

KNARESBOROUGH HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

LATE FLOWER SHOW

SCHEDULE & COMPETITION RULES



17th - 18th
October 2015



Includes a Vegetable Section,
Supported by the
National Vegetable Society



To be held at

Great Yorkshire Showground
Harrogate

Staging Details

Staging of the Exhibits may take place on:

Friday, 16th October from 3.30 pm

Saturday, 17th October from 7.00 am – 8.30 am

Judging will commence

08.30 am

Saturday, 17th October

Prize Money

First Prize: £3.50

Second Prize: £2.00

Third Prize: £1.50

Championship Classes – separately indicated within this Schedule

Entry Fee: 50 pence per entry

Championship Classes: £1 per entry

Contact Details

Entries to be returned **together with** fees to:

Show Secretary: B Chatten, 2 Stockwell Grove, Knaresborough

OR

Margaret Knight, 12 Tentergate Gardens, Knaresborough

Telephone Entries can be made to either:

Margaret Knight on 01423 864419 or Brian Chatten on 01423 867269
(e-mail enquiries should be sent to: info@khsyorkshire.org.uk)

Entries accepted until 12 noon on Thursday, 1st October

No late entries accepted on Show Day

Chrysanthemums Open Classes

Please note that only those disbud cultivars classified as late or October flowering can be exhibited at this show. However, early flowering sprays (Section 29) will be permitted in Class 5 only.

Five Vase Championship Class

CH1: 5 Vases of 3 Blooms, with each vase a distinct Cultivar.
A minimum of 3 different Cultivars to be shown.
First Prize: £15 Second Prize: £10 Third Prize: £5

Championship Class

CH2: 3 Vases of 3 Blooms, with each vase a distinct Cultivar.
First Prize: £9 Second Prize: £6 Third Prize: £3

Special Class

3 Blooms (Sec 1 or 2)
Any Cultivar or Cultivars to be staged in individual vases
First Prize: £5 Second Prize: £3 Third Prize: £2

1. Vase of 3 Large or Medium Incurved (Sec 3a or 3b)
2. Vase of 3 Large or Medium Reflexed (Sec 4a or 4b)
3. Vase of 3 Large or Medium Singles (Sec 7a or 7b)
4. Vase of 3 Large or Medium Intermediate (Sec 5a or 5b)
5. Vase of 3 Stems of Early Spray Chrysanthemums
6. Vase of 1 Specimen Incurved (Sec 3a or 3b)
7. Vase of 1 Specimen Reflexed (Sec 4a or 4b)
8. Vase of 1 Specimen Intermediate (Sec 5a or 5b)
9. Gift Class of 3 Blooms, any variety or varieties

NCS Silver Medal to the Best Vase in all Chrysanthemum Classes

Lishman Challenge Cup to the Best Exhibit in all Chrysanthemum Classes

Vegetables Open Classes

Championship Class

CH3: Collection of 5 kinds of vegetables on a tray not exceeding 30" x 30". Parsley dressing only. Quantities and kinds as per late schedule.
First Prize: £9 Second Prize: £6 Third Prize: £3

- 10.6 Shallots - Exhibition
- 11.3 White Potatoes
- 12.3 Coloured Potatoes
- 13.1 Head of Celery
- 14.3 Onions – Dressed from Seed
- 15.3 Beetroot – trimmed to 3" (76mm) – Any Type
- 16.1 Cauliflower – Stem cut to 2" (50 mm)

- 17.3 Carrots – long or stumped – trimmed to 3” (76mm)
- 18.1 Red Cabbage – Stem cut to 2”
- 19.1 Green Cabbage – Stem cut to 2”
- 20.6 Brussel Sprouts
- 21.1 Other Vegetable – not included in this Schedule
- 22.2 Blanched Leeks
- 23.4 Dessert Apples
- 24.4 Cooking Apples
- 25.A Plate of Any Other Fruit
- 26.A Collection: 1 Vase of Flowers; 1 Vegetable; 1 Pot Plant

Championship Class

CH4: Collection of 3 vegetables. Quantities and kinds as per late schedule.
First Prize: £7 Second Prize: £4 Third Prize: £3

Staveley Challenge Cup – For the best exhibit in Vegetable Classes 10 - 26

National Vegetable Society Classes

The National Vegetable Society will donate and award Prize Money of £5, £3 and £2 for first, second and third places in respect of the following classes.

A National Vegetable Society Silver Medal will be awarded for the Best Exhibit.

Championship Class

CH5: 3 dishes of potatoes, each containing 3 tubers of 3 distinct varieties.
First Prize: £10 Second Prize: £6 Third Prize: £4

- 27.2 Parsnips, tops trimmed to 3” (76 mm)
- 28.2 Pot Leeks (6” barrel)
- 29.6 Pickling Shallots – to pass cleanly through a 30mm ring
- 30.3 Dressed Onions not to exceed 250 grams
- 31.3 Stump Carrots, tops trimmed to 3” (76 mm)
- 32.3 Long Carrots, tops trimmed to 3” (76 mm)
- 33.2 Blanched Leeks (minimum 14” / 260 mm barrel)
- 34.1 Stem of 1 Flower and 1 Vegetable

Miscellaneous Classes

Championship Class

CH6: Collection of 3 Pot Plants – 6” / 155mm pot max. 3 Distinct Cultivars.
First Prize: £7 Second Prize: £4 Third Prize: £3

- 35.1 Flowering Pot Plant – 6” /155 mm pot maximum
- 36.1 Foliage Pot Plant – 6” Pot(155 mm) maximum
- 37.1 Fuchsia Bush – 6” Pot (155 mm) maximum
- 38.1 Cactus – 8” Pot (200 mm) maximum
- 39.1 Succulent – 8” Pot (200 mm) maximum

- 40.1 Potted Orchid – 6” Pot (155 mm) maximum
- 41.1 Potted Garden Mum – 9” Pot (225mm) maximum
- 42.A Vase of 3 stems of Flowering or Berried Shrubs – distinct kinds
- 43.A Vase of 9 stems of Garden Flowers – at least 3 kinds
- 44.3 Stems Floribunda Roses
- 45.1 Rose as Grown

Harrogate Garden Society Cup - For the Best Exhibit in Classes 35 – 45

Flower Arranging Open Classes

Please note the following rules:

- Drapes (if used) should be self-supporting
- Classes 46 – 52 to be displayed in white card niches, approx 24” wide x 18” deep
- Exhibits should not exceed 30” high.
- NAFAS rules do not apply

- 46.An Eerie Glow
- 47.Autumn Tints - foliage only
- 48.The Rich Earth - an arrangement of fruit and vegetables
- 49.Magic Moments – a centred table arrangement
- 50.Only 5 Flowers - 3 or more stems but only 5 flowers in total.
- 51.Out of a Glass - a petite arrangement (maximum 9” / 200 mm)
- 52.A Gentleman’s Button Hole or a Lady’s Corsage

Morley Perpetual Challenge Trophy - For the Most First Prizes in Classes 46 - 52
Veitch Memorial Medal - For the Best Exhibit in Classes 46 – 52

Cookery Open Classes

- 56. A Loaf of Bread, made with 1lb/450g flour, baked in an oven
- 57. A Loaf of Bread, made with 1lb/450g flour, baked in a bread maker
- 58. 4 Potato Scones – plate provided
- 59. 4 Savoury Tartlets, any flavour – plate provided
- 60. A Bakewell Tart – 180mm/7” max
- 61. **Rich Yoghurt Chocolate Loaf** – Made to the following recipe:-
 Recipe makes 2 loaves – only 1 needed for entry.

- 200g/8oz butter
- 100g/4oz dark chocolate (70% cocoa solids)
- 150g pot natural yoghurt
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 3 Lge eggs
- 250g/9oz SR flour
- 175g/6oz dark muscovado sugar
- ½ tsp Bicarbonate soda

Topping

- 100ml/3½ fl.oz double cream
- 1 Tbs butter
- 100g/4oz dark chocolate, chopped

Oven: 190oC/170oC fan/Gas Mark 5 Grease and line 2 x 2lb loaf tins

Method:

1. Put butter and chocolate in a large pan, heat gently until melted, stir and cool for 5 mins, then use a whisk to stir in yoghurt, vanilla, eggs and a pinch of salt.
2. Mix the flour, sugar and bicarbonate of soda then stir into the chocolate mix. Ensure the mix is smooth – no lumps of sugar. Pour or spoon into prepared tins. Bake for 45 mins or until cooked. Leave in the tin for 15 mins and then remove and cool on a rack.
3. Put the cream into a small pan, bring to the boil then add the butter and half the chocolate, chopped. Take off the heat and leave to melt. Stir until smooth and shiny.
4. Spoon over the cool cake, then scatter with the second half of the chocolate. Allow to set and cool.

62. 2 Gingerbread People – plate provided

63. 4 Melting Moments – plate provided

The following 3 classes may be in any size jar and of any flavour.
State type on label.

64. A Jar of Jam

65. A Jar of Mincemeat

66. A Jar of Chutney

** Note for Class 59. When delivering your entry to the Show, please include a note to state any significant ingredients used.

Brighter Times Cup - For the Most 1st Prizes in Classes 56 – 66

Handicrafts Open Classes

Please note that exhibits that have been entered in previous shows run by
Knaresborough Horticultural Society will not be allowed.

67. A home made cloth soft toy

68. A greetings card

69. A Photograph of a Town Celebration – postcard size

70. A Painting of a Dales landscape – unframed – up to A3 size

71. A Christmas tree decoration

72. A Hand Made Item made from any of the following materials: Clay, Wood, Glass,
or Metal.

73. A Drawing of The Breakfast Table – unframed – up to A3 size

Children's Open Classes (up to 7 Years Old)

75. A Party Hat

76. A Vegetable Monster

77. An Edible Necklace

78. A Miniature Garden - 35mm x 25mm / 18" x 12" max (standard seed tray)

Children's Open Classes (8 to 15 Years Old)

79.A Photograph of a party – postcard size

80.A Friendship bracelet

81. A Poster created by computer graphics (subject own choice) – no larger than A4

82. A decorated picture frame – no larger than A4

Knarborough Horticultural Society Perpetual Challenge Trophy - For the Most 1st Prizes in the Children's Classes

Competition Rules

1. Telephone Entries will be accepted, but completed entry forms, together with entry fees must be handed to the Secretary before staging the exhibits.
2. The exhibitor must have grown all exhibits for at least 8 weeks prior to the Show. (Floral art and Children sections excluded from this rule).
3. Objections to an exhibitor or exhibit must be made in writing to the Secretary, not later than 4.30 pm on the first day of the Show. The Secretary reserves the right to inspect any exhibitor's garden in order to determine if an objection is justified.
4. Whenever possible, all exhibits must be named by the exhibitor.
5. The decisions of the judges as to the relative merits of the exhibits staged are final. Prizes may be withheld at the judges' discretion, if they consider an exhibit undeserving of the prize offered.
6. Exhibits and prize cards must not be removed before the time stated in the schedule. Any exhibitor breaking this rule will forfeit any prize money due.
7. The Committee will take every precaution against damage to exhibits staged, but cannot be held responsible for any damage or loss which may occur.
8. The Show Committee is authorised to settle any dispute that may occur, for any matter not specifically covered by these rules.
9. All trophies remain the property of the Society. Holders are required to sign to acknowledge receipt and to keep them in safe custody for 12 months until they are returned to the Society.
10. Exhibitors are requested to clear their exhibits and prize cards at the close of the Show and to clear pots, paper, vases etc. The Society would be pleased to receive any donation of unwanted exhibits that will be sold in the auction of produce at the close of the Show.
11. Handicrafts Classes: Exhibitors will only be allowed to enter an exhibit once, i.e. the same exhibit cannot be entered in competitive classes year on year.

Knaresborough Horticultural Society

meets at The HUB @ St. John's, Knaresborough HG5 9AE at 7.15 pm every 3rd Wednesday of the month from September to April. During the summer, visits are arranged to gardens of interest.

There are mini competitions planned for most months. From February, these will be for iris reticulate, daffodils and tulips. The bulbs are available, for a nominal fee, at the KHS meetings in the autumn.

If you are interested in joining, contact:

Conrad Plowman – 01423 862958 or Mike Prest – 01423 869951
info@khsyorkshire.org.uk www.khsyorkshire.org.uk

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The following trophies will be awarded to winning competitors who have entered both our Early and Late Flower Shows

❖ ***Knaresborough Trades Association Challenge Cup***

For the member gaining the most 1st prizes
in any Chrysanthemum Classes in both Shows

❖ ***William Forster Memorial Rosebowl***

For the member gaining the most 1st prizes
in all classes in both Shows

❖ ***National Vegetable Society Millennium Plate***

For the member gaining the most 1st prizes
in all vegetable classes in both Shows

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**Next year's Early Show
will be held on the first weekend of September**