

# ***Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society***

## **AUTUMN SHOW SCHEDULE 2011**



**Autumn show** to be held in the Village Hall,  
Crowhurst on

**Saturday 17th September 2011**

***No entries will be accepted after Wednesday 14th  
September 2011.***

Staging of Exhibits - **8am - 10.30am**

Show opens to the public at **2pm.**

## CROWHURST & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY 2011

<b>PRESIDENT</b>	Mr K. Waller
<b>VICE PRESIDENT</b>	<i>vacant</i>
<b>LIFE MEMBERS</b>	Mr K. Waller, Mr D. Gower, Mr B. Cripps, Mrs C. Breeds, Mr M & Mrs N Hudson

### OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

<b>CHAIRMAN</b>	Mrs M. Boorman	01424 774102
<b>HON. TREASURER</b>	Mr A. Humphrey	01424 774102
<b>SECRETARY</b>	<i>vacant</i>	
<b>SHOW MANAGER</b>	Mr K. Waller	01424 892241
<b>MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY</b>	Mr C. Hamson	01424 830461

### MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE

**Mr O. Boorman-Humphrey** Schedules / Catering

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### ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION - £3 PER MEMBER

Anyone interested in joining the society can contact Chris Hamson, our Membership Secretary, on 01424 830461 for more details.

**MEMBERS SHOULD PARTICIPATE IN THE SOCIETY BY ATTENDING OUR A.G.M. ON FRIDAY 7th OCTOBER 2011 AT 7.30pm AT CROWHURST VILLAGE HALL.**

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*We would be pleased to hear from anyone who might like to sponsor prize money for a particular class or classes.*

*Tombola & raffle prize donations are always welcomed.*

Contact the Show Manager or any other committee member for more information about either of the above.

## AUTUMN SHOW 2011

### ENTRANCE FEES

Classes 47, 48, 48A and 51	25p per class
Children's classes 76-80	10p per class
All other classes	15p per class

### PRIZE MONEY

	<b>FIRST</b>	<b>SECOND</b>	<b>THIRD</b>
Classes 47, 48, 48A and 51	£1.50	80p	50p
Children's classes 76-80	60p	40p	20p
All other classes	£1	50p	30p

### TROPHIES & AWARDS

ELEANOR HAIGH TROPHY	Most points in show
PETER OLIVER TROPHY	The best horticultural exhibit (excluding 28 to 32, 47, 51, 85, 86)
ROY WILSON CHILDREN'S TROPHY	Most points in year's combined shows
CARRIE BREEDS TROPHY	Most points in floral classes (28 to 31)
GORDON APPS TROPHY	Best exhibit in classes 68 to 69
MARGARET APPS TROPHY	Most points in classes 52 to 64
JOHN CHILDS TROPHY	Most points chrysanthemum class
REG MEWETT TROPHY	Best vegetable collection (class 47)
N.D.S. SILVER MEDAL CARD	Best exhibit of Dahlia
N.D.S. BRONZE MEDAL CARD	Best exhibit class 14
THE LINFIELD CUP	Best exhibit of Roses in classes 1 and 2
THE HUNTERS HILL TROPHY	For the best exhibit in class 51
JEAN WATMORE CUP	Floral. Best in show.
JOHN WATMORE	Best in class 70
CERTIFICATE	Best exhibit in classes 85 and 86

**ALL CURRENT AUTUMN TROPHY HOLDERS MUST RETURN THEIR TROPHIES TO THE SHOW MANAGER, POTMANS LANE, LUNSFORD CROSS, BY AT LEAST 4th SEPTEMBER 2011.**

**ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED ON OR BEFORE WEDNESDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2011 FOR THE SUMMER SHOW. THEY CAN BE GIVEN TO**

- Mrs R GOWER - 22 FOREWOOD RISE, CROWHURST, TN33 9AH
- Mr K WALLER - CHERRY TREE COTTAGE, POTMANS LANE, LUNSFORD CROSS, TN39 5JL
- ANY COMMITTEE MEMBER.

# **AUTUMN SHOW CLASSES**

## **OPEN CLASSES**

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### **ROSES**

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- 1 3 Roses H.T. (any variety or varieties)
- 2 3 Stems of floribunda roses (bunch flowered)
- 3 1 Rose H.T. specimen bloom

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### **CHRYSANTHEMUMS**

- 4 1 Specimen bloom (any variety)
- 5 3 Blooms, incurved (any colour or colours)
- 6 3 Blooms, reflex (any colour or colours)
- 7 3 Blooms, intermediate (any colour or colours).
- 8 3 Sprays (any colour or colours)

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### **DAHLIAS**

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- 9 1 Specimen bloom large or giant
- 10 3 Blooms, medium decorative
- 11 3 Blooms, small decorative
- 12 3 Blooms, medium cactus and/or semi cactus
- 13 3 Blooms, small cactus and /or semi cactus
- 14 7 Blooms, pompom (not to exceed 2")
- 15 3 Blooms, small or miniature ball
- 16 3 Blooms, any type, one variety
- 17 3 Blooms, water lily type

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## GENERAL FLOWERS

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- 18 3 Hydrangea heads, lace caps
- 19 3 Gladioli, any variety
- 20 3 Sprays of Michaelmas daisies, (any colour)
- 21 A Vase of mixed garden flowers (4 kinds)
- 22 4 Stems of flowering shrubs (4 kinds)
- 23 A Vase of mixed foliage (4 kinds one stem of each)

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## POT PLANTS

(pots not to exceed 8" diameter)

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- 24 A pot plant, foliage
- 25 A pot plant, flowering
- 26 A Cactus
- 27 A Succulent

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## FLORAL EXHIBITS

Flowers need not have been grown by the exhibitor. Exhibits do not have to be done in situ. See pages 10-11 for definitions. The maximum space allowed is **23" width × 30" high × 24" deep.**

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- 28 Autumn and Winter; a two placement exhibit
- 29 An exhibit to commemorate the 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Royal British Legion.
- 30 An exhibit to depict September in a vegetable garden
- 31 A petite exhibit - not more than 9" overall
- 32 Novice class; an exhibit to depict winter  
*This class is open to all who have not won this class more than 3 times in previous autumn shows*

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## VEGETABLES

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- 33 2 Cabbages
- 34 5 Shallots
- 35 3 Carrots
- 36 3 Leeks
- 37 3 Beetroot
- 38 3 Parsnips
- 39 5 Cherry tomatoes with calyx
- 40 5 Tomatoes with calyx
- 41 5 Runner beans
- 42 2 Marrows
- 43 5 Brussel sprouts
- 44 3 Onions
- 45 5 Potatoes, one variety
- 46 3 Sweet peppers, any colour
- 47 A collection of 5 vegetables in a tray (max size 24" square).  
*Vegetable numbers to be the same as in individual classes. A back board is permitted in this class.*
- 48 A collection of 4 vegetables in a tray (max size 24" × 18").  
*Vegetable numbers to be the same as in individual classes.  
AMATEURS ONLY. No back board is permitted in this class.*
- 48A Crowhurst Top Tray (see page 9)

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## FRUIT

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- 49 5 dessert apples
- 50 5 cooking apples
- 51 A harvest basket (a selection of fruit & vegetables)

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### **PRESERVES**

(to be in plain jars with lids or covers, labelled and dated - not less than 12oz)

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- 52 Jar of jam made from soft fruit
  - 53 Jar of jam made from stone fruit
  - 54 Jar of marmalade
  - 55 Jar of jelly
  - 56 Jar of lemon curd
  - 57 Jar of chutney (not less than 2 months old)
  - 58 Jar of mixed pickle
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### **COOKERY - HOME MADE** (Domes will be provided)

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- 59 Apple & Apricot Cake (recipe on page 9)
  - 60 Victoria sandwich with Raspberry jam filling (app. 8" diameter)  
*A Victoria sandwich is made with fat*
  - 61 5 pieces of Cherry Flapjack
  - 62 3 Cheese Scones
  - 63 5 Ginger Biscuits
  - 64 3 Sausage Rolls  
*This class is open to men only*
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### **HANDICRAFTS**

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- 67 A handmade greetings card using any medium (max. size 7"×5")
- 68 A handicraft made from a kit
- 69 Paper flowers in a vase
- 70 A line drawing by the entrant, any subject (max. size A4)
- 71 A poem, composed by the entrant, entitled 'Autumn'
- 72 A patchwork article
- 73 An article using pressed flowers

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## **PHOTOGRAPHY**

Maximum size 7" × 5". Photos to be unframed. Exhibit not to have been shown before. Exhibitors to have only one entry per class.

74 Hot Air Balloon

75 Bonfire Night

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## **CHILDREN'S CLASSES** (Age groups 8 yrs and under, 9-14 yrs)

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR AGE IS ENTERED ON THE ENTRY FORM

76 5 iced biscuits decorated for Halloween

77 A 3D model of an insect, made using any materials

78 An exhibit using foliage, berries and fruit

79 A collage using leaves, twigs etc. (less than 30cm × 20cm)

80 A cress head, grown in an egg shell

81 BROWNIES ONLY

82 CUBS ONLY

83 PLAYGROUP ONLY

84 CROWHURST PRIMARY SCHOOL ONLY

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## **NOVELTY VEGETABLES**

These classes will be judged for novelty value only



85 An Enormous Vegetable

86 The Ugliest Vegetable



## RECIPE

### APPLE & APRICOT CAKE - CLASS 59

250g/9 oz self-raising flour	225g/8 oz caster sugar
2 medium eggs	½ tsp almond extract
140g/5 oz melted butter	225g/8 oz cooking apples
110g/4oz dried apricots	25g/1 oz flaked almonds

Set the oven to 160°C/gas mark 3. Line a deep, loose-bottomed cake tin with greaseproof paper. Put the flour, sugar, eggs, almond extract and butter into a large bowl and mix well to combine and then beat using an electric whisk for approx. 1 minute. Peel and slice the apples. Break the apricots in halves and both to the mixture. Gently stir together. Spoon mixture into tin and sprinkled almond over top. Bake for 1 - 1½ hrs until golden brown and firm to the touch. Allow to cool for a few minutes and then turn out.

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### CROWHURST TOP TRAY - CLASS 48A

1. The Crowhurst Top Tray class is for a display of three types of vegetables from the following list of eight. The quantity of each vegetable required for the display is given in brackets: carrots(3) cauliflowers(2) Onions (3) parsnips(3) peas (6) potatoes(3) runner beans(6) tomatoes(6).
2. Each type of vegetable will be judged using a scale of 20 points, split into three sections. There are 7 points for size, shape & colour, 7 points for condition & 6 points for uniformity. All vegetables are to be displayed for effect.
3. Vegetables must be displayed in an area measuring 18"x24"(45x60cm) without bending any part of them. No part of any exhibit may exceed the tray size.
4. A tray or board measuring 18"x24"(45x60cm) can be used to display the vegetables, or the area can simply be marked on the staging Where a tray has a lip or edge, the internal measurements must not exceed 18"x24" (45x60cm).
5. A black cloth is permitted and trays may be painted. Parsley is allowed for garnishing but no other foliage or accessories, such as plates, back boards, sand or rings, will be allowed. Onion tops may be tied or whipped using raffia.
6. The winner of the Crowhurst Top Tray class will receive a £10 prize. The runner up will receive £5. Third place will receive £3.

## RULES

1. The Society shall be known as THE CROWHURST & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
2. All persons intending to exhibit must give notice to the Show Manager not later than the Wednesday preceding the Show in which they wish to exhibit, by handing in their completed entry form and paying the necessary fees. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Show Manager. If accepted, double the normal entry fee will be payable.
3. All exhibits must be staged before 10.30 am on the morning of the Show, at which time the hall or marquee will be cleared for judging.

### **THIS RULE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED**

4. Produce must have been grown by the Exhibitor in his or her own garden or allotment for not less than two months preceding the Show unless otherwise stated in the schedule.
5. Exhibitors must supply their own trays, dishes, vases, or other receptacles for their exhibits (unless otherwise stated). A vase must have a greater height than the diameter of its mouth.
6. Collections of vegetables must contain the distinct kinds specified. (Distinct kinds mean for instance, Peas, Beans, Carrots, Cabbage etc.). Antirrhinums, Petunias, Verbena, Phlox drummondii, are classified as annuals for the purpose of the show schedule.
7. No exhibits may be removed before 4.30pm at any of the shows. The Committee will be pleased to accept any exhibits to sell for the Benefit of the Society.
8. The Committee will appoint the Judges, whose decision will be FINAL. Judges are empowered to withhold prizes where there is not sufficient competition, or when the exhibits are of insufficient merit. They can award extra prizes with the consent of the Committee, who will set the amount.
9. No exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in any class.
10. The points awarded for the Challenge Cups will be: 3 for a first prize, 2 for a second and 1 for a third. Winners of the Cups must undertake to return the cups to the Show Manager two weeks before the relevant show in the following year.
11. All vegetables will be judged by their fitness for use, and must be divested of all superfluous leaves. Lettuce to be shown with the roots on.
12. The Committee reserve the right to inspect any garden or Allotment of any exhibitor, and to decide any questions not provided for in these rules.

13. Any objection must be lodged in writing before 4pm on the day of the Show together with a 50p deposit, which will be refunded if the objection is upheld.
  14. Judging for all the shows will be guided by R.H.S. rules, amplified where necessary by the regulations of specialist Societies such as the N.D.S., N.R.S. and N.A.F.A.S.
  15. The Society will take all possible care of the exhibits, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may arise
  16. Prize money not collected before the close of the Show will be donated to the Society.
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### **NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS AND JUDGES**

- Carrots and parsnips must have foliage trimmed back to 1-2" (2.5cm) long.
- Peas & Beans must be displayed with some stalk attached.
- Tomatoes must be displayed with calyxes.

Failure to abide by any of these rules will lead to disqualification.

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### **SOCIETY DEFINITIONS**

<b>Professional</b>	A person who receives any income whatsoever by growing horticultural plants, flowers, fruit or vegetables for sale, or for an employer or anyone employed in the maintenance of a garden, pleasure ground, park or nursery.
<b>Amateur</b>	A person who, not being a professional, either personally, or with unpaid or paid assistance maintains a garden or grows plants, flowers, fruit or vegetables for pleasure and enjoyment only and derives no income from this source.

### **FLORAL EXHIBITS**

<b>Exhibit</b>	This is composed of natural plant material, with or without accessories, contained within the space specified
<b>Natural Plant Material</b>	This is any vegetable matter. It includes fresh, dried, garden, wild or made up plant material, flowers, foliage, fruit, vegetables or seaweed. All may be additionally coloured.

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Would you like to advertise in our schedules next year?

Contact Mary on 774102 for more details

*Crowhurst & District  
Horticultural Society*

# Quiz Night?

**with Buffet**

*Saturday 3rd December 2011*

*Crowhurst Village Hall*

*7.30pm*

**Come & join in the fun!**

£5 members  
£6 non-members

*Contact Mary on 774102 for tickets*