



Little Common Horticultural Society

Schedule
of the

74th

Annual Flower Show

To be held at the Community Centre
Shepherds Close, Little Common
(See Map on Page 15)

on

Saturday 10th August 2019

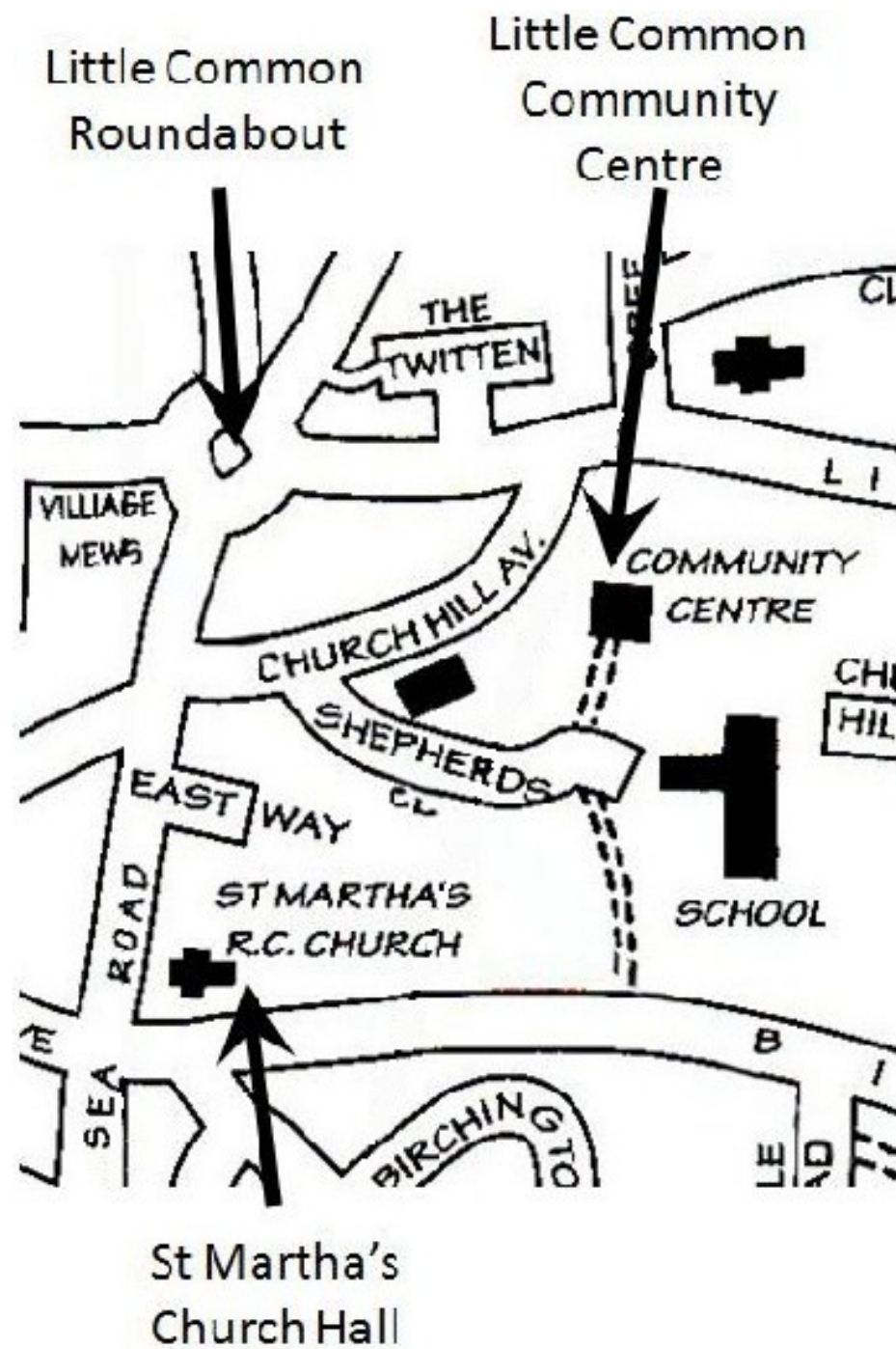
Open at 2:00pm

Presentation of Awards and Prizes at 4:00pm

Admission

Adults £1 Members 50p Children under 16 Free

Refreshments Available



6 – PHOTOGRAPHY SECTION

Photography Cup for the best exhibit in Section 6 Photography.

Class N°.

- 77. **Fungi.**
- 78. **Garden Pest.**
- 79. **Plants on the Beach.**
- 80. **Spring Flowers.**
- 81. **Sunrise or Sunset.**

7 – CRAFTS SECTION

Sellon Cup for the best exhibit in Section 7 Crafts

Novices Cup for the best exhibit in Class 88.

Class N°.

- 82. **Any handmade Wooden Item**, no kits.
- 83. **A Beaded Item** – no kits, max size 51cm (20 inches).
- 84. **A Quilted Item** – max size 51cm (20 inches).
- 85. **A Painting**, any medium, max size A3.
- 86. **An Embroidery Item**, any medium, including cross stitch, – max size 51cm (20 inches).
- 87. **Any Craft Item** not mentioned above – max size 51cm (20 inches).
- 88. **Childrens' Painting** – of a flower/plant, max size A3.

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Class N°.

- 56. **A Gift of Flowers and Foliage in a Basket.**
- 57. **Fire and Ice.**
- 58. **Inspired by a Famous Artist** – include the artist's name in your arrangement.
- 59. **Simply Summer** – garden flowers and foliage, no bought plant material.
- 60. **All that Glitters** – a petit design, no more than 25cm in width, height and depth.

5 – DOMESTIC SECTION

Moss Cup for the most points in Section 5.

Brand Memorial Cup for the best exhibit in Section 5 Domestic.

Class N°.

- 61. **Treacle Tart** – lattice, 20cm (8") dia max.
- 62. **Chocolate Sponge** – 20cm (8") dia max.
- 63. **Focaccia.**
- 64. **Yorkshire Parkin** – five pieces.
- 65. **Flapjacks** – five pieces.
- 66. **Cheese Scones** – five.
- 67. **French Onion Tart** – 8" dia max.
- 68. **Two Gingerbread men and two Jam Tarts.**
- 69. **Fruit Muffins** – five, any fruit.
- 70. **Jam – Strawberry** – one jar approximately 450gm (1 lb).
- 71. **Jam – Raspberry** – one jar approximately 450gm (1 lb).
- 72. **Jam – Any Other** – one jar, approximately 450gm (1 lb).
- 73. **Marmalade – Orange** – one jar, approximately 450gm (1 lb).
- 74. **Fruit Jelly** – one jar, maximum 450 gm (1lb).
- 75. **Lemon Curd** – one pot, not with a metal lid.
- 76. **Chutney** – one pot.

42. **Chilli Peppers** -Five, AVV.
43. **Shallots** - Five cooking, one variety.
44. **Cucumber** - One.
45. **Peas** - Seven pods, one variety.
46. **Culinary Herbs** - One bunch, five varieties arranged in a container, named.
47. **Vegetable** - Of a kind not mentioned above.
48. **Novelty Class** – Unusual shaped vegetable.

3 – FRUIT SECTION

Kandy Cup for the most points in Section 3 Fruit.

Class N°.

49. **Currants** - One plate of one kind or variety, 112gm (4ozs).
50. **Blackberries** - One plate 9 of any variety.
51. **Raspberries** - One plate 9 of any variety.
52. **Apples** - Three Cooking, ripe or unripe, AV.
53. **Apples** - Three Dessert, ripe or unripe, AV.
54. **Plums** - One plate 5 of any variety.
55. **Fruit** - Of any kind not mentioned above, one plate, one variety.

4 – FLORAL ART SECTION

Boase Challenge Cup for the most points in Section 4 Floral.

Eleanor Meredith Challenge Cup for the best exhibit in Section 4 Floral.

Pearce Challenge Cup for the best exhibit in Class 60 Miniature.

(See **Staging Hints** on page 8 for maximum width.)

SHOW TIME TABLE

8:30am -10:00am	Halls open for staging exhibits.
10:30am - 1pm	Halls close, judging in progress.
2:00pm	Show opens to the Public (Teas are available).
4:00pm	Presentation of Awards.
4:30pm	Raffle.
5:00pm	Show Closes.

To speed up the award ceremony, would all Prize Winners collect near the stage at 3:50pm. Please note that all exhibits must remain staged until after the Presentation of Awards.

SHOW RULES

1. All sections of the Show are **open to all** unless otherwise stated.
2. All exhibits in Sections 1 to 3 must have been grown by the exhibitor in their garden or allotment.
3. Pot plants must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least three months.
4. No exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in any class.
5. **One entry form must be used for each exhibitor.** (Extra forms available free from the Show Secretary , 29 Collington Rise, TN39 3RS).
6. Entry forms must be given or sent to one of the following, no entries will be accepted after **7pm on Thursday, 8th August 2019:**

Miss B Lenny, 99 Pear Tree Lane, Little Common.
Mr M Haswell, 29 Collington Rise, Bexhill-on-Sea, TN39 3RS
Mrs M Steer, 24 Riders Bolt, Bexhill-on-Sea, TN39 4JZ
7. No personal identity marks shall be placed on any exhibit other than the exhibitor's card provided, and this in a manner directed by the Stewards, e.g. Name downwards.

8. Exhibitor's cards will be available in the Hall from 8:30 am. - 10.00 am. on the day of the Show.
9. Exhibits must be placed as directed by the Show Stewards. Once placed, no exhibit may be moved (except by a steward) until after the awards have been presented.
10. **Challenge Trophy** points will be: 1st - 4 points; 2nd - 3 points; 3rd - 2 points; Highly Commended - 1 point.
11. Challenge trophies will be held by the winners until **two weeks** prior to the next Annual show, **when they must be returned in a clean condition to the Show Secretary.**
12. No responsibility shall be accepted by the Society or the committee for damage to or loss of an exhibit, or to the personal property of an exhibitor or viewer.
13. Unless otherwise stated, judging will be conducted under the code of rules laid down by the Royal Horticultural Society, the Royal National Rose Society, the National Dahlia Society and the National Sweet Pea Society. The Floral Art will be judged using NAFAS guidelines. On the merits of any exhibit the decision of the Judges shall be final.
14. Any Protest must be lodged with the Show Secretary by not later than 3 pm. on the day of the Show. £1 must be deposited, which will be refunded if the complaint is justified.
17. All matters not provided for in the foregoing rules shall be decided by the Show Committee.

19. **Dahlias** - one container, 3 small, AVV, maximum 17cm (6.75").
20. **Pelargonium** – one pot, AVV, maximum 23cm (9") diameter.
21. **One Pot Fuchsia** – maximum pot diameter 23cm (9").
22. **One Pot Orchid** – AVV, maximum pot diameter 23cm (9").
23. **One Flowering Pot Plant** - other than classes 20 to 22, maximum pot diameter 23cm (9").
24. **Foliage Pot Plant** – maximum pot max diameter 23cm (9").
25. **One Cactus Plant** - maximum pot max diameter 23cm (9").
26. **One Succulent Plant** - maximum pot max diameter 23cm (9").
27. **One Alpine** - in a Pot or Pan of max diameter 23cm (9").
28. **One Bonsai Tree**

2 – VEGETABLE SECTION

William Rogers Memorial Trophy for the best exhibit in Section 2 Vegetables.

Barnhorn Challenge Cup for the most points in Section 2 Vegetables.

Class N^o.

29. **Tray of Four Vegetables** - see page 8.
30. **Potatoes** - Three of one variety.
31. **Carrots** - Five, one variety.
32. **Beetroot** - Three of one variety .
33. **Runner Beans** - Six Pods - one variety.
34. **French Beans** - Six pods - one variety, including climbing.
35. **Onions** - Three of one variety.
36. **Tomatoes** - Three of one variety.
37. **Tomatoes** - Five Cherry type, ripe.
38. **Lettuce** - One, roots attached, AVV.
39. **Radishes** - Bunch of seven.
40. **Marrow** – One.
41. **Courgettes** - Three of one variety.

SCHEDULE

In addition to the trophies listed under the various sections, the following will be awarded:

Brand Memorial Bowl for the most points in the show, all classes.

J.B. Sainsbury Challenge Cup for the most points in Section 1 Flowers.

1 – FLOWER SECTION

Devon Cup for the Best Exhibit in the Flower Section.

Class N°.

1. **Roses** - one bloom.
2. **Roses** - one container - 3 Roses – AVV.
3. **Roses** - one vase - 1 stem Cluster AV.
4. **Sweet Peas** - one vase maximum 9 stems - AVV
5. **Annuals** - one vase mixed kinds - maximum 7 stems.
6. **A Favourite Flower from my Garden** - 1 Stem or Flower.
7. **Hydrangeas** - 3 stems - AVV.
8. **Penstemons** - 3 stems – AVV.
9. **Clematis Blooms** – 3 in a dish of water – AVV.
10. **Herbaceous Perennials** - one vase mixed kinds, maximum 10 stems.
11. **Any Cut Flower** - one vase, one kind, excluding Dahlias, maximum 7 stems.
12. **Foliage** - one vase – max 7 stems.
13. **Flowering Shrubs** – one vase, 5 stems, AVV.
14. **Zinnias** - one vase, 3 stems, AVV.
15. **Gladioli** - one vase -1spike, AVV.
16. **Grasses** - one vase, fresh cut – max 7 stems, AVV.
17. **Hostas** - 3 leaves, AVV.
18. **Dahlias** - one container, 3 large, AVV, larger than 17cm (6.75").

STAGING NOTES AND HINTS FOR EXHIBITORS

**Please read these notes and the Rules and Schedules carefully.
Failure to conform may cause disappointment.**

General

- **AV** = Any variety; **AVV** = Any variety or varieties.
- Please show names of varieties exhibited as this adds to the enjoyment of those viewing the exhibits.

Section 1 - Flowers

- Flowers should be shown as cut from the plant and, unless otherwise specified, only the foliage of that particular flower should be used.
- No supports are allowed except for Begonias & large Orchids. **Please note:** The N.D.S has ruled that no wire or support may be used for Dahlias.
- Exhibitors must supply their own vases or containers. Clean jars and bottles are acceptable, but they should not bear **brand names**.
- Where possible use a vase of a shape which shows the exhibit to advantage and arrange blooms tastefully.
- For the purposes of the schedule, Antirrhinums, Petunias, Verbenas and Phlox Drummondii will be classed as Annuals.

Section 2 - Vegetables

- Vegetables should be clean, root crops washed and unwanted side roots removed carefully.
- If more than one kind is shown in a class, these should be uniform in size and shape.
- **Potatoes** Best exhibits are medium sized with clear skins and inconspicuous eyes.
- **Beans** Should be fresh, long, straight and with little outward sign of seeds, and shown with stalks.
- **Cabbages** Should have 10cm (4") of stalk left on, and only damaged outer leaves removed.
- **Beetroot** Should be medium sized with clear smooth skin, dark flesh and shown with only 7.5cm (3") of foliage.
- **Carrots** Medium sized, shapely, good colour and only 7.5cm (3") of foliage left on.

- **Marrows**
 - **Courgettes**
 - **Cucumbers**
- } Should be of good shape, young and tender.
- **Onions** Should be well ripened, having thin necks, tied, roots removed and with **minimum skinning**.
 - **Shallots** Tops tied and placed upright on a bed of sand in a saucer or plate.
 - **Lettuce** Roots should be left on.
 - **Tomatoes** Should be firm, of uniform size and have calyces left on.

Rules for The Tray of Vegetables Class 29

- Class 29 is for **four** vegetables chosen from the following **six**. The number required of each vegetable is given in brackets.

Potatoes (3)	Onions (3)	Carrots (3)
Tomatoes (3)	Beetroot (3)	Runner Beans (6)
- The trays are provided by the Society and all vegetables must be displayed within the tray. Only parsley may be used to dress the tray. **Please ensure you leave the tray behind when clearing your exhibit.**
- The class is an **open** class. All vegetables will carry 20 points maximum, and there will be a maximum of 10 points for presentation.

Section 3 – Fruits

- Soft Fruits must have stalks left on and be shown on plates not larger than 18cm (7”) diameter.
- Stone Fruits must have stalks left on and be shown on plates not larger than 20cm (8”) diameter.
- Apples and Pears should not be polished.

Section 4 – Floral Art

- An “exhibit” is plant material with or without accessories.
- Flowers need not be grown by the exhibitor, unless otherwise stated.
- The exhibits must be staged in an area not exceeding 70cm wide (27”).

Section 5– Domestic

- Classes 61 to 69 must be covered with the plastic covers provided.
- Cakes and biscuits, etc. should be shown on a plate with a doily.
- Flans should be shown out of their container.
- Jams should be in clean jars, filled to the top, properly labelled, with neatly trimmed covers or twist/screw-on lids. There should be no advertising material on the jars or lids. **Metal lids must not be used on lemon curd.**
- Chutney should be mature, i.e. not less than three months old. Jars must be clean, filled to the top, properly labelled and with vinegar proof lids. **Jars must be labelled; Hot, Medium or Mild.**

Section 6 – Photography

- Photographs are to be a maximum size of 17.8 x 12.7 cm (7” by 5”) and un-mounted.
- Photographs may be Monochrome or Colour.
- Photographs must not have been previously shown at L.C.H.S.

Section 7 – Craft

- All craft items must be hand made by the entrant.
- Wooden items must not be made from kits.