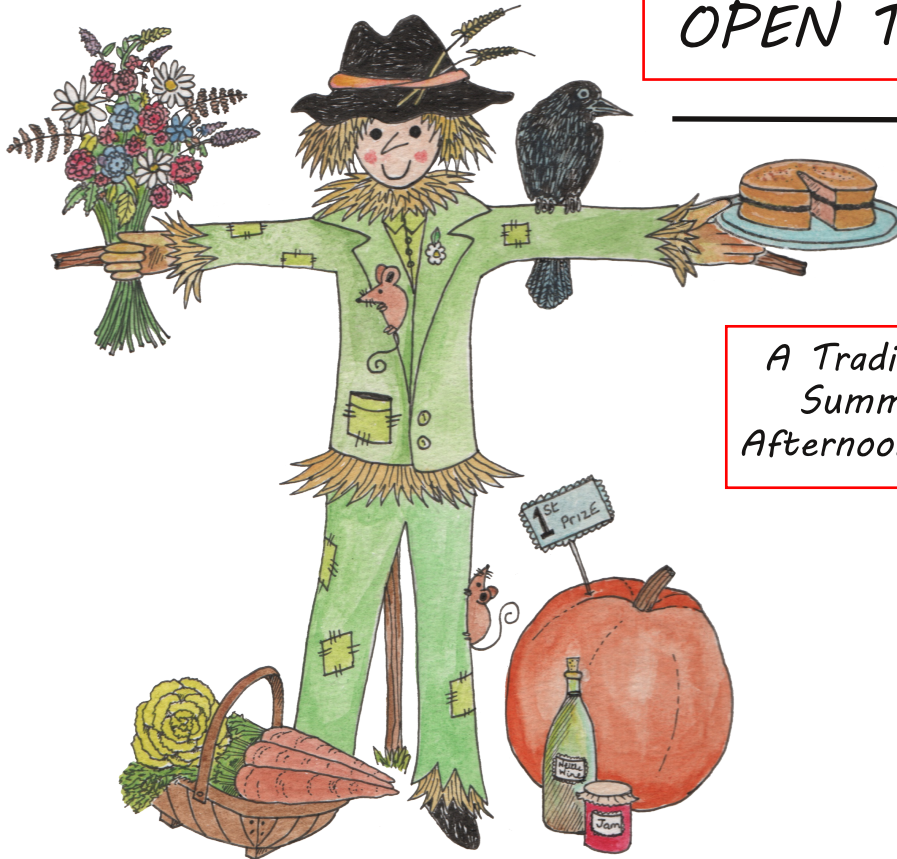


# 79th Annual Flower & Produce Show

OPEN TO ALL



A Traditional  
Summer  
Afternoon Out

**Saturday 2nd September 2023**  
**2pm-5pm**

**Claverton Down Community Hall & Marquee**

Top of Widcombe Hill, Bath.

*Hundreds of show entries. beekeeping, plants, herbs, snail racing, children's activities and races, pimmis, ice-cream, tea/coffee and homemade cakes.*

2pm Doors Open. 3pm Pet Parade. 3.30pm Children's Races.  
4pm Prize Giving, Raffle and renowned Produce Auction.

**Admission £2. Children & Members FREE**

***Brought to you by Claverton and District Horticultural Society.***

***Sponsored by Bath Allotment Association.***

**Show Secretaries: Clare Hammond 07974 796239 Colette Lemaire 01225 635452**

## **CLAVERTON & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

### **COMMITTEE:**

**President:** Tony Price

**Chair:** Zosia Brett

**Show Secretaries:** Clare Hammond and Colette Lemaire

**Treasurer:** John Redfern

**Membership Secretary:** Tony Brett

**Marketing & Publicity:** Caroline Sampson, Nickie Burrows

**Plant Sale Coordinator:** Caroline Davies

**Catering Coordinator:** Ros Hicks

**Allotment Association & Trading Hut Link:** Diana Groom

**Society Secretary:** Rachel Redfern

**Committee Team:** Anna Kear, Jess Jewett

**Combe Down Primary School Link:** Sally Merrett

**Widcombe Junior School Link:** Caroline Davies

**Widcombe Infant School Link:** Nickie Burrows

### **JUDGES:**

*We greatly appreciate the work of all our show judges and their names will be confirmed on our website prior to the show.*

**Vegetables and Fruit - Diana Groom & Christine Brook**

**Flowers - Tony Inglis**

**Baking - Lesley Bastone**

**Bread - tbc**

**Preserves and Eggs - tbc**

**Honey - Steve Fletcher**

**Floral Art - Pat Glynn Jones**

**Art and Craft - Sophie Hamilton**

**Children's Categories - Liz Cocks**

**Drinks - tbc**

**Photography - Jim McDonough**

**Small Pets - Jane Badger Stevens**

**Compost - Simon Maughan**

### **ENTRANCE FEES**

All General Classes 6 – 111 (excluding 29-32) - **30p per entry**

SPECIAL Classes 1-5, 29-32, 112-114, Pets & Novelty Classes - **50p per entry**

Childrens Classes 115-130 - **10p per entry**

## Rules And Regulations

1. All exhibits in classes 1-67 inclusive must be bona fide exhibitors own growing and in their possession at least two months before the Show.
2. No person shall be allowed more than one entry in each class.
3. Tomatoes shall be classed as Vegetables. Rhubarb classed as Fruit
4. Any exhibitor attempting to obtain any prizes by fraud shall forfeit all prizes awarded to them at the Show. All protests shall be made in writing to the Show Secretaries at the Show before 3.30pm on the day of the Show with a fee of £1 which shall be forfeited to the funds of the Society if the protest is not upheld.
5. Entries must be in on the form provided accompanied by the correct entry fee and sent or delivered to the Show Secretaries by **Wednesday 30th August 2023** or in person at Claverton Down Community Hall between **6pm and 8pm** on that date. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.** Additional entry forms can be downloaded: **[www.clavertonhortsoc.org](http://www.clavertonhortsoc.org)**
6. Exhibits must be staged on the evening of the day immediately previous to the show between **6pm and 7pm** or on the day of the show between **8.30am and 11am** **WHEN THE SHOW MARQUEE WILL BE CLEARED FOR JUDGING.** Exhibitors are reminded that red stickers should be affixed to their exhibitors' cards if they **do not** wish these to be auctioned (children's classes will not be auctioned)
7. No exhibits or cards shall be removed until after the presentation of awards, except by specific permission of the Show Secretary.
8. No responsibility will be accepted for loss of or damage to any exhibit or other personal property.
9. All horticultural exhibits will be judged according to RHS Rules, and in Particular Rule 4 i.e. only one entry per household per class. Other exhibits restricted to one per person.
10. Where there are 5 or fewer exhibits in any one class, prizes may be restricted at the discretion of the judges, but not necessarily in the children's classes.
11. Trophies will be presented at 4pm and money paid out immediately before the Auction. Prize moneys not claimed by 10th Sept 2023 from the Treasurer shall be deemed to be forfeited to the funds of the Society.
12. Exhibitors Cards must be placed so that Exhibitor's number is face down on the table. If a card is omitted the entry will not be judged.
13. The decision of the Chairman of the Show Executive committee shall be final and binding on all exhibitors.
14. Competitors in all classes are requested to state on the back of the exhibitors card the variety exhibited.
15. EXHIBITS FROM EARLIER YEARS CANNOT BE RE-ENTERED

## **AWARDS & TROPHIES**

*NB: With exception of the Banksian Medal all awards and trophies are held for one year only. **Cups and trophies can only be issued to members** in order to ensure their safe return. Non-members may join on the day in order to receive their awarded cup or trophy.*

### **Claverton & District Horticultural Society Challenge Shield**

*Most points gained by any entrant.*

#### **William Hodges Memorial Cup**

*Second most points gained by any entrant*

#### **George's Bristol Brewery Ltd Rose Bowl\***

*Highest Points in Class 1-32 (All Veg Classes)*

#### **The Mallet Perpetual Silver Cup\***

*Highest Points in Class 1 (Six Distinct Veg Kinds)*

#### **Geoff Baigent Perpetual Memorial Cup**

*Highest Points in Class 2 (Three Distinct Veg Kinds)*

#### **Alec Hewitt Cup**

*Winner of Misshapen Vegetable*

#### **John Hammond Cup**

*Best Vegetable in Show*

#### **Morrison Perpetual Memorial Cup**

*Highest Points in Classes 33-40 (Fruit)*

#### **Somerset Lavender Perpetual Cup**

*Best Exhibit in Classes 41-42 (Herbs)*

### **Claverton & District Horticultural Society Trophy**

*Best Exhibit in Class 43-47 (Cut Garden Flowers)*

#### **Walmsley Perpetual Silver Cup\***

*Highest Points in Classes 48-67 (Show Flowers)*

#### **George Lauder Memorial Silver Cup**

*Highest Points in Classes 53-60 (Dahlias)*

#### **Mannings Silver Bowl\***

*Highest Points in Classes 112-114 (Floral Art)*

#### **Ottaway Perpetual Silver Cup**

*Highest Points in Classes 68-86 (Baking & Preserves)*

#### **Peter Andrews Silver Cup**

*Winner of Men Only Rock Cakes Class 75*

#### **The Murray Loaf Cup**

*Winner of Home-Made Loaf Tin Bread Class 78*

#### **Clarence Terrace Cup**

*Winner of Artisan Bread Class 79*

**Bert Miner Silver Cup**

*Highest Points in Class 87-92 (Drinks)*

**Flatwoods Perpetual Silver Cup**

*Highest Points in Class 93-103 (Art and Craft)*

**Claverton Photography Cup**

*Highest Points in Class 104-111*

**Claverton Childrens Cup**

*Highest Points in Class 115-119 (Children 0-5yrs)*

**Richard Lock Perpetual Silver Cup\***

*Highest Points in Class 120-124 (Children 6-9yrs)*

**Valerie Edbrooke Cup\***

*Highest Points in Class 125-129 (Children 10-13yrs)*

**Ben Hussey Young Persons Award**

*Young Person (13-25yrs) gaining Most Points over All Categories*

**Children's Novelty Cup**

*Winner of Childrens Novelty Class*

**Adult Novelty Cup**

*Winner of Adult Novelty Class*

**Mike Simmonds Cup**

*Most Eye Catching Show Entry - Judged by our Society President*

**Royal Horticultural Society Banksian Medal**

*This is awarded for the largest number of points won in the vegetable, fruit and flower classes 1-67.*

RHS Rule: Any winners of this award in the preceding two years are not eligible to receive it in the current year.

*Classes marked \* are accompanied by diplomas of excellence and merit and/or prize vouchers. All trophies won in last years show must be returned to the Show Secretary by Wednesday 30th August 2023 at the latest.*

**PRIZE MONEY**

**General Classes 6-99 (excluding 29-32) - First 80p Second 60p Third 30p**

**Childrens Classes 115-130 - First 80p Second 60p Third 30p**

**SPECIAL Classes 1-5, 29-32, 112-114 & Novelty Classes - £3 for First Place**

**Small Pets - Rosettes Awarded**



# **VEGETABLES**

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## **CLASSES 1-32**

- 1. An Attractive Display of 6 Different Vegetable Types (1m x 1m max)**  
*Number of each kind to be at least the same as in classes below.*
- 2. An Attractive Display of 3 Different Vegetable Types (1m x 1m max)**  
*Number of each kind to be at least the same as in classes below.*
- 3. A Salad Collection eg. Radish, Lettuce, Cucumber, Tomato, Salad**  
*A display including a minimum of three different kinds of salad item.*
- 4. A Squash Collection eg. Pumpkin, Gourds, Butternut Squash, Marrow**  
*A beautiful display with a minimum of three different kinds of squash.*
- 5. Other Vegetables 3 of one kind not mentioned below**  
*Eg. Sweetcorn, Cauliflower, Pak Choi, Artichoke, Sweet Potato*
- 6. 9 Tomatoes CHERRY**
- 7. 6 Tomatoes PLUM**
- 8. 6 Tomatoes OTHER**
- 9. 2 Cucumbers**
- 10. 2 Lettuces ANY VARIETY**
- 11. 6 Mange Tout**
- 12. 6 Runner Beans**
- 13. 6 French Beans**
- 14. 4 Courgettes**
- 15. 2 Marrows FOR TABLE USE**
- 16. 2 Cabbages ANY VARIETY**
- 17. 8 Chard Stems To be displayed in a glass jar or vase**
- 18. 6 Kale Stems To be displayed in a glass jar or vase**
- 19. 3 Carrots**
- 20. 3 Beetroot**
- 21. 3 Parsnips**
- 22. 3 Turnips**
- 23. 5 Potatoes RED OR WHITE**
- 24. 5 Onions RED OR WHITE**
- 25. 6 Spring Onions**
- 26. 3 Leeks**
- 27. 3 Garlic Bulbs**
- 28. 3 Chillies**
- 29. Heaviest Onion**
- 30. Heaviest Squash**
- 31. Misshapen Vegetable**
- 32. Novelty Vegetable Class – 2023 Longest Rhubarb Stem (display 1 with leaf)**



## **FRUIT**

### **CLASSES 33-40**

- 33. **5 Apples** DESERT - ONE VARIETY
- 34. **5 Apples** COOKING – ONE VARIETY
- 35. **5 Plums** ONE VARIETY
- 36. **5 Pears** ONE VARIETY
- 37. **Grapes** ONE BUNCH
- 38. **3 Rhubarb Sticks** NOT TIED, FOLIAGE TRIMMED
- 39. **Soft Fruit** ONE KIND PRESENTED ON A PLATE *eg. raspberries, gooseberries,*
- 40. **Other Fruit** ONE KIND NOT MENTIONED ABOVE *eg. quince, fig, melon, apricot, cape gooseberry, medlar, damson.*



## **HERBS**

### **CLASSES 41-42**

- 41. **Fresh Cut Herbs** *minimum 6 varieties of HOMEGROWN stems NAMED and presented in water in an open jam jar vase.*
- 42. **Chilli Plant** growing in a Container NOT EXCEEDING 20cm (8’')



## **CUT FLOWERS**

### **CLASSES 43-61**

- 43. **Garden Flowers** SIX OF ONE VARIETY NOT MENTIONED BELOW
- 44. **Vase of Mixed Garden Flowers** 4 VARIETIES MINIMUM
- 45. **Sweet Peas** Attractive bunch of mixed or single cultivar blooms
- 46. **Marigolds/Calendula** Attractive bunch of mixed or single cultivar blooms
- 47. **Lavender** Ribbon tied bunch of 15 equal length FRESH flowering stems.
- 48. **One Single Specimen Rose**
- 49. **Vase of Hybrid Tea Roses** SIX MINIMUM
- 50. **Vase of Floribunda Spray Roses** THREE MULTI-STEMED CLUSTERS MIN
- 51. **6 Zinnia Blooms**
- 52. **3 Gladioli Spikes**
- 53. **3 Dahlias** SMALL DECORATIVE 170mm max
- 54. **3 Dahlias** POM 52mm max
- 55. **3 Dahlias** MEDIUM DECORATIVE 220mm max
- 56. **3 Dahlias** SMALL CACTUS OR SEMI CACTUS 170mm max

- 57. **3 Dahlias** MEDIUM CACTUS OR SEMI CACTUS 220mm max
- 58. **1 Single Bloom Dahlia** CACTUS OR DECORATIVE 100mm max
- 59. **3 Dahlias** SMALL BALL 170mm max
- 60. **Vase of 3 Bedding Dahlia Varieties** Collerette, Single or Paeony 100mm max
- 61. **Vase of Chrysanthemum Blooms** SPRAY OR NON SPRAY



## **POT PLANTS**

### **CLASSES 62-67**

- 62. **Flowering Pot Plant Specimen** POT NOT EXCEEDING 20cm (8")
- 63. **Foliage Pot Plant Specimen** POT NOT EXCEEDING 20cm (8")
- 64. **Houseplant** CONTAINER NOT EXCEEDING 20cm (8")
- 65. **Fuchsia in Pot** POT NOT EXCEEDING 20cm (8")
- 66. **Cactus in a Pot**
- 67. **Succulent in a Pot**



## **BAKING**

### **CLASSES 68-79**

- 68. **Showstopper Novelty Cake 2023:** AN ILLUSION CAKE *Free interpretation*
- 69. **Annual Baking Challenge 2023:** FOUR IDENTICAL JAM DOUGHNUTS
- 70. **Technical Challenge 2023:** LEMON MERINGUE PIE
- 71. **Victoria Jam Sandwich** INGREDIENTS BELOW MUST BE ADHERED TO:  
VARIATION FROM THIS RECIPE WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION:  
*Ingredients for an 18 or 20cm tin (7 or 8 inch)*

175g (6oz) SR Flour	175g (6oz) Butter or Margarine
175g (6oz) Caster Sugar	3 eggs (no extra)
- 72. **Cake using Vegetables.** Please supply a note stating which vegetables used.
- 73. **Six Decorated Homemade Cup Cakes**
- 74. **Apple Pie** CLOSED
- 75. **Six Rock Cakes** MEN ONLY
- 76. **Six Savoury Scones** WOMEN ONLY
- 77. **Savoury Quiche**
- 78. **Homemade Bread** HANDMADE, COOKED IN A LOAF TIN
- 79. **Artisan Bread** HANDMADE, FREEFORM





## **PRESERVES & EGGS**

### **CLASSES 80-86**

- 80. Jar of Marmalade
- 81. Jar of Fruit Jam or Jelly
- 82. Jar of Fruit Curd
- 83. Jar of Honey
- 84. Jar of Chutney
- 85. Jar of Pickled Eggs, Vegetables or Fruit eg. Lemons, Onions, Beetroot, Gherkins
- 86. 6 Eggs of Uniform Size



## **HOME-MADE DRINKS**

### **CLASSES 87-92**

ALL DRINKS TO BE EXHIBITED IN A CLEAR BOTTLE/CONTAINER

- 87. Homemade Red, White or Rose Wine
- 88. Homemade Country Wine *eg. Elderberry, Ginger, Rhubarb Wine*
- 89. Homemade Spirit *eg. Sloe Gin, Strawberry Vodka*
- 90. Homemade Beer
- 91. Homemade Cider
- 92. Homemade Soft Drink *eg. Elderflower Cordial, Ginger Beer, Kombucha*



## **ART & CRAFT**

### **CLASSES 93-103**

ENTRIES NOT TO EXCEED 50cm square.

- 93. Imaginative Upcycled Item
- 94. Small Textile Project *eg. Sewn, Crochet, Knitting, Patchwork, Embroidery, Tapestry, Cross Stitch etc*
- 95. Needle Felted Creature (2D or 3D)
- 96. Decoupage Item (object decorated with paper decoupage)
- 97. Original Handmade Piece of Jewellery. Any material.
- 98. Moving House Greetings Card Homemade, NO KITS
- 99. Sketch in Pencil, Pen, Charcoal or Pastel
- 100. Painting in Oils, Watercolour, Acrylic or Gouache.
- 101. Artwork made using CLAY (fired or not fired)
- 102. Artwork made using WOOD (logs, sticks, timber etc)
- 103. Artwork made using METAL and/or WIRE



# **PHOTOGRAPHY**

## **CLASSES 104-111**

ENTRIES TO NOT exceed 6" x 4" (15cms x 10cms) OR WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

- 104. Weather
- 105. Dramatically Lit Portrait
- 106. Laughter
- 107. Windows
- 108. Creepie Crawlies
- 109. Seascape
- 110. Sunday Night
- 111. A Photoshopped Animal or Pet



# **FLORAL ART**

## **CLASSES 112-114**

AN ATTRACTIVE AND IMAGINATIVE FLORAL DISPLAY BASED ON THE FOLLOWING THEMES. THE ALCOVES PROVIDED FOR FLORAL DISPLAYS ARE **76cm W x 90cm H** . PLEASE DO NOT EXCEED THIS SIZE. ACCESSORIES ARE ENCOURAGED IN ALL CLASSES AND ENTRIES MAY BE PRE-ARRANGED AT HOME. **NO OASIS.**

WE ENCOURAGE ENTRANTS TO ADD A DESCRIPTIVE NOTE TO THEIR DISPLAY.

- 112. The Coronation
- 113. Three Coordinated Buttonholes
- 114. Musical Theatre



# **CHILDREN'S SECTION**

## **CLASSES 115-130**

### **AGE 0-5yrs**

- 115. A Clay or Plasticine Snail
- 116. A Foot, Finger or Hand Print Dinosaur A4 MAXIMUM
- 117. Garden in a Seed Tray
- 118. 3 Homemade Decorated Biscuits
- 119. Painting or Drawing of your favorite toy A4 MAXIMUM

## AGE 6-9yrs

- 120. 3 Homemade Animal Cupcakes
- 121. A bunch of flowers chosen, picked and arranged by yourself in a Jam Jar
- 122. An Eco-Garden in a Seed Tray
- 123. A Sock Puppet
- 124. A Lego Self-Portrait

## AGE 10-13yrs

- 125. An Eco-Garden in a Seed Tray
- 126. Design for a Seed Packet
- 127. A Sketch or Painting of a Fruit or Vegetable
- 128. Basket of 3 Different home-grown vegetables or fruit
- 129. 3 Homemade Bread Rolls

**NO PARENTAL HELP PLEASE.**

YOUR CHILDS AGE MUST BE WRITTEN CLEARLY ON THE FRONT OF ENTRY CARD.



## TEEN BAKING CHALLENGE

- 130. 6 Millionaire Shortbreads



## NOVELTY CLASSES

**CHILDREN (under 18 years):** A GARDENING JOKE

**ADULTS:** AN UNRECOGNISABLY TRANSFORMED VEGETABLE



## 'NEW' COMPOST CATEGORY

A 20cm DIAMETER FLOWERPOT FULL OF HOMEMADE COMPOST



## SMALL PET ARENA

### ENTER YOUR PET

eg. hamster, budgie, rabbit, chick, snake, guinea pig, reptile

**RULES:** ALL ENTRIES MUST BE **NO GREATER THAN 40CM LONG**. THEY MUST BE BROUGHT TO THE PET ARENA OUTSIDE THE MAIN MARQUEE FROM **2.30pm**. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE IN A HUMANE AND COMFORTABLE VIEWING CAGE OR CONTAINER. THIS MUST BE LABELLED WITH THE ANIMAL NAME, SPECIES, AGE AND OWNERS NAME. PETS MUST BE READY FOR PRESENTING, PARADING AND JUDGING AT **3pm**.



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*Organised by:*

## **Claverton & District Horticultural Society**

We are a friendly group, keen to keep this wonderful tradition alive. Would you like to help at the show next year or become a member for just £5/year? Contact us via our website:

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