



GRENDON SHOW

2019 Grendon Show Report

My word—how the sun shone for our show on Saturday 14th September—all day!!

Trevor and Pauline Higgs set up their gazebos, which provided shade for those that wanted it, like the W.I. Ladies doing the tea and cakes, and to keep the donated cakes for the charity raiser cool as well.

The others enjoyed their refreshments at tables in the sun which also meant that they were handy for the auction of produce. 10 boxes filled with produce from the show . They all sold very well thanks to local gentleman Ian Denton who squeezed as much money as he could from very willing purchasers. Also many thanks to the dulcet tones of Sue Parry's voice the raffle went brilliantly. Prizes included generous vouchers from Whites Nurseries, Higgens Garden Centre and the Emporium.

Our charity cake stall-manned very competently by Josh - raised a healthy profit, which after the committee topped up, made £200.00. Many thanks to those people who presented the most delicious looking cakes to help raise money for Macmillan Support.

Nigel Huckle won the Jack Underwood cup for his board of fruit and veg and also the Roy Mclester cup for the best vegetables. They really are worth looking at. Sandra Bailey won the George Crawford cup for her impressive entrants in the fruit and veg. Pat Maddocks clinched the Floral Art cup for her depiction of her favourite film Ladies in Lavender, and Olivia Gugic won the Village Hall cup. Her painting was amazing.

The children who entered their classes had a brilliant time planting up a wellie and decorating pebbles.

Of course I can't finish this report without mentioning Steve Tilley's decorated fairy cakes. They won of course, so it was worth getting up at 4.30am that morning!

Well done to everyone, especially to the first timers. Hope we see you again next year.