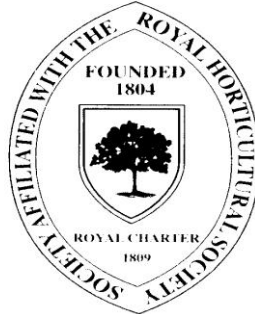


BEWDLEY AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

(Founded in 1853 and affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society Since 1900.)



ANNUAL SHOW 2019

SATURDAY 17th AUGUST, 2019

AT

ST. GEORGE`S HALL,
LOAD STREET,
BEWDLEY, DY12 2EQ

Show Opens 10.30am

The show is open to all members of the Society and endeavours to promote excellence in the areas of flower, fruit and vegetable growing, domestic arts and handicrafts.

Children under the age of 16 do not have to be a Society member to enter and exhibit.

2019 SCHEDULE OF CLASSES AND THEIR PRIZES

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

Your entry will not be accepted after

MIDNIGHT, TUESDAY, 13th AUGUST, 2019

No telephone entries will be accepted under any circumstances.

BEWDLEY & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

COMMITTEE OFFICIALS for 2019

CHAIRPERSON;	Mr I Perrin	01299 402235
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RULES OF COMPETITION

Please read carefully

1. No entry fee will be charged for any exhibit
2. Exhibitors will be required to sign a declaration stating that all plants, cut flowers, fruit and vegetables they exhibit have been grown by themselves or have been in their possession for three months prior to the day of exhibition. If proven that this regulation has been broken then the prize money will be forfeited and the committee may decide upon further action.
3. No member is allowed more than one entry in each class.
4. Exhibitors only will be given free admission to the show.
5. The management of the Annual Show is under the control of the Committee; their decision is final in all matters relating to the order and good governance of the Show. Prize monies will be paid on Show Day.
6. If there are no more than three entries in each class, the first prize may be withheld at the discretion of the judges.
7. Nobody, except those officially required will be admitted to the exhibition during the time judges are deliberating 08:30 to 10:30 on 17th August 2018.
8. The judges' decision will be final and they have the right of reserving or withholding prizes at their discretion.
9. All exhibits must be staged by 08:30 a.m. on Show Day
10. All jams and bottled fruits exhibited must have been prepared on the premises of the exhibitor.
11. Show closes at 15:00 with last paid admission at 14:45, the prizes will be presented at 15:00
12. Exhibits can be removed after 15:15
13. Auction of flowers and domestic produce to follow immediately afterwards, any remaining vegetable items will be bagged and sold separately.

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR ALL COMPETITORS

Entries must be made on the form provided with this Schedule and must be forwarded to the Show Secretary by Midnight, Tuesday, 13th August, 2019. After this date and time your entry will not, under any circumstance, be accepted.

STAGING

Friday 16th August from 16:00 to 20:00 and Saturday 17th August from 07.00 to 08.30.

All cups are open for competition and will be held by the winner until 31st July 2020

PROTESTS

Any BHS member wishing to protest against another member receiving a prize or being awarded points must lodge their objection in writing to the Show Secretary with a fee of £1 before 12.00 hours on Show Day. This will be returned if the protest is successful. In such a case the prize will be withheld and the points not registered. The Committee will enquire

into and adjudicate on the matter before the prizes are awarded. If no protest is entered then the award will be final.

The Committee reserve the right to inspect the gardens and allotments of any exhibitors.

LIST OF COMPETITION CUPS AND THEIR CATEGORIES AT THE ANNUAL SHOW

George Williams Cup	For Best Exhibit of Roses	Class 5
Frank Hayden Cup	For Best Exhibit of Gladioli	Classes 7 to 8
Frost Cup	For Most Points in Dahlia	Classes 9 to 15
Norman Webb Cup	Best Exhibit of Sweet Peas	Classes 16 and 17
E A Hughes Memorial Cup	Most Points General	Classes 18 to 31
C Alston Cup	Most Points in Vegetables	Classes 33 to 65
Clift Cup	Best Exhibit in	Class 66
C R G Farmer Cup	Best Exhibit in	Class 67
Rosette	Most Points Children	Classes 82 - 83
Rosette	Most Points Children	Classes 84 - 86
Rosette	Most points Children	Classes 88 - 89
The Hollows Nursery Cup	Best Exhibit in Children	Classes 82 - 89
Bewdley Council Rose Bowl	Awarded to Best Exhibit (Excluding classes 66 & 67)	Classes 5 -65
The Mayor's Cup	Winner, most points in Handicrafts	Class 90 - 94
Banksian Medal	Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the largest amount of Prize Money in classes 5-67 but excluding the following classes: Domestic, Children and Banksian Medal winners from 2015 and 2016	
Mrs C R G Farmer Cup	Most Points Domestic Classes	Classes 68 to 80
The Tom Hall Cup	Best in Society Special Class	
HC Styles Cup	Most points in floral art	
B Ince Cup	Best in Novice floral art	
Judge's award	Best item in Domestic Arts section	

SPONSORSHIP

All classes are available for sponsorship by members, friends and associates. Forms are available at meetings and sponsorship covers the cost of the prize money for the class sponsored. All sponsored classes are recognised with their reason for sponsorship on the notice board of show day.

There are 3 Novice only classes in the show, 22, 62 and 100, please note a Novice is a person who has not won a First Prize in the class they are entering, at a previous Bewdley Show

FRUIT and FLOWER SECTION

Class and Number

Prizes as follows 1st £2, 2nd £1, 3rd £0.50 unless otherwise stated

ROSES

- 4 Vase of 5 mixed roses
- 5 One specimen bloom, any cultivar

GLADIOLI

- 7 Vase of three spikes Gladioli (large)
- 8 Vase of one specimen spike Gladioli

DAHLIA

- 9 Basket of dahlias, arranged for frontal effect, any foliage may be used
- 10 Vase of three blooms, large or giant, may exhibit in 3 separate vases
- 11 Vase of three blooms, decorative small or medium
- 12 Vase of three blooms, cactus or semi-cactus small or medium
- 13 Vase of three ball, up to 11.5cm. diam.
- 14 Vase of six pompom not exceeding 5.0 cm. diam.
- 15 Vase of five collarette and/or water lily dahlias

NOTE: Sizes – Medium 17.0 cm to 21.0 cm. diam.
Large 21.0 cm. to 25.5 cm. diam.
Giant Over 25.5 cm. diam.

SWEET PEAS

- 16 Two vases 7 stems per vase (distinct varieties)
- 17 One vase 7 stems mixed colours

GENERAL

- 18 Single stem of flower not already in schedule
- 19 One vase of five aster blooms
- 20 Two vases cut flowers (distinct varieties not already in the schedule)
£3 £2 £1
- 21 Vase of mixed garden flowers, not already in schedule
- 22 Vase of mixed garden flowers, not already in schedule (**NOVICE ONLY**)
- 23 1 pot plant flowering fuchsia 18cm pot maximum
- 24 One hydrangea head
- 25 1 pot plant flowering - (max 18cm. pot)
- 26 A container of floating flower heads, not to exceed 30x30cm.
- 28 Collection of cacti /or succulent -not exceeding 30cm. diam. or square
- 31 Society Special – Pelargonium
- 32 Collection of 6 named herbs to be staged in individual containers within a maximum size of 20x30 cm

VEGETABLES -

Class and Number

33.	A trug or basket of fruit and vegetables	£3	£2	£1
34.	Two sticks of celery			
35.	Three carrots, long (a long pointed cultivar)			
36.	Three carrots (other than a long cultivar)			
37.	Three parsnips			
38.	Three leeks (blanched or intermediate)			
39.	Two leeks (Pot)			
40.	One dish 5 potatoes white			
41.	One dish 5 potatoes coloured			
42.	Three onions (exceeding 8oz each)			
43.	Five onions (not to exceed 8oz each)			
44.	7 shallots (culinary)			
45.	7 shallots (pickling not to exceed 3.0cm. dia.)			
46.	7 runner beans			
47.	7 French beans			
48.	Dish of soft fruit			
49.	Pair of vegetable marrows (not to exceed 37.5 cm long)			
50.	Three courgettes			
51.	Five tomatoes medium 6cm or less in diameter			
52.	Three beet (globe)			
53.	A truss of cherry type tomatoes			
54.	One cauliflower			
55.	Four apples (culinary)			
56.	Four apples (dessert)			
57.	3 sticks of rhubarb			
59.	Heaviest onion			
60.	Longest bean			
61.	Heaviest tomato			
62.	Heaviest tomato (NOVICE)			
64.	One cucumber			
65.	Collection of salad vegetables (max 30x 60cm)	£3	£2	£1
	Four to be selected from the following: lettuce, tomato, cucumber, spring onion, courgette, radish, pepper (capsicum)			
66.	Collection of vegetables, four distinct kinds	£5	£3	£2
	Not to exceed 90x67cm deep			
67.	Collection – one vase flowers; one dish fruit (one kind)			
	And one dish vegetables (one kind)	£5	£3	£2

DOMESTIC CLASSES

Please read the following Judges tips on page 9

Class and Number

- 68. Jar of soft fruit jam
- 69. Jar of stone fruit jam
- 70. A jar of curd
- 71. Jar of chutney
- 72. Jar of marmalade, not to be made from concentrate
- 73. Afternoon tea of 3 items on a fancy or vintage plate.
- 74. Tea loaf, own recipe but displayed with entry see notes on page 9
- 75. Small white cottage loaf, any recipe
- 76. 4 ginger biscuits any recipe
- 77. Fruit pie on a 10" foil plate (pastry top and bottom)
- 78. Coconut cake, see specific recipe on page 9
- 79. 4 cheese scones, any recipe
- 80. One bottle home made lemonade

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

CHILDREN'S CLASSES 5 years and under

State age of child on entry card for all children's classes please

- 82. An animal painting A4 paper maximum size
- 83. A decorated wooden spoon

CHILDREN'S CLASSES 6 years to 8 years

- 84. A miniature garden 15 x 10 inches maximum
- 85. A decorated stone

CHILDREN'S CLASSES 9 years to 12 years

- 88. Design a birthday party invitation 6 x 8 inches maximum
- 89. A posy of fresh flowers

HANDICRAFTS

- 90. Matching hat and mittens for a toddler
- 92. A handmade toy any material
- 93. A metre of homemade bunting
- 94. A brooch from any medium

PHOTOGRAPHS

Class and Number

- 95. Harvest - Mounted or framed (7" x 5" maximum)
- 96. Bewdley at dusk - Mounted or framed (7" x 5" maximum)

ART

- 97. An original painting in any medium with a gardening theme
Maximum size A4 paper (landscape or portrait orientation)

FLORAL ART

- 98 An arrangement in a jug.
- 99 An arrangement in a cup and saucer to include fruit
- 100 An arrangement in a terracotta pot, (**NOVICE ONLY**)
not to exceed 10cm in diameter.
- 101 Floral Art Exhibit: "A Summer's Garden" see note below.

An exhibit is plant material, fresh, dried or preserved with or without accessories contained within a specific shape. This will not be judged to NAFA rules.
Space 36" x 27" First Prize £10.00

DOMESTIC CLASSES:

Coconut Cake Recipe:

Ingredients

2 oz (60g) coconut
4 oz (120g) butter or margarine
8 oz (240g) caster sugar
¼ pint (150ml) milk
8 oz (240g) self raising flour
2 eggs

Method

Soak coconut in milk for 2 hours

Heat oven to 350F 175C gas mark 4 and grease and line with greased proof paper a 8x4 inch tin

Cream butter and sugar

Add beaten eggs and flour

Add milk and coconut

Cook for approx 50 minutes or until a warm skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean.

Leave to cool in the tin for 10 minutes, then turn out and finish cooling on a wire rack. Store in an airtight tin before presentation. This cake will mature over 2-3 days.

Tea Loaf tips:-

Low or no fat, one quarter or less fat to flour.

Fruit often but not necessarily soaked in tea.

Texture fairly moist but may be close.

Baked in a loaf tin.

Judged whole but intended to be served sliced and buttered.

Please read the following Judge's tips.

All food entries should be covered.

In the interest of food hygiene entries containing fresh cream will not be judged.

Exhibits may be cut and or tasted at the discretion of the judge

All items from any domestic class are to be sealed in a clear polythene bag.
Please do not cover your exhibits in cling film when on the show bench.

Waxed discs should be the same size as the rim of the jar and placed waxed side down. If they are not the right fit air bubbles will collect underneath the disc. This means that there is no seal and therefore it has not been preserved.

A wax disc is not necessary underneath a screw top lid.

Full date on labels as dd/mm/yyyy

Use plain and unmarked glass jars and new plain lids. No manufacturer's name should be on any jar or lid as this contravenes the Trade's Description Act and will be disqualified.

Tips for chutney:-

Must be a screw top jar so no wax disc is required.

Chutney left to mature for 2 to 3 months in advance gives the best flavour.

Tips for making bread:-

Using tin liners is convenient but for those extra marks do- it -yourself.

Tap loaf sharply on the base when removed from the oven to test if it is fully cooked; it should sound hollow.

Handmade bread would always be awarded more marks for skill shown

GENERAL AND VEGETABLES SECTION – please read the following tips

Carrots and parsnip must have foliage trimmed back to 7.5 cm

Beans are displayed with some stalk attached

Cucumber and courgette may be shown with or without flowers attached.

BEWDLEY AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY MINI SHOWS

The use of your own vases is permitted and encouraged in all the mini shows

Staging to be on the night of the meeting.

All mini shows held at

**Riverside Elim Church Hall,
Dog Lane, Bewdley, DY12 2EF**

7.00p.m for 7.30p.m

Prizes: all classes 1st £1, 2nd £0.75, 3rd £0.50

Spring Show - Monday, 18th March 2019 Meeting

Class No.

1. Vase of 3 Daffodils (Long trumpet)
 2. Vase of 3 Daffodils (short trumpet)
 3. Vase of 3 stems of miniature Daffodils
 4. Vase of spring flowers/shrubs
 5. A photograph of "spring"
 6. Fruit Cake any recipe
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Mini Autumn Show – Monday, 21st October 2019 Meeting

Class No.

1. A Vase of Chrysanthemums
2. A Vase of Autumn Foliage and/or Berries
3. A Vase of Flowers – distinct kind
4. A Vase of Flowers – mixed
5. A Dish of Apples
6. 3 fruit scones, any recipe

BEWDLEY AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Dear Members

As usual the Committee offers a very big welcome to all our members and friends to the gardening year 2019-2020. The Committee would like to thank all of you for making our last year a great success. We had record numbers of members and visitors attending our monthly meetings to enjoy excellent speakers delivering absorbing talks on matters horticultural. Our monthly meetings, with interesting guest speakers or visits to gardens, are a source of knowledge and practical help. Indeed it has not been an easy task to find speakers of such quality for this coming season, but we have. As a highlight our Annual Show this year was a triumph for the number and quality of entries in all classes.

As we prepare this year's schedule and programme of events we hope that you are taking the opportunity to browse through your seed books and gardening catalogues. As you plan your gardening year please think about what you could be growing to enter for this year's Spring and Autumn mini shows and our Annual Show.

Our initiative to ask our members to be show stewards with the Judges has been a success by involving members in the Society's activities. Members are able to see how the show works and gain insights into techniques and expert knowledge. So, if you want to have a go this year either as a competitor or as a helper please let us know of your intentions. As a highlight in the horticultural year the annual show gives us all the opportunity to show off produce, efforts and skills. Please join in the fun and a great Bewdley Day in the annual calendar. You can help support the Society by bringing and selling excess plants and vegetables at our meetings.

One of our main aims as an organisation is to maintain horticultural skills across this and future generations. Inspire your children and grandchildren to work with you and help them enter a couple of classes. Your example will help establish the next generation of horticulturists, a wonderful legacy. Our members' cake stall is a great attraction and helps towards the costs of staging the Show so please consider baking and donating a cake or two this year.

The Show is a celebration of all things to do with amateur gardening and associated pursuits but most importantly it relies on you. Without your entries we simply wouldn't have a show so please enter and encourage others to have a try at being the best. Your help and support makes all the hard work of the Show Committee worthwhile. Thank You.

Check us out at www.bewdleyanddistricthorticulturalsociety.org.uk

Happy gardening
From the Show Committee

Thinking about joining us? Well why not?

You don't need a prize garden to join ; some members have little or no garden, just a window box! It costs only £5 annually to join and members also can benefit from a 5-10% discount at selected local gardening stores.

For more information ring Stuart on 01299 400580

BEWDLEY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY PROGRAMME 2019

Date	Speaker	Title
18 th February	AGM	AGM followed by Floral Art demonstration by Andrew Lloyd
18 th March	Paul Cook	An evening with Paul Cook Spring mini-show
15 th April	Owen Raybould	Foraging in Wyre Forest
20 th May	Rob Sheriff	Cut flowers for the home, nature's visitors
17 th June	Richard Baldwin	Vegetables for the small garden
16 th July	Garden visit to Berrington Hall	David Thresher (Head Gardener) leads a private tour 18:00
18 th August	Annual Show	St George's Hall Bewdley
16 th September	Frank Hardy	Creating a shrub border
22 nd October	David Cropp	Gardening for climate change and Autumn mini-show
18 th November	Adrian James	Folklore and more, followed by Christmas cheer and mince pies
February 2020	AGM 2020	

**Unless otherwise stated all the above meetings are held at:
Riverside Elim Church,
Dog Lane, Bewdley, DY12 2EF**

Doors open 7:00 pm. for 7.30 pm. Start

**Admission
£2.00p. members
£4.00p. Non members
To include refreshments**

We welcome members, prospective members and guests

Society Members and Class Sponsors for the August show 2019

Member		Class
Veronica	Whatmore	5
Stuart	Williams	7
		8
Bewdley Blooms		9
Gill	Gray	10
Leslie	Barrett	12
June	Harrop	15
Angela	Cutts	16
The Cook School		17
Bewdley Blooms		18
Wendy	Gibbons	19
Jan	Ferguson	20
Val	Perrins	21
Ivan	Perrins	22
John	Lloyd	28
Bewdley Blooms		31
		34
June	Harrop	36
Tony	Marchant	40
		42
Gordon	Cox	48
Angela	Williams	51
Shirley	Pearson	53
Gill	Gray	56
Gordon	Cox	59
Roy	James	61
Jenny	Frow	65
Ruth	Hawkesford	66
Jan	Cox	78
Sally	Porter	92
		95
Judy	Knight	97

ENTRY FORM – GENERAL CLASSES

BEWDLEY & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY – SATURDAY 17th AUGUST 2019

**All entries to reach the Show Secretary before midnight on Tuesday 13th August 2019
Staging: Friday 16th August 16.00pm to 20:00pm – Saturday 18th August 07.00am to 08.30am**

Class

I declare the above to have been grown by me or to have been in my possession for at least three months prior to the date of the Show. I agree to conform to the Rules of the Society.

Name(Block Capitals).....

Signature.....

Address.....
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Tel. or mobile No.....

No exhibit will be accepted unless the exhibitor has paid their £5.00 membership fee for the current year. Please send this completed entry form before midnight 13/08/2018 to:

Mrs J Ferguson –31 Severn Side South, Bewdley, Worcestershire. DY12 2DX