CORBRIDGE GARDENING SOCIETY

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132nd SUMMER SHOW

Thursday 18th July 2019 Corbridge Parish Hall at 7.30 pm

FREE to members. Guests £3 Refreshments included.

Any queries to the Show Secretary: Derek Parker

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The show is for everyone, not just expert exhibitors, so please have a look round your garden and see what you can bring along.

Timetable:

5.00 pm	Hall opens for staging of entries
6.15 pm	Completion of staging for all classes
6.30 pm	Judging for all classes
7.25 pm	Completion of judging
7.30 pm	Show open to members and guests, refreshments to be served
8.30 pm	Presentation of cups

Notes:

Please prepare your entries at home or outside the hall, where water will be provided.

The Hall will be closed for judging between 6.15 pm and 7.30 pm.

Exhibits may be removed after the presentation of the cups.

The hall is to be cleared by 9.15 p.m.

Class conditions where applicable appear at the head of the class in the Schedule.

The rules of the show and some definitions and hints for exhibitors are given at the back of the Schedule. Please read them carefully. Please note in particular Rules 4, 5, 6 and 7.

All exhibits to be displayed in a container, unless otherwise stated.

Judges: Johnathon Archer, Eileen Burn.

Trophies:

The Barratt Trophy will be presented for the best aggregate score in classes 1 – 19 (see Definition 2 below).

The Lancleot E. Smith Cup will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 1 to 5 (roses).

The Sybil Engleheart Bowl will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 6-19.

The Corbridge Gardening Society Cup will be awarded for the best aggregate score in classes 6 - 19 (see Definition 2 below).

The Professor Daysh Memorial Cup will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 6 and 7 (sweet peas).

The Anderson Perpetual Challenge Cup will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 8 to 10 (delphiniums).

The Clement Carnish Perpetual Challenge Cup will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 11 and 12 (pot plants).

The Corbridge Gardening Society Centenary Cup will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 13 to 19 (general).

ROSE CLASSES

- 1. 1 single rose
- 2. 3 single roses
- 3. 1 multi-bloomed/cluster
- 4. 3 stems, multi-bloomed/cluster, mixed varieties
- 5. a bowl of roses (minimum 5 stems but no other restriction)

SWEET PEAS

- 6. garden sweet peas, 10 or more stems mixed colours
- 7. garden sweet peas, 6 or more stems single variety

DELPHINIUMS

- 8. 1 spike
- 9. 3 spikes, one variety
- 10. 3 spikes, mixed varieties

POT PLANTS

Pot size must not exceed 12"(30cm) in diameter and plants must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for a period of at least 12 months.

- 11. pot plant in foliage
- 12. pot plant in bloom

GENERAL

In classes 13-18, displays must not exceed 18" diameter (45cm) In class 19, displays must not exceed 24" diameter (60cm) In class 14, at least three species of annuals and/or perennials to be included.

- 13. A collection of herbaceous perennial flowers, at least three species. (See show rule 11)
- 14. A collection of flowers of any one colour (See show rule 11)
- 15. A single bloom of any flower
- 16. A single multi bloom
- 17. An arrangement of foliage (see show rule 12)
- 18. A mixed arrangement of flowers and foliage (See rule 12)
- 19. A collection of grasses, one or more varieties (see rule 11)
- 20. Six of any soft fruit

RULES OF THE SHOW

- 1. Entries may only be submitted by paid-up members of the Corbridge Gardening Society.
- 2. There are no entry fees and no prize money but cups and certificates will be awarded.
- 3. Entries for all classes may be staged from 5.00 to 6.15 pm. Entries not completed by the times specified will not be accepted.
- 4. Up to two entries per member are permitted in all classes.
- 5. All decisions of the judges are final. Where there are fewer than three entries in a class, awards will be at the judge's discretion. If in the view of the judge, a winning entry does not reach a sufficiently high standard, a cup will not be awarded.
- 6. All entries must have been grown by the exhibitor and have been in their possession for at least three months unless otherwise stated.
- 7. Annuals grown by the exhibitor shall not be subject to the time constraints of rule 6.
- 8. No exhibit may be removed before presentation of the cups.
- 9. The society will not be held responsible for any loss or damage, before or after the Show, but reasonable care will be taken.
- 10. In any dispute concerning the Rules of the Show or Definitions, the decisions of the Show Secretary are final.
- 11. A collection may NOT have any mechanical support.
- 12. An arrangement may have mechanical support e.g. oasis, beads, wire, sand and pebbles etc.

DEFINITIONS

- 1. A container shall include any vessel capable of holding the exhibit but no bigger than any specified display size.
- 2. To determine awards for best aggregate scores, points will be awarded as follows: 1st 3 points, 2nd 2 points and 3rd 1 point.

AN EXHIBITION

Members are requested, either as individuals or groups, to stage a presentation to show how we may use recycled plastic items in our gardens. Use photos of your garden or other means. Perhaps children or grandchildren could be involved. Judges will be invited to comment on their choice of the most original or creative exhibits.