



Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society

SPRING SHOW SCHEDULE 2019



50p

FREE FOR
MEMBERS

Spring show to be held in the Village Hall, Crowhurst on
Saturday 16th March 2019

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

No entries will be accepted after **Wednesday 13th March**

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

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

Crowhurst & District Horticultural Society

2018 – 2019

PRESIDENT *vacant*
LIFE MEMBERS Mr & Mrs D Gower, Mr B Cripps,
Mrs N Hudson, Mr & Mrs D Bastin

OFFICERS of the SOCIETY

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| CHAIRMAN | Mary Boorman | 01424 774102 |
| HON. TREASURER | Alan Humphrey | 07870525441 |
| MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY | Alan Humphrey | 07870525441 |
| SHOW SECRETARY | Oliver Boorman-Humphrey | |

MEMBERS of the COMMITTEE

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

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CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

Happy New Year to you all! Many thanks for supporting us as we look forward to our bright spring Flower show. Last year's show was hit by the 'Beast from the East' which made things tricky! Let's hope 2019 is kinder to us.

Please take a look at this schedule and see what you could enter. It is 'as cheap as chips' to enter our classes and we are a friendly bunch! More than that, this year, all our children's classes are **FREE** to enter. Please encourage the little ones to have a go as everyone loves to see their entries!

As many of you will know, I was taken unwell at the Summer show last year and have spent several weeks in hospital since. I have struggled to get better, but I'm still not fully recovered yet. I want to thank all of you who very kindly supported all of our events when I was not able to attend myself and to those who sent me their good wishes. I had some beautiful cards and many phone calls and felt so privileged. Thank you all so much.

Unfortunately, we currently lack a President. If anyone knows someone who has some horticultural knowledge and could take on this role, please let us know! I hope to see you at this show and at all our events during 2019 all being well.

SPRING SHOW

ENTRANCE FEES

| | |
|----------------------------|---------------|
| Classes 1 – 39 | 20p per class |
| Children's classes 40 – 43 | FREE |

PRIZE MONEY

| | FIRST | SECOND | THIRD |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| All classes | 60p | 40p | 20p |

Prize money can be collected from the Treasurer before the end of the show. Any money not collected by the close of the show will be treated as a donation to the society.

JUDGING

Judges are chosen by the committee. The name of the judge for each section can be found above each list of classes.

The village 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

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| REG FORD MEMORIAL TROPHY | Most points in floral classes |
| BOB CLAYTON MEMORIAL TROPHY | Best exhibit in floral classes |
| WALTER GASSON TROPHY | Winner of picked flowers class 22 |
| CARRIE BREEDS SPRING TROPHY | Most points in floral art classes |
| GORDON APPS SHIELD | Best exhibit in handicrafts classes |
| JOHN WATMORE TROPHY | Most points in handicrafts classes |
| L & J CABS TROPHY | Best entry in cookery classes |
| BRIAN CROUCH MEMORIAL TROPHY | Most points in children's classes |

All current spring trophy holders should return their trophies to a member of the committee by the end of **FEBRUARY 2019**.

DETAILS OF HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR ENTRIES FOR THE SHOW CAN BE FOUND ON PAGE 10.

SPRING SHOW CLASSES

CUT DAFFODILS

See page 10 for definitions.

Judge: Dave Pilbeam

- 1 3 cut TRUMPET DAFFODIL stems (*one variety*)
 - 2 1 cut TRUMPET DAFFODIL stem
 - 3 3 cut LARGE CUPPED DAFFODIL stems (*one variety*)
 - 4 1 cut LARGE CUPPED DAFFODIL stem
 - 5 3 cut SMALL CUPPED DAFFODIL stems (*one variety*)
 - 6 1 cut SMALL CUPPED DAFFODIL stem
 - 7 3 cut DOUBLE DAFFODIL stems (*one variety*)
 - 8 1 cut DOUBLE DAFFODIL stem
 - 9 3 cut MULTI-HEADED DAFFODIL stems (*one or more varieties*)
 - 10 1 cut MULTI-HEADED DAFFODIL stem
 - 11 3 cut MINIATURE DAFFODIL stems (*one variety*)
 - 12 3 cut DAFFODIL stems (*any one variety not listed above*)
 - 13 3 vases of 3 DAFFODIL stems (*3 different varieties*)
 - 14 My favourite DAFFODIL (*any variety*)
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PLANTED BULBS

Judge: Dave Pilbeam

- 15 Pot of planted DAFFODILS (*any variety, pot 8" diameter or less*)
- 16 Pot of planted MINIATURE DAFFODILS (*pot 8" diameter or less*)
- 17 Pot of planted TULIPS (*any variety, pot 8" diameter or less*)
- 18 Single planted HYACINTH in a pot (*pot 6" or less*)
- 19 Bowl of 3 HYACINTHS (*one or more colours, bowl 8" or less*)

FLOWERS

Judge: Dave Pilbeam

- 20 Bowl of planted POLYANTHUS (*bowl 8" or less*)
 - 21 Bowl of picked GARDEN PRIMROSES (*bowl 4" or less*)
 - 22 Vase of picked MIXED SPRING FLOWERS
 - 23 Vase of MIXED FOLIAGE
 - 24 3 stems of picked POLYANTHUS in a vase
 - 25 3 stems of picked HELLEBORE flowers in a vase
 - 26 1 CAMELLIA stem with 1 bloom (*any variety*)
 - 27 FLOWERING POT PLANT (*pot 8" or less*)
 - 28 FOLIAGE POT PLANT (*pot 8" or less*)
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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 page 10 for definitions. The maximum space allowed is **20" (50cm) square (height unlimited)**, unless otherwise stated. *Judge: Ann Brookes*

- 29 'A SPRING WALK IN THE WOODS', an exhibit
 - 30 A TABLE DECORATION using spring flowers (*max. height 12"*)
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PHOTOGRAPHY

Maximum size 7"x5" (18cm×13cm). Exhibit to not have been shown before and unframed. Exhibitors to have only one entry per class. *Judge: Ann Brookes*

- 31 'THE FIRST SIGNS OF SPRING'
 - 32 'A VIEW FROM A WINDOW'
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HANDICRAFTS

Judge: Avril Parrini

- 33 A HAND-KNITTED or CROCHETED item
- 34 A hand-sewn or machine-sewn UPCYCLED ARTICLE that would make an ideal Easter gift
- 35 CROWHURST WI ONLY
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COOKERY

Domes will be provided. *Judge: Avril Parrini*

- 36 4 ICED BISCUITS for Easter
- 37 VICTORIA SANDWICH with raspberry jam filling (*approx. 8" diam*)
A Victoria sandwich is made with fat
- 38 Handmade SEEDED BREAD, any flavour or flavours, labelled (*approx. 1lb*)
- 39 3 CHEESE AND BACON TURNOVERS
This class is open to men only
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CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Judges: Ann Brookes & Oliver Boorman-Humphrey

- 40 A POTATO HEAD, a potato decorated with accessories
- 41 A spring MINIATURE FAIRY GARDEN in a plastic seed tray, using any accessories
- 42 A vase of SPRING FLOWERS, picked from your garden
- 43 3 decorated homemade CUPCAKES
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Exhibits and displays from the local community groups to be confirmed.



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strict Horticultural Society
1972 and aims to encourage



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ENTRY FORM - SPRING SHOW - Sat 16th March 2019

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

CLASSES 1-43 - 20p per class

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|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 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 | |

CHILDREN'S CLASSES 40-43 - Free

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| 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 |
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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 10

ENTRY DETAILS

Entries can be submitted until **7pm** on **WEDNESDAY 13th MARCH 2019.**
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 form given on page 9 and return to any of the following people, enclosing your entry fees:

- **RITA GOWER** 22 FOREWOOD RISE, CROWHURST, TN33 9AH 01424 830560
- **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 11 before submitting any entries.

SOCIETY DEFINITIONS

FLORAL EXHIBITS

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.

NARCISSUS/DAFFODIL CLASSES

Please note that the names Narcissus and Daffodil are one and the same.

TRUMPET NARCISSUS/DAFFODIL

The trumpet should be as long or longer than the petals (Perianth).

LONG CUPPED NARCISSUS/DAFFODIL

The cup should be more than one third of, but less than the length of the petals.

SMALL CUPPED NARCISSUS/DAFFODIL

The cup should be no more than one third of the length of the petals.

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 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 Society 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.

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EVENTS 2019

**PLANT SALE at the
Village Market**

Sat 4th MAY - 10am
Crowhurst Village Hall
Donations wanted on the morning!

SUMMER SHOW

Sat 10th AUGUST
Staging 8:30am-10:15am
Open to the public from 2pm
Crowhurst Recreation Ground

AUTUMN SHOW

Sat 21st SEPTEMBER
Staging 8:30am-10:15am
Open to the public from 2pm
Crowhurst Village Hall

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION - £5 per member

Anyone interested in joining the society can contact Alan, our Membership Secretary, on 07870525441 for more details.

MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SOCIETY BY ATTENDING OUR A.G.M. ON WEDNESDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2019 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.

*Visit our website online at **crowhursthorticultural.org.uk***