



Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society

AUTUMN SHOW SCHEDULE 2015



50p

FREE FOR
MEMBERS

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

Saturday 19th September 2015

Staging of Exhibits - **8:30am - 10:15am**

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

Prize giving and Raffle drawn at **4pm**

Free admission!

Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society

2014 – 2015

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

OFFICERS of the SOCIETY

CHAIRMAN	Mary Boorman	01424 774102
HON. TREASURER	Alan Humphrey	01424 774102
MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY	Alan Humphrey	01424 774102
SHOW SECRETARY	Oliver Boorman-Humphrey	01424 774102

MEMBERS of the COMMITTEE

Tim Knaggs (Fayre Cmte repr.), Jo Crouch (Children's repr.)

Visit our new website online at www.crowhursthorticultural.org.uk!

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION - £5 per member

Anyone interested in joining the society can contact Alan, our Membership Secretary, on 01424 774102 for more details.

MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SOCIETY BY ATTENDING OUR A.G.M. ON FRIDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2015 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 2015

ENTRANCE FEES

Special Classes 47 - 49	30p per class
Children's classes 73-77	10p per class
All other classes	20p per class

PRIZE MONEY

	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
Special Classes 47 - 49	£1	50p	30p
Children's Classes 73-77	40p	30p	20p
All other classes	60p	40p	20p

JUDGING

Judges are chosen by the committee. The name of the judge for each section can be found above each list of classes. The hall must be cleared by **10:15am** on the morning of the show to allow judging to commence promptly at 10:30am. During the judging, only judges and stewards will be allowed in the hall.

TROPHIES & AWARDS

ELEANOR HAIGH TROPHY	Most points in show
PETER OLIVER TROPHY	Best produce exhibit (classes 1-46)
The LINFIELD CUP	Best exhibit of Roses in classes
JOHN CHILD TROPHY	Most points chrysanthemum classes
N.D.S. SILVER MEDAL CARD	Best exhibit in Dahlia classes
N.D.S. BRONZE MEDAL CARD	Runner-up exhibit in Dahlia classes
JEAN WATMORE CUP	Best exhibit in floral art classes
CARRIE BREEDS TROPHY	Most points in floral art classes
REG MEWETT TROPHY	Best vegetable collection (class 47)
The HUNTERS HILL TROPHY	Best harvest basket (class 49)
MARGARET APPS TROPHY	Most points in cookery & preserves classes
CERTIFICATE	Best exhibit in novelty veg classes
ROY WILSON CHILDREN'S TROPHY	Most points in year's children's classes
PETER WOOLLEY MEMORIAL TROPHY	Most points in year's photography classes

All current autumn trophy holders should return their trophies to Mary Boorman by the end of **AUGUST 2015**.

**DETAILS OF HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR ENTRIES FOR THE SHOW CAN BE
FOUND ON PAGE 11.**

AUTUMN SHOW CLASSES

ROSES

Judge: Malcolm Moss

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

Judge: Malcolm Moss

- 3 1 Specimen bloom (*any variety*)
 - 4 3 Sprays (*any colour or colours*)
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DAHLIAS

Judge: Malcolm Moss

- 5 1 Specimen bloom large or giant
 - 6 3 Blooms, medium decorative
 - 7 3 Blooms, small decorative
 - 8 3 Blooms, medium cactus and/or semi cactus
 - 9 3 Blooms, small cactus and /or semi cactus
 - 10 7 Blooms, pompom (*not to exceed 2"*)
 - 11 3 Blooms, small or miniature ball
 - 12 3 Blooms, any other type, one variety
 - 13 3 Blooms, water lily type
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GENERAL FLOWERS

Judge: Malcolm Moss

- 14 3 Hydrangea heads, mophead
 - 15 3 Hydrangea heads, lace caps
 - 16 3 Gladioli (*any variety*)
 - 17 3 Sprays of Michaelmas daisies (*any colour*)
 - 18 A Vase of mixed garden flowers
 - 19 4 Stems of flowering shrubs (*4 kinds, one stem of each*)
 - 20 A Vase of mixed foliage
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POT PLANTS

Pots not to exceed 8" diameter.

Judge: Malcolm Moss

- 21 A foliage pot plant
 - 22 A flowering pot plant
 - 23 An Orchid
 - 24 A Cactus
 - 25 A Succulent
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FRUIT

Judge: Dick Lancaster

- 26 5 dessert apples
 - 27 5 cooking apples
 - 28 5 dessert pears
 - 29 5 raspberries (*any variety*)
 - 30 5 blackberries (*any variety*)
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VEGETABLES

Judge: Dick Lancaster

- 31 5 Potatoes (*one variety*)
 - 32 3 Onions
 - 33 5 Shallots
 - 34 3 Carrots
 - 35 3 Parsnips
 - 36 3 Beetroot
 - 37 3 Leeks
 - 38 5 Cherry tomatoes (*with calyx*)
 - 39 5 Tomatoes (*with calyx*)
 - 40 5 Runner beans
 - 41 2 Marrows
 - 42 2 Courgettes
 - 43 3 Sweet peppers (*any colour*)
 - 44 3 Chilli peppers (*any variety*)
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SPECIAL PRODUCE CLASSES

All produce used in these classes must have been grown by the entrant. *Judge: Dick Lancaster*

- 45 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.
- 46 Crowhurst Top Tray (*see page 11 for details*)
- 47 A harvest basket (*a selection of seasonal fruit & vegetables*)

NOVELTY VEGETABLES

These classes will be judged for novelty value only. *Judge: Dick Lancaster*

- 48 An Enormous Vegetable
- 49 The Ugliest Vegetable

FLORAL EXHIBITS

Flowers need not have been grown by the exhibitor. Exhibits do not have to be done in situ. The maximum space allowed is **20" (50cm) square (height unlimited)**, unless otherwise stated. *Judge: Ann Brookes*

- 50 "Harvest Supper" A table centre exhibit to include candle(s).
- 51 "Where have all the flowers gone" An exhibit of fruit and foliage only in tints, tones and shades of autumn.
- 52 "Autumnal Flowers" An exhibit to feature chrysanthemums.

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. *Judge: Ann Brookes*

- 53 The last days of Summer
- 54 Scene from around Crowhurst

HONEY

All produce must be from the entrant's own bees. No labels to be used. *Judge: Sue Davis*

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

COOKERY

Domes will be provided.

Judge: Sue Davis

- 58 Bakewell tart (*approx. 8" diameter*)
 - 59 Victoria sandwich with raspberry jam filling (*approx. 8" diameter*)
A Victoria sandwich is made with fat
 - 60 3 cornish pasties
 - 61 A home made loaf (*approx. 1lb*)
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PRESERVES

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

- 62 Jar of jam made from soft fruit
 - 63 Jar of jam made from stone fruit
 - 64 Jar of marmalade
 - 65 Jar of jelly
 - 66 Jar of lemon curd
 - 67 Jar of chutney (*not less than 2 months old*)
 - 68 Jar of mixed pickle
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EGGS

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

Judge: Sue Davis

- 69 6 hen's eggs (*any colour*)
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CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Judge: Sue Davis

- 70 A collage of autumn leaves, berries and foliage attached to a card back (*approx. A4*)
- 71 A Halloween lantern made from recyclable materials
- 72 A pebble pet – decorated using any mediums.
- 73 3 ginger-bread men, made and decorated by the entrant
- 74 Something I've grown

ENTRY FORM - AUTUMN SHOW - Sat 19th SEP 2015

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
41	42	43	44				48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	

SPECIAL CLASSES - 30p per class

45	46	47
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CHILDREN'S CLASSES - 10p per class

70	71	72	73	74
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CHILD'S NAME _____

AGE _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

No. of Entries _____

Amount Enclosed _____

If you wish to donate your winnings to the society, please tick here.
I hereby agree to abide by the rules of the society. SIGNED.

Entry details can be found on page 11

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 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 10.15 am on the morning of the Show, at which time the hall/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., R.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.

ENTRY DETAILS

Entries can be submitted until **6pm** on the preceding **WEDNESDAY** to each show. You do not have to be a member of the society to exhibit!

There are two methods of submitting entries:

→ Online via our website

Visit us at www.crowhursthorticultural.org.uk and follow the links. Entry fees are payable to the treasurer on the morning of the show.

→ Using the enclosed entry form

Complete the relevant form given and post to any of the following people, enclosing your entry fees:

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|-----------------------|--|--------------|
| • RITA GOWER | 22 FOREWOOD RISE, CROWHURST, TN33 9AH | 01424 830560 |
| • CHRIS HAMSON | 2 PARK VIEW, CROWHURST, TN33 9AL | 01424 830461 |
| • JO CROUCH | REDWINGS, STATION RD, CROWHURST, TN33 9DB | 01424 830029 |
| • MARY BOORMAN | GRAY'S COTTAGES, BATTLE HILL, BATTLE, TN33 0BS | 01424 774102 |

For children's entries, please ensure the child's name and age is added to the entry form, along with a responsible adult's details.

Please ensure you are familiar with the rules of exhibiting given on page 10 before submitting any entries.

CROWHURST TOP TRAY - AUTUMN CLASS 46

- 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.

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EVENTS 2015

FLORAL ART DEMONSTRATION EVENING

Fri 19th JUNE 2015 – 7:30pm *Crowhurst Village Hall*

One of our regular lecture evenings with floral art judge Ann Brookes. £2 for members or £4 for non-members.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & BEE-KEEPING LECTURE

Wed 7th OCTOBER 2015 – from 7:15pm *Crowhurst Village Hall*

Our yearly AGM followed by "Inside the Beehive" lecture by local Bee-keeper Chris Hone. £2 for members or £4 for non-members.

JUMBLE SALE

Sat 24th OCTOBER 2015 – doors open 9:30am

Crowhurst Village Hall



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