

HARDINGTON VILLAGE

80th ANNUAL FLOWER AND CRAFT SHOW

2.30pm Saturday 26th August 2023 at the Village Hall

Prizes to be presented by **Mike Bickerton**

Admission: Adults £1.50, accompanied children free

Refreshments and Raffle

TROPHIES

John Stevens Memorial Trophy to the top-scoring exhibitor across all sections

Mike Phillips Trophy to the winner of Section A

Rose Bowl to the winner of Section B

Photography Rose Bowl to the winner of Section C

Handicraft Rose Bowl to the winner of Section D

Floral Art Trophy to the winner of Section F

Cookery Salver to the winner of Section G

W.I. Cup to the top-scoring W.I. member in Section G

Cookery Tankard to top-scoring male exhibitor in Section G

JUNIOR PRIZES

A trophy to the top-scoring exhibitor in each age group in Section E

Entrants finishing 1st, 2nd or 3rd in each class will receive a cash prize

FLOWER SHOW COMMITTEE:

Chairman Stewart Ogdan

Secretary Clare Middleton

Treasurer Rose White

Members Mike Bickerton, Kaz Doyle, Gerry Manning, Joanna Szmaj
Sally Thompson, Tanya Ogden

RULES FOR ENTRANTS

- ALL CLASSES (except for junior classes) are open to everyone.
- Entrants to the junior classes can include grandchildren, etc, as well as children!
- There are no entry fees.
- Only one entry, per person, per class.
- **All entry forms, together with all photographic entries**, must be completed and sent or handed to Mrs D Creed, Springfield Stores, Hardington Moor by **12 noon, Wednesday 23rd August 2023** at the latest.
- In Sections A and B every exhibit to be grown in the exhibitor's own garden.
- Photographic entries must have been taken since August 2022.
Maximum size 7" x 5" (18cm x 13cm) unmounted, black and white or colour print.
- In Section D entrants should indicate if any part of the entry is not their own work (e.g. a picture frame).
- In Section E (Junior classes) all work to have been done by the entrant at home or in school since August 2022. Age to be stated on **both** entry form **and** exhibit.
- In Section F (Floral Art) flowers may be home grown or purchased.
- All entries except photographs to be staged at the Village Hall by the exhibitor from **8.45am to 10.30am** on the day of the show.
The hall will be cleared of exhibitors at 10.30am prompt, ready for judging.
- Prizes and trophies will be presented at 4pm.
- No entries to be removed until after the prize-giving ceremony.
- In the event of insufficient entries in any class, or exhibits of inadequate standard, the judges may withhold any or all of the prizes.
- The judges' decisions will be final.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES FOR 2023

Section A – Vegetables and Fruit – Judge: Roy Gunning

All classes to be a single variety, unless otherwise stated and named if known.

- 1) Noah's Ark Collection – 4 pairs of different vegetables presented on tray max 24" (60cm) square
- 2) Five potatoes (white)
- 3) Five onions - trimmed
- 4) Five shallots – trimmed
- 5) Five carrots – trimmed
- 6) Five runner beans
- 7) Longest runner bean
- 8) Five french beans
- 9) Three globe beetroot – trimmed
- 10) Two courgettes (up to 15cm/6" in length)
- 11) One squash/gourd (not marrow/courgette)
- 12) Five round tomatoes
- 13) Seven cherry tomatoes
- 14) A collection of three types of home grown fruits (not tomatoes)
- 15) Three dessert apples
- 16) Three cooking apples
- 17) A specimen single vegetable not included elsewhere in Section A
- 18) This year's worst failure
- 19) Heaviest vegetable
- 20) Three types of herbs – 3 stems of each in a container

Section B – Flowers and Plants - Judge: Sidney Painter

All classes to be a single variety, unless otherwise stated and named if known.

- 21) One specimen rose in vase
- 22) Two sprays of multi-flora roses in vase
- 23) One most fragrant rose in vase
- 24) Three cactus dahlias in vase
- 25) Three dahlias (any other variety) in vase
- 26) Five stems of sweet peas in vase
- 27) Three hydrangea flowers in a vase
- 28) Three stems of penstemons in a vase
- 29) Two shrub sprays in vase, any variety, one in flower, one with berries
- 30) One specimen flower – any cultivar not included elsewhere – in vase
- 31) A vase of mixed flowers
- 32) A vase of ornamental grasses

- 33) Three stems of mixed foliage in vase
- 34) A vase with bee friendly flowers
- 35) A flowering fuchsia in pot*
- 36) A flowering pelargonium in pot*
- 37) A flowering plant in pot* (not fuchsia or pelargonium)
- 38) A foliage plant in pot*
- 39) A single variety of cactus/succulent in pot (any size)

Section C – Photography – Judge: Derek Richards

All photos to have been taken since August 2022. Entries to be forwarded to Mrs D Creed, Springfield Stores, Hardington Moor by 12 noon Wed 23rd August. Maximum 7” x 5” (18cm x 13cm) unmounted, black & white or colour print.

- 40) Footpath
- 41) A Garden visitor
- 42) Weather
- 43) Coronation celebration
- 44) Any subject - a black and white photo

Section D – Handicraft – Judge: Beryl Baker

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- 45) A painting - any subject
- 46) A drawing - any subject
- 47) Handmade greeting card
- 48) An item of knitting, crochet or macrame
- 49) An item of handmade needlework (state if own design)
- 50) Pressed flowers - mounted (up to 21cm by 30cm)
- 51) Upcycled project (please include photo of item before upcycling)
- 52) You’ve made it, let’s see it (anything not included in above classes)

Section E – Junior Classes – Judge: Sheila Carpenter

All entries to have been **completed** since August 2022. Please state on entry form size of exhibit. Handmade may involve use of a machine - if so, please state on exhibit.

4 years and under (on 26 Aug 2023)

- 53) A painting or drawing of King Charles III
- 54) Four decorated biscuits
- 55) Miniature garden on a tray/plate (max. size 30cm diameter/square)
- 56) A face made from a display of fruit and vegetables (dinner plate size)
- 57) Tallest sunflower (in your garden)

5-8 years (on 26 Aug 2023)

- 58) Three decorated cup cakes
- 59) Tallest sunflower (in your garden)
- 60) Miniature garden on a tray/plate (max. size 30cm diameter/square)
- 61) A painting or drawing of King Charles III
- 62) A face made from a display of fruit and vegetables (dinner plate size)

9 to 13 years (on 26 Aug 2023)

- 63) A decorated chocolate cake for the Coronation
- 64) A face made from a display of fruit and vegetables (dinner plate size)
- 65) Tallest sunflower (in your garden)
- 66) You've made it, let's see it

Section F – Floral Art – Judge: Sylvia Dunsdon

- 67) 80th Anniversary of the Flower Show (size 60cm, accessories maybe used)
- 68) A arrangement in an unusual container
- 69) Natures Bounty - an arrangement using fruit, nuts, seeds, foliage etc. (no flowers)
- 70) An arrangement suggesting a nursery rhyme (accessories may be used)
- 71) A modern arrangement using five flowers only, plus foliage

Section G – Cookery, Preserves and Wine – Judge: Karen and Simon Paxton

All cookery entries to be covered with clingfilm.

Preserves to be in plain jars, clearly labelled including date made.

- 72) A decorated chocolate cake
- 73) A lemon tart
- 74) Four cheese scones
- 75) Four ginger biscuits
- 76) Four shortbread fingers
- 77) A ginger cake
- 78) Focaccia bread
- 79) 4 wholemeal rolls
- 80) A jar of strawberry jam
- 81) A jar of any other jam
- 82) A jar of marmalade (any variety)
- 83) A jar of jelly (any variety)
- 84) A jar of chutney (any variety, min 3 months old)
- 85) A half bottle of liqueur
- 86) A homemade non-alcoholic drink