## CHOLESBURY CUM ST LEONARDS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY (Affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society)

ANNUAL HORTICULTURAL, COOKERY, HANDICRAFT, FLOWER SHOW
(Classes for ART and PHOTOGRAPHY, and CHILDREN'S classes)


Hawridge \& Cholesbury C of E School
Hawridge Common HP5 2UQ
FREE ENTRY IN AFTERNOON - TEAS AND A RAFFLE

## SATURDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2024 at 2.00 pm

## Entry forms must be completed and delivered to the Show Secretary with fees by Wednesday 4 September

Class entrance fees: 20 p per class for Members of Hort Soc; 30 p per class for non Members and children's entries are free

ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY BUT AT £2.00 PER CLASS
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President: Liz Firth
Chairman: Brian Mills
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## Hon Secretary:

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## Show Secretary:

Angie Bettison
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The School will be open at 8.30 am for exhibitors to set up and all exhibits
must be ready for judging by 9.45 am . Vases will be provided for sweet pea and dahlia classes. The School show rooms will be cleared for judging at 9.45 am .
PRIZES and TROPHIES will be awarded at 3.30 pm approximately, followed by the raffle Class prizes: $1^{\text {st }}=40$ p, $2^{\text {nd }}=30$ p, $3^{\text {rd }}=20 p$ (not Children's classes) Class 38 : $1^{\text {st }}=£ 1$,

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\left.2^{\text {nd }}=75 p, 3^{\text {rd }}=50 p\right)
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This is a community show to encourage local residents to grow their own produce and join together in this long running event

## RULES

1. New Members and new entrants must live within a 4 mile distance from the Cholesbury and Hawridge School HP5 2UQ, apart from the Children's Classes.
2. All floral and vegetable exhibits must be grown by Exhibitors in their own gardens or must have been in their possession for at least 3 months.
3. All entry forms and fees to be given to the Secretary, Angie Bettison, 1 Shire Lane, Cholesbury, by the WEDNESDAY prior to the show. Entries on the day $£ 2$ per entry.
4. No exhibitor may enter more than one entry per class except for classes 67, 68, 71 and 72.
5. THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL. However, any question of doubt or dispute can be submitted to the Show Committee for a final ruling.
6. All exhibits TO BE STAGED AND READY FOR JUDGING BY 9.45 am WHEN THE DOORS CLOSE. Exhibitors to provide their own vases and dishes apart from fuchsia, sweet pea and dahlia classes.
7. No exhibits may be removed before the end of the prize giving and raffle draw (approx. 3.30 pm ).
8. PRIZE MONEY not collected within 1 week of the show from Angie Bettison, Show Secretary, will be paid back into the Society's funds.
9. The judges have the power to withhold or modify prizes if exhibits do not warrant the prizes offered.
10.Reasonable care will be taken of all exhibits, but the Committee will not be responsible for any loss, injury or damage to exhibitors/spectators/or exhibited items.
10. Cups to be returned to Show Secretary by the weekend prior to the show.

## SHOW CLASSES - OPEN TO ALL

ENTRANCE FEES - ALL CLASSES: Hort Soc Members: 20p per class, Non-Members: 30p per class. CHILDREN'S ENTRIES ARE FREE

## PLEASE PREPARE EXHIBITS AS FAR AS POSSIBLE BEFORE ARRIVING AT THE SCHOOL TO AVOID CONGESTION

## DIVISION 1 - FLOWERS

Exhibits should be arranged to display the merits of flowers or plants to their best advantage and oasis may be used. *Vases will be supplied for classes 11 to 15.

1. VASE of ROSES
2. SPECIMEN ROSE
3. VASE OF ANNUALS
4. VASE OF HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS
5. VASE OF MIXED

HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS
6. VASE OF MIXED MICHAELMAS DAISIES
7. VASE OF COSMOS
8. FUCHSIA BLOOMS, with short stems
9. VASE OF ORNAMENTAL GRASSES
10. VASE OF YELLOW FLOWERS
11. SWEET PEAS
12. DAHLIAS—DECORATIVE OR BALL
13. DAHLIAS—CACTUS/SEMI-CACTUS
14. DAHLIAS—POMPON
15. DAHLIAS—ANY TYPE
16. CACTUS or SUCCULENT
17. POT PLANT IN BLOOM

Any varieties, not less than 5 blooms
1 bloom
1 species only
1 variety only eg Phlox
Any kinds/varieties eg Phlox+dahlias+delphiniums+ crocosmia
3 stems of any varieties
1 vase, any varieties
5 blooms of 1 variety - staging will be provided
5 Stems of any varieties
5 blooms or stems of any kind
6 stems, any varieties*
3 blooms of any one variety, any size*
3 blooms any varieties*, any size
3 blooms (not more than 55 mm or 2.17 in )*
3 blooms of any varieties/any size*
Any variety
Any variety

## DIVISION 2—VEGETABLES AND FRUIT

If known, write name of fruit/vegetable exhibited on cards provided at the show
24. TOMATOES
25. TOMATOES—CHERRY
26. POTATOES
27. POTATOES
28. RUNNER BEANS
29. LONGEST RUNNER BEAN
30. FRENCH BEANS
31. ONIONS
32. CARROTS
33. BEETROOTS
34. MARROWS
35. COURGETTES
36. ANY OTHER VEGETABLE not listed in the schedule
37. SWEET PEPPERS
38. A COLLECTION OF ANY VEGETABLES
39. APPLES
40. APPLES
41. PLUMS OR GAGES

42 FRUIT
43. COLLECTION OF DIFFERENT

CULINARY HERBS (in live form without flowers, not rooted, each plant to be labelled)

The RHS has produced "The Horticultural Show Handbook" which is the official guide to organising, judging and competing in a show. It has useful information on how to display flowers and vegetables etc and what criteria the judges are looking for. Copies can be easily purchased. The Show Secretary has a copy so any queries please check with her.

## DIVISION 3 - FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

(NOTE: RULE 2 does not apply to this division.) OASIS MAY BE USED FOR DISPLAYS Please check sizes!
45. AN ARRANGEMENT OF FIVE FLOWERS WITH OR WITHOUT FOLIAGE OF YOUR CHOICE not more than 45 cm (18 in) overall.
46. AN ARRANGEMENT IN A TEACUP AND SAUCER — not more than 23 cm (9 in) overall.
47. AN ARRANGEMENT OF FLOWERS IN VARIOUS SHADES OF ONE COLOUR, WITH FOLIAGEnot more than 45 cm (18 in) overall.
48. A JUG OF FLOWERS FOR THE KITCHEN TABLE—not more than 45 cm (18 in) overall.
49. AN ARRANGEMENT INCLUDING DRIED FLOWERS — not more than $61 \mathrm{~cm}(24 \mathrm{in})$ overall.
50. AN ARRANGEMENT IN AN UNUSUAL CONTAINER — not more than $61 \mathrm{~cm}(24 \mathrm{in})$ overall.

## DIVISION 4 - CHILDREN'S CLASSES - No entrance fees

PUT NAME and AGE ON ENTRY (age will be taken into account). Only enter classes in one age group.

Classes for children under 5 years on date of show
53. A picture of a tree, collage, painting or drawing, on a paper plate
54. A design or picture, made with leaf prints, no larger than A4

Classes for children aged 5-7 years on date of show
55. Model or collage of an insect or mini beast, no larger than A4
56. Decorate a flower pot

Classes for children aged 8-9 years on date of show
57. Three paper flowers in a jam jar
58. A picture, illustrating your favourite game, film or story, no larger than A4. Please give title

Classes for children aged 10 years plus on date of show
59. Design a birthday card for a best friend, no larger than A5 when folded
60. A farm yard scene in a shoe box. Using any items

## DIVISION 5 - ARTS \& CRAFTS, PHOTOGRAPHY \& PAINTING

## Open to all ages

Please add interesting information if the work is your own design, if you want to, on a card and display with your entry

CRAFT - All entries to be made by yourself and NOT TO HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY SHOWN IN THIS SHOW

## JUNIOR CRAFT

## Classes 62 \& 63

Something stitched, crocheted or knitted, may be a kit; simple elements eg buttons, key rings may be added
62. Age 7-11 yrs.
63. Age 12-16 yrs.

## OPEN TO ALL

64. An 'upcycled' item
65. A piece of hand embroidery
66. Something made using your sewing or knitting machine
67. Any hard craft - you may enter two items
68. Any soft craft - you may enter two items

PHOTOGRAPHY Photographs must be taken by the entrant, and not previously displayed at this show. The Society will not accept responsibility in the case of dispute over ownership. Photos to be mounted on card - finished display no larger than A4.

## Photos MUST be handed to Show Steward for display—THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL

JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPY Class 69 - up to and including 16yrs.
69. My favourite photo.

## OPEN TO ALL

70. My favourite photo.
71. My favourite season - you may enter two photos
72. A flower or flowers - you may enter two photos
73. Photo of a person or animal

ART: CLASSES 74-77 (inclusive). Original painting/picture, designed and executed by the entrant. Please state the medium used for exhibit on entry card and present pictures with facility to hang for display.

## NOT CRAFT OR PHOTOGRAPHY

74. A painting in oils or acrylic.
75. A picture in any medium.
76. A picture of a human or animal
77. A picture of a flower or flowers in any medium

## DIVISION 6 - DOMESTIC CLASSES

Please add interesting information, if you want to, on a card and display with your entry
79. BEVERAGE - NON ALCOHOLIC
80. BEVERAGE - ALCOHOLIC
81. JAM
82. JAM
83. MARMALADE
84. LEMON CURD
85. JELLY
86. VICTORIA SANDWICH (3 eggs)
87. FRUIT CAKE
88. CHICKEN EGGS
89. SCONES
90. 6 COOKIES
91. A CHOCOLATE CAKE
92. 5 JAM TARTS
93. A SAVOURY QUICHE
94. LOAF OF BREAD
95. JAR OF CHUTNEY or SAVOURY PRESERVE
eg cordials
eg liqueurs, sloe gin
1 jar of any kind, EXCEPT raspberry
1 jar, raspberry
1 jar, any kind
1 jar
1 jar, any kind
Not more than 20 cm (8 in). Filling raspberry jam
Own recipe
6 - any colour
6 - own recipe - any size
Own recipe - any size
Using Connie's Recipe as printed below
Own recipe
Own recipe - Not more than 20 cm (8 in)
e.g. speciality, gluten free - hand/machine made

CONNIE'S RECIPE (CLASS 91): Mix all ingredients together until smooth. Place in 8 " $(20 \mathrm{~cm})$ lined cake tin. Bake for $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours to 2 hours at mark $2\left(300^{\circ} \mathrm{F} / 150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$. Cake should come away from the side of the tin. Cake to be iced

| 6 oz softened | 6 oz of plain flour | $1 / 4$ level tsp | 2 standard eggs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| butter (NOT | 2 oz ground | bicarbonate of |  |
| margarine/fat) | almonds | soda <br> 6 oz caster sugar | 7 level tbsps cocoa |
| 6 oz golden syrup |  | $1 / 4$ pint +2 tbsps of | $(6 \mathrm{oz}=170 \mathrm{~g} ; 2$ |
| oz $=56 \mathrm{~g} ; 1 / 4$ |  |  |  |
| milk | pint $=142 \mathrm{ml})$ |  |  |

## AWARDS

THE TOMLIN CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Dahlia classes 12 , 13,14, 15
THE SILVER CHALLENGE BOWL is awarded to the Exhibitor winning most prize money in Division 1
THE BEST IN SHOW CHALLENGE CUP is awarded to the Best Exhibit in Division 1
THE BOWDEN CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Division 2
THE FIRTH PRIZE is awarded to the Best Exhibit in Division 2
THE SOCIETY'S OPEN CHALLENGE CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Divisions 1 and 2
THE STEPHENS AWARD is awarded for the most prize money won by a VILLAGER in the flowers, fruit and vegetable divisions
THE RHS BANKSIAN MEDAL is awarded to the person winning the most prize money in the Horticultural classes
THE PHYLLIS O'CONNOR BOWL is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Division 3

THE HODGSON CHILDREN'S CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most points in Division 4 THE O'BRIEN CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Division 5, Classes 62-68

THE TERESA MATTHEWS MEMORIAL CUP is awarded to the Best Exhibit in Division 5, Classes 62-68
THE BASIL NEWALL TROPHY is awarded to the winner of the most prize money in Division 5, Classes 69-73
THE MAUREEN NEWALL AWARD is awarded to the Best Exhibit in Division 5, classes 69-73
THE LADIES CUP is awarded to the Exhibitor winning the most prize money in Division 6 THE CONNIE BROWN AWARD is awarded to the winner of Class 91

THE JOHN HORN ALLOTMENT TROPHY is awarded for the best allotment at Buckland Common (Judged prior to Show). The same allotment holder may not hold the trophy for consecutive years.

## ALL AWARDS TO BE HELD FOR ONE YEAR BY THE WINNERS

NB. All AWARDS please to be returned to Angie Bettison, angierichmond@aol.com, 1 Shire Lane, Cholesbury, HP23 6NA (or other Committee Member) the weekend before the Show. Thank you

DEFINITIONS: As laid down by the Royal Horticultural Society
ANNUAL A plant that grows from seed, flowers and dies in a year eg Cosmos, lobelia
A BLOOM One open flower eg of a tulip
BOWL A vessel for displaying cut flowers in water or for growing bulbous plants and having a diameter at its mouth at least equal to, but usually greater than its height
DISH A specified number or quantity of a fruit/vegetable constituting one item which may be displayed on a table or on a stand or on a receptacle of any material and of any shape. Unless permitted in the schedule, a dish may consist of one variety only
FOLIAGE The leaves of any plant, or stems bearing only leaves
FRUIT In classes for floral arrangement 'fruits' means seed pods, berries and ornamental gourds
HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL A plant with a non-woody stem that dies down to the ground completely each winter, eg delphinium, or retains its basal foliage eg bergenia, but has a rootstock (including all bulbs, corms, rhizomes and tubers) that remains alive for several years.
KIND A term which is used in the classification of plants, flowers, fruits and vegetables for show purposes, e.g. delphiniums, roses and phlox are 'kinds' of flowers; apples, pears and plums are 'kinds' of fruit. Peas, beans and onions are 'kinds' of vegetables
SPECIES A group of closely related plants of one genus having the same specific name eg Lilium candidum and L . henryi are two species of Lilium.
SPIKE A spike bears either stalked or stalk less flowers, as in sweet peas, gladioli \& foxgloves
SUCCULENT A plant with very fleshy leaves or stems eg species of Crassula, Sedum, Sempervivum VARIETY Used for all variations within a 'kind', e.g. Peace \& Super Star are varieties of roses VASES A vessel for displaying cut flowers in water and having a greater height than the diameter of the mouth
(Any queries about quantities/interpretation of classes or how to display your entries please contact the Show Secretary, Angie Bettison angierichmond@aol.com or 01494757088

## ENTRY FORM - LATE ENTRIES £2.00 PER CLASS

Please enter Class Number in each Division entered. Use a separate entry sheet for each Exhibitor ENTRIES CLOSE on the Wednesday prior to the show and should be given to Angie Bettison, 1 Shire Lane, Cholesbury, HP23 6NA or angierichmond@aol.com
ENTRY FEES: Members 20p/class, Non-Members 30p/class. Children's entries free ENTRY FEES

## DIVISION I

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DIVISION 5
DIVISION 6
NAME:
AGE (Children's classes only)
ADDRESS:
TEL NO:
E-MAIL
TOTAL ENTRIES

## SUBSCRIPTION FORM ATTACHED 8

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NAME:
AGE (Children's classes only)
ADDRESS
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TOTAL ENTRIES

# CHOLESBURY CUM ST LEONARDS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY 

## NEW MEMBER and SUBSCRIPTION RENEWAL FORM

## IF YOUR DETAILS HAVE NOT CHANGED A NAME WILL BE FINE THANKS:

$£ 5.00$ per person per annum, renewable every September (1 October to 30 September).

NAME:

ADDRESS : $\qquad$

POSTCODE TEL NO

E-MAIL:

How could the Show be improved?

PLEASE RETURN TO Diana Garner, Montana, Shire Lane, Cholesbury HP23 6NA, or include with your entry to Angie, or via email to montana@cholesbury.net, OR BRING TO SHOW

