# Crowharst & District Horticaltural Society

AUTUMN SHOW SCHEDULE 2014



Autumn show to be held in the Village Hall, Crowhurst on Saturday 20th September 2014

> Staging of Exhibits - 8:30am - 10:15am Show opens to the public at 2pm Prize giving and Raffle drawn at 4pm

# Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society 2013 – 2014

PRESIDENT	Mr K Waller
LIFE MEMBERS	Mr K Waller, Mr & Mrs D Gower, Mrs J Kemp,
	Mr B Cripps, Mrs C Breeds, Mr & Mrs D Bastin,
	Mrs N Hudson

### OFFICERS of the SOCIETY

CHAIRMAN	Mrs M Boorman	01424 774102
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SECRETARY	Mr O Boorman-Humphrey	01424 774102
MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY	Mr C Hamson	01424 830461

#### MEMBERS of the COMMITTEE

Mr T Knaggs (Fayre Cmte representative)

#### **ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION** - £4 per member

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

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND OUR A.G.M. ON FRIDAY 3rd OCTOBER 2014 AT 7.30pm AT CROWHURST VILLAGE HALL.

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

Raffle Prize donations are always welcomed.

Contact any committee member for more information about either of the above.

# **AUTUMN SHOW 2014**

## ENTRANCE FEES

Classes 51, 52 and 53 Children's classes 77-83 All other classes

#### PRIZE MONEY

Classes 51, 52 and 53 Children's Classes 77-83 All other classes

#### TROPHIES & AWARDS

**ELEANOR HAIGH TROPHY** PETER OLIVER TROPHY

The LINFIELD CUP JOHN CHILD TROPHY N.D.S. SILVER MEDAL CARD N.D.S. BRONZE MEDAL CARD JEAN WATMORE CUP **CARRIE BREEDS TROPHY REG MEWETT TROPHY** The HUNTERS HILL TROPHY MARGARET APPS TROPHY CERTIFICATE **ROY WILSON CHILDREN'S TROPHY**  30p per class 10p per class 20p per class

FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
£1	50p	30p
40p	30p	20p
60p	40p	20p

Most points in show The best horticultural exhibit (excluding 51, 52) Best exhibit of Roses in classes 1 & 2 Most points chrysanthemum classes Best exhibit in Dahlia classes Runner-up exhibit in Dahlia classes Best exhibit in floral art classes Most points in floral art classes Best vegetable collection (class 51) Best harvest basket (class 53) Most points in cookery & preserves classes Best exhibit in novelty veg classes Most points in year's combined shows PETER WOOLLEY MEMORIAL TROPHY Most points in year's photography classes

ALL CURRENT AUTUMN TROPHY HOLDERS SHOULD RETURN THEIR TROPHIES TO MARY BOORMAN AT THE ADDRESS BELOW BY THE END OF AUGUST 2014.

#### - - - - - - -ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING BY WEDNESDAY 17th SEPTEMBER 2014

•	<b>RITA GOWER</b>	22 FOREWOOD RISE, CROWHURST, TN33 9AH	01424 830560
٠	CHRIS HAMSON	2 PARK VIEW, CROWHURST, TN33 9AL	01424 830461
٠	JO CROUCH	REDWINGS, STATION RD, CROWHURST, TN33 9DB	01424 830029
٠	MARY BOORMAN	GRAY'S COTTAGES, BATTLE HILL, BATTLE, TN33 OBS	01424 774102

# **AUTUMN SHOW CLASSES**

#### ROSES

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

## <u>CHRYSANTHEMUMS</u>

- 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)

## DAHLIAS

- 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 other type, one variety
- 17 3 Blooms, water lily type

#### GENERAL FLOWERS

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

#### POT PLANTS Pots not to exceed 8" diameter

- 25 A foliage pot plant
- 26 A flowering pot plant
- 27 An Orchid
- 28 A Cactus
- 29 A Succulent

## FRUIT

- 30 5 dessert apples
- 31 5 cooking apples
- 32 5 dessert pears
- 33 5 raspberries (any variety)
- 34 5 blackberries (any variety)
- 35 5 damsons

#### VEGETABLES

- 36 5 Potatoes (one variety)
- 37 2 Cabbages
- 38 3 Onions
- 39 5 Shallots
- 40 3 Carrots
- 41 3 Parsnips
- 42 3 Beetroot
- 43 3 Leeks
- 44 5 Cherry tomatoes with calyx
- 45 5 Tomatoes with calyx
- 46 5 Runner beans
- 47 2 Marrows
- 48 2 Courgettes
- 49 3 Sweet peppers (any colour)
- 50 3 Chilli peppers (any variety)

#### SPECIAL PRODUCE CLASSES

All produce used in these classes must have been grown by the entrant.

- 51 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.
- 52 Crowhurst Top Tray (see page 15 for details)
- 53 A harvest basket (a selection of seasonal fruit & vegetables)

#### NOVELTY VEGETABLES

These classes will be judged for novelty value only

54 An Enormous Vegetable

55 The Ugliest Vegetable

#### FLORAL EXHIBITS

Flowers need not have been grown by the exhibitor. Exhibits do not have to done in situ. See page 15 for definitions. The maximum space allowed is **20" (50cm) square (height unlimited)**, unless otherwise stated.

56	"Some Like it Hot" - an exhibit featuring red.
57	"Colours of Autumn" - an exhibit.

58 "Last of the Summer Wine" - an exhibit to include accessories.

#### PHOTOGRAPHY

Maximum size 7"(18cm) × 5"(13cm). Photos to be unframed. Exhibit to not have been shown before. Exhibitors to have only one entry per class.

59 "The colours of Autumn"

60 The family pet

#### **COOKERU** (Domes will be provided)

- 61 Sausage Plait (approx. 8" long)
- 62 Victoria sandwich with raspberry jam filling (approx. 8" diameter) A Victoria sandwich is made with fat
- 63 Broccoli & Stilton Quiche (approx. 8" diameter)

64 5 cherry scones

65 Apple crumble (less than 8") This class is open to men only

## ENTRY FORM - AUTUMN SHOW - Sat 20th SEP 2014

Please **circle** the classes you wish to enter.

#### STANDARD CLASSES - 20p per class

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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
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#### **SPECIAL CLASSES - 30p per class**

51 52

#### **CHILDREN'S CLASSES - 10p per class**

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77	78	79	80	81	
CHILD'S NAME					AGE
NAME					
ADDRESS					
No. of Ent	ries			A	mount Enclosed
◯ If you	wish t	o donate	e your w	rinnings	to the society, please tick here.
۱ hereby ag	gree to	o abide b	by the ru	les of th	ne society. SIGNED.
		Ent	ry detai	ls can b	e found on page 3

## PRESERVES

Present in plain jars with lids/covers, labelled and dated. Not less than 12oz.

- 66 Jar of jam made from soft fruit
- 67 Jar of jam made from stone fruit
- 68 Jar of marmalade
- 69 Jar of jelly
- 70 Jar of lemon curd
- 71 Jar of chutney (not less than 2 months old)
- 72 Jar of mixed pickle

## EGGS

Must be laid by exhibitor's own birds. One will be cracked for judging.

73 6 hen's eggs (any colour)

## HONEY

All produce must be from the entrant's own bees. No labels to be used.

- 74 One 1lb jar of liquid honey, any colour (in plain, screw top jar)
- 75 One 1lb jar of naturally set or soft-set honey (in plain, screw top jar)
- 76 One 7oz-9oz section of cut honey comb Exhibit in white standard plastic containers with transparent snap-on lids

## CHILDREN'S CLASSES

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR AGE IS ENTERED ON THE ENTRY FORM

- 77 A collage of autumn leaves, berries and foliage attached to a card back (*approx. A4*)
- 78 A painting or drawing entitled 'Racing Along' celebrating the Tour Of Britain 2014 finishing in Sussex
- 79 A model scarecrow, made by the entrant, max. overall size 30cm
- 80 A pine cone animal (a pine cone decorated by the entrant)
- 81 3 pieces of cherry flapjack, made by the entrant
- 82 BROWNIES ONLY
- 83 CUBS ONLY

# <u>RULES</u>

- 1. The Society shall be known as THE CROWHURST & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
- 2. All persons intending to exhibit must give notice to the Show Secretary 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 Secretary. 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 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 drummondi, are classified as annuals for the purpose of the show schedule.
- 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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## **CROWHURST TOP TRAY - AUTUMN CLASS 52**

- 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).
- 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.
- Vegetables must be displayed in an area measuring 18×24"(45x60cm) without bending any part of them. No part of any exhibit may exceed the tray size.
- 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).
- 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.

## **SOCIETY DEFINITIONS**

Exhibit	This is composed of natural plant material, with or without accessories, contained within the space specified	
Natural Plant Material	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.	11

# Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society <u>EVENTS 2014</u>

- AUTUMN SHOW Sat 20<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2014 Staging 8:30am-10:15am Open to the public from 2pm Crowhurst Village Hall
- JUMBLE SALE Sat 18<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2014 Doors open at 9:30am 50p entrance fee Crowhurst Village Hall

QUIZ NIGHTSat 13th DECEMBER 20147:15pm for 7:30pm startPre-booking essential! Tickets from 774102Crowhurst Village Hall

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- 3. Bring a 6"×4" print along to the Autumn Show to be displayed and judged by our photography judge. A special class for adults and one for children – both are free to enter. Prizes for the winners!

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