



FINDON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION
(Registered Charity 290060)

SUMMER FLOWER SHOW

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As always the Committee are indebted to Mrs Monica Eastabrook for her patience and understanding in preparing these show schedules. Without her unstinting help we would be lost.



The Findon Village Hall

2.00 pm

Saturday 3rd August 2019

Admission free but donations welcome

Awards will be presented at 3pm

The raffle will be drawn at 3.30pm

RULES

1. All exhibits in Classes 1 to 40 must be grown by the exhibitor or have been in their possession for at least two months before the show.
2. An entrant must be a member of the association. At the time of entering, the member must be either a resident of the Parish of Findon or have been a member of the association for at least three months. Only one entry per class, per person. All exhibits will be shown anonymously.
3. All exhibits should be staged between 8.00am and 10.00am on Saturday 3rd August, and may be collected after the Awards ceremony and before 5pm. Judging commences at 10.15am and no admittance to the hall will be permitted other than for show officials .
4. The judges reserve the right to withhold prizes if exhibits are unworthy.
5. Exhibitors must not move or interfere with another person's exhibit. A member of the Committee will make any adjustments necessary and reserves the right to reposition exhibits as required. The decision of the judges shall be final as to the merits of exhibits and the decision of the Committee shall be final in all matters relating to the show. Any complaints should be notified in writing to the Show Secretary by 3pm on the day of the show.
6. Cups will be retained after the show for engraving.
7. All root vegetables should be washed and all fruit should be shown with stalks.
8. Vases and/or paper plates will be provided unless otherwise stated.
9. All prize money to be collected after the raffle has been drawn and before 5.00pm. Prize monies not collected will be regarded as donations to Chestnut Tree House.
10. The Committee will take all reasonable care but will not be responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit.
11. The Committee can refuse any entry and is not required to give reason or explanation for such refusal.

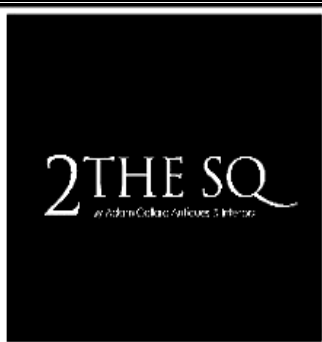
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Vegetable Section

(Where known please give the name of variety exhibited)

1. Two onions over 250g
2. Three onions 250g or under
3. Five potatoes
4. Five shallots
5. Three garlic bulbs
6. Three carrots
7. Five runner beans
8. Five French beans
9. Three beetroot
10. Collection of salad vegetables - minimum of three different varieties
11. Five tomatoes - any variety (except cherry or mini) with calyx
12. Five tomatoes - cherry or mini with calyx
13. One marrow
14. Three courgettes - all the same variety
15. One cucumber
16. Three peppers or chillies with stalks
17. Three of any other vegetable not mentioned above
18. Three sticks of rhubarb - must have 75mm of top foliage and heel
19. A 'tussie mussie' - a traditional posy of herbs displayed in a small pot or vase (exhibitor's own container)

NOTE. Do not over skin onions by the excessive removal of outer layers



Novelty Section

20. The longest runner bean
21. The ugliest vegetable
22. A posy of weeds in exhibitor's own container
23. The heaviest onion, no roots but dressed at neck

Soft Fruit

24. Ten soft fruit.

Flower Section

Vases will be provided.

25. Five stems of annual flowers - one or more varieties
26. One specimen rose
27. Three stems of large flowered roses - one or more varieties
28. Three stems of cluster flowered roses - one or more varieties
29. A small rose suitable for a buttonhole, foliage allowed
30. One hydrangea flower head
31. Five French marigolds (one or more varieties)
32. Five stems of cosmos (one or more varieties)
33. Three stems of gladioli (one or more varieties)
34. Three stems of dahlias (one or more varieties)
35. Five stems of sweet peas (one or more varieties)
36. Three stems of hardy perennial flowers (one or more varieties, no shrubs)
37. Mixed vase of garden flowers not exceeding eleven stems - no additional foliage
38. Five fuchsia heads (one or more varieties) - container will be provided
39. One flowering house pot plant (non succulent) - exhibitor's own container - not exceeding 25 centimetres in diameter
40. Largest sunflower head

NOTE Exhibitor's own container may be used for classes 29 and 31.

Floral Art

NOTE Exhibitors to provide their own containers and bought material may be used in classes 42 - 45

41. An arrangement of Summer flowers (not purchased) - not exceeding 45 x 45 centimetres, height unlimited
42. 'Circle of Life' - an exhibit not exceeding 45 x 45 centimetres, height unlimited
43. 'Time for Tea' - an arrangement in a teapot not exceeding 45 x 45 centimetres, height unlimited
44. 'Turning Japanese' - an Ikebana-inspired arrangement with minimal flowers and foliage - not exceeding 45 x 45 centimetres, height unlimited
45. A miniature knot garden - not exceeding 20 x 30 centimetres, height unlimited

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Cookery Section

All cookery exhibits to be covered with Clingfilm, both Clingfilm and paper plates will be provided

46. Three Cheese scones - own recipe
47. A lemon drizzle cake - own recipe in a 2lb loaf tin
48. Fruit cake - recipe overleaf, not exceeding 20cm
49. Three chocolate brownies - own recipe
50. Victoria sandwich - own recipe, made with three eggs
51. Focaccia - own recipe
52. A jar of soft fruit jam

NOTE Class 52 must be in a clear glass jar with a clean, solid lid (no greaseproof circles or fabric covers). No restrictions on size.

Handicraft Section

Important - no handicraft item may have been previously entered at a FVGA show.

53. An item of cross-stitch
54. Something new from something old - an upcycled item
55. A Christmas decoration
56. A patchwork or quilted item
57. A decorated flower pot
58. A pencil sketch/drawing, any subject, not exceeding 30 x 45 centimetres when unframed
59. A painting in any media, any subject, not exceeding 30 x 45 centimetres when unframed
60. Any hobby, different from any of the above

Photographic

Note - no photograph should have been previously entered in our competition

61. One black and white photograph - subject 'Pattern or Texture'
62. One coloured photograph, subject 'A Bug's Life'
63. Four coloured photographs, subject 'All creatures great & small'
64. One coloured photograph subject '2020 Summer Show cover'.

NOTE: Single photographic classes (61, 62 and 64) must be mounted on A5 card (21cm x 15cm) not framed. The photograph must be smaller than A5.

Multiple photographs (class 63) must be mounted on a single card. Each photograph must not exceed 4 inches x 6 inches (10cm x 15cm).

Fruit Cake Recipe

Ingredients

15oz(432g) tin crushed pineapple
8oz (200g) sultanas
4oz (100g) raisins
4oz (100g) chopped dates
4oz (100g) butter
4oz (100g) brown sugar
8oz (200g) flour
2 eggs
1 teaspoon bicarbonate soda
Pinch of salt

Oven temperature 170C – 180C Fan oven 150C – 160C Gas 3½ - 5

Method

Simmer pineapple with butter, sugar and fruit for 15minutes
Stir in the bicarbonate of soda (it will froth)
Cool slightly
Beat the 2 eggs and stir in
Fold in flour and salt

Pour into an 8inch (20cm) cake tin. Cover the top to prevent burning and cook for 1½ - 1¾ hours.

Hints and Tips for Exhibitors

1. Read the schedule carefully. Check that you have placed on the show table the correct type and number of specimens for each exhibit.
2. Vegetables should be as uniform as possible in size, shape and colour.
3. Check that your exhibit is free of blemishes and pests.
4. Root vegetables should be washed and tap roots left intact. Remove leaves and cut stalks on beetroot and carrots to approximately 75mm.
5. Tomatoes should be shown with calyx attached.
6. Please do not use greaseproof circles or gingham-type lid covers for your jams. These have to be removed by the judges, which is time-consuming and sticky!

Cups and Awards

(These to be held for one year)

The FVGA Salver for the Best Exhibit in vegetable Classes **1, 2, 4** and **5**

The Sheepdown Cup presented by Major Reeves

for Best Exhibit in Vegetables Classes **3,6** and **9**

The FVGA Cup for the Best Exhibit in Class **14** and **15**

The New FVGA Cup for the Most Outstanding Exhibit in Classes **1 - 24**

The Broadbridge Cup for the best Exhibit in Classes **26 - 29**

The Jean Easey Cup for the Best Hardy Perennial Exhibit in Class **36**

The Babs Arnold Award for Best Garden Flowers Exhibit in Class **37**

The Alan Cave Cup for the Most Outstanding exhibit in classes **25 - 40**

The Joan Ralph Shield for the Best Exhibit in Classes **41 - 44**

The Cookery Cup presented by Findon Village Gardens Association

for Best Exhibit in Classes **46 - 52**

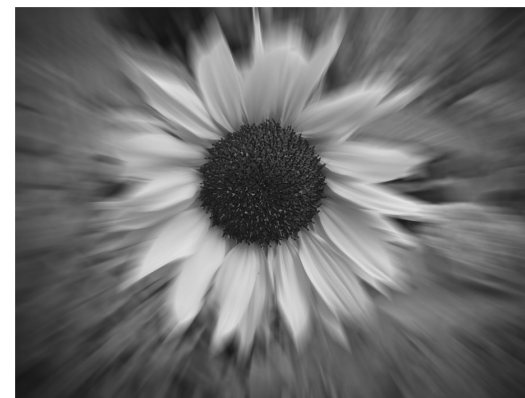
The Handicraft Cup presented by Findon Village Gardens Association

for Best Exhibit in Classes **53 - 60**

The Mike Solomons Award for the Best Exhibit in classes **61 - 63**

Prizes and Awards

Prizes in all Classes will be: **1st £2, 2nd £1 and 3rd 50p**. To claim prize money please collect your Prize Cards and have them available to show the Treasurer. Money will **NOT** be paid out without sight of such cards.



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No late entries after this can be accepted

Entry fee is 25p per class. Please use a separate form for each exhibitor.

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64						

Number of entries @ 25p Total £

I agree by my signature to abide by the show rules and regulations.

Signature

Exhibitors Name (Mr Mrs Ms)

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Telephone number

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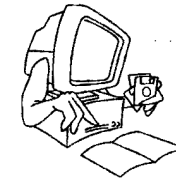
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