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**The DULVERTON & DISTRICT
FLOWER & PRODUCE SHOW**

Saturday 17th August 2019

DULVERTON TOWN HALL

PROGRAMME

8am-9.45am Registration and staging of entries
(Collect entry cards from Lower Town Hall before staging)

10am Judging of entries

2pm Doors open

4pm Auction, Prize Giving, Raffle

Show Secretary : Christine Dubery – 01398 323474



Estate Agents, Dulverton. Tel: 01398 324488

**Entry Forms, accompanied by the appropriate fee, to the
Post Office between **Monday 5th and Monday 12th August 2019****

**Entry cards to be collected from Lower Town Hall before staging on
Saturday 17th August 2019**

RULES FOR EXHIBITORS

1. **All classes open to all members of the public, juniors 12 or under and all Club members.**
2. Unless otherwise stated, all exhibits in Sections 1 and 2 must be the property of the exhibitor and must have been in his/her possession for at least two months before the show.
3. The committee reserves the right to inspect the gardens of all exhibitors before or after the show.
4. Exhibitors may enter one entry in each class. In all classes points will be awarded as follows: **1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point.** Prize money will be awarded to the three highest point holders in each class. **1st = £1.00, 2nd = 40p, 3rd = 20p.**
5. Entry fees to all classes are 30p per entry. All fees must be enclosed with the completed entry form and be sent to the Post Office not later than Monday 12th August. **Entry is free for juniors aged 12 or under in all classes.**
6. All exhibits must be staged between 8am and 9.45am when judging begins. Exhibits must not be removed before prize giving.
7. Any prize may be withheld or modified at the judge's discretion. The judge's decision will be final.
8. Any objection must be made in writing to the Secretary by no later than 2.30pm on the day of show and must be accompanied by a fee of £1 which will be returned if objection is upheld. The decision of the Committee will be final. In the event of a tie for trophies, the entrant with most 1st places will be deemed the winner. This will continue down through 2nd and 3rd places if necessary until a clear winner is found.
9. The Committee will take ordinary care of exhibits, but the exhibitor alone will be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur from any cause whatsoever.
10. All exhibits will be auctioned after the show unless clearly marked "**Not for Sale**". **This does not apply to Classes 5 and 6.**
11. Prize money will be paid after the presentation of cups.
12. The sending in of a named entry shall be deemed acceptance of the rules above.
13. All cups will be engraved with the award winner's name.

NOVICE CHALLENGE CUP RULES

1. Entrants will only be eligible to win the Novice Challenge Cup provided they have not won a trophy at the Dulverton Flower & Produce Show since 2010.
2. The trophy will be awarded to the entrant with most points added together from across ALL sections of the show.
3. Entrants can win the Novice Challenge Cup only once. All entrants eligible will be automatically entered into the Novice Challenge Cup.

SECTION 1 - GROWING VEGETABLES & FRUIT

(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

1. **3 Potatoes – White (smooth skin)**
2. **3 Potatoes – Coloured (smooth skin)**
3. **3 Potatoes – any variety or colour**
4. **3 Pods of Peas**
5. **3 Pods of French Beans**
6. **3 Pods of Broad Beans**
7. **3 Pods of Runner Beans**
8. **The Longest runner Bean**
9. **3 Onions – under 227 gm (8oz)**
10. **3 Onions – over 227gms (8oz)**
11. **Heaviest Onion**
12. **3 Shallots**
13. **2 Bulbs of Garlic**
14. **3 Carrots – stalk trimmed to approx. 75mm**
15. **3 Courgettes – 100 -150mm (4-6'') in length**
16. **3 Sweet Peppers of uniform size**
17. **3 Chilli Peppers of uniform size**
18. **A collection of 4 Vegetables of different varieties to be shown in a seed tray (370 x 240mm - 14½''x 9½'')**
19. **2 Cucumbers - with short stalk attached**
20. **3 Beetroot - foliage trimmed to approx. 75mm (3'')**
21. **3 Tomatoes - over 50mm dia' (2'') - calyx and stalk attached**
22. **5 Cherry Tomatoes - under 35mm dia' (1½'') - calyx and stalk attached**
23. **The Largest Tomato – calyx and stalk attached**
24. **1 Truss of Ripening Tomatoes – any variety**
25. **1 Jam Jar of Fresh Culinary Herbs**
26. **3 Sticks of Rhubarb - leaves trimmed to approx. 75mm (3'')**
27. **7 Berries of any variety – with calyx and stalk attached**
28. **3 Dessert Apples of any variety**
29. **3 Cooking Apples of any variety**
30. **1 Novelty shaped vegetable**
31. **Three specimens of one variety of vegetable not listed above**

**Award : Harrison Cup for most points in Section 1
Currently held by : Andrew Caldwell**

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

The following notes are for guidance only. Please read the schedule carefully and make sure entries comply with the requirements for each class. Exhibitors will be asked to leave the hall during judging. All exhibits should be staged as attractively as possible, in a close competition presentation could be a deciding factor.

VEGETABLES:-

Water vegetables well before harvesting. Wash root vegetables gently in clean water using a sponge or soft cloth. On other kinds retain the natural bloom where possible. Onions can be staged on rings or soft collars with tops tied. Avoid over skinning. Shallots can be staged on dry sand. Peas should be gathered by cutting with scissors with approx. 25mm stalk, hold by stalk to retain bloom. Always check that you have the correct number of exhibits for the class.

Marks will be awarded for -

<u>Condition</u>	Cleanliness, freshness, tenderness, absence of blemishes
<u>Colour</u>	Should reflect freshness, trueness to cultivar and maturity
<u>Size and Uniformity</u>	Alike in size, shape and colour

BEANS broad	Long, well filled pods with stalks, clear skin, tender seeds
BEANS French	Straight tender pods with stalks, no outward sign of seeds
BEANS runner	Long, slender, straight pods with stalks, no outward sign of seeds, good colour
BETROOT	Clean, smooth skin, good colour. Take care washing, blemishes may show later. Foliage trimmed to 75mm
CARROTS	Uniform roots of good colour, avoid those with green at top. Foliage trimmed to approx. 75mm
COURGETTES	Young, tender, shapely – ideally with flowers
CUCUMBER	Well matched, straight with good colour, short handle with flower attached if possible
GARLIC	Well shaped, solid, well ripened with thin necks. Dried stem approx. 25mm. Show whole bulb, do not divide into segments
LETTUCE	Fresh, with roots washed
ONIONS	Firm, thin necked, uniform bulbs, well ripened. Do not over-skin. Tops neatly tied.
PEAS	Well filled pods with bloom intact. Cut from plant with scissors
PEPPERS & CHILLIES	Fresh bright fruit, clear skins.
POTATOES	Medium size, clear skinned tubers, eyes few and shallow
RADISH	Fresh, firm, brightly coloured. Trim foliage to approx 40mm
RHUBARB	Straight, tender stalks, good colour, leaf trimmed to approx 75mm, trim off bud scales
SHALLOTS	Round, solid with thin necks.

TOMATOES	Firm, well shaped, good colour. Fresh calyx and stalk
<u>FRUIT:-</u>	Present fruit in fresh condition, stalk and bloom intact. Handle as little as possible, use scissors to remove soft fruit. All fruit should be ripe with the exception of apples and pears which may be shown in unripe condition.
APPLES	Stage with eye uppermost, stalk down. Large solid fruits, undamaged. Do not polish – retain bloom
BERRIES	Well shaped, matching. Stalk and calyx green and fresh

SECTION 2 - FLOWERS

(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

51. **Roses - Floribunda – 3 stems in one vase**
52. **Roses - 1 Specimen Bloom any colour any variety**
53. **Roses - A vase 5 blooms of mixed varieties**
54. **Dahlias - any variety (not Pompom) - 3 Stems in one vase**
55. **Dahlias - Pompom – 3 Stems in one vase - max flower dia' 50mm (2")**
56. **Gladiolus – 3 Spikes – single or mixed colour spikes**
57. **Lily - 3 Stems of any one variety – single or mixed colours**
58. **Vase of Herbaceous Perennials**
59. **Sweet Peas – 7 Stems in a vase – any variety, any colours**
60. **A potted Flowering Plant - pot not to exceed 18cm (7") dia**
61. **A potted Foliage Plant – pot not to exceed 18cm (7") dia**
62. **3 Agapanthus heads, any colour**
63. **3 heads of Hydrangeas, single or mixed colours.**
64. **A vase of cottage garden flowers.**
65. **A potted cactus/succulent – pot not to exceed 15cm (6")**
66. **3 heads of mixed variety clematis in a vase.**

Award : Perpetual Challenge Cup for most points in Section 2

Currently held by : Joyce Reardon

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

FLOWERS:-

MIXED VASES Good condition, when flower material is at its best. Fresh and free from pest damage, disease and poor handling. Straight sturdy stems and healthy leaves. Colour, balance and presentation will also be judged.

SINGLE SPECIES

Uniform in age, size and form, well displayed. Best with about 70% of flowers on stem fully developed. Present flowers forward facing.

POT PLANTS Pots and containers must be clean and of correct size. Faded flowers and damaged foliage neatly removed. Plants sturdy and shapely, flowers plentiful, good size, colour and condition.

SECTION 3 – FLORAL ART

(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

71. An arrangement which depicts rural pursuits, size not to exceed 70cm(28”) w x 35cm (14”) d, height unlimited;
72. An arrangement in a jug, size not to exceed 40cm(16”) w x 30cm(12”) d, height unlimited;
73. An arrangement which depicts a ‘Day at the Allotment’ 70cm(28”) w x 35cm (14”) d, height unlimited;
74. A circular arrangement for a Ruby Wedding celebration, size not to exceed 35cm(14”) diam, height unlimited;
75. An arrangement in a tea cup and saucer, size not to exceed 23cm(9”) width, height unlimited.

Award : Perpetual Challenge Bowl for most points in Section 3

Currently held by : Anne Caldwell

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

FLORAL ART:-

It is not essential to spend a fortune on flowers and foliage. Judges will be looking for quality exhibits and good garden specimens have a place in your display.

Accessories may be used.

Cut ends of plant material must be in water or water retaining material. All components neat and clean.

Green Oasis should not be visible. Flowers and foliage must predominate, be well prepared and in good condition. Judges will be looking for harmony of texture, colour and form of plant material.

SECTION 4 HOME PRODUCE
(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

81. 454g (1lb) Jar of Marmalade – any variety
82. 454g (1lb) Jar of Raspberry Jam
83. 454g (1lb) Jar of Blackcurrant Jam
84. 454g (1lb) Jar of Chutney
85. A Fruit Cake – not to exceed 20cm (8") diam.
86. A Victoria Sponge – not to exceed 20cm (8") diam.
87. A Treacle Tart
88. Chocolate Cake – not to exceed 23cm (9") diam.
89. A Vegetable Cake – not to exceed 23cm (9")
90. A Lemon Drizzle Loaf
91. Tray Bake – 5 squares
92. 5 Savoury Scones
93. 500g Wholemeal Loaf. Tin or Cob (not from a bread machine)
94. 500g White Loaf. Tin or Cob (not from a bread machine)
95. A Savoury Bread.
96. Pasty – any filling – not to exceed 17cm (7") in length
97. 3 Scotch Eggs
98. A Pate – meat or vegetable
99. A Signature bake. (A bake of your choice – not from above)
100. Baked Cheesecake - not to exceed 8" (20cm)
101. FOR MEN ONLY : A Sausage Plait. Recipe attached to be used
102. Beer or Lager
103. Any Other Alcoholic Drink

Award : Reeve Cup for most points in Section 4

Currently held by : Joyce Reardon

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

HOME PRODUCE:-

Flavour/aroma should be characteristic for item being judged. No 'off' flavours or staleness. Most points are given for good flavour/aroma. Next will be colour, shape and uniformity with texture and distribution of ingredients.

CAKES

Well risen, even shape. Smooth sides. Lining paper removed. No cooling rack marks. Evenly distributed fruit.

- SCONES** Even shape, size and colour. Approx 5–6cms (2-2½”) Glaze with milk or egg.
- PASTRY** Use plain flour. Evenly baked and cooked right through.
- TRAY BAKE** Using a 23cm x 30cm (9” x 12”) tin, select the best 5 squares

JAM & MARMALADE

For a good seal put lid on while still hot as soon as jar is filled. A new twist top or plastic cover will pop when opened. If using waxed disc and cellophane wait until cold to cover. Use plain clean jars, no trade names showing. Check size. Plain label stating contents and date made. Bright colour, good consistency, no air bubbles or scum. Fruit evenly distributed. Marmalade should have soft and uniformly cut fruit.

- All entries must be covered with cling film or cellophane. All lids must be advertisement free.
- Vinegar-proof lids must be used on pickles and chutneys
- All bakes to be displayed on paper plates. These can be supplied, if required on the day.

SECTION 5 - HANDICRAFT

(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

- 121. An Item made from wood; not to exceed 18” width (45cm)**
- 122. An Up-cycled Item**
- 123. ‘This Old Thing?’ – a pre-loved hat, re-styled and decorated for a wedding**
- 124. Craft work from a Kit**
- 125. Handmade Pottery item –not to exceed 37cm (15”)sq, height unlimited**
- 126. A Hand Knitted Item**
- 127. A Machine Sewn Item**
- 128. A Decoupage Item**
- 129. A Painting in any medium**
- 130. A Drawing in any medium**

- Artwork to be mounted, max size 60cm (24”) x 46cm (18”)
- No handicraft exhibit should have been entered in a previous Dulverton & District Flower Show
- Sewn or knitted items can be displayed on a mannequin (please provide your own)
- An up-cycled item – A note on what the item used to be should be attached to your entry.

Award : The Buckland Bridges Trophy for most points in Section 5

Currently held by : Harriet Kaye

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

HANDICRAFT:-

Marks will be awarded for design and use of colour; suitability of materials; techniques and workmanship; finish and presentation. Textile items should be unused and not worn, except for up-cycled items. Exhibits displaying a variety of techniques and skilled workmanship will gain more marks.

SECTION 6 - PHOTOGRAPHY

(Tips for exhibitors at end of this Section)

Photographs may be entered electronically or in printed form. Please put ‘P’ or ‘E’ after the category number on your Entry Form

- 141. “Red Sky at Night”
- 142. Celebrating Lorna Doone
- 143 Hidden Dulverton
- 144. An Open Category

Juniors (aged 12 or under) entries as above – please ensure that your age is on the Entry Form

Instructions for electronic entries are:

- Entries should be emailed as JPEG files to photos@dulvertongardeningclub.co.uk
- All printed exhibits to be mounted on stiff card and not to have been entered previously in this Show.
- Max size of exhibit A4 (29.5cm x 21cm) (11½" x 8½").

TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

The judge will be looking for eye appeal, colour, perspective, balance and composition. Each entry will be judged for:-

Interpretation	does it show originality?
Technical quality	is it in focus and properly exposed?
Composition	emphasis on main subject
Presentation	clean and well displayed

Electronic entries will be displayed on a rolling screen during the show.

Award : Viewfinder Trophy for most points in Section 6

Currently held by : Ian Gale

ADDITIONAL AWARDS

Perpetual Challenge Cup, awarded for most points in show.

Currently held by Joyce Reardon

Silver Plate, for Best Exhibit in Show.

Currently held by Martha Huckins

Novice Challenge Cup, for most points in show (see rules)

Currently held by Andrew Caldwell

All Trophies are Perpetual Challenge and must be returned to the Show Secretary one month before the 2019 show

Recipe for Class 101 (Men only!):

SAUSAGE PLAIT

- For the pastry:** Pack of ready-to-roll Puff pastry
A small amount of flour – for rolling out
- For the filling:** Pack of 6 or 8 good quality pork sausages,
slit and skin removed
1 small dessert apple (about 80g) peeled and
finely chopped
1 med.sized onion, peeled and finely chopped
1 tbsp fresh parsley, finely chopped
1 tbsp fresh sage or thyme, finely chopped
1 egg, beaten
Salt & freshly ground black pepper

Method:

Pre-heat oven to 200C/180Fan/Gas mark 6. Gently soften the chopped onion in a small amount of butter or cooking oil and allow to cool before adding to the sausage meat. In a mixing bowl, combine the sausage meat with the apple, onion, herbs, seasoning and mix well (best done with your hands!).

On a floured surface, roll out the pastry to an oblong shape approx. 20cm x 25cm. Trim the edges to neaten them. Place on a lightly greased and lined baking sheet. Place the sausage meat mix in the middle of the pastry leaving 3cm clear at the top and bottom and neaten the shape.

With a sharp knife, cut diagonal strips 1.5cm wide, 3cm apart down the length of the pastry (not too close to the sausage meat). Trim off the excess pastry at the top and bottom leaving a flap to close off each end. Then begin folding the strips across the sausage mix one on top of the other to form a plait, using a little water or some of the beaten egg to seal the strips. Once complete, brush the whole plait, including the sides, with the remaining egg and place in the pre-heated oven and bake for 35-40 mins until golden brown.

We would like to thank everyone who helped us last year, their assistance was much appreciated:-

M & H Fruit and Veg

Kale Signs

Mason Kings

Copper Kettle

Cutcombe Auctioneers

Cove Nursery

Dulverton Post Office

To the people of Dulverton who make the show a success.

And last but not least to our sponsor.....



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2019- PROGRAMME of EVENTS

Non-Members are always welcome to any of the following

Events 2019

21st Mar	- 6:30pm	<u>A.G.M & CHEESE & WINE</u>	Town Hall
8th June	- 10am-2:30pm	<u>PLANT SALE</u>	Town Hall
12th July	- From 3.00pm	<u>JUNIOR SHOW</u>	Dulverton Junior School
17th Aug	- 2pm-4pm	<u>FLOWER & PRODUCE SHOW</u>	Town Hall

Talks 2019

17th Jan	NICK BAILEY	<u>REVIVE YOUR GARDEN</u>
21st Feb	ANDREW HOLMAN	<u>OFF THE BEATEN TRACK</u>
21st Mar	CHRIS IRELAND-JONES	<u>A NURSERYMAN'S VIEW</u>
18th April	PAUL CUMBERLAND	<u>ALLURING ALPINES</u>
16th May	REBECCA WELLS	<u>CONTAINER GROWING</u>
20th June	MARTIN YOUNG	<u>HARDY GERANIUMS & ANEMONES</u>
19th Sept	CARL SADLER	<u>MAKING TRUGS</u>
17th Oct	BRYN BOWLES	<u>DOING YOUR BIT FOR BEES</u>
21st Nov	CHRISTINE BRAINE	<u>WALL SHRUBS & CLIMBERS</u>

Visits 2019

Tuesday	5th March	EAST WORLINGTON HOUSE, WITHERIDGE
Wednesday	3rd April	DOCTON MILL, HARTLAND
Friday	3rd May	LITTLE WEBBERY, BIDEFORD
Monday	3rd June	HIGH GARDEN, KENTON
Tuesday	2nd July	J W BLOOMS, HILLCOMMON
Friday	2nd August	COLETON FISHACRE, KINGSWEAR
Wednesday	4th September	HUTSWELL FARM, OAKFORD
Friday	4th October	LITTLE ASH BUNGALOW, FENNY BRIDGES

DULVERTON & DISTRICT FLOWER & PRODUCE SHOW ENTRY FORM

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Enter Class numbers below – use one box per class

The sum of £..... is enclosed for Entry Fee (30p per entry)

Free Entry for Juniors aged 12 or under

I hereby declare that I will observe and abide by the Rules and Regulations (see Page 1 of the Show Schedule) under which the show is conducted. Entry fee in all classes is 30p per entry except for juniors, which are free of charge.

Christian Name: Surname:

Address:

Post Code: Tel. No: Email:

PLEASE USE THIS FORM FOR ELECTRONIC PHOTOGRAPH ENTRIES AS WELL, REMEMBERING TO USE THE LETTER ‘E’ AFTER THE CLASS NUMBER.

AUCTION OF EXHIBITS (See Rule 11)

An auction is conducted towards the end of the Show in order to raise funds to run and maintain the Show. Any exhibit not for sale must be clearly marked with the stickers available from Stewards at the time of staging. Exhibits not clearly marked will be auctioned.

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