

Buxted Horticultural Society



2018 Society Events And Show Schedule

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Message from the Chairman:

Report on 2017 shows and events.

2017 saw us able to hold all our 3 main flower shows, a fabulous society evening talk about a Sussex Farm in the 1950's by Ian Everest, a great day out at RHS Hyde Hall in Essex and an excellent Autumn Supper Party & Talk hosted by Geoff Hutchinson with his entertaining talk on Smuggling in Kent & Sussex followed by a fantastic buffet.

The 3 main flower shows were a resounding success, with good levels of showing and attendance with appreciation for our afternoon teas.

Sadly the weather played it's part in destroying blooms leaving very little to display, however the resilience of our members made the best of what was available.

Our committee was further strengthened by Stephen Povey as Treasurer (following the earlier retirement of Chris Gordon) and the addition of Victoria Taberman-Pichler as Membership Secretary, Wendy & Lorna Williams as new committee members and the return of Sue Pearson. My thanks to everyone who makes our shows and events happen.

2018 shows and events.

This year will no doubt see fresh challenges yet we are blessed with more members to our team, The Rev John Barker joins us as Vice-Chairman and Linda Churnside as Shows & Events Administrator all formally elected at the AGM. My thanks to both for supporting the society.

For this year we have made some further subtle changes to the schedules, these changes represent some consistent lack of entries to some classes and our wish to appeal to a wider audience whilst still keeping with tradition, there are some additional classes and a few minor changes to existing classes. Please read carefully the class descriptions so you are aware of the new classes.

We now have several means of finding information about our society, we have a website, a Facebook page and ability to email the committee. I appreciate that not all members have the facility to find information this way so please do ring up for information or look out for posters put up in our own notice board outside the Reading Room or in the Parish Council Boards at the Doctors Surgery in Buxted, Five Ash Down Village Hall and at High Hurstwood Village Hall.

Subscriptions have increased for 2018 so I hope you will continue to support the society and the enjoyment that it brings and the additional events that have been introduced at subsidised prices.

The following officer & committee positions were currently available at the time of the AGM:

Chairman - David wells (standing for re-election)

Vice-Chairman - Rev John Barker (standing for election)

Treasurer - Stephen Povey (standing for re-election)

Membership Secretary - Victoria Taberman-Pichler (standing for re-election)

Secretary - Irma Williamson (standing for re-election)

Show Secretary - Jane Wells (standing for election)

Shows & Events Administrator - Linda Churnside (standing for election)

External Auditor - Malcolm Noble (non Society member)

Committee members - Lisa Ayling (standing for re-election), Susan Pearson (standing for re-election), Wendy Williams (standing for re-election), Lorna Williams (standing for re-election), Marion Small (standing for re-election)

Please contact me if you are interested in helping out or know of anyone else who has a few hours to spare.

Kind regards and best wishes for a successful 2018 - David Wells—Chairman

Prize Money Allocation & Sponsorship

Spring Show

Classes 1 – 36

1st 50p
2nd 40p
3rd 30p

Summer Show

Classes 1 - 43

1st 50p
2nd 40p
3rd 30p

Autumn Show

Class 1

1st £3
2nd £2
3rd £1

Classes 2 - 23

1st 50p
2nd 40p
3rd 30p

Class 24

1st 50p

Class 25

1st £3
2nd £2
3rd £1

Classes 26 - 47

1st 50p
2nd 40p
3rd 30p

Autumn Show Class 1 prizes kindly sponsored by **Weald Packaging**

Autumn Show Class 25 prizes kindly sponsored by **The Buxted Inn**

Autumn Show Classes 35 - 37 prizes kindly sponsored by **Rose Gas**

Society Events for 2018

Wed 7th March 7.00pm	AGM
Sat 7th April 2.15pm	Spring Show
Sat 12th May 9.30am - 11.30am	Coffee Morning & Plant Sale
Sat 23rd June	Summer Trip to Great Dixter Gardens (approx. 1-hour journey)
Sat 14th July 2.15 pm	Summer Show
Wed 8th August 7.00pm	Society Talk—Tales from the potting shed by Jean Griffin (Please book in advance & price to be published)
Sat 15th September 2.15 pm	Autumn Show
Wed 17th October 7.00 pm	Harvest Supper Party & Talk (Topic to be confirmed) (Please book in advance & price to be published)
Sat 8th December 12.00 noon	Wreath Making and Christmas Tea <i>“a moment of peace amid the hustle and bustle for you to bring out your creative side”.</i> (Please book in advance & price to be published)

All events will be held in the Reading Room, Buxted.

SCHEDULES FOR 2018 SHOWS ARE ATTACHED

Spring Show ~ 7th April, 2018

Summer Show ~ 14th July, 2018

Autumn Show ~ 15th September, 2018

Staging 9.00 am - 11.00 am in the Reading Room, Buxted

***Open to the public from 2.15pm – 4.45 pm
Teas & homemade cakes served from 2.30pm***

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS (£3.50 per member; £5.00 for couples; £6.00 family max 5 members)
are due from 1st January 2018

Please pay directly to the Membership Secretary at the AGM or Spring Show.

Membership Secretary: Victoria Taberman-Pichler - Squirrels, Framfield Road
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Show Secretary: Jane Wells - Fairfield, Gordon Road, Buxted
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For all events and all other enquiries please contact the Chairman - David Wells
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Rules for the Shows 2018

1. All Shows are open to exhibitors of any age (unless otherwise stated) resident within five miles of Buxted Stores.
2. Children, under the age of 13 years, are able to enter any class and a special prize will be awarded to the child with the most points.
3. All exhibits must be grown by the exhibitors except, unless otherwise stated, in Flower Arrangements. Pot plants must have been grown by the exhibitor at least two months before the Show.
4. All exhibitors are reminded that vases are provided by the Society and must be used, except in Flower Arrangement Classes, or unless otherwise stated.
5. No competitor shall enter more than one exhibit in each Class and two or more persons may not enter the same Class with exhibits from the same garden or allotment.
6. The number of prizes awarded in each Class is at the discretion of the Judge's taking into account the number and quality of exhibits. The attention of entrants is drawn to the fact that naming of varieties exhibited will be taken into consideration by the Judge's.
7. All exhibits must be staged for judging between **9.00am and 11.00am** on the day of the Show. No exhibit shall be removed from the Show before 4.45pm. Exhibits not collected by 5.00pm will be disposed of at the discretion of the Society.
8. The Show Secretary reserves the right to re-arrange the position of any exhibit before judging, if desirable, to avoid congestion or improve layout of the Show.
9. Entrance fees as follows:

Member:	10p per Class
Non-members:	20p per Class
Children:	Free
10. Unless otherwise stated, points to be counted as follows:

1st prize	4 points
2nd prize	3 points
3rd prize	2 points
11. Entry forms with the relevant entrance fees to be lodged with the Show Secretary not later than 6.00pm on the Thursday before the Show. Telephoned entries will be accepted and, in this respect, payment can be made on the day of the Show.

Show Secretary - Mrs Jane Wells

NO ENTRANCE FEE IS RETURNABLE

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW

THE JUDGE'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL IN ALL CASES

At all Shows:-

Cups, Diplomas and rosettes will be presented at 4.20pm

The Raffle will be drawn immediately thereafter.

HOMEMADE TEAS WILL BE SERVED DURING THE AFTERNOON (FROM 2.30 pm)

Spring Show 7th April 2018

Daffodil Classes: A daffodil is a narcissus and a narcissus is a daffodil. The names are interchangeable and do not refer to flowers of a different size or shape. 'Narcissus' is the botanical name for the genus and 'daffodil' is its English name. ***Please see page 15 for diagrams and description.***

CLASS

1. Daffodil 3 trumpet of any one variety DIV.1. Y-Y (Yellow trumpet)
2. Daffodil 3 long or large cup of any one variety DIV.2 (Long-cupped)
3. Daffodil 3 short or small cup of any one variety DIV.3 (Short-cupped)
4. Daffodil 3 double of any one variety DIV.4 (Double)
5. Daffodil 3 multi-headed of any one variety
6. Daffodil 3 miniature of any one variety
7. Daffodil 1 specimen
8. Daffodil - One bowl or pot (max diameter 9") of flowering hardy daffodil bulbs
9. Daffodil - One pot or pan (max diameter 6 ½") of a species of hybrid miniature narcissus. No narcissus may be shown in this Class which has individual flowers over 2" diameter when flattened.
10. Daffodil - A vase of 7 mixed stems
11. One pot, pan or bowl (max diameter 6 ½") of any hardy flowering bulbs, corms, or tubers excluding narcissus. (One genus).
12. Vase of Tulips, one or more varieties 5 stems
13. One bowl or pot (max diameter 9") of Tulips any variety
14. Bowl or pot of 3 Hyacinths
15. Polyanthus. Five stems
16. Camellias. 4 blooms. One or more varieties on board supplied
17. A pot plant, any variety (max 8" diameter pot)
18. A vase of flowering shrub or trees, one or more varieties.
19. A vase of Spring flowers, one variety not included above.
20. A vase of cut flowers, mixed (more than one genus)

VEGETABLE CLASSES

21. Lettuce. 2 winter grown with or without protection.
22. Sprouting Broccoli, 4 stems.
23. A vegetable you wouldn't want to show
24. Any other vegetable can include cauliflower previously class 23

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT CLASSES

25. "Dazzling Bright", An arrangement to fit an alcove 30" wide x 30" high (without accessories)
26. "Waking Earth", An arrangement to fit an alcove 24" wide x 18" high (to include accessories)
27. (Children Only) "Nursery Rhyme" (to include accessories)

DOMESTIC CLASSES (All food exhibits must be covered)

28. 1 small loaf of Soda Bread (own recipe)
29. 4 Decorated Easter Cup Cakes (will be judged on appearance only but must be all edible)
30. A Jar of Homemade Orange Marmalade (own recipe)

Spring Show 7th April 2018

CHILDRENS ART

31. (Children Only) "A Lamb Collage"

EGGS

32. Three brown hen eggs (bantam or large fowl) - displayed on a plate provided.
33. Three distinct colour hen eggs - displayed on a plate provided.
34. One hen egg contents - The judge will crack open one egg from each entry of class 32 onto a plate provided - an entry card should be placed against an empty plate.

Eggs to be laid from own hens, classes 32 & 33 will be judged for matching size & colour, class 34 will be judged for freshness / presentation.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CLASSES

Photographs not to exceed 7" x 5". Each photograph taken by the exhibitor and to be mounted on a suitably sized board or card.

35. "In The dark" 1 photograph, colour or black and white.
36. "Trees" A set of 2 photographs, colour or black and white

Note: Photography titles for 2019 are: "Spring has Sprung" 1 colour or B&W photograph
"Door to Somewhere" 1 colour or B&W photograph

PRIZES - see page 3

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Gerard Cup will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 1 - 10

The Elliot Cup will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 25 - 26

Buxted Horticultural Society Certificate awarded for the best exhibit in Classes 1 - 10 and also 11 - 20 and a Certificate for the best exhibit in Classes 23-24

The Affiliated Societies Diploma from the South East England Daffodil Society will be awarded for the best exhibit in Class 10

A prize will be awarded to the winner of Class 27

A Rosette and prize money to the winner of best in show public vote

TO ENTER

Please use the entry form at the back of the Show Schedules.

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Show Secretary - Mrs Jane Wells

Summer Show 14th July 2018

CLASS

1. One specimen rose
2. One vase of three hybrid tea roses
3. One vase of three floribunda/polyantha roses
4. Three sprays of rambler or climber roses
5. One vase of mixed roses
6. One buttonhole rose on a suitable background
7. Five stems of Cerise, Scarlet or Crimson sweet peas. (1 variety)
8. Five stems of Pink sweet peas, incl. Pink with white or Cream ground (1 variety)
9. Five stems of Blue, Mauve, Lavender or Lilac sweet peas (1 variety)
10. Five stems White or Cream sweet peas (1 variety)
11. Seven stems sweet peas, any raiser's 2017 novelty (1 variety)
12. Seven stems of mixed sweet peas
13. Six pansies on board supplied
14. One vase of perennial flowers (1 genus)
15. One vase perennial flowers (More than 1 genus)
16. One vase of annual flower (1 genus)
17. A vase of mixed annuals
18. One flowering fuchsia plant (max 6" diameter pot)
19. One flowering regal or zonal pelargonium plant (max 6" dia. pot)
20. One flowering pot plant angel or miniature pelargonium (max 4" dia. pot)
21. One flowering pot plant other than fuchsia or pelargonium (max 8" dia. pot)
22. One foliage pot plant
23. One specimen succulent/cactus (any size pot)
24. Nine strawberries
25. Nine raspberries with leaves (Plates will be provided
26. Any other soft fruit for Classes 24 - 28)
27. Five potatoes
28. Five pods of peas
29. Five pods of broad beans
30. Two lettuces
31. Three Courgettes of equal size
32. Any other vegetable
33. A vase of mixed culinary herbs (named)

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT CLASSES

34. "Bags of Style" An arrangement to fit an alcove 30" wide x 30" high (to include accessories)
35. "Strawberries & Cream" An arrangement to fit an alcove 18" high x 24" wide (to include accessories)
36. CHILDREN ONLY "Crazy Daisy" — (with or without accessories)

PHOTOGRAPHIC CLASSES

Photographs not to exceed 7" x 5". Each photograph taken by the exhibitor to be mounted on a suitably sized board or card.

37. "Garden Flowers" 1 photograph, colour or B&W
38. "Food On A Plate" 1 photograph, colour

Note: Photography titles for 2019 are: "Clouds" 1 photograph colour or B&W
"Something Beginning with A" 1 photograph colour

Summer Show 14th July 2018

DOMESTIC CLASSES (All food exhibits must be covered)

39. An Iced Chocolate Cake (own recipe)

HANDICRAFT CLASSES

40. An Item of Decoupage

EGGS

41. Three brown hen eggs (bantam or large fowl) - displayed on a plate provided.
42. Three distinct colour hen eggs - displayed on a plate provided.
43. One hen egg contents - The judge will crack open one egg from each entry of class 32 onto a plate provided - an entry card should be placed against an empty plate.

Eggs to be laid from own hens, classes 41 & 42 will be judged for matching size & colour, class 43 will be judged for freshness / presentation.

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SPECIAL AWARDS

The Miss Dent Trophy will be awarded to the winner of Class 1.

The Winston Graham Cup will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 1 - 6

Buxted Horticultural Society Certificate awarded for the best exhibit in Classes 1 - 23 and 24 - 32. A Certificate for the best exhibit in Classes 34, 35 & 36.

The National Sweet Pea Society medal to the Exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 7 - 12.

The National Sweet Pea Society Certificate for the best vase in Classes 7—12

The Marguerite Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 34 - 36.

The A R Mordaunt Rosette will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 24 - 32.

A Rosette and prize money to the winner of best in show public vote

Definitions

Perennial – All plants that are **not usually** grown as annuals or biennials and can include woody stemmed trees and shrubs.

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Show Secretary - Mrs Jane Wells

Autumn Show 15th September 2018

CLASS

1. Tray of vegetables (tray 22" x 30" supplied by the Society). Four kinds, not more than one variety in each kind. Selection and numbers from Classes 2 – 19 but may include 2 "other vegetable" entries. The number shown in brackets alongside Classes 2 - 19 is the maximum number of points which can be awarded for vegetables on the tray.
2. Beetroot, 3 round, trimmed (15)
3. Carrots, 3 any one variety (20 long 18 other)
4. Lettuce, 2 any one variety (12 & 15)
5. Cabbage with approx. 3" of stalk, 2 of any one variety (15)
6. Onions, 4 over 8oz. (20)
7. Potatoes, 4 white (20)
8. Potatoes, 4 coloured (20)
9. Cauliflower, 2 (20)
10. Tomatoes, 5 any one variety excluding small-fruited (18)
11. Tomatoes, 9 small-fruited type, any one variety, not exceeding 1½" dia. (12)
12. Marrow, 1 of any size (15)
13. Onions, 4 (max diameter 4") (15)
14. Cucumbers 2 (18 house or frame 15 outdoor or ridge)
15. Shallots, 9 pickling (max diameter 1¼") (12)
16. Shallots, large, 9 (18)
17. Runner Beans, 6 (18)
18. Courgettes, 3 any size, one variety (not marrows !) (12)
19. Any other vegetable (10 - 20)
20. Dessert Apples, 3
21. Cooking Apples, 3
22. Any other fruit
23. 1 Funny shaped vegetable or fruit
24. Runner Bean, the longest (measured in a straight line from end to end) - First prize only.
25. Allotment or Home Grown Basket. - A trug, or basket, not to exceed 60cm (24in.) containing fruit and/or vegetables grown by the exhibitor. Vegetables to be washed. Exhibits do not have to be 'show' prepared.
26. 3 Chrysanthemums, mixed
27. 3 Chrysanthemums, incurve or intermediate, one variety
28. 3 Chrysanthemums, reflex, one variety
29. 3 stems of spray Chrysanthemums, one or more variety
30. 3 Dahlias, cactus, one variety
31. 3 Dahlias, decorative, one variety
32. 5 Dahlias, pompom, not over 2" diameter, one variety
33. 3 Dahlias, miniature ball, not over 4.5" diameter, one variety
34. 3 Dahlias, waterlily, one variety
35. A vase of 5 mixed Dahlias of more than 1 variety
36. 3 Hybrid Tea Roses
37. 3 stem Floribunda/Polyantha Roses
38. 1 Specimen Rose
39. A vase of flowers (1 genus) not included in Classes 25 - 36
40. A vase of mixed cut flowers not included in Classes 25 – 36
41. A flowering pot plant (Maximum pot size 6", 150mm)

Autumn Show 15th September 2018

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT CLASSES

42. "Spirit of the Season" An arrangement to fit an alcove 30" wide x 30" high. (including accessories)
43. "Rust" An arrangement to fit an alcove 24" wide x 18" high. (without accessories)

DOMESTIC CLASSES (All food exhibits must be covered)

44. An Apple Lattice Pie (own recipe)
45. A Carrot Cake with Cream Cheese Icing (own recipe)
46. A small jar of Vegetable Chutney (own recipe)

CHILDRENS CLASS (All food exhibits must be covered)

47. A Creature made from Fruit and/or Vegetables

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POINTS FOR THE WICKENS CUP

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|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Class 1: | 1st - 8 points | 2nd - 6 points | 3rd - 4 points |
| Classes 2 - 23: | 1st - 4 points | 2nd - 3 points | 3rd - 2 points |

SPECIAL AWARDS

The RHS Banksian Medal to the winner of most prize money or equivalent in Classes 1 - 41 (Winners in the previous two years excluded. Results of class 25 not included)

A rosette will be awarded to the winner of Class 25

The Wickens Cup to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 2 - 23

The Sir Frederick Bourne Cup to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 26 - 41

The May Cup to the winner of Class 39

The Lady Bourne Cup to the exhibitor gaining most points in Classes 42 - 43

Buxted Horticultural Society Certificate awarded for the best exhibit in Classes 1 - 23 and in Classes 26 - 41; a Certificate for the best exhibit in Classes 42 - 43

The Miss Thorley Cup to the exhibitor with most points gained throughout the year, excluding flower arranging, domestic and handicraft classes.

The Granary Cup to be awarded to the exhibitor with most points, for the year, in the domestic and handicraft classes.

A Rosette and prize money to the winner of best in show public vote

TO ENTER

Please use the entry form at the back of the Show Schedules.

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Show Secretary - Mrs Jane Wells

RECIPES for 2018

For this year we have elected to not stipulate a recipe to follow for any of the domestic classes.

BEST in SHOW for 2018

For a bit of fun—This year we have introduced a public vote at each show for the ONE entry of any class that takes your eye.

At each show there will be voting by means of a slip costing just 10p. Just write the class number and entrant number and pop in the voting box.

The winner will be the class entry with the most votes and will receive a rosette and the total money collected for voting slips.

ENTRY FORM FOR THE AUTUMN 2018 SHOW

* Please put a ring round the classes entered

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	

Total entry fees.....

Full Name (block letters please).....

Address.....

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ENTRY FORM FOR THE SUMMER 2018 SHOW

* Please put a ring round the classes entered

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
37	38	39	40	41	42	43					

Total entry fees.....

Full Name (block letters please).....

Address.....

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ENTRY FORM FOR THE SPRING 2018 SHOW

* Please put a ring round the classes entered

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36

Total entry fees.....

Full Name (block letters please).....

Address.....

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DIVISION 1 - TRUMPET DAFFODIL CULTIVARS



One flower to a stem;
corona (“trumpet”) as long
as, or longer than the
perianth segments
 (“petals”)

DIVISION 2 - LARGE-CUPPED DAFFODIL CULTIVARS



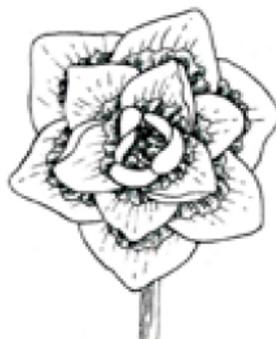
One flower to a stem;
corona (“cup”) more than
one-third, but less than
equal to the length of the
perianth segments
 (“petals”)

DIVISION 3 - SMALL-CUPPED DAFFODIL CULTIVARS



One flower to a stem;
corona (“cup”) not more
than one-third the length
of the perianth segments
 (“petals”)

DIVISION 4 - DOUBLE DAFFODIL CULTIVARS



One or more flowers to a
stem, with doubling of the
perianth segments or the
corona or both



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