



Tilehurst Horticultural Association

TILEHURST HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SHOW

Saturday 6th August 2016

VILLAGE HALL

VICTORIA ROAD, TILEHURST, READING, RG31 5AB

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FROM 2.00 P.M.

Our President Lynne Jones will present the trophies at 4.00 PM.

TILEHURST HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

PRESIDENT: Lynne Jones

CHAIRMAN: Terry Bryant

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TREASURER: Colin Robinson

SHOW SECRETARY: Sheila Cox

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SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

ENTRIES TO

Mrs Sheila Cox, 30 Crescent Road, Tilehurst.
Reading, RG31 5AH.

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CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES

Sunday 31st July 2016



RULES AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- 1 The Show is open to amateurs only. It is open to members of Tilehurst Horticultural Association, their family or partners, including children under 16 years of age, and all residents of Tilehurst.
- 2 Entries must be made on the printed entry form supplied in the Schedule and **MUST** be in the hands of **the Show Secretary (Sheila Cox)** by Sunday **31st July 2016**. Late entries may be considered, but only at the discretion of the Show Secretary.
- 3 Entry fees of 20p adult, 10p children's classes, to accompany entries.
- 4 No exhibitor may make more than one entry in any one class. Husband and wife or partners may not enter the same class.
- 5 All exhibits to be staged under the direction of the Show Committee between the hours of 09.00 a.m. and 11.15 a.m. on the day of the Show.
- 6 The Committee cannot undertake to stage or return any exhibits.
- 7 The use of wire supports in classes 30 to 45 is not permitted.
- 8 No persons, other than those officially engaged with the judging, will be allowed in the hall while judging is in progress.
- 9 The judges' decision is final. They have the power to withhold or modify any prizes, as they consider fit.
- 10 Any objection must be made in writing and handed to the Show Secretary before 3.00 p.m. on the day of the Show. The objector to deposit the sum of 15p. This deposit will be returned if the objection is upheld. It will be dealt with immediately by the Show Committee.
- 11 It is assumed that all exhibits are the work of the exhibitor, although exhibits in classes 1 to 48 and 53 to 55 must have been in the possession of, or grown by, the exhibitor for at least two months prior to the Show.
- 12 A novice is a person who has not won a first prize in the class they wish to enter in any Tilehurst Horticultural Show.
- 13 Vases will be supplied for classes 25, 31-41, 54 and 70, which must be used.
- 14 A bowl is accepted as being a container with its width greater than its height.
- 15 Exhibits may not be removed from the Show benches before 4.15 p.m.
- 16 All trophies are perpetual and cannot be won outright. The winners must observe the rules relating to such trophies.
- 17 The Committee will take all normal care of exhibits, but cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage, however caused.
- 18 All trophies to be returned by **23rd July 2016** to Mrs Sheila Cox, 30 Crescent Road, Tilehurst, RG31 5AH - telephone (0118) 9422 738 - 0795 750 7512 or any Committee member as listed on the front cover of this Schedule.
- 19 In the event of a tie for a trophy, the exhibitor with most first prizes will be considered the winner. Points will be awarded as follows:
1st - 5 points 2nd - 3 points 3rd - 1 point
Exhibitors are asked to name exhibits where possible to enhance the interest of the Show. *Gifts of flowers, plants and vegetables will be gratefully accepted for sale on the Plant Stall.* Exhibits remaining on the Show benches after 4.30pm will be sold and the proceeds going to assist Show Funds.

TROPHIES

Points in all Classes will be awarded towards trophies as follows:
1st placed - 5 points; 2nd placed - 3 points; 3rd placed - 1 point

The President's Shield (Vegetables, Fruit & Flowers)	Tilehurst Horticultural Assn Challenge Cup (Vegetables)
The President's Cup (Tomatoes)	The Albert Illsley Cup (Flowers)
The Reading Standard Cup (Fruit)	The Rev. F.W. Lane Challenge Cup (Cactus/Succulent)
Arthur Francis Cup (Dahlia)	The V. Nash Memorial Cup (Photography)
The R Spokes Memorial Bowl (Pot Plants)	The Fred Keep Memorial Rose Bowl (Flower Arrangements)
The Barraball Memorial Cup (Standard/Half Standard Fuchsia)	The Frank Haynes Cup (Fuchsia)
The Mapstone Memorial Rose Bowl (Cookery)	The Tom Holmes Salver (Preserves)
The Frank Glover Cup (Junior - most points gained)	LR Stacey Challenge Cup (Junior – second highest points gained)
The Harold Summerfield Shield (Junior Class – Flowers)	Dick Wilcox Shield of Excellence
The Alec Simmons Trophy (Best exhibit in all the Flower Art Arrangements)	

THE R.H.S. BANKSIAN MEDAL (Awarded to the Exhibitor gaining most prize money in the horticultural classes). (Exhibitors who won this medal in 2014 and 2015 are not eligible this year).

THE TILEHURST HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION CERTIFICATES OF MERIT (Awarded to the Best Dish of Vegetables, Best Dish of Fruit, Best Vase of Flowers and Best Pot Plant in the Show).

R.H.S. CERTIFICATES AWARDED TO ALL TROPHY WINNERS

PRIZES & PRIZE MONEY

THA Certificates of Merit	Certificate and £5 National Gardens Gift Token		
All other Classes	1st - £1.00	2nd - 60p	3rd - 40p

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

VEGETABLES (Judge: Mr B Bedwell)

- 1 3 Potatoes, (white)
- 2 3 Potatoes, (coloured)
- 3 Potatoes, Dish of 2 varieties, 3 of each variety
- 4 9 Shallots, Large
- 5 9 Shallots, pickling (to pass through a 1" ring)
- 6 3 Carrots, (stump, rooted)
- 7 3 Carrots, (long, pointed)
- 8 3 Beetroots, Globe
- 9 2 Lettuce – Any Variety
- 10 6 Runner Beans (with stalks)
- 11 6 French Beans
- 12 6 Broad Beans
- 13 6 Pods Peas
- 14 2 Cucumbers
- 15 4 Sticks Rhubarb
- 16 4 Onions, Flat – under 8 oz (250 grams)
- 17 4 Onions, Round – under 8 oz (250 grams)
- 18 3 Onions – Large – over 8 oz (250 grams)
- 19 Pair of Marrows – (Not over 15 " long)
- 20 Marrow – heaviest weight (to be stated on the entry card). All Entries will be checked prior to judging.
- 21 3 Courgettes (not longer than 8")
- 22 5 Tomatoes with calyces (stalks) -indoor or outdoor grown
- 23 9 Cherry Tomatoes with Calyces (stalks) – indoor or outdoor grown (35mm)
- 24 Truss of tomatoes ripe or a mix of ripe and unripe
- 25 Vase of mixed Herbs – Max of 5 kinds
- 26 Any other Vegetable not included in Class 1-24 (numbers optional)

FRUIT: (Judge: Mr B Bedwell)

- 27 Raspberries, (with stalks), plate of twenty
- 28 Currants (red or black). Not more than nine bunches (strings).
- 29 Dish of any other fruit not named above, one cultivar.

FLOWERS:(Judge: Mr K Tudgay)

NOTE: Cultivar = A horticulturally or agriculturally derived variety of a plant

- 30 Sweet Peas, one bowl (not to exceed 6" in diameter)
- 31 Sweet Peas, not more than 6 stems, mixed cultivars
- 32 'Marigolds' – Calendula or Tagetes, one vase, any kind or kinds, one or more cultivars
- 33 Rose, specimen bloom
- 34 Dahlia, specimen bloom
- 35 Dahlia, (Cactus or Semi-Cactus) - three blooms
- 36 Dahlia, (Decorative) - three blooms
- 37 Dahlia, (Small Pompon, to pass through a 52mm ring) - three blooms
- 38 Dahlia (One Cultivar, any section - three blooms
- 39 Vase of Flowers not included in Schedule (one kind)
- 40 Vase of Flowers - three kinds
- 41 Vase mixed Garden Flowers

POT PLANTS: (Judge: Mr K Tudgay)

NOTE: POT SIZE LIMIT FOR CLASSES 42 to 45 – not to exceed 8" diameter

- 42 One Foliage Pot Plant - Except Fuchsia/Pelargonium/Geranium
- 43 One Flowering Pot Plant – Except Fuchsia

- 44 One Pot of Pelargonium or Geranium.
- 45 One Specimen - Cactus or Succulent

FUCHSIAS

(Judge: Mr K Tudgay)

NOTE: POT SIZE LIMIT – not to exceed 8" diameter

- 46 One Fuchsia, other than Standard
- 47 One Fuchsia, Standard (any type)
- 48 6 x Fuchsia Florets – display stand will be provided
- 48a **SPECIAL CLASS** (Judge - Mr K Tudgay)

Fuchsia (Type known only to the supplier and the judge on the day)

For the persons who purchased 1 small Fuchsia at the THA talk for £1.00.

Plant to be grown in a Max 8" diameter pot – If entered into this year's show you will be refunded the £1.00 – For First, Second and third place you will be rewarded: Cash prizes of £5 or £3 or £2. Class does not qualify for the Fuchsia Cup.

FLOWER ART ARRANGEMENTS

(Judge: Mrs I Manson)

CLASS: - No part of the Arrangements may extend beyond a Base of 15" square unless stated differently

- 49 90 Years – Fit for a Queen
- 50 A Floral arrangement – Things to Come
- 51 A Floral arrangement – Here and Now
- 52 A flower arrangement in a tankard

NOVICE CLASSES

(Judges: Mr B Bedwell, Mr K Tudgay, Mrs I Manson)

- 53 Vegetables – any vegetable as in classes 1 to 24
- 54 Flowers - One vase of garden flowers (one kind)
- 55 Pot Plant - one
- 56 Flower Arrangements - One container of garden flowers and foliage. No part of the Arrangement may extend beyond 15" square.

COOKERY & PRESERVES

(Judge: Mrs H Blackburn)

NOTE: Please read the Cookery recipes and tips at the end of the classes.

Recipe for the Cherry Cake is provided and must be used.

All others are your own recipes.

COOKERY

- 57 Loaf of Plain White Soda Bread – using a pound of flour – displayed on a board
- 58 Swiss Roll - own recipe
- 59 6 x Cheese Scones
- 60 6 x Brandy Snaps
- 61 Apple Flan
- 62 Cherry Cake - recipe provided

PRESERVES

- 63 Jar of Marmalade - any variety
- 64 Jar of Red or Black Currant Jelly
- 65 Jar of Any Jam
- 66 Jar of Relish or Chutney
- 66a Jar of Runny Honey – No labels
- 66b Jar of Set Honey – No labels

JUNIOR SECTION (Judge: Mrs J Cottee)

For Children up to 16 Years - AGE WILL BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT and SHOULD BE STATED ON THE ENTRY FORM

- 67 A Sci-Fi painting – max size A4
- 68 A hand decorated "Pot Plant" displayed with a plant in the pot.
- 69 4 Flapjacks – All your own work
- 70 Vase of Flowers – Garden or Wild - Not to exceed 15" in height or width
- 71 One entry of Fruit, Flowers or Vegetables from classes 1 – 24, 27-29, and 30-41, in the Schedule
- 72 Toy made from recycled materials – not larger than 15" x 15"
- 73 A robot made from Lego or Duplo
- 74 A glove puppet

A special keepsake prize will be awarded to the best entry in Class 71

A trophy and special keepsake prize will be awarded to the Junior earning the highest points gained overall.

The Harold Summerfield shield will be awarded to the best entry in Class 70 – Judged on overall effect

A keepsake prize will be awarded to the junior under 8years of age earning the highest number of points.

PHOTOGRAPHY (Judge: Mrs J Roberts)

All entries should be in colour, unframed and mounted on card which should not exceed 8" x 6" and **HAVE NOT previously been exhibited at any THA Annual Show.** Digital Photographs should not have had the format manipulated.

- 75 One photograph, - A water trough in Tilehurst
- 76 One photograph, - Young wildlife
- 77 One photograph, - Wheels

CRAFT (Judge: Mrs M Clark)

- 78 Hand knitted garment of your choice
- 79 Hand knitted soft toy of your choice

All must be your own work and has not been entered into any show within the last two years – less than Sixteen years of age please state your age on the entry form.

Recipes – Where provided and Tips

1. Please read the schedule. Where a recipe is provided, follow it precisely.
2. Oven temperatures & times are guidelines and should be adjusted according to your experience with your own oven.
3. Plain jars must be used for preserves – No commercial marked jars or lids. Sweet preserves should have a cellophane seal & waxed disc.
4. Jars should have a small plain label stating type, month & year.
5. Chutney should have matured for at least 2 months and have a screw top lid, no waxed disc.
6. Use a plain cutter for savoury scones.
7. Exhibit cooked items on a plain white plate; sweet items with a doily; savoury items with a plain napkin unless otherwise stated. Cover lightly with Clingfilm or an appropriate transparent cover.

CHERRY CAKE

100G (4OZ) GLACE CHERRIES
225G (8OZ) SELF RAISING FLOUR
50G (2OZ) SEMOLINA
150G (5OZ) BUTTER
100G (4OZ) CASTER SUGAR
5ML (1 TSP) GRATED LEMON RIND
2.2ML (1/2 TSP VANILLA ESSENCE
2 EGGS, WELL BEATEN
45ML (3 TBSP) FRESH MILK

METHOD

- 1, prepare a 18cm (7inch) round cake tin
- 2, cut cherries into quarters – wash to remove syrup
- 3, dry well, mix with 15ml (1tbsp) measured flour
- 4, sift remaining flour and semolina into a bowl
- 5, rub butter into flour until mixture resembles fine breadcrumbs
- 6, add sugar, lemon rind and cherries
- 7, mix vanilla, eggs and milk to a stiff batter
- 8, stir briskly, without beating, until well mixed – transfer to prepared tin
- 9, bake at 180 degrees (350 f) mark 4 for one hour or until a wooden cocktail stick, inserted into centre of cake, comes out clean
- 10 leave in tin for 5 minutes, turn out on to a wire cooling rack

THA TALKS PROGRAMME

2016 – 2017



27 October 2016 - Marcus Dancer

Clematis

24 November 2016 - Derek Leary

Photography in the Garden

26 January 2017 - Gill Franklin

The Apple Orchard

9 February 2017 – AGM

30 March 2017 - Geoff Hawkins

Growing Vegetables in a Small Garden

27 April 2017 - Angela O'Connell

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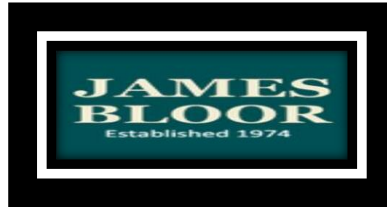
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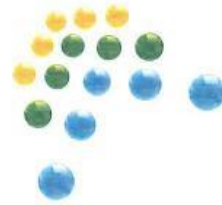
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