



Section A Roses Judge: Mr. & Mrs. K. Jackson



The Battlesbridge Mill Rose Bowl, held by Tim Rhys-Morgan will be awarded for the most points in this section. The Harry Spearman Tray, held by Tim Rhys-Morgan, will be awarded for the best exhibit.

- Three roses, one bud, one half open, one open, one or more varieties/cultivars with own foliage
- Six roses with own foliage any variety/cultivar
- 3. One rose with own foliage
- 4. One Cluster flowered (Floribunda) rose
- Three stems miniature roses, any variety/cultivar

Section B Flowers Judge: Mr. & Mrs. K. Jackson

The Snelling Memorial Cup, held by John Bruty, will be awarded for most points in this section. The Blanche Waskett Trophy held by Gabrielle Church, will be presented to the winner of class 13. A rosette will be awarded for the best entry in this section.



- Six stems of sweet peas, 2 stems each colour
- Six stems of Sweet Peas 7.
- Three stems of lupins 8.
- 9. Six Fuchsia florets
- 10. Three stems of Carnations or Pinks
- 11. One Gladiolus
- 12. Six stems of any other flowers of one variety not specified above
- 13. One vase or bowl of mixed flowers judged for quality & variety. (Neck of vase max 20cm/8" dia)
- A foliage plant in a pot 14.
- 15. One flowering plant or plants of one variety in a single pot excluding Cacti or Succulents
- 16. One or more Cactus or Succulent in a single container, same or mixed variety
- A collection of alpines in a single container 17.
- A container of three stems of mixed flowering 18. shrubs or trees judged for quality & variety
- 19. A single outdoor hanging basket

Section C Fruit Judge: Mr. & Mrs. K. Jackson

The GJJM Rose Bowl, held by Paul Wright, will be awarded for most points in this section. A Rosette will be presented for the best entry in this section. All fruit must be exhibited with stalks and presented on a plate.

- 20. Collection of fruit, three distinct kinds, quantities as
- 21. Six bunches of Blackcurrants
- 22. Six bunches of Redcurrants
- 23. Six Gooseberries - for Size
- 24. Six Gooseberries - for Flavour
- 25. Six Raspberries
- Six Strawberries 26.
- 27. Six Loganberries
- 28. Any other Fruit, six specimens.

Section D Vegetables Judge: Mr. & Mrs. K. Jackson

The William Cresswell Memorial Cup, held by John Bruty, will be awarded for most points in this section.

The Percy Meeson Memorial Cup, held by John Bruty, will be awarded for the best exhibit in classes 31-49 inclusive. The Tony Coyston Memorial Cup, held by John Bruty, will be awarded for most points in classes 29 & 30 together.

Note: All root crops and Lettuce roots must be washed. Onions and Shallots must not be peeled.

- 29. Collection of vegetables, 4 distinct kinds - see regulation 5.
- 30. A collection of vegetables used in salads, 3 distinct kinds - see regulation 5.



- 31. Three potatoes, white, coloured, round or kidney
- 32. One cauliflower with approx. 10cm (4") stalk
- 33. Three onions from sets - bunched as pulled
- 34. Eight shallots
- 35. Three carrots with approx. 10cm (4") tops
- 36. Collection of three varieties of culinary herbs, separately named and in water.
- 37. Three beetroot with leaves
- 38. Six pods broad beans
- Six dwarf or French beans, length 39. between 10cm (4") and 15cm (6"), with stalks
- 40. Two courgettes, length up to 20cm (8")
- 41. Six pods of Peas
- 42. Six pods of Mange Tout
- 43. Six Runner beans with stalks
- 44. One cabbage with approx. 10cm (4") stalk



- 45. One lettuce with roots
- 46. One cucumber
- 47. Three sticks Rhubarb, leaves cut to 10cm (4"), as pulled
- 48. Six Radishes with tops
- 49. Any vegetable other than above

The Royal Horticultural Society Banksian medal will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining most points in the combined horticultural classes A, B, C and D, but who has not gained the medal within the last two years.

Section E Gardens Judge: Mr. T. Carpenter Certificates will be given to all who enter as a mark of appreciation from the Society for their participation. The Rosemary Silver Salver, held by Robert Scurrell, will be awarded for the best kept and cropped Kitchen Garden. The C&D Cup, held by Tim Rhys-Morgan, will be awarded for the best kept flower garden. The patio rose bowl, held by Elaine Line, will be awarded for the best container garden. The Rettendune Rose Bowl, held by Maria Poole, will be awarded for the best kept mixed garden. The Rettendon Allotments Trophy, held by Holly Robson, will be awarded for best allotment.

No charge for entry

Judging will take place on Sunday 6^h July from 2pm Entries direct to Barbara Wright on 01245 321554, John Bruty on 01268 562371, or Hazel Dale Evans on 01245 401538. NO LATER THAN Thursday 3rd July please.

All gardens must be within a five mile radius of Rettendon village hall.

- Best kept kitchen garden 50.
- 51. Best kept flower garden
- Best container garden 52.
- 53. Best kept mixed garden
- 54. Best Allotment











Section F Flower Arranging Judge Mrs.C Barnes The Rawlings Rose Bowl, held by Gabrielle Church, will be awarded to the exhibitor with most points in this section. A rosette will be awarded for the best entry in this section. Please note flowers and foliage may be purchased except for class 62. "An arrangement" has no added extras, and class is judged for overall effect and interpretation. Where a class states 'An Exhibit', drapes and/or accessories may be used in the 68cm (2' 3") niche provided.

- A miniature flower arrangement max 10cm (4") 55. overall.
- 56. An arrangement in an unusual container
- 57. An arrangement of garden flowers
- 58. An exhibit: "A day at the Seaside"
- An exhibit "A named 59. celebration" (please specify event on back of entry card)



Section G Cookery

Judge Mrs. G. Owen

The Parish Tray, held by Kathryn Evans, will be awarded for most points in this section. The Joyce Higgins Memorial Trophy, not awarded, will be awarded for the best exhibit in class 60. A Rosette will be presented for the best entry in this section.

> Please note the size of cake/loaf tin used and number of items. Incorrect

size/number will be disqualified.

A Victoria Sponge with strawberry jam. Sprinkle with caster sugar only.

61. Beetroot and Chocolate cake (recipe below) Ingredients: 230gm (8oz) SR flour, 30gm (1oz) cocoa powder, 115qm (4oz) caster sugar, 85qm (3oz) dark melted chocolate, 85qm (3oz) melted butter/margarine, 2 beaten eggs, pinch of salt, I tsp of baking powder, 115gm (4oz) raw grated beetroot peeled weight.

> Method: Heat the oven to Gas mark 4, 180°C/350°F. Grease and line a suitable tin, e.g. a 2lb-loaf tin. Sift the flour, cocoa powder, salt and baking powder. Stir in the sugar, beetroot and melted chocolate and butter/margarine and the eggs. Turn into the tin and bake for 50-60 minutes until firm on top and an inserted skewer comes out clean.

- 62. Four plain scones
- 63. A Bread pudding
- 64. Four muffins, any flavour – state flavour on plate
- 65. A cake made in an air fryer. (Please state type on plate, or back of card).
- 66. Six jam tarts
- One Loaf, white or brown, approx. 2lb tin 67.
- 68. A Flavoured loaf – state flavour on plate
- 6 pieces of Shortbread 69.
- 70. Four Rock cakes

Section H Drinks Judge: Mr. M. Lucking

The RJB Trophy, held by Hans Pietsch, will be awarded to the exhibitor with most points in this section. Only clear glass wine bottles to be used of approx. 75cl capacity. Stoppers must all be easily removable. Beer in bottles should have screw stopper or crown closure.



- One bottle of home-made wine not from a kit 71.
- One bottle home-made wine from a kit 72.
- 73. One bottle of home-made beer

One named bottle of home-made liqueur

e.g. Sloe Gin.

- 75. One bottle of any alcoholic drink not listed above.
- 76. One bottle of any non-alcoholic drink, e.g. cordial

Section I Preserves Judge Mrs. G. Owen

The Hyde Hall Cup, held by Barbara Wright, will be awarded to the exhibitor with most points in this section. A rosette will be presented for the exhibit judged the best in this section.

NOTE: jams & preserves should be in approx. 450ml (1lb) plain glass jars, except classes 83 & 84, and must have been made in the last 12 months.

- 77. One jar of Gooseberry jam
- One jar of Blackcurrant jam 78.
- One jar of Strawberry jam 79.
- 80. One jar of Raspberry jam
- 81. One jar of any other jam made with fresh fruit
- 82. One Jar of Marmalade
- 83. Any other preserve
- 84. One jar of Pickle or Chutney (at least 3 months old)

Please note: All exhibits in Sections J and K must have been completed in the last 12 months, not exhibited here before, and have been prepared by entrants themselves

Section J Needlecraft (see rule above)

Judge; Mrs. C. Orriss.

The Nurse May Selvage Memorial Trophy, held by Katie Sheldrake, will be awarded to the person with the most points in this section. A rosette will be presented for the best entry in the section.



- 85. A hand knitted article, state material e.g. wool, etc.
- 86. A quilted or patchwork article
- 87. A piece of cross stitch
- 88. A crochet article
- A framed piece of tapestry or needlepoint 89.
- 90. A hand-embroidered article
- 91. A machine embroidered article
- 92. A cushion
- 93. A sewing machine, or over-locker, made item.
- 94. Soft tov suitable for a child
- 95. Any other item of needlecraft

Section K Handicrafts (see rule above)

Judge: Mrs. C. Orriss.

The Victoria Lepper Trophy, held by John Freeth, will be presented to the exhibitor with most points in this section. A rosette will be presented for the exhibit judged the best in this section.

- 96. A pencil or charcoal drawing
- A picture in water colour 97.
- A picture in oils 98.
- A picture in any other medium 99.
 - 100. A hand-made card
- An article or model made from wood 101.
- 102. An article or model made from metal
- 103. An article or model made from any other material(s)
- 104. A model using vegetables, fruit & other materials
- 105. A photograph 'Action Shot' max. 7" x 5" 106. A photograph 'Low Tide' max. 7" x 5"
- 107. A photograph 'A door or gate' max. 7" x 5











Section L Children's Classes Judge: Miss J Crook. PLEASE NOTE NO ENTRY FEE

All exhibits must have been completed in the last 12 months, either at home or at school. Please state age on entry.

Pre School Children, under 5 years on show day.

Certificates will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd.

- 108. A picture, under 4 years on show day
- 109. A picture, under 5 years on show day
- 110. A model, under 4 years on show day
- 111. A model, under 5 years on show day



******* PRIZES: 1st - £2, 2nd - £1, 3rd - 50p ******

Children under 8 years old on show day

The Rawlings Cup, currently held by Dottie Appleby, will be presented to the exhibitor awarded most points in this section. A rosette will be presented for the best exhibit in this section.

- 112. A picture in any medium
- 113. A plant grown by a child
- 114. A model using vegetables, fruit & any other materials.
- 115. A miniature garden in a box (size ~ 36 x 22 x 6cm), e.g. seed tray
- 116. Crispy chocolate cakes: 100g Rice crispies or other crunchy cereal, 4 tbsp golden syrup, 100g butter or margarine, 100g chocolate

Method: Gently melt the butter or margarine, golden syrup and chocolate together in a large saucepan. Stir in the cereal making sure it's all well coated with the chocolate mixture. Spoon it into paper cases and leave to cool and set. Put 3 cakes on a plate for the judge.

Children under 12 years old on show day.

The FRS Jubilee Cup, held by Elsie Appleby, will be awarded to the exhibitor with most points in this section. A rosette will be presented for the exhibit judged the best in this section.

- 116. A flower arrangement in an unusual container
- 117. A miniature garden in a box, (size ~ 36 x 22 x 6 cm, e.g. seed tray)
- 118. A model using vegetables, fruit & any other materials.
- 119. A plant grown by a child
- 120. A picture in any media
- 121. Any other handicraft
- 122. Rocky Road cakes: 200g Rich Tea/Marie/Digestive biscuits, 125g margarine, 1 tablespoon golden syrup, 1 dessert spoon sugar, 100g cooking chocolate, 2 tablespoons drinking chocolate, mini marshmallows, raisins and/or other dried fruit

To Make: Crush the biscuits (not too finely). Melt together in a saucepan, or a non-metal container in a microwave, the margarine, syrup, drinking chocolate and sugar. Stir in the biscuit, marshmallows and fruit to suit. Put in a shallow baking tin and press down firmly. Melt the chocolate in a basin over hot water (or a microwave) and spread on top. Leave to cool before cutting into cookie/cake-sized pieces.

Put 3 pieces on a plate for the judge.

Seniors under 18 years old on show day.

The Coronation Cup, currently held by Fallows, will be presented to the exhibitor with most points in this section. A rosette will be presented to the exhibitor with the best entry in this section.

123. An article of handicraft

124. A piece of work showing textile skills

125. A picture in any media

126. An unframed photograph max. 7" x 5"

******* Please fill in your entry form and let one of the following people have it by:-

MIDDAY on the THURSDAY 10th JULY

Mrs. Hazel Dale Evans, 55 East Hanningfield Rd Mr. J. Bruty, Seasons, Woodham Road Mrs. Barbara Wright, RetHSsec@gmail.com

(Emails - give name and classes and pay on day)

Each exhibit entry costs 20p before midday Thursday. Late entries and those entered on Show day, will cost 30p per exhibit.

Section L Children's classes are all FREE entry. PLEASE clean and return the cups to the people

above before the morning of the Show. CHILDREN'S entries, SECTION L, will be

exhibited in the VILLAGE HALL, all other exhibits to be brought to the show

ALL EXHIBITS must be in place for judging NO LATER THAN 10:30am on morning of the Show.

Society Officers

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Smith & Mrs A Theobald.

Want to help, or have a stall?

Phone Barbara Wright on 01245 3215544 or email: RetHSsec@gmail.com, or phone Hazel Dale-Evans on 01245 401538

Or perhaps you are interested in joining us? We have 3 shows a year, talks, outings, garden safaris, and a plant sale. Cost is only £5 per year. For membership please contact Mrs. Louise Johnson on 07769 893191 or email:

rhsmemsec@gmail.com







ENTRY FORM			
Class No.		Details	Qty
Entries x 20p =			
Exhibitors Name			
Address			
Phone number			

For 20p entries ENTRY FORMS MUST be returned by NOON on THURSDAY 10th July (Gardens by 4th July - no entry fee) to any of the following:-Mrs. Hazel Dale Evans, 55 East Hanningfield Rd Mr. J. Bruty, Seasons, Woodham Road Mrs. Barbara Wright, RetHSsec@gmail.com (Emails - give name and classes and pay on day) Late entries or those made on the day of the show

will cost 30p each. Children under 18 - entries are ALL FREE Extra schedules can be found on the website

https://e-voice.org.uk/rethortsoc/schedules/

Regulations to be observed by all exhibitors

- 1. All produce exhibited must have been grown in the exhibitors own garden or allotment and all plants growing in pots must have been in the actual possession of the exhibitor for at least two months before the day of the show.
- 2. Where an exhibitor wins more than one prize in any class, points from the highest prize will be counted towards the Cup.
- 3. Entry fees for exhibitors in the Children's Classes shall be free. Entry fees for all other classes shall be 20p per entry beforehand or 30p per entry if entered on show day.
- 4. Vegetables and fruit must be shown on plates or in boxes supplied by the exhibitor. Fruit of all kinds must be shown with stalks. In all cases exhibitors are reminded that a departure from the numbers specified (more or less) will result in disqualification. Preference will be given, (all other things being equal) to correctly named varieties (written on the back of the entry card). For the purposes of exhibition Tomatoes are regarded as a vegetable.
- In collections the number of each variety of vegetable or salad must be as stated in its individual class, e.g. 2 Courgettes, 6 pods of Peas. (we will accept 6 spring onions as one item)
- 6. The RHS rule book is to be regarded as a general guide.
- 7. In all matters relating to exhibits the judge's decision is final
- 8. In all other matters relating to the Horticultural Show the Society's management committee decision is final.

Special Entry Conditions

- All entries **must** be in position for judging by 10:30am on show day. No entries will be accepted after 10:30am.
- Entries will be accepted in the marguee & hall from 8am on show
- 3. No person(s) other than the stewards shall be allowed in the marquee or the village hall after judging commences. Produce may not be removed before 4-00pm, or earlier if announced.
- 4. The gift of any produce for sale towards Society funds will be welcome at the plant stall.
- Exhibitors must ensure all their exhibits and entries are as schedule or they may be subject to disqualification by the
- 6. RHS rules apply to the Banksian Medal, which cannot be awarded to the same competitor two years running.



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