



# Danbury & Little Baddow Horticultural Society Yearbook 2012

## 2012 Show Schedules

This book contains the schedules and regulations for the three annual flower shows. Any questions regarding Show Classes should be directed to the Show Secretary.



One entry form is provided at the back for exhibitors and may be used for any show.

Copies of the show schedules and additional entry forms can be downloaded from the Society's website. Further entry forms will also be printed in the newsletter.

First time exhibitors are encouraged and anyone who would like guidance about entering should contact the Show Secretary who will be happy to assist.

*Every effort has been made to ensure that the yearbook is correct at the time of printing. The Committee reserve the right to make changes. Any amendments would be advised via the Society's newsletter.*

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## TROPHIES

### AWARDED AT EACH SHOW

The Smart Plate	Best exhibit in the Cookery Section.
The Meacock & Jones Plate	Highest aggregate points in the Cookery Classes.
Garden Lovers Cup	Best floral exhibit (excluding Floral Art).
Greatrex Memorial Trophy	An exhibit of exceptional merit in any class which is not awarded another trophy - the President's choice.
The Walton Cup	An exhibit of exceptional merit in any Junior class which is not awarded another trophy - the President's choice.
Novices Trophy	Best exhibit by a novice.

### AWARDED AT THE SPRING SHOW

Ingledon Perpetual Trophy	Most outstanding arrangement, Floral Art Section.
Spring Trophy	Most outstanding success in the Daffodil and Narcissus Classes.
The Philip Young Memorial Trophy	Best exhibit in the single Camellia class 27.
The Daffodil Society Bronze Medal and Diplomas at the Judge's discretion.	

### AWARDED AT THE SUMMER SHOW

Harkness Perpetual Trophy	For the highest aggregate of points in the Rose classes
Horseshoe Nurseries Trophy	For the best exhibit in the 'Bowl of Roses' Classes 23 & 24
Ritchie Perpetual Trophy	For the highest aggregate of points in Section B2 Flowers
Wigan Perpetual Trophy	For the highest aggregate of points in all classes.
<i>(Restricted to members of Danbury &amp; Little Baddow Women's Institutes).</i>	
Danbury Residents Trophy	For the best Rose bloom, at the Judge's discretion
Michael Patrick Trophy	For the best exhibit in class 22, Cluster-flowered (floribunda)
Maurice Lee Trophy	For the Rose with the best fragrance
Renee Nichols Award	For the highest aggregate of points in the Floral Art section
Top Vase – Gold, Silver and Bronze	

### AWARDED AT THE AUTUMN SHOW

Currie Dahlia Cup	Best exhibit in the dahlia classes, at the judge's discretion
Danbury Flower Club	Highest total points in all the Floral Art classes
Dawson Perpetual Trophy	Highest points total in all the fruit & vegetable classes
Thompson Perpetual Trophy	Highest points total in all classes except fruit & vegetables.
Doris Thorington	Highest aggregate of points in Floral Art classes in 2012
Hitchcock Trophy	Highest aggregate of points in the Photography Classes
Mabel Retallack Plate	Best exhibit in the photography classes.
Wackerill Miniature	Highest aggregate of points in 2012 Juniors age 10-16
Bailey Cup	Highest aggregate of points in 2012 Juniors age under 10
The R.H.S Banksian Medal	Most points overall in the horticultural classes, i.e. fruit, vegetables and flowers.
Top Tray – 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes for class 29.	

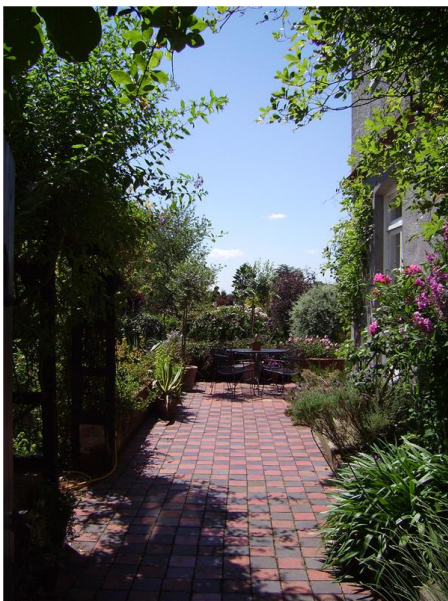
Will the current holders of the trophies shown below please return them to the show secretary before the show.



Trophies Awarded in 2011			
TROPHY	SPRING 2011	SUMMER 2011	AUTUMN 2011
The Smart Plate	Mrs Ann Abbott	Mrs Ann Abbott	Mrs Betty Stevens
Garden Lovers Cup	Mrs Stephanie Pyne	Mrs Jennifer Luscombe	Miss Joan Brazier
Greatrex Memorial	Mrs Caroline Lambert	Mrs Eileen Massow	Mr Brian Abbott
The Walton Cup	Miss Abigail Hale	Miss Sasha Hills	Miss Sasha Hills
The Meacock & Jones Plate	Ann Abbott & Caroline Lambert	Mrs Ann Abbott	Mrs Betty Stevens
Novices	Mrs Pauline Ellis	Not Awarded	Not Awarded
Ingledon Perpetual	Mrs Judith Wall		
Spring Trophy	Mrs Jennifer Luscombe		
Philip Young Memorial	Mrs Rosemary Bishop		
Daffodil Society Medal	Mrs Jennifer Luscombe		
Harkness Perpetual		Mr David Greenwood	
Horseshoe Nurseries		Not Awarded	
Ritchie Perpetual		Jennifer Luscombe	
Wigan Perpetual		More than one winner, please check Wigan Spreadsheet	
Danbury Residents		Mr David Greenwood	
Michael Patrick Memorial		Mrs Pauline Ellis	
Maurice Lee Trophy		Mrs Ann Jones	
Renee Nichols Award		Mrs Jennifer Luscombe	
Top Vase - Gold		Mrs Jennifer Luscombe	
Top Vase - Silver		Miss Joan Brazier	
Top Vase - Bronze		Not Awarded	
Currie Dahlia Cup			Miss Marianne Statters
Danbury Flower Club			Mrs Judith Wall
Dawson Perpetual			Mrs Alex Archard
Thompson Perpetual			Mrs Betty Stevens
Doris Thorington			Mrs Judith Wall
Hitchcock Trophy			Mrs Liz Wood, Mrs Stephanie Pyne, Mr Malcolm & Mrs Lorna Foyle
Mabel Retallack Plate			Mrs Liz Wood
Wackerill Miniature			Master James Shipley
Bailey Cup			Miss Sasha Hills
Top Tray - Gold Medal			Mrs J Sibthorp
Top Tray - Silver Medal			Mrs Alex Archard
Top Tray - Bronze Medal			Not Awarded
RHS Banksian Medal			Mrs Alex Archard

## 2012 Programme

Date	Event	Location & Time
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2012	<b>Annual Dinner</b>	Little Baddow Memorial Hall 7.30pm
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2012	<b>Talk</b> – Wendy Hibbitt on “100 years of Weather in Essex”	Danbury URC 8pm.
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2012	<b>Annual Quiz Night</b> with Kevin Briggs	Danbury Village Hall. 8pm.
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2012	<b>Spring Show</b>	St John’s School
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Visit</b> - Tulips at Ulting Wick	2.30pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Visit</b> – NGS Garden Furzelea at Danbury. Tea & cakes & garden	2.30pm
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2012	<b>Summer Show</b>	Little Baddow Memorial Hall 2.30pm
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2012	<b>Autumn Show</b>	St John’s School
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2012	<b>Visit</b> – Hyde Hall	2.30pm
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Talk &amp; Question Time</b> - Ken Crowther, “The Changing World of Gardening and Keeping Up With The Times”	Danbury Village Hall. 8pm.
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November 2012	<b>AGM</b>	URC Hall



Furzelea (above) and the tulips at Ulting Wick (above right).

## REGULATIONS FOR EXHIBITORS

1. Exhibitors shall inform the Show Secretary on the form provided, of the class or classes in which they intend to compete, not later than 5.00.p.m. on the THURSDAY before the Show date.

2. Fruit, flowers and vegetables must be grown by the exhibitor. Pot plants must be home grown or have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least six months before the show unless otherwise stated.

3. The Committee reserves the right to visit and inspect any exhibitor's garden or allotment prior to or after the Show.

4. Exhibitors may submit a maximum of two entries per class and may receive two prizes in that class.

5. All glasses, plates, vases etc; to be provided by the exhibitor unless otherwise stated. Green Bikini vases are available for most cut flower entries.

6. All roots must be washed and all unnecessary leaves and stalks removed from vegetables. Fruit must be shown as grown and not polished. Soft fruit must also be shown with stalks attached.

7. Exhibits must be staged between 9.00a.m. and 11.a.m. on Show day and exhibitors are requested to leave the hall immediately after placing their exhibits. In the event of an exhibitor being unable to stage his/her entries, the Stewards may do so. No exhibits may be removed until after the prize-giving.

8. No exhibitor will be allowed in the show hall during Judging.

9. Floral Art Classes: materials may be purchased; N.A.F.A.S schedule definitions will be observed during judging.

10. Pot or Bowl sizes refer to the diameter measured inside the rim.

11. The prizes specified in the Schedule may be withheld or augmented at the discretion of the judges according to the number of entries and/or quality of the exhibits. Prizes not collected on Show Day will be returned to the Society's funds.

12. The decision of the judges is final, except where, after an award is made, the exhibit is found not to be in accordance with the Schedule requirements. Objections regarding exhibits must be lodged with the Show Secretary before 3.30p.m. on the day of the Show; other objections must be in writing and lodged with the Show Secretary within 7 days of the Show, both types accompanied with a deposit of £5 which will be returned if the objection is upheld.

13. Exhibitors are requested to name their exhibits. In the event of close competition a correctly named exhibit will be preferred.

14. The Committee will not be responsible for loss or damage however arising. All articles are left at the sole risk of their respective owners.

# **SPRING SHOW 2012**

**ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL, LITTLE BADDOW ROAD, DANBURY.**

**SATURDAY 17th March 2012 at 2.30 p.m.**

Trophies will be presented at 4.15pm

*Refreshments, Raffle, Plant & Produce Stall*

**Admission: Free to members; Non members: Adults £2.00 Children free**

## **SCHEDULE FOR SPRING SHOW 2012**

All entries to be staged between 9.00.a.m. and 11 a.m. on the Show Day.

Please refer to Regulations for Exhibitors.

**Prizes:** First – 50p      Second – 40p      Third – 30p

### **SECTION A - GROWING BULBS AND PLANTS**

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|-----------------------|---|
| 1 FLOWERING PLANT     | Excluding cactus. Pot diameter 4" (10cm) maximum            |
| 2 FLOWERING PLANT     | Excluding cactus. Pot diameter greater than 4" (10cm)       |
| 3 ALPINE              | Single specimen, pot diameter 7" (18cm) maximum.            |
| 4 FOLIAGE PLANT       | Single specimen, pot diameter 7" (18cm) maximum.            |
| 5 FLOWERING BULBS     | Any variety/varieties, container diameter 7" (18cm) maximum |
| 6 CACTUS or SUCCULENT | Single specimen, pot diameter 4" (10cm) maximum             |
| 7 CACTUS or SUCCULENT | Single specimen, pot diameter greater than 4" (10cm)        |

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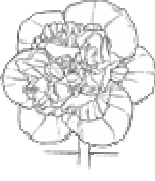







**SECTION B - CUT FLOWERS**

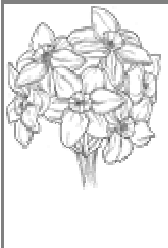

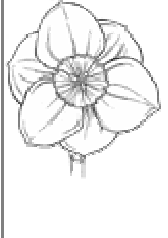

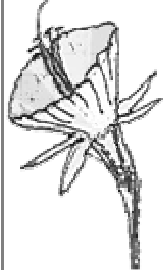

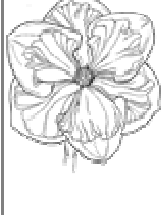

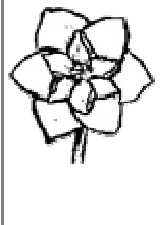

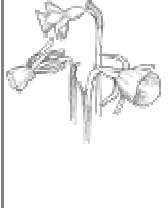

A guide to Daffodil classes is provided on pages 8 & 9 and exhibitors are asked to try and ensure they enter the correct classes.

- 8 DAFFODILS (Division 1) Trumpet Daffodils. Vase of 3 stems, all yellow. One variety.
- 9 DAFFODILS (Division 1) Trumpet Daffodils. Vase of 3 stems, One or more varieties.
- 10 DAFFODIL (Division 1) Trumpet Daffodil. One stem, any colour other than bicolour
- 11 DAFFODIL (Division 1) Trumpet Daffodil. One stem bicolour.
- 12 DAFFODILS (Division 2) Large Cup Daffodils. Vase of 3 stems, One or more varieties.
- 13 DAFFODIL (Division 2) Large Cup Daffodils. One stem, any variety.
- 14 DAFFODILS (Division 3) Small Cup Daffodils. Vase of 3 stems, One or more varieties.
- 15 DAFFODIL (Division 3) Small Cup Daffodil. One stem, any variety.
- 16 DAFFODILS (Division 4) Double Cup Daffodils. Vase of 3 stems, any variety.
- 17 DAFFODIL (Division 4) Double Cup Daffodil. One stem, any variety.
- 18 DAFFODILS Vase of 3 stems, one or more varieties from divisions 1-4
- 19 DAFFODILS Vase of 3 stems, one or more varieties from any divisions other than 1-4
- 20 DAFFODILS One bowl (max dia 6"/15cm) 8 stems, any variety displayed for all round effect.
- 21 DAFFODILS One vase, 5 stems, any miniature variety or varieties.
- 22 TULIPS Vase of 3 stems same or mixed.
- 23 POLYANTHUS Container of 6 stems, any variety or varieties. (NB multi-headed)
- 24 PRIMULAS (Primroses) Container of 6 stems, any variety or varieties
- 25 FLOWERING SHRUBS/TREES Container of mixed kinds, 2ft (60cm) tabling allowed.
- 26 BULBOUS PLANTS Container of 10 stems any variety or varieties, excluding narcissus, hyacinths or tulips.

## ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION

All daffodils are classified into one of thirteen divisions. Each daffodil cultivar or garden hybrid belongs to one of the first twelve divisions. Those daffodils distinguished solely by botanical name belong in Division 13. Below are the definitions for each Division:

		<p><b>Division 1</b> <i>Trumpet Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>One flower to a stem; corona (trumpet) as long as, or longer than, the perianth segments (petals).</p>
		<p><b>Division 2</b> <i>Large-cupped Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>One flower to a stem; corona (cup) more than one-third but less than equal to the length of the perianth segments (petals).</p>
		<p><b>Division 3</b> <i>Small-cupped Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>One flower to a stem; corona (cup) not more than one-third the length of the perianth segments (petals)</p>
		<p><b>Division 4</b> <i>Double Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>One or more flowers to a stem, with doubling of the perianth segments or the corona or both.</p>
		<p><b>Division 5</b> <i>Triandrus Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of <i>N. triandrus</i> predominant: usually two or more pendent flowers to a stem; perianth segments reflexed.</p>
		<p><b>Division 6</b> <i>Cyclamineus Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of <i>N. cyclamineus</i> clearly evident: one flower to a stem; perianth segments significantly reflexed; flower at an acute angle to the stem, with very short pedicel (“neck”)</p>
		<p><b>Division 7</b> <i>Jonquilla and Apodanthus Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of Sections <i>Jonquilla</i> or <i>Apodanthi</i> clearly evident: one to five flowers to a stem; perianth segments spreading or reflexed flowers usually fragrant.</p>

		<p><b>Division 8</b> <i>Tazetta Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of the N. tazetta group predominant: usually three to twenty flowers to a stout stem; leaves broad; Perianth segments spreading, not reflexed; flowers fragrant.</p>
		<p><b>Division 9</b> <i>Poeticus Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of the N. poeticus group predominant: usually disc-shaped, with a green or yellow center and one flower to a stem; perianth segments pure white corona usually a red rim; flower fragrant.</p>
		<p><b>Division 10</b> <i>Bulbocodium Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Characteristics of Section Bulbocodium clearly evident; usually one flower to a stem; perianth segments insignificant compared with corona; filament and style are usually curved.</p>
		<p><b>Division 11</b> <i>Split Corona Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Corona split-usually for more than half its length; Division split into a &amp; b types, Collar &amp; Papillon</p>
		<p>a) <i>Collar Daffodils</i></p> <p>daffodils with the corona segments opposite the perianth segments; corona segments usually in two whorls of three.</p>
		<p>b) <i>Papillon Daffodils</i></p> <p>Split-corona daffodils with the corona segments alternate to the perianth segments; the corona segments usually in a single whorl of six.</p>
		<p><b>Division 12</b> <i>Other Daffodil Cultivars</i></p> <p>Daffodil cultivars which do not fit the definition of any other division.</p>
		<p><b>Division 13</b> <i>Daffodils Distinguished Solely by Botanical Name</i></p> <p>All species and wild or reputedly wild variants and hybrids</p>

- 27 CAMELLIAS                    One bloom. (Philip Young Trophy)  
 28 CAMELLIAS                    3 blooms, one variety or mixed.  
 29 WALLFLOWERS                A vase of 5 stems, any variety or varieties.  
 30 BOWL OF GARDEN FLOWERS    One variety or mixed.  
 31 MISCELLANEOUS            An exhibit of cut flowers not covered by classes 6-25

**NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not as yet won a First Prize in sections A or B.

- 32 DAFFODILS            Container of 5 stems, any variety or varieties.  
 33 DAFFODIL FROM SOCIETY PROVIDED BULB(S) Daffodil(s) growing in a pot grown from the bulb(s) provided by the Society in Autumn 2011.

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**SECTION C - FLORAL ART**

Schedule definitions as published by N.A.F.A.S. will be observed when judging these classes. Tabling size for classes 34, 35 and 38: depth 20 x height 32 x width 24 inches. Double prize money for classes 34 & 35.

- 34 'ST PATRICK'S DAY'            Fresh flowers and foliage, accessories allowed.  
 35 'MOTHERING SUNDAY'        Fresh flowers & foliage accessories allowed.  
 36 'A SPRING MINIATURE'        Fresh flowers and foliage, dimensions not to exceed 4"(10cm)  
 37 'A SPRING PETITE'            Fresh spring flowers and foliage, between 4" (10cm) and 9" (23cm) in any dimension.

**FLORAL ART NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not previously won a First Prize in Floral Art Classes.

- 38 'SPRING BASKET'            Fresh flowers and foliage, accessories allowed.

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**SECTION D - COOKERY**

- 39 A SIMNEL CAKE Diameter not to exceed 8" (Note: there should be 11 almond paste/marzipan balls)
- 40 SODA BREAD
- 41 A TREACLE TART
- 42 SAVORY SCONES Three
- 43 MACAROONS Five
- 44 MARMALADE A glass jar. 12oz - 1lb;
- 45 CHUTNEY or SWEET PICKLE A glass jar. 12oz - 1lb

*Note: Classes 44 and 45, cover should either be clear plastic (with wax disc) or a plain lid*

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**SECTION E - COOKERY Under 16s**

- 46 DECORATE A SLICE OF TOAST
- 47 MINIATURE EGG NESTS Three

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**SECTION F - CRAFT Under 16s**

- 48 A DECORATED HARD-BOILED EGG
- 49 A POSY FOR GRANDMA
- 50 A SPRING COMPUTER PICTURE A4 Size

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# SUMMER SHOW 2012

LITTLE BADDOW MEMORIAL HALL, LITTLE BADDOW.

SATURDAY 30th June 2012 at 2.30 p.m.

Trophies will be presented at 4.15pm

*Refreshments, Raffle, Plant & Produce Stall*

**Admission: Free to members; Non members: Adults £2.00 Children free**

## SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER SHOW 2012

All entries to be staged between 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m. on the Show Day.

Please refer to Regulations for Exhibitors.

**Prizes: First - 50p Second - 40p Third - 30p**

*Garden News Top Vase: Prizes of Thompson & Morgan Seed Vouchers:*

*First - £15.00 Second - £10.00 Third - £5.00*

### SECTION A 1 – FRUIT

1	GOOSEBERRIES	12	One variety
2	RASPBERRIES	12	One variety
3	STRAWBERRIES	6	One variety
4	ANY OTHER FRUIT		

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**SECTION A2 - VEGETABLES**

5	BEETROOT	3	One variety – tops trimmed to 3“(7.5cm)
6	BROAD BEANS	9 pods	One variety.
7	CARROTS	5	One variety – tops trimmed to 3”(7.5cm)
8	LETTUCE	1	Cabbage
9	LETTUCE	1	Cos
10	PEAS	8 pods	One variety
11	POTATOES	5	One variety
12	RHUBARB	3 sticks – leaves trimmed to 3”(7.5cm)	
13	ANY OTHER VEGETABLE		

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**SECTION B1 – ROSES**

*Green bikini vases are available*

14	6 BLOOMS	Distinct varieties - vase
15	3 BLOOMS	One variety - vase
16	3 BLOOMS	Distinct varieties - vase
17	3 BLOOMS	One variety. One full bloom, one perfect, one bud stage.
18	1 BLOOM	Red or Crimson.
19	1 BLOOM	Pink or Flesh
20	1 BLOOM	Yellow
21	1 BLOOM	Any other colour or bi-colour
22	3 STEMS	Cluster-flowered (floribunda), any variety or varieties – vase ( <i>Michael Patrick Trophy</i> )
23	12 BLOOMS	Bowl, one variety
24	12 BLOOMS	Bowl, mixed varieties, not more than 3 of one variety
25	1 BLOOM	Judged for fragrance ( <i>Maurice Lee Trophy</i> )

**SECTION B2 – FLOWERS (excluding Roses)***Green bikini vases available*

26	CLEMATIS BLOOMS	3 blooms
27	ANNUALS	Mixed bowl – 6 inches (15cm) max diameter
28	DELPHINIUMS	3 Spikes
29	PANSIES OR VIOLAS	6 Blooms, not more than 2 of any variety.
30	PERENNIALS / BIENNIALS	Mixed, in a container. 2 feet (60cm) tabling allowed
31	PINKS OR CARNATIONS	Bowl not exceeding 6 inches (15cm) diameter. Any variety or varieties; additional self foliage allowed
32	SWEET PEAS	Mixed – bowl max 9 inches (23cm) diameter
33	SWEET PEAS	3 stems, any variety
34	PATIO CONTAINER	<i>Please indicate size to help us with staging –thank you</i>

**NOVICE CLASS** Restricted to exhibitors who have not previously won a First Prize in the Flower Section of any previous Show.

35 ROSES Vase of 4 stems, any variety or varieties.

36 MIXED FLOWERS: THE GARDEN NEWS TOP VASE CLASS

One vase containing a total of between 5 and 10 stems, taken from a minimum of two kinds of plants. Judged for effect, presentation, condition etc. SEE RULES for entry.

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**SECTION C -FLORAL ART**

*Schedule definitions as published by N.A.F.A.S. will be observed when judging these classes. Tabling size for classes 37, 38 & 41: depth 20ins, height 32ins, width 24ins. Double prize money for classes 37 and 38.*

37	‘DIAMOND JUBILEE’	Fresh flowers and foliage, accessories allowed.
38	‘STRAWBERRIES & CREAM’	Fresh flowers and foliage, accessories allowed.

- 39 A SUMMER MINIATURE An exhibit of fresh flowers and foliage, not exceeding 4 inches (10cm) overall.
- 40 A SUMMER PETITE An exhibit of fresh summer flowers and foliage, more than 4 inches (10cm) and not greater than 9 inches (23cm) in any dimension.

**FLORAL ART NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not previously won a First Prize in Floral Art Classes.

- 41 OLYMPIC GOLD An exhibit of fresh flowers and foliage, accessories allowed.

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**SECTION D – COOKERY**

- 42 ECCLES CAKES Three
- 43 A JAM SWISS ROLL
- 44 LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE
- 45 A FRUIT SMOOTHIE
- 46 A RECIPE OF YOUR CHOICE USING COURGETTES

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**SECTION E - COOKERY – Under 16s**

- 47 COCONUT ICE Five pieces
- 48 DECORATED FAIRY CAKES Three

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**SECTION F - CRAFT Under 16s**

- 53 A4 COLLAGE, TITLE “SAVE OUR BEES”
- 54 A BEACH ON A PLATE
- 55 GROWING MUSTARD OR CRESS SEEDS

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**TOP VASE COMPETITION RULES**

- 1** The Top Vase class is for a vase of mixed flowering stems containing a total of between 5 and 10, taken from a minimum of two different kinds of plants. Please note that it is two different KINDS of plants, two varieties of the same plant are NOT two kinds.
- 2** The display is judged out of a total of 35 points, split into: 25 points for the colour, form, condition, quality and freshness of the flowers on display, and 10 points for the overall presentation and effect of the flowers in the vase. The vase will be viewed from all directions. Judging of flowers should be to the normal rules used for other classes.
- 3** Stems used in the display must be showing flowers only; no seed heads or berries will be allowed.
- 4** The vase can be any shape and size and made from any material, but must be in proportion to the display. No marks are awarded for the vase itself.
- 5** No accessories such as bows and additional foliage will be allowed. Foliage which is growing naturally from the flowering stem, and still attached to that stem, is allowed. Packing material - including florists' foam - to keep the stems in place is allowed.

**NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS AND JUDGES**

- \* Flowering stems can be taken from ANY flowering plant.
- \* The different kinds of plants need to be taken from different genera. For instance, pinks, carnations and sweet william - which are all dianthus - would not be classed as different kinds.
- \* Use only fresh, home-grown flowers. No dried or silk flowers allowed.
- \* A vase, by definition, is any vessel that can be used to hold cut flowers and which is taller than it is wide at its widest point.
- \* The Garden News Top Vase class is open for anyone to enter and is not intended purely for growers who regularly display in single species classes at shows.
- \* Judges should use their discretion when judging the Top Vase class, bearing in mind that the entries may come from inexperienced exhibitors.
- \* Please note that the display has to be viewed all round.
- \* The points awarded should be clearly marked by the judges on the exhibitors' cards.
- \* Any queries that may arise, regarding anything other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by, the show officials.

# **AUTUMN SHOW 2012**

**ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL, LITTLE BADDOW ROAD, DANBURY.**

**SATURDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 2012 at 2.30 p.m.**

Trophies will be presented at 4.15pm

*Refreshments, Raffle, Plant & Produce Stall*

**Admission: Free to members; Non members: Adults £2.00 Children free**

## **SCHEDULE FOR AUTUMN SHOW 2012**

All entries to be staged between 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m. on the Show Day.

Please refer to Regulations for Exhibitors.

**Prizes:** First - 50p Second - 40p Third - 30p

Garden News Top Tray: Prizes of Thompson & Morgan Seed Vouchers:

First - £15.00 Second - £10.00 Third - £5.00

### **SECTION A1 – FRUIT**

- |   |  |                                      |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| 1 | APPLES   | 5 Dessert. One variety, ready to eat |
| 2 | APPLES   | 5 Culinary. One variety              |
| 3 | PEARS  | 3 One variety                        |
| 4 | PLUMS  | 5 One variety                        |
| 5 | ANY OTHER TOP FRUIT not mentioned in classes 1-4 |                                      |
| 6 | ANY SOFT FRUIT One variety                       |                                      |

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**SECTION A2 - VEGETABLES**

- 7 COLLECTION of 4 kinds of vegetables – 2ft (60cm) tabling allowed.  
Quantities as shown in individual classes.
- 8 BEETROOT 3 with tops trimmed to approx 3 inches (7.5cm)
- 9 CABBAGE stalk trimmed to minimum 2 inches (5cm)
- 10 CARROTS 3 with trimmed tops approx 3 inches(7.5cm), one variety
- 11 COURGETTES 3 of one variety
- 12 CUCUMBER
- 13 LEEKS 3 with trimmed foliage, one variety
- 14 MARROW 1 judged for table quality
- 15 MARROW 1 judged for size
- 16 ONIONS 5 grown from seed, one variety
- 17 ONIONS 5 grown from sets, one variety
- 18 SHALLOTS 12
- 19 POTATOES 5 coloured, one variety
- 20 POTATOES 5 white, one variety
- 21 RUNNER BEANS 7 of one variety
- 22 TOMATOES – Large e.g. Beefsteak type, 3 of one variety
- 23 TOMATOES – Medium, 5 of one variety
- 24 TOMATOES - Small-fruited and cherry cultivars, 7 of one variety
- 25 ANY OTHER ROOT VEGETABLE Any root vegetable not included above.
- 26 ANY OTHER VEGETABLE Any other vegetable excluding root vegetables
- 27 CULINARY HERBS A container of cut herbs, 3 to 5 varieties
- 28 THE GARDEN NEWS TOP TRAY AWARD : collection of 3 types of vegetable
- SEE RULES for entry.

**NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not yet won a FIRST prize in the Vegetable Section of any previous Show

- 29 A COLLECTION OF 4 DIFFERENT VEGETABLES from classes 8- 26 above

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**SECTION B - FLOWERS**

Green bikini vases are available for entries

- 30 ANNUALS Vase 6ins (15cm) max diameter – one or mixed varieties
- 31 BEGONIAS A Pot (PLEASE INDICATE POT SIZE ON FORM)
- 32 CHRYSANTHEMUMS 3 incurved or incurving – any variety or varieties
- 33 CHRYSANTHEMUMS 3 reflexed – any variety or varieties
- 34 DAHLIAS 3 decorative –any variety or varieties.
- 35 DAHLIAS 3 cactus or semi-cactus – any variety or varieties
- 36 PELARGONIUMS 1 pot – 2ft (60cm) tabling allowed
- 37 PERENNIALS 1 container – same or mixed – 2ft (60cm) tabling allowed
- 38 POT PLANT (excluding Saintpaulia) Single specimen, in a pot not exceeding 5ins 12.5cm)
- 39 POT PLANT (excluding Saintpaulia) Single specimen, in a pot over 5ins (12.5cm) diameter
- 40 SAINTPAULIA (African Violets) Single specimen in a pot
- 41 SHRUBS 1 container, 2ft (60cm) tabling allowed
- 42 ROSE 1 specimen bloom
- 43 ROSES 3 blooms, distinct varieties
- 44 ROSES 3 stems floribunda – any variety or varieties
- 45 ANY OTHER FLOWER Any flower or flowers not included in classes 30-44 (NB if the flowers are annuals, perennials or shrubs they should be entered in class 30, 37 or 41 respectively.)

**NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not yet won a FIRST prize in the Flower Section of any previous Show.

- 46 GARDEN FLOWERS A container, 2 ft (60cm) tabling allowed.

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**SECTION C -FLORAL ART**

Schedule definitions as published by N.A.F.A.S. will be observed when judging these classes. Tabling size for classes 47, 48 & 51: depth 20ins, height 32ins, width 24ins. Double prize money for classes 47 and 48.

- 47 'INDIAN SUMMER' An exhibit of fresh flowers & foliage: accessories allowed.  
 48 'FLOTSAM & JETSAM' An exhibit of fresh flowers & foliage: accessories allowed.  
 49 AN AUTUMN MINIATURE An exhibit of fresh autumn flowers & foliage, not exceeding 4" (10cm) overall.  
 50 AN AUTUMN PETITE An exhibit of fresh autumn flowers and foliage, more than 4" (10cm) and less than 9" (23cm) in any dimension

**NOVICE CLASS**

Restricted to exhibitors who have not previously won a First Prize in Floral Art Classes.

- 51 'HARVEST TIME' An exhibit of fresh flowers and foliage: accessories allowed.

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**SECTION D - COOKERY**

- 52 AN APPLE PIE (Pastry base and lid)  
 53 A SHORTBREAD ROUND  
 54 DECORATED CUP CAKES Five  
 55 A CHILLED SOUP  
 56 POPPY SEED LOAF  
 57 JAM MADE FROM SOFT FRUIT – a glass jar 12oz-1lb  
 58 JAM MADE FROM STONE FRUIT – a glass jar 12oz-1lb

- 59 PICKLE OF YOUR CHOICE – a glass jar  
60 CHUTNEY OF YOUR CHOICE – a glass jar

NOTE: Exhibits in classes 57-60 should be cellophane covered (with a waxed disc) or a **plain** lid.

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### SECTION E - COOKERY Under 16s

- 61 A JELLY FOR HARRY POTTER  
62 FLAPJACKS Three

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### SECTION F - CRAFT Under 16s

- 63 A CRAFT USING SEA SHELLS  
64 AN LEGO™ PERSON. Lego™ model maximum 30cm x 30cm x 30cm  
65 PHOTOGRAPHY - MY FAVOURITE HOLIDAY PICTURE

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### SECTION G – PHOTOGRAPHY

Pictures must be not greater than 4x6ins (10x15cm), unmounted in colour or black and white. Best picture overall wins the Mabel Retallack Plate. Highest Aggregate Points in the Photography Section wins the Hitchcock Trophy.

- 66 SHADOWS  
67 MARKET DAY  
68 THE TRAVELLER  
69 BRITISH WILDLIFE  
70 TREES  
71 RUST

**TOP TRAY COMPETITION RULES 2012**

**1** The Garden News Top Tray class is for a collection of three types of vegetables taken from the following list of fifteen. The quantity of each vegetable required for the collection is given in brackets:

carrots (3)	cauliflowers (2)	onions (3)
parsnips (3)	peas (6 pods)	potatoes (3)
runner beans (6 pods)	tomatoes (6)	French Beans (6 pods)
sweetcorn (2)	pepper (3)	cucumber (2)
courgettes (3)	red beet (3)	aubergines (2)

Each type of vegetable will be judged out of a total of 20 points. This is split into three sections as follows: 7 points for size, shape and colour; 7 points for condition; 6 points for uniformity. The overall mark will be out of a total of 60.

**2** All vegetables are to be displayed for effect. The vegetables must be displayed within an area measuring 45cm by 60cm (18x24in), without bending any part of them. No part of any exhibit may exceed the size of the tray.

A tray or board measuring 45cm by 60cm (18x24in) 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, it is the internal measurements that must not exceed 45cm by 60cm (18x24in).

**3** A black cloth is permitted, and the tray may be painted. Parsley is allowed for garnishing, but no other foliage or accessories, such as plates, sand, rings and so on, will be allowed. Onion tops may be tied or whipped using raffia or string.

**NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS AND JUDGES**

\*Carrots and parsnips must have foliage trimmed back to 7.5cm (3in).

\*Peas and beans must be displayed with some stalk attached.

\* Tomatoes must be displayed with calyces (the green flower bud case).

\* Judges may handle exhibits, open pods etc to check for quality.

\* The tray, board or staging must not be cut or mutilated in any way at all - such as cutting holes for standing onions in.

\* Judges should use their discretion when judging the Top Tray class, remembering that entries may come from inexperienced exhibitors.

\* The points awarded should be clearly marked by the judges on the exhibitors' cards.

\* Any queries that may arise, regarding anything other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by, the show officials.

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

## FLOWER SHOW ENTRY FORM    20p per exhibit

**NAME** Mr / Mrs / Miss/ Ms .....

**ADDRESS** .....

**TELEPHONE**.....    **AGE (if Under 16)** .....**WI**.....

*Entrants who wish to be considered for the Wigan Trophy (presented at the Summer Show) please state to which WI group they belong*

This form must reach Willows of Danbury Dry Cleaners, Eve's Corner, Danbury or the Show Secretary before 5 p.m. on the **THURSDAY** before the show. No entries can be accepted on the day of the Show. Please check that you have read the schedule correctly and have entered the right classes. Please refer any queries you may have to the Show Secretary.

Class	Entries (max 2)	Class	Entries (max 2)	Class	Entries (max 2)	Class	Entries (max 2)	Class	Entries (max 2)
1		16		31		46		61	
2		17		32		47		62	
3		18		33		48		63	
4		19		34		49		64	
5		20		35		50		65	
6		21		36		51		66	
7		22		37		52		67	
8		23		38		53		68	
9		24		39		54		69	
10		25		40		55		70	
11		26		41		56		71	
12		27		42		57		72	
13		28		43		58		73	
14		29		44		59		74	
15		30		45		60		75	
Total number of entries at 20p each:						Total Entry Money Enclosed:			

**YOU MUST PROVIDE THE CORRECT CHANGE. PLEASE DO NOT ASK WILLOWS TO BREAK A NOTE FOR YOU.**

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