## Grendon Show 2023

## SHOW TIMETABLE

## Friday 8th September 2023

Entries to be submitted on the Entry Forms provided by 7.00 pm - Grendon Village Hall will be open to receive entries between 5.00 pm and 7.00 pm .

## Saturday 9 $^{\text {th }}$ September 2023

Exhibits accepted

Judging commences
Show opens
Prize-giving, Auction Sale of Produce
followed by the Raffle
9.00a.m. - 10.45 a.m.
11.00 a.m.
2.00-4.00 p.m.
3.30 p.m.

## Rules

Entry fees - adults 40p, children 20p per class

## AN EXHIBITOR MAY ENTER ONLY ONE ITEM IN ANY CLASS

Entries accepted by:
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Mrs M Caddick - Email - maureencaddick452@btinternet.com 07849649777
Mr \& Mrs T Higgs - Email - paulinehiggs9@gmail.com 01933663706
The Village Hall will be open from 5.00 p.m. until 7.00 p.m. Friday $8^{\text {th }}$ September for this purpose.
Closing time for entries is 7.00 p.m. Friday $8^{\text {th }}$ September - late entries cannot be accepted. Exhibits may be set out in the hall from 9.00 a.m. until 10.45 a.m. on the Saturday. All the exhibitors must leave the Hall once setting out is complete to allow later exhibitors room in which to work. Only show stewards may move or re-arrange exhibits: their assistance should be requested. Their decision is final.

A Family Trophy \& Voucher will be awarded to the family with the most accumulated points. (A "family" is defined as group of 4 or fewer related people with a maximum of 2 adults over 16 years old and at least one child under 16 years old). Where the number in the family group exceeds 4 people then only the 4 highest scores will be used to calculate the accumulated points.

Please add the names of your family to your entry form and advise the steward that you wish to enter the "Family Trophy" when submitting your entry form.

Exhibitors must use their own plates or vases, except when stated.
10.45 a.m. doors will close for judging. Nobody except Stewards and the Secretary may be present during judging.

Exhibits not for sale must be identified by "Not for Sale" labels (available from stewards) and removed from display before the Auction Sale of Produce commences. (Please contact a steward to arrange for Not for Sale exhibits to be removed from display if you are unable to attend the show before the Auction Sale of Produce commences). All exhibits NOT marked "Not for Sale" will be sold.

All exhibits in Sections 1 and 2 must have been grown by the exhibitor in their own garden or allotment. The Committee reserves the right to inspect gardens of competitors (RHS Rule 3).

## Tomatoes and Cucumbers are to be classed as vegetables for the purpose of the show.

Class 33-35 Flowers used in Flower Arrangements may be shop bought and arrangements may include foliage and fruit.

Class 37-40 to be presented in 3/4 to 1 lb Jar with cellophane top - No Screw tops.

## Photographs

Photograph exhibits are to be A5 maximum size, unframed, no borders, unmounted and uncut.
Subjects chosen should not be readily identified with a particular exhibitor.
Photographs will be judged on subject matter and interpretation of Class Title.

## Handicrafts

Sorry - No floor-standing objects or exhibits e.g Furniture

## SECTION 1 VEGETABLES AND FRUIT

Class 1 Sets of 2 vegetables \& 2 fruits, numbers of each to be as in classes below. Space allowed: 24 " x 24 " on a board.

THE JACK UNDERWOOD TROPHY IS AWARDED FOR CLASS 1
Class 26 pods runner beans
2a Longest runner bean
33 carrots
43 beetroot
53 parsnips
63 onions
74 courgettes - max length 6"
86 shallots on a plate
93 potatoes any colour
9a Heaviest potato
10 A table marrow - approx. 1 ft long
116 dwarf French beans
121 truss of tomatoes
12a 4 tomatoes, small cherry on a plate- max 35 mm diameter
12b 4 plum tomatoes
132 peppers, same colour
143 leeks
15 selection of fresh herbs freshly picked, in jam jar
163 pears
173 dessert apples
183 cooking apples
19 A plate of 12 blackberries, wild or cultivated
20 Any other fruit
21 Any other vegetable
21a An amusing vegetable

## THE GEORGE CRAWFORD TROPHY IS AWARDED FOR MOST POINTS IN CLASSES 2 TO 21a

## THE ROY MCLESTER TROPHY IS AWARDED FOR THE OVERALL BEST FRUIT OR VEGETABLE IN SHOW

## SECTION 2 CUT FLOWERS

221 vase 1 Dahlia, any variety
231 vase 3 French or African marigolds
241 vase 1 Gladioli
251 vase 3 Hosta leaves
261 vase 3 Penstemons
273 Floating Flower Heads in a maximum 20cm (8") diameter bowl
281 vase 3 roses
29 Fragrant rose - shown in tube provided
30 Mixed garden flowers shown in vessel provided
$31 \quad 1$ vase of decorative grasses shown in vessel provided
32 My favourite garden flower - between 1 and 5 stems in competitor's own vase

## SECTION 3 FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

Class 33-35 Flowers used in Flower Arrangements may be shop bought and arrangements may include foliage and fruit

Class 33 "Harvest time" (max dimension, any direction 24 ") Flowers, foliage and fruit - 3 accessories max.
34 "A book title" (max width/depth 12", max height 24") - Optional 3 accessories max. Please include the written book title on the display.
35 "Arrangement in a wine glass". Only fresh materials may be used.

## SECTION 4 COOKERY AND PRESERVES

Class $37 \quad 1$ jar Blackberry jam
381 jar Citrus Marmalade
$39 \quad 1$ jar any Chutney
$40 \quad 1$ jar Lemon Curd

## Class 37-40 to be presented in $3 / 4-1 \mathrm{lb}$ jar with cellophane top. No screw tops.

41 Four decorated cupcakes. Can be home-made or shop bought, judged on decoration
42 Sultana and marmalade tea loaf - recipe below
43 Any loaf of bread, hand or machine-made
44 Men only - four cheese scones
44a Novice Class - four flapjacks
45 Six fresh eggs
Paper plates will be provided for classes 41-44a

## Class 42 Recipe - Sultana \& Marmalade Tea Loaf

$900 \mathrm{~g}(2 \mathrm{lb})$ loaf tin, pre heat oven at 180 c (160c fan, gas mark 4).
Ingredients:
225 g Sultanas
180ml Cold Black Tea
225g Self Raising Flour
170g Demerara Sugar
1 Large Egg
3 tbsp Marmalade
Pinch of Salt
Method:

1. Soak sultanas in tea in large bowl overnight, or for at least 5 hrs.
2. Stir in flour, salt, sugar, then add egg \& marmalade to tea mixture \& mix well.
3. Put into prepared tin to bake. Test at 55 mins (can take $60-70 \mathrm{mins}$ ) 4. Leave cake to cool for 15 mins before removing from tin.

## SECTION 5 PHOTOGRAPHS

46 "Coronation Celebrations"
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"Rooftops"
"Whoops!"
Exhibits should be A5 size max., unframed, un-mounted and uncut.
Subjects chosen should not be readily identifiable with a particular exhibitor.
Photographs will be judged on subject matter and interpretation of Class title.

## SECTION 6 HANDICRAFTS

(Made by the exhibitor)
Class 50 Tapestry, embroidery, needlework, knitting etc.
51 Metal, stone, wood, glass, pottery etc.
52 Picture (any medium.)
No floor-standing objects, e.g. furniture.

## SECTION 7 CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Class 55 Up to and including 6 years - Digestive biscuit decorated as a bumble-bee 567 years \& upwards - "Save the bees" poster, max size A4

## Please note: Children of all ages are invited to enter all the show classes

## SHOW JUDGES

Sections 1 and 2 Mrs. L. Vickerman
Section 3 Mrs. L. Vickerman
Section $4 \quad$ Mrs. B. Bold
Section 5 Ms. M Finch
Section 6 Ms. M Finch
Section $7 \quad$ Ms. M Finch
(To whom we give sincere thanks for their support, time and expertise).

## WITH GRATEFUL THANKS TO:

WHITES NURSERIES of EARLS BARTON
Thank you to the Denton family of Grendon for their assistance and support.
Thank you to Sue Smith as auctioneer and to Martin Griffiths who has agreed to award the prizes again this year.

## AWARDS

## There is a special prize for Class 1

## 1st $£ 5.00$ voucher

## FOR HIGHEST POINTS IN CLASS

1 The Jack Underwood trophy
2-32
The Cup and £5.00 voucher

2 -21A $£ 5.00$ voucher and The George Crawford Trophy
22-32 £6.00, £4.00 and £2.00 vouchers
33-35 The Floral Art Cup and $£ 5.00$ voucher
37-43 WI Cup and $£ 5.00$ voucher
44 The Men's "Trophy"
$44 \mathrm{a} \quad £ 3.00$
$45 \quad £ 4.00$
46-48 £3.00
50-52 Village Hall Cup for best Handicraft
50 £3.00
$51 \quad £ 3.00$
52
£3.00
55-56
Prize for each entry
The Roy McLester Trophy is awarded for best fruit or vegetable in Show.
The Family Trophy \& Voucher will be awarded to the family with the most accumulated points.

## POINTS

Winner in each class 3 points
Second in each class 2 points
Third in each class 1 point

## ROSETTES FOR BEST IN SHOW

1 Vegetables
2 Fruit
3 Cut flowers
4 Flower arrangements
5 Photographs
6 Handicrafts


Further entry forms available from any Committee member.

