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The Best Bar None awards in Solihull this year were a resounding success, boosting the licensed trade and creating a safer environment in the town's bars. The people who helped implement the values that the scheme stands for were Sapphire Management Services, which has a close relationship with not only licensees, but the local police force and Solihull Council.

Keith Batchelor is managing director of Dickens Heath-based Sapphire Management Services, which specialises in door security and static guarding, and has over 20 years experience in the security industry throughout the West Midlands and beyond.

Sapphire Management Services, while growing nationally, has always taken a keen interest in the local community. Keith has shown his support through sponsorship of this year's Best Bar None awards and was a driving force behind its predecessor – The Solihull Pubwatch awards for many years.

He said: *"Over the years, having worked closely with the staff, Solihull Police, the Council and the licensees in the town as well as being from the area myself, I felt that it was important to give something back and show my support to an event which is so beneficial to the area and the community in publicising the good work taking place in Solihull."*

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