



Top quality vegetables ready for judging at the 2007 Hawkesbury Show

## SHOW SCHEDULE

Includes rules, list of classes and Official Entry Form

For the 123<sup>rd</sup> Hawkesbury Horticultural Show

on  
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2008

At the Recreation Ground & Village Hall, High Street, Hawkesbury Upton

Price 30p

# From the Chairman

This year represents the 123<sup>rd</sup> consecutive Hawkesbury Show, an achievement the whole village should be proud of. We should remember that despite many difficult times, the Show remains the focal point on the village calendar, and this year will be no exception.

As we count down the final weeks and await the arrival of summer (!!)

the Show Committee can promise the village that despite the many financial pressures it faces, we will endeavour to deliver once again a Horticultural Show that we can all look forward to and be proud of.

You are the key to its success, and I personally would like to thank those who have pledged their support in 2008; without this support, like so many other great traditions, it would be unable to continue. (Remember, it's never too late to get involved - we are always looking for new volunteers.)

I would urge the village to help us in our fund raising events, as it has become more and more evident that the Show cannot survive on profits made on the day alone, additional financial funding is an absolute must if we are to make it to 125 years and beyond.

On a personal note I would like to thank our former Chairman David Beeley for leaving the Show Committee in such a healthy position. I am sure that I speak for all in thanking him for his valuable contribution over the past seven years.

I look forward to welcoming you all to The 123<sup>rd</sup> Hawkesbury Show on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> August.

Kind Regards,

Chris Webster  
*Show Chairman*



## PROGRAMME

<b>6.30am-9.45am</b>	Receiving of exhibits in the marquee
<b>10am – 1pm</b>	Judging of produce in the marquee. NO ADMITTANCE TO THE PUBLIC
<b>12.30pm</b>	Gates open to the public
<b>1.45pm</b>	Carnival assembles on the plain
<b>2.10pm</b>	Crowning of the Carnival Queen by Her Grace, the Duchess of Beaufort
<b>2.20pm</b>	Carnival procession along the High Street, led by Nailsworth Silver Band
<b>2.45–3pm</b>	Judging of Carnival classes in the arena
<b>3.30-5.30pm</b>	Entertainment in the arena
<b>* 5.30pm</b>	Presentation of prizes and trophies in the marquee
<b>* 5.30-6.30pm</b>	Prize money distributed in the marquee
<b>* 6–7pm</b>	Clearing of marquee of produce and exhibits not to be auctioned
<b>6.15pm</b>	Tractor pull challenge in the arena
<b>* 6.45pm</b>	Raffle called
<b>* 7pm</b>	Auction of donated produce in the marquee

**\* PLEASE NOTE CHANGES OF TIMES SINCE LAST YEAR**

**Timings are approximate and may change slightly during the day due to circumstances.**

*For details of entertainment, stalls, displays & other events, please refer to the programme available on show day*

# Hawkesbury Horticultural Society

*(Founded 1885)*

<i>President</i>	The Duke of Beaufort			
<i>Vice Presidents</i>	Mr R Kingston,	Mr T Truebody,	Mr D Beeley,	Mr Hutchinson
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	Mr L Trinder	Mr T Watts	Mr P Webb	Mrs D Young

Our thanks go to the following for their support for the 2007 Show:

Badminton Estate	Mr D Beeley	Mrs A Cole
Mr T Cole	Canon I Marchant	Mr K Player
Mr A Morgan	Mrs C Morgan	Mr & Mrs J Morgan
Murray Hire	Mr M A Pollard	RAOB (Hawkesbury Lodge)
Mr M Stinchcombe	Mr F Trinder	Mr R Watts
Mr T Watts	Miss C Whiting	Mr C Webster

All volunteer judges and stewards

*Any donation towards the 2008 Show will be gratefully received by the Committee*

Subscribers to the 2008 Show will be printed in the 2009 Schedule

For further information, please contact Mrs V Rispin on 01454 232910

# RULES

- 1) The marquee will be open on the morning of the Show for the reception of articles for exhibition from 6.30am until 9.45 am. The marquee will then be closed to the public and nothing further admitted. Note: A bell will ring at **9.30am** and at **9.4am** to signal 15 minutes and 5 minutes before the marquee is closed to exhibitors.
  - 2) No exhibitor may take more than one prize position in each class. No exhibitor may enter more than two exhibits per class.
  - 3) All vegetables, fruit and flowers exhibited must be grown by the competitor. Crafts should be the work of those exhibiting them. For classes 447, 448, 449, 450, 521 and 522, all photographs must have been taken by the entrant. Any breach of these rules, whether discovered at the time or after the Show, will disqualify the offender from receiving any prize at any future Show of the Society. The Entries Secretary is empowered to refuse any entry that is not considered in accordance with the rules.
  - 4) **There will be a fee of 25p for every entry (adults and children).** There will be a maximum entry fee of £15.00 for any one individual (not family) entering more than 50 exhibits. No entry fee is charged for entries submitted by Hawkesbury Primary School and Pre-School (i.e. classes 533-34 and 501-508).
  - 5) With the exception of the Carnival Classes, all entries must be made on an official entry form between **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and 12noon Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> August.** No entries will be taken after this 12 noon deadline. Entries must be submitted at either The Village Shop or at The Post Office, Hawkesbury Upton. Entries for the Carnival Classes will be taken on Show Day from 1.45pm-2pm on the Plain.
  - 6) The decision of the judges is not to be disputed. The judges are empowered to reduce or withhold prizes when the objects exhibited are not worthy.
  - 7) Quality will be considered in all classes.
  - 8) Classes for which points will be awarded are as follows:
    - A Perpetual Challenge Bowl: Classes 100-329 (Cottagers' Classes)
    - B Perpetual Challenge Cup: Classes 100-329 (Open Classes)
    - C Perpetual Challenge Shield (Juniors 4 -11years): Classes 502-532 (excluding 509)
    - D Perpetual Challenge Cup Domestic Section: Classes 401-450 (excluding 431 – 435)
    - E Perpetual Challenge Trophy (Seniors 12-16 years): Classes 509-532
    - F John Green Cup for Homemade Wine: Classes 431 – 435
- With the exception of classes 105, 115, 131 and 135 (both Cottagers and Open), prizes within each class will be scored as follows:
- 1<sup>st</sup> prize – 3 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize – 2 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize – 1 point**
- For classes 115 and 131 (both Cottagers and Open), prizes within each class will be scored as follows:
- 1<sup>st</sup> prize – 6 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize – 4 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize – 2 points**
- For class 105 (both Cottagers and Open), prizes will be scored as follows:
- 1<sup>st</sup> prize – 9 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize – 6 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize – 3points**
- For class 135 (both Cottagers and Open), prizes will be scored as follows:
- 1<sup>st</sup> prize – 12 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize - 8 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize – 4 points**
- 9) Any complaint concerning any entry in any class may be lodged only by a competitor or a steward to the Chairman or Entries Secretary by 4pm on the day of the Show. At their discretion, an immediate inspection of the competitor's garden can be carried out by three members of the Committee, whose findings shall be considered final.
  - 10) Exhibits may be submitted for the classes in Sections 1,2 and 3 by both Cottagers (i.e. those who live within the parishes of Hawkesbury and Hillesley) and Open entrants (i.e. those who live anywhere). Cottagers may put in up to 2 entries in each class in both Cottagers and Open categories if desired (i.e. maximum of 4 entries per class. **All entries must be marked either C or O on the entry form to indicate the kind of entry required.** (Note: Class 136 is for Cottagers only.)
  - 11) All children may enter Section 5, but only those who live within these parishes or attending Hawkesbury Primary School may compete for trophies. For Section 5, the qualifying age is at 1<sup>st</sup> September 2007.
  - 12) Awards will be presented in the marquee at **5.30pm** and prize money can be collected in the marquee from **5.30 – 6.30pm** on the day of the show.
  - 13) Exhibits may not be removed before 6pm without the Entries Secretary's consent.
  - 14) When a number of distinct colours are required, white may be counted as one.
  - 15) **Entrants must not move other entrants' exhibits. If there is not space for an entrant's exhibit, her or she should contact a steward for assistance. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.**

# ANNUAL AWARDS: CUPS & TROPHIES

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE BOWL**

for the Highest Number of Points  
in the Cottager's Classes

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for the Highest Number of Points in the  
Open Horticultural Classes

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE SHIELD**

for the Highest Number of Points in the Classes for  
Primary School Children living in the Parishes of  
Hawkesbury and Hillesley or attending Hawkesbury  
Primary School

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY**

for the Highest Number of Points gained by Secondary  
School Children living in the Parishes of Hawkesbury and  
Hillesley

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for the Highest number of points in the  
Domestic Classes

*Presented by Mr & Mrs R Vincent*

## **THE BOB MILLARD**

### **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for the Highest Number of Points in Section 1  
(Cottagers Vegetables)

## **THE JOHN GREEN CUP**

for the Highest Number of Points  
in classes 431 - 435 (Home made wines)

## **THE BRIAN COLE MEMORIAL CUP**

for the Best Horticultural Exhibit in the Show (Sections 1-3,  
C or O-Fruit, Flowers & Vegetables)

*Presented by Mrs A Cole*

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for the Best Collection of Potatoes (Class 105-C)  
*Presented by Mrs P Watts*

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for Best Exhibits in classes 413 or 414  
(Fruitcake or Madeira cake)

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for best Photograph in the Show

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

for Best Exhibit in Section 3 (Flowers, C or O)

## **THE JOHN HAWKINS CUP**

for best Large Onions (Class 110 C)

## **BOB BOULTON ROSE BOWL**

for Best Specimen Rose (Class 311 - C)

## **THE LESLIE WICKS MEMORIAL CUP**

for the Best Begonia in the Show (Class 326 - C or O)

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP**

For Handwriting 8-11 years (Class 510)

## **THE SCOTT PLAYER CUP**

for the Best Model made from Vegetables (Class 515)

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY**

for the Best Bottle of Wine

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE SHIELD**

for the Women's Institute Craft Class

## **PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY**

for the best Trailer or Vehicle in the Carnival

*Presented by Mrs H Watts*

# CERTIFICATES FOR OUTSTANDING EXHIBITS

## **Horticultural Awards – sections 1, 2 and 3**

1. Best exhibit in section 1[O] – *Vegetables*
2. Best exhibit in section 1[C] – *Vegetables*
3. Best exhibit in class 135 [C] – *collection of 6 types of vegetables (excluding tomatoes)*
4. Best exhibit in class 135 [O] – *collection of 6 types of vegetables (excluding tomatoes)*
5. Best exhibit in section 3[C] – *Flowers*
6. Best exhibit in section 3[O] – *Flowers*

## **Domestic Awards – sections 4 and 5**

1. Best exhibit in class 403 – *Flowers floating on water*
2. Best exhibit in class 404 – *Flowers/foilage in unusual container*
3. Best Floral Art exhibit in Show (classes 401-408)
4. Best exhibit in classes 436/437 – *Hand knitted article*
5. Best Handicraft exhibit in Show
6. Best exhibit in class 427 – *Salad on a dinner plate*
7. Junior Garden Award for best exhibit in class 518 – *Miniature garden in a seed tray*

## SCHEDULE

### Important Notes to All Entrants

In Sections 1, 2 and 3, separate prizes will be awarded for Cottagers and Open entrants. On your entry form you must specify whether you are entering as a Cottager or as an Open entrant by marketing C or O after each class number. Prize money will be £2.50 for 1<sup>st</sup> prize, £1 for 2<sup>nd</sup> prize, 50p for 3<sup>rd</sup> prize in all classes except classes 105 and 135 (collections of vegetables), for which the prize money will be £5 for 1<sup>st</sup> prize, £3 for 2<sup>nd</sup> prize and £2 for 3<sup>rd</sup> prize and classes 115 and 131 for which the prize money will be £3 for 1<sup>st</sup> prize, £2 for 2<sup>nd</sup> prize and £1 for 3<sup>rd</sup> prize.

**Remember, if you are a Cottager put a C next to each entry number on the form. Otherwise you are an Open entrant and should put O next to each entry number.** (See Rule 10 for the definition of Cottagers.)

*PLEASE ENSURE YOU ADHERE TO SCHEDULE SPECIFICATION*

*\*Indicates change to class description or a new class*

*\*\*Indicates this class has moved from another Section*

### SECTION 1 Vegetables

Class	Description
100	Potatoes, round white, 5, <i>on cardboard plate</i>
101	Potatoes, long white, 5, <i>on cardboard plate</i>
102	Potatoes, part-coloured, 5, <i>on cardboard plate</i>
103	Potatoes, coloured, 5, <i>on cardboard plate</i>
104	Potatoes, black kidney, 5, <i>on cardboard plate</i>
105	Potatoes, collection, 4 varieties, 4 of each
106	French beans, 6 pods
107	Kidney (runner) beans, 6 pods
108	Broad beans, 6 pods
109	Peas, 6 pods
110	Onions, large, 6, <i>from seed, suitably presented</i>
111	Onions, sets, 6, <i>suitably presented</i>
112	Onions, small, 6, <i>each under 250g, suitably presented</i>
113*	Pickling shallots, 10, <i>to pass through 30mm ring</i>
114	Culinary shallots, 10
115	Collection, 5 each of small onions (class 112), culinary shallots (class 114), pickling shallots (class 113), <i>tray maximum 45cm x 30cm</i>
116	Vegetable marrows, 2, <i>maximum body length 38cm</i>
117	Cabbage, 2 heads, <i>at least 5cm stalk, some outer leaves may be trimmed for presentation</i>
118	Cauliflower, 2 heads, <i>with 5cm stalk</i>
119	Round beetroot, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
120	Long beetroot, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
121	Long carrots, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
122	Carrots, other than long, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
123	Parsnips, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
124	Turnips, 3, <i>tops trimmed to 10cm</i>
125	Round lettuce, 2
126	White or red celery, <i>untrimmed tops, trimmed base</i>
127	Tomatoes, 6, <i>with stalk, on a cardboard plate</i>
128	Cherry tomatoes, 10, <i>on vine(s), on a cardboard plate</i>
129	Sweet peppers, 3, <i>with stalk, on a cardboard plate</i>
130	Cucumbers, 2, <i>with 1.5cm stalk</i>
131	Collection of salad vegetables, 3 varieties from lettuce, tomato, radish, cucumber, peppers and beetroot, <i>box maximum 45cm x 30cm</i>
132	Blanched leeks, 3, <i>cleaned and untrimmed</i>
133	Pot leeks, 2, <i>maximum 15cm from base plate to first leaf joint</i>
134	Any other vegetable not previously listed, <i>at least 3</i>
135	Collection of vegetables, 6 types, <i>not to include tomatoes, exhibit maximum 0.75 sq m</i>

### 136 The Hawkesbury Onion (Cottagers only)

**One onion, to be judged on size, shape and quality**  
Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> - £25, 2<sup>nd</sup> - £10, 3<sup>rd</sup> - £6, 4<sup>th</sup> - £5, 5<sup>th</sup> - £4

### SECTION 2 Fruit

Class	Description
201	Cooking apples, 6, <i>stalks downwards</i>
202	Dessert apples, 6, <i>stalks downwards</i>
203	Plums, 6, <i>not greengages, with stalks</i>
204	Dessert pears, 6, <i>with stalks</i>
205	Plate of soft fruit, 10 berries, <i>in a single layer</i>
206	Any other fruit, 6

### SECTION 3 Flowers

*Important note: Where a pot plant is entered, it should be presented only in the pot in which it has been grown. All pot measurements in this section refer to the diameter of the plant pot in which the plant is presented.*

Class	Description
301	Flowering plant, <i>pot 15cm or less, variety other than those listed below</i>
302	Flowering plant, <i>pot over 15cm, variety other than those listed below</i>
303	Foliage plant, <i>pot 15cm or less</i>
304	Zinnias, 5 blooms
305	Decorative dahlias, 3 blooms
306	Cactus or semi-cactus dahlias, 3 blooms
307	Pompom dahlias, 6 blooms, <i>maximum 5cm</i>
308	Dahlia, 1 specimen bloom
309	Ball dahlias, 3 blooms
310	Asters, 5 blooms
311	Rose, 1 specimen bloom
312	Roses, cluster, 3 stems
313	Roses, HT, 3 stems, 1 bloom on each
314	Pelargonium (geranium) <i>in pot up to 15cm</i>
315	Fuchsia, single bloom, <i>pot up to 15cm</i>
316	Fuchsia, single bloom, <i>pot over 15cm</i>
317	Fuchsia, double bloom, <i>pot up to 15cm</i>
318	Fuchsia, double bloom, <i>pot over 15cm</i>
319	Cut flowers in vase, annuals or perennials, <i>minimum of 4 varieties</i>
320	French marigolds, 5 stems or flowers
321	Gladioli, 3 spikes, 1 or more varieties
322	Pansies, 6, 1 or more varieties, <i>not Violas</i>
323	Antirrhinums, 6 spikes
324	Spray chrysanthemums, 3 stems, 1 or more varieties
325	Sweet peas, 9 stems, 1 or more varieties
326	Begonia, in a pot
327	Cactus(i) or succulent plant(s), <i>pot up to 15cm</i>
328	Hanging basket or container, <i>maximum 35cm diameter to be viewed all round</i>
329	Any other cut flowers, 5 stems, one variety

**For large blooms and plants in pots over 15 cm diameter, please specify on entry form how much space is required.**

## SECTION 4 Domestic Open

*Class Description*

### Foliage & Flowers

- 401 Petite arrangement, any fresh material, 10-23 cm
- 402 Miniature exhibit entitled "Cotswold Charm", maximum 10cm in any direction
- 403 Flowers floating on water, container maximum 35cm diameter
- 404 Any natural flowers and/or foliage in unusual container, suitable space allowed
- 405 Arrangement of dried flowers / foliage
- 406 Posy
- 407 Buttonhole
- 408 An arrangement of natural fresh foliage
- 409\*\* Miniature rockery cactus or miniature plant, all growing, pot up to 25cm
- 410\*\* Bonsai tree, maximum height 45cm, including pot

### Food & Drink

- 411 Boiled potatoes, 4, peeled
- 412 Shortbread biscuits, 4, round in shape
- 413 Fruit cake, round, recipe given, 18cm diameter
- 414 Madeira cake, round, recipe given, 18cm dia.
- 415 Victoria sandwich, round, recipe given, 18cm
- 416 Home-made bread, own recipe
- 417 Quiche or savoury flan, shortcrust pastry
- 418 4 fancy little cakes, on a plate
- 419\* Decorated cake (only decorations to be judged)
- 420 Jam, 500g, in clear glass jar, not jelly
- 421 Home-made chutney, in a jar.
- 422\*\* Honey, home-produced, 1 jar
- 423 Scones, 6, plain
- 424 Sausage rolls, 6, short pastry, 2 cuts at an angle on top,
- 425 Fruit tart, shortcrust pastry top and bottom, cooked on a plate
- 426 Jam tarts, 6
- 427 Salad, on a dinner plate
- 428\*\* Hen's eggs, 6 brown
- 429\*\* Duck eggs, 3
- 430\* Home-made sweets
- 431\*\* Dandelion wine, home-made, in clear bottle
- 432\*\* Fruit wine, home-made in clear bottle
- 433\*\* Root wine, home-made, in clear bottle
- 434\*\* Any other type of wine other than fruit e.g. mead, home-made, in clear bottle
- 435\* Sloe gin or other flavoured spirit

### Arts & Crafts

- 436 Hand-knitted articles of 1,2,3 or 4 ply
- 437 Hand-knitted articles, over 4 ply
- 438 Hand embroidery, original design, no kits
- 439 Embroidered picture, kits allowed
- 440 Crochet
- 441 Patchwork

- 442 Hand made toy, soft or stuffed
- 443 Canvas work / tapestry
- 444\*\* Any other handicraft item not scheduled
- 445\*\* Original picture, no kits
- 446\*\* Any object made from recycled material
- 447\*\* Photograph, colour or black and white, up to 13cm x 18cm, still life, any subject
- 448\*\* Photograph, colour or black and white, up to 13cm x 18cm, action, any subject
- 449\*\* Photograph, colour or black and white, up to 13cm x 18cm, humorous, any subject
- 450\*\* Photograph, colour or black and white, up to 13cm x 18cm, depicting village life in and around Hawkesbury Upton (no time limit)

### RECIPES (For Classes 413-415 & 527)

#### Fruit Cake (Class 413)

8oz. self-raising flour                      2 eggs  
4 tablespoons milk                          ¼ teaspoon salt  
9 oz mixed dried fruit                      4oz caster sugar  
4 oz butter or margarine

Rub fat into flour. Add the sugar and salt. Stir in the beaten eggs and milk. Mix well. Add the fruit. Bake in a lined, 18 cm diameter round cake tin for 1 hour 15 minutes on the middle shelf at 325°F / 160°C / Mark 3.

#### Madeira Cake (Class 414)

6oz butter or margarine                      3 large eggs  
4oz plain flour                                  6oz caster sugar  
Grated rind and juice of half a lemon - optional  
5oz self-raising flour  
Citron peel - optional

Grease and base line a 18cm diameter round cake tin. Beat the fat and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat the eggs then add to the mixture a little at a time, beating well after each addition. Fold in the sifted flours gently. Stir in the lemon juice and rind if using. Spoon the mixture into the tin and level the surface. Bake in the centre of a pre-heated oven at 325°F / 160°C / Mark 3 for 1 hour 15 minutes. After half an hour, put the citron peel across the cake and continue to cook. Leave to cool in tin for 10 minutes, then turn out on to a wire rack.

#### Victoria Sandwich (Classes 415 & 527)

4oz butter or margarine                      2 eggs  
4 oz self-raising flour                          Pinch of salt  
4oz sugar

Cream fat and sugar. Add the 2 eggs, beating well. Add flour and salt. Turn into 2 well greased and floured 18cm round tins. Bake for 20-25 minutes at 350°F / 180°C / Mark 4. Cool. Fill with jam. Sprinkle with caster sugar. Bake in plain tin not fluted.

## SECTION 5 Children's Section

### Important notes:

In this section, the entrant's date of birth and village must be stated on their entry forms, otherwise they will not be accepted. Where an age is specified, it relates to the child's age on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2007 i.e. at the beginning of the school year that has just ended.

### Class Description

#### Original Picture

501	Hawkesbury Pre-School Entry
502	Age 4 or under
503	Age 5
504	Age 6
505	Age 7
506	Age 8
507	Age 9
508	Age 10
509	Age 12 - 16

#### Crafts

510	Handwriting, <i>minimum 10 lines of own choice</i>
511	Handwriting, <i>poem given, in pencil or pen</i>
512	Soft toy, hand-sewn
513	Model made from kit <i>eg Knex, Meccano, Lego</i>
514	Model made from any material, <i>no kits</i>
515	Model made from vegetables
516	Decorated hen's eggs
517	Design a poster for the 2009 show, <i>A4 size</i>
518	Miniature garden in a seed tray, <i>37 x 23cm</i>
519	Birthday card, hand-made ( <i>attach exhibit entry card to the birthday card with a paper clip</i> )
520	Scarecrow, <i>big enough for use in a garden</i>
521	Photograph, colour or b&w, up to 23 x 18cm, <i>any subject</i>
522	Photograph, colour or b&w, up to 23 x 18cm, <i>village life in and around Hawkesbury Upton</i>
523	Flower arrangement
524	Any object made from recycled materials
525	Decorated Wellington
526	Any other handicraft
527	Queen cakes with fruit, 5, <i>made in paper cases</i>
528	Jam tarts, 4, <i>short pastry</i>
529	Victoria sponge, <i>recipe given</i>
530	Butterfly cakes, 4, <i>made in paper cases</i>
531	Gingerbread people, 4
532	Necklace made from sweets
533	Children's vegetable seeds, distributed to Hawkesbury Pre-School
534	Children's vegetable seeds, distributed to Hawkesbury Primary School

## Poem for Class 510

### My Cat

*by Wendy Cooling*

An elephant is huge  
A mouse is small  
Some dogs are short  
All giraffes are tall.  
Snakes slither silently  
Monkeys chatter and call  
My cat purrs quietly  
I love her best of all.



## Women's Institute Craft Class

(Entry Fee £1: 1<sup>st</sup> prize £10, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize £3)

### Theme for 2008: A Shakespeare Play

A trophy will be presented to the winning Institute or Guild to be held by them for a year. Award for best display of items made and arranged by representatives of the respective Institute or Guild. To be staged on a table 68cm x 68cm x 69.5cm, supplied, with the tent as backcloth. There are to be 5 items, each individually numbered, as follows:

- 1) Handicraft
- 2) Cookery (sweet or savoury)
- 3) Preserve (sweet or savoury)
- 4) Floral display (flowers or foliage)
- 5) Decorative numbered and itemised list of the items above

There will be 20 marks available for each of the items 1 to 4 and 20 marks available for staging (to include the list).



PLEASE NOTE: There are THREE age groups for classes 509 – 530 in the Children's Section (except class 511)

- 4-7 years
- 8-11 years
- 12-16 years

Please specify correct age group on the entry form



## CARNIVAL CLASSES (OPEN)

Trailers and large floats should arrive at 1.30pm and park in Hunters Mead

Entries for carnival classes will be taken on Show Day from 1.45pm – 2.00pm on the Plain

### RULES:

1. The judges reserve the right to refuse entry if they consider an entry to be inappropriate or openly political.
2. Merit will be given for originality, amount of work involved and presentation.
3. Judges will make an initial inspection of the classes at The Plain and make their final decision in the arena
4. Prizes for all classes and awards for the Carnival Queen and her Attendants will be made in the arena

Prizes for classes 1 – 6	1 <sup>st</sup> £6.00	2 <sup>nd</sup> £4.00	3 <sup>rd</sup> £2.00
Prizes for classes 7 & 8	1 <sup>st</sup> £10.00	2 <sup>nd</sup> £6.00	3 <sup>rd</sup> £3.00
Prize for class 9	1 <sup>st</sup> £50.00	2 <sup>nd</sup> £3.00	3 <sup>rd</sup> £2.00

*All carnival entrants will be granted FREE entry to the showground after the procession.  
Passes will be given out on The Plain between 1.45 and 2.00pm*

- CLASS 1 Nursery rhyme or story book character (up to 5 years)
- CLASS 2 Individual Fancy Dress (5 - 10 years)
- CLASS 3 Individual Fancy Dress (11-16 years)
- CLASS 4 Individual Fancy Dress (over 16 years)
- CLASS 5 Fancy Dress, pairs or groups (up to 10 years)
- CLASS 6 Fancy Dress, pairs or groups (over 10 years)
- CLASS 7 Decorated, hand pushed float (bike, pushchair, wheelbarrow etc)
- CLASS 8 Decorated Pony and Trap
- CLASS 9 Group entry, decorated trailer



Nailsworth Silver Band will be leading the carnival parade this year

# OPEN TO ALL

## Garden News Top Tray Class 2008

The Garden News Top Tray class is for a collection of three types of vegetables taken from the following list of eight. The quantity of each vegetable required for the collection is given in brackets and each type must consist of the same variety: carrots (3), cauliflowers (2), onions (3), parsnips (3), peas (6 pods), potatoes (3), runner beans (6 pods), tomatoes (6). Each type of vegetable will be judged out of a total of 20 points. This is split into three sections as follows: 7 points for size, shape and colour, 7 points for condition, 6 points for uniformity. The overall mark will therefore be out of a total of 60.

All vegetables are to be displayed for effect. The vegetables must be displayed within an area measuring 45cm x 60 cm, without bending any part of them. No part of any exhibit may exceed the size of the tray. A tray or board measuring 45cm x 60cm can be used to display the vegetables, or the area can simply be marked on the staging. Where a tray has a lip or edge, it is the internal measurements that must not exceed 45cm x 60cm.

A black cloth is permitted and the tray may be painted. Parsley is allowed for garnishing, but no other foliage or accessories, such as plates, sand, rings and so on, will be allowed. Onion tops may be tied or whipped using raffia or string.

The winner of the Garden News Top Tray class will receive the Gold Award plus a £10 Marshalls Seeds voucher. The runner-up will receive the Silver Award plus a £5 Marshalls Seeds voucher. Third place will receive the Bronze Award plus a £3 Marshalls Seeds voucher.

### Notes for Exhibitors and Judge

- 1) Carrots and parsnips must have foliage trimmed back to 10cm.
- 2) Peas and beans must be displayed with some stalk attached.
- 3) Tomatoes must be displayed with calyces (the green flower bud case and stalk).
- 4) Judges may handle exhibits, open pods and so on to check for quality.
- 5) The tray board or staging must not be cut or mutilated in any way at all – such as cutting holes for standing onions in.
- 6) Judges should use their discretion when judging the Top Tray class, remembering that entries may not come from regular exhibitors.
- 7) The points awarded should be clearly marked by the judges on the exhibitors' cards.
- 8) Any queries that may arise, regarding anything other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by, the show officials.
- 9) Failure to abide by any of these rules will lead to disqualification.

## Garden News Top Vase Class 2008

The Garden News Top Vase class is for a vase of mixed flowering stems containing a total of between five and 10 stems, taken from a minimum of two different kinds of plants. Please note that it is two different KINDS of plants – two varieties of the same plant are NOT two kinds. Only fresh, HOME-GROWN flowers can be used in the vase. No dried or silk flowers are allowed.

The display will be judged out of a total of 35 points, split into: 25 points for the colour, form, condition, quality and freshness of the flowers on display, and 10 marks for the overall presentation and effect of the flowers in the vase. The vase will be viewed from all directions. Judging of the flowers should be to the normal rules used for other classes.

Stems used in the display must be showing flowers only; no seed heads or berries will be allowed. The vase can be any shape or size and made from any material, but must be in proportion to the display. No marks are awarded for the vase itself. No accessories whatsoever – such as bows and additional foliage – will be allowed. Foliage, which is growing naturally from the flowering stem, and still attached to that stem, will be allowed. Packing material – including floral foam – to keep the stems in place – is allowed. The winner of the Garden News Top Vase class will receive the Top Vase Gold Medal plus a £10 Unwins seed voucher. The runner-up will receive the Silver Medal plus a £5 Unwins seed voucher. Third place will receive the Bronze Medal and a £3 Unwins seed voucher.

### Notes for Exhibitors and Judges

- 1) Flowering stems can be taken from ANY flowering plant. The different kinds of plants need to be taken different genera. For instance, pinks, carnations and Sweet William – which are all dianthus – would not be classed as different kinds.
- 2) Only fresh, home-grown flowers can be used in the vase. No dried or silk flowers are allowed.
- 3) A vase, by definition, is any vessel that can be used to hold cut flowers and which is taller than it is wide at its widest point.
- 4) The Garden News Top Vase class is open for anyone to enter, and judges should use their discretion, bearing in mind that the entries may come from inexperienced exhibitors.
- 5) Judges note the display has to be viewed from all round.
- 6) The points awarded should be clearly marked by the judges on the exhibitors' cards.
- 7) Any queries that may arise, regarding anything other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by, the show officials.
- 8) Failure to abide by any of these rules will lead to disqualification.

# Hawkesbury Horticultural Society

## Entry Form 2008

### Important Notes to Entrants

- 1) All entries must be made on the official entry form, continuing on a separate sheet if more space is required.
- 2) Families may share one entry form, subject to each individual entry being clearly defined.
- 3) **All entrance money must be submitted with your entry form - 25p per entry.** There will be a maximum entry fee of **£15.00** for any one individual (not family) entering more than 50 exhibits. There is no entry fee for the Garden News Top Tray or Top Case classes and no points will be awarded towards cups – but please note on your entry form if you plan to enter these classes as space will need to be allocated in the marquee for these large items. For Top Tray entries, please indicate A in the class number column below, and for Top Vase entries please write B in class number column below. For entries in classes 302, 306, 316, 318 and 326, please add details if possible of how much space will be required for your exhibit.
- 4) All entries for Section 5 must include the entrant's date of birth, otherwise they may be disqualified.
- 5) Please print clearly to avoid any risk of error.
- 6) **Please deliver your completed entry form and correct money, in a sealed envelope, to the collecting boxes at The Fox or at the Post Office between Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> August. Entries close at 12 noon on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> August.**
- 7) Carnival entries will be accepted on Show Day from 1.45pm to 2.00pm on The Plain.
- 8) A full list of rules is to be found on a separate page of this schedule. Any entry not complying with the specification, as set out in the schedule will be disqualified.
- 9) Any queries about entries should be directed to the Entries Secretary, Mr A Merritt (Tel 01454 326155).
- 10) Please note requirement to specify for Sections 1, 2 and 3 whether you are entering the Cottagers class or the Open class by adding "C" for Cottagers or "O" for Open after each class number.
- 11) Exhibitors may collect the class labels for their entries on the day before the show, from the marquee, between 6pm and 8pm on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August, if preferred, however they may collect them as usual in the marquee on the morning of the show.

<i>Class</i> <i>State O or C</i> <i>for Sections</i> <i>1-3</i>	<i>Fee</i> <i>25p per</i> <i>entry,</i> <i>all ages</i>	<i>Description</i> <i>(+ space required, see note 3 above)</i>		<i>Class</i> <i>State O or C</i> <i>for Sections</i> <i>1-3</i>	<i>Fee</i> <i>25p per</i> <i>entry,</i> <i>all ages</i>	<i>Description</i> <i>(+ space required, see note 3 above)</i>

*I hereby declare that I am duly qualified to exhibit in the above classes and that all exhibits are my own produce or handicraft.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth (children only): \_\_\_\_\_