Belton (965)

		vote	share
Elsley R.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Casterton (726)

		vote	share
Willmer D.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (1201)

		vote	share
Earl Of Gainsborough	Ind	0	0
	0.0		
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Empingham (773)

		vote	share
Cox F.	Ind	230	53.5
Montgomery B.	Lib	200	46.5
	Turnout	55.2	7.0

Exton (820)

		vote	share
Creasey Q. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Ketton (1271)

		vote	share
Carver E.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Langham (988)

		vote	share
Hainsworth E.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Luffenham (926)

		vote	share
Withers M.	Lab	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

No. 1 (Oakham) (5256) @ 5

		vote	share
Barringer J.	Con	1,163	41.7
Suthern T.	Ind	1,008	36.1
Gilmore V.	Ind	938	-
Lemon B. Ms.	Ind	867	-
Chandler R.	Ind	779	-
McCreath C.	Con	685	-
Merritt P. Ms.	Lib	621	22.2
	Turnout	35.1	5.6

No. 10 (Braunston) (692)

		vote	share
Eve S.	Ind	206	59.7
Thwaites J.	Ind	85	24.6
West R.	Ind	54	15.7
	Turnout	48.8	35.1

No. 6 (Edith Weston) (945)

		vote	share
Schwab J. Ms.	Ind	248	60.9
Prestwood W.	Ind	159	39.1
	Turnout	42.2	21.9

Ryhall (1172)

		vote	share
Wild G. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Uppingham (1989)²

		vote	share
Toon K.	Ind	659	80.0
Samuel J. Ms.	Ind	514	-
Murray B.	Lab	165	20.0
	Turnout	35.4	60.0

Whissendine (1018)

		vote	share
Walker V.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Rutland 1979

Barrowden (929)

		vote	share
Wright J.	Ind	611	85.3
Carr R.	Ind	105	14.7
	Turnout	78.0	70.7

Belton (832)

		vote	share
Elsley R.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Braunston (688)

		vote	share
Eve S.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Casterton (726)

		vote	share
Willmer D.	Ind	0	0.0
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (864)

		vote	share
Earl Of Gainsborough	Ind	0	0
	0.0		
	Turnout	0.0	0.0

Edith Weston (860)

		vote	share
Makey A.	Ind	279	47.4
Schwab J. Ms.	Ind	160	27.2
Prestwood F.	Res	149	25.3
	Turnout	68.7	20.2

Empingham (843)			
		vote	share
Montgomery B.	Ind	466	67.7
Cox F.	Ind	222	32.3
Turnout		82.1	35.5

Exton (838)			
		vote	share
Creasey Q. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Ketton (1298)			
		vote	share
Pedder R.	Ind	689	68.5
Herman R.	Lab	317	31.5
Turnout		79.1	37.0

Langham (1003)			
		vote	share
Hainsworth E.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Luffenham (978)			
		vote	share
Withers M.	Lab	475	59.7
Orpin R.	Con	320	40.3
Turnout		81.7	19.5

Oakham East (1961) ²			
		vote	share
Suthern T.	Ind	747	57.6
Griffiths J. Ms.	Con	551	42.4
Gilmore J.	Ind	484	-
Chandler R.	Ind	318	-
Turnout		76.0	15.1

Oakham West (3918) ³			
		vote	share
Merritt P. Ms.	Res	1,540	24.7
Lemon B. Ms.	Ind Con	1,496	24.0
Baker A.	Con	1,161	18.6
Livingstone J.	Ind	1,126	18.1
West R.	Lab	909	14.6
Turnout		76.2	0.7

Ryhall (1461)			
		vote	share
Harris J.	Ind	622	58.1
O'Shagar F.	Con	449	41.9
Turnout		74.8	16.2

Uppingham (2144) ²			
		vote	share
Toon K.	Ind	1,266	100.0
Weir E. Ms.	Ind	836	-
Boulter K.	Ind	676	-
Turnout		77.8	64.5

Whissendine (1155)			
		vote	share
Walker V.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Rutland 1983

Barrowden (1004)			
		vote	share
Holloway P. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Belton (1093)			
		vote	share
Elsey R.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Braunston (660)			
		vote	share
Allen M.	Ind	290	87.9
Graham J.	Lab	40	12.1
Turnout		50.0	75.8

Casterton (777)			
		vote	share
Smettem C.	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (1316)			
		vote	share
Earl Of Gainsborough	Ind	87.6	409
Murdoch M.	Lab	58	12.4
Turnout		35.0	75.2

Edith Weston (893)			
		vote	share
Makey A.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Empingham (892)			
		vote	share
Montgomery H.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Exton (878)			
		vote	share
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Turnout		0.0	0.0

Ketton (1418)			
		vote	share
Pedder R.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Langham (1040)			
		vote	share
Hainsworth E.	Con	365	81.5
Rogan P.	Lab	83	18.5
Turnout		43.2	62.9

Luffenham (1089)			
		vote	share
Ripington E.	Ind	315	60.3
Wright K.	Lib/SDP	207	39.7
Turnout		48.5	20.7

Oakham East (2041) ²			
		vote	share
Griffiths J. Ms.	Con	557	46.5
Mellor K. Ms.	Lib/SDP	439	36.7
Richer G.	Lab	201	16.8
Richer L.	Lab	156	-
Turnout		44.7	9.9

Oakham West (4035) ³			
		vote	share
Livingstone J.	Con	768	42.6
Wood R.	Lib/SDP	646	35.8
Elsworth W.	Con	581	-
Hall P.	Con	507	-
Wolley H.	Lab	390	21.6
Chaker G.	Lab	375	-
Turnout		37.8	6.8

Ryhall (1480)			
		vote	share
Harris J.	Ind	424	82.8
Gaze A.	Ind	88	17.2
Turnout		32.5	65.6

Uppingham (2200) ²			
		vote	share
Weir E. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Mason G.	Lib/SDP	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Whissendine (1358)			
		vote	share
Walker V.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

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Barrowden (1049)			
		vote	share
Holloway P. Ms.	Con	375	61.0
Powdrill N.	Lib/SDP	240	39.0
Turnout		58.6	22.0

Belton (1124)			
		vote	share
Dale J.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Braunston (695)			
		vote	share
Allen M.	Con	275	73.9
Oldham S.	Ind	97	26.1
Turnout		53.5	47.8

Casterton (811)			
		vote	share
Smettem C.	Con	226	56.4
Golden P.	Lib/SDP	175	43.6
Turnout		49.4	12.7

Cottesmore (1495)			
		vote	share
Earl Of Gainsborough	Ind	0	0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Edith Weston (967)			
		vote	share
Makey A.	Con	270	67.7
Curtis F.	Ind	129	32.3
Turnout		41.3	35.3

Empingham (919)			
		vote	share
Montgomery B.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Exton (919)			
		vote	share
Healey A.	Ind	274	59.4
Jeffery D.	Lib/SDP	187	40.6
Turnout		50.2	18.9

Ketton (1469)			
		vote	share
Pedder R.	Ind	397	70.1
Winspear M.	Ind	169	29.9
Turnout		38.5	40.3

Langham (1050)			
		vote	share
Lennard I.	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Luffenham (1155)			
		vote	share
Ripington E.	Con	310	47.5
Wright K.	Lib/SDP	182	27.9
Johnston P.	Ind	161	24.7
Turnout		55.7	19.6

Oakham East (2375) ²			
		vote	share
Griffiths J. Ms.	Con	607	47.9
Martin E.	Con	578	-
Mellor K. Ms.	Lib/SDP	453	35.7
Collins J.	Lib/SDP	371	-
Wass I.	Lab	208	16.4
Turnout		53.4	12.1

Oakham West (4102) ³			
		vote	share
Adams M. Ms.	Lib/SDP	895	42.7
Underwood G. Ms.	Lib/SDP	713	-
Elsworth W.	Con	709	33.9
Livingstone J.	Con	708	-
George V. Ms.	Con	635	-
Haigh A.	Lib/SDP	559	-
Wolley H.	Lab	263	12.6
Chater G.	Lab	242	-
Bird O.	Ind	227	10.8
Turnout		51.0	8.9

Ryhall (1504)			
		vote	share
Harris J.	Ind	378	62.3
Thomas W.	Ind	229	37.7
Turnout		40.4	24.5

Uppingham (2320) ²			
		vote	share
Mason G.	Lib/SDP	714	58.7
Forsyth C.	Ind	502	41.3
Wise T.	Lib/SDP	452	-
Turnout		52.4	17.4

Whissendine (1462)			
		vote	share
Walker V.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

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Barrowden (1006)			
		vote	share
Holloway P. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Belton (1116)			
		vote	share
Gilman F.*	Con	286	41.3
Baines M.	Ind	216	31.2
Tulloch R.	Ind Con	191	27.6
Turnout		62.3	10.1

Braunston (720)			
		vote	share
Weir J.	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Casterton (777)			
		vote	share
Bunney W.	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (1317)			
		vote	share
Matthews J. Ms.	Ind	185	49.2
Wolfe A.	Ind	106	28.2
Gale R.	Ind	85	22.6
Turnout		28.5	21.0

Edith Weston (1041)			
		vote	share
Makey A.*	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Empingham (884)			
		vote	share
Montgomery B.*	Ind	327	75.3
Ray E. Ms.	Green	107	24.7
Turnout		48.0	50.7

Exton (1023)			
		vote	share
Healey A.*	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Ketton (1473)			
		vote	share
Pedder R.*	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Langham (1034)			
		vote	share
Lennard I.*	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Luffenham (1120)			
		vote	share
Golden P.	LD	345	59.7
Ripington E.*	Con	233	40.3
Turnout		51.6	19.4

Oakham East (2672) ²			
		vote	share
Martin E.*	Ind	1,001	62.4
Daw J. Ms.*	Ind	853	-
Duckham L.	Con	473	29.5
Thorp C. Ms.	Lab	129	8.0
Gaul M.	Lab	126	-
Turnout		54.7	32.9

Oakham West (4042) ³			
		vote	share
Lee K. Ms.	LD	1,069	39.3
Iliffe D.	LD	781	-
Gregg G.	Con	774	28.5
Elsworth W.*	Con	654	-
Gale R.	Ind	510	18.8
Wolley H.	Lab	367	13.5
Seal M. Ms.	Lab	255	-
Mather J. Ms.	Lab	242	-
Turnout		46.5	10.8

Ryhall (1487)			
		vote	share
Harris J.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Uppingham (2437) ²			
		vote	share
Mason G.*	LD	656	33.9
Forsyth C.*	Ind	576	29.8
Rudd R.	Con	435	22.5
Ball K.	Green	266	13.8
Jennings G.	Ind	158	-
Turnout		51.2	4.1

Whissendine (1391)			
		vote	share
Walker V.*	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

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Barrowden (1090)			
		vote	share
Holloway P. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Belton (1159)			
		vote	share
Gilman F.*	Con	296	50.2
Baines M.	Ind	294	49.8
Turnout		50.8	0.3

Braunston (736)			
		vote	share
Weir J.*	Con	196	53.7
Matthews P.	Ind	105	28.8
Seal R.	Lab	64	17.5
Turnout		49.3	24.9

Casterton (766)			
		vote	share
Wakerley S.	Con	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Cottesmore (1482)			
		vote	share
Toy R.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Edith Weston (1025)			
		vote	share
Makey A.*	Con	176	51.6
Prestwood F.	Ind	165	48.4
Turnout		31.6	3.2

Empingham (908)			
		vote	share
Montgomery B.*	Ind	268	70.7
Ray E. Ms.	Green	111	29.3
Turnout		40.8	41.4

Exton (1045)			
		vote	share
Chandler R.*	Ind	227	61.2
Aston M. Ms.	Lab	144	38.8
Turnout		35.7	22.4

Ketton (1487)			
		vote	share
Tennison P. Ms.	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

Langham (1004)			
		vote	share
Begy R.	Ind	180	48.6
Lennard I.	Ind	136	36.8
Abel Smith R.	Ind	54	14.6
Turnout		35.5	11.9

Luffenham (1189)			
		vote	share
Golden P.*	LD	415	66.6
Neild D.	Lab	208	33.4
Turnout		54.5	33.2

Oakham East (2966)²

		vote	share
Martin E.*	Ind	927	80.7
Daw J. Ms.*	Ind	602	-
Edwards D.	Ind	350	-
Berridge B.	Ind	341	-
Symanowski B. Ms.	Lab	221	19.3
Turnout		45.7	61.5

Oakham West (3905)³

		vote	share
Lee K. Ms.*	LD	1,178	44.9
Iliffe D.*	LD	630	-
Gale R.	Ind	530	20.2
Gregg G.	Con	511	19.5
Phillips C.	LD	470	-
Bird O.	Lab	404	15.4
Wolley H.	Lab	365	-
Richardson C.	Lab	313	-
Swiffin G.	Ind	47	-
Turnout		42.6	24.7

Ryhall (1484)

		vote	share
Parsons C.	Ind	338	59.3
Harris J.	Ind	232	40.7
Turnout		37.9	18.6

Uppingham (2641)²

		vote	share
Brown D.*	Ind	692	40.8
Schlich R.*	LD	618	36.4
Jennings G.	Lab	386	22.8
Turnout		38.7	4.4

Whissendine (1424)

		vote	share
Walker V.*	Ind	0	0.0
Turnout		0.0	0.0

