

East Bergholt Horticultural Society

(Founded 1895)



# Annual Show

The Constable Hall

Gandish Road, East Bergholt

**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019**

**2 pm**

# SCHEDULE

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# Chairman's Welcome

Welcome to all our existing and new members. It is never too early to start thinking and preparing for the Annual Show. If you look at the Schedule you will notice that there are some significant changes that we are implementing this year. We are doing this to try and make the Show more attractive to those of you that haven't participated, whilst keeping it interesting to previous entrants. We hope the changes will give more of you the confidence to enter. It's good fun so come on have a go, we're sure you will enjoy it if you do.

## TROPHIES

**to be held for ONE year only, will be awarded as follows:**

<b>HARRIS CHALLENGE BOWL</b>	Division I – Fruit and Vegetables
<b>TATUM SHIELD</b>	Division II - Flowers
<b>KATHLEEN McBRIDE CHALLENGE CUP</b>	Division III – Floral Art
<b>SYDNEY CRIPPS MEMORIAL TROPHY</b>	Division III – best exhibit in Floral Art
<b>LADIES' CHALLENGE CUP</b>	Division IV – Cookery
<b>KEITH ALCOE MENS' COOKERY CUP</b>	Division IV – Men only class
<b>PRESIDENT'S CUP</b>	Division V – Handicraft
<b>SECRETARY'S CUP</b>	Division VI – Photography
<b>DINES CUP</b>	Division VII – Age 12-16 years
<b>HOLMAN CUP</b>	Division VII – Age 8-11 years
<b>STROUD CUP</b>	Division VII – Age 5-7 years
<b>LAVENDER HALL KINDERGARTEN CUP</b>	Division VII – Age to 4
<b>BEST CHILD'S EXHIBIT</b>	To the child who, in the opinion of the judge, has the entered the best exhibit in Division VII
<b>CLEAVER DAHLIA TROPHY</b>	For the best Dahlia exhibit in the Show
<b>BEST IN SHOW SILVER SALVER</b>	To the exhibitor who, in the opinion of the judges, has entered the best exhibit in Divisions I and II
<b>BANKSIAN MEDAL and WINNERS SHIELD</b>	To the winner of the current year's Banksian Medal
<b>BEST ALLOTMENT SHIELD</b>	To the winner of the best allotment

The Royal Horticultural Society's BANKSIAN MEDAL, (retained by the Winner) will be awarded to the winner of the highest number of points in Divisions I and II.

Winners of this award in 2016 and 2017 are not eligible to win in 2019.

## SHOW RULES FOR EXHIBITORS

**Show Secretary: Louise Kemp, School House, Heath Road, East Bergholt, CO7 6RJ. Tel: 01206 298122 or 07753 422474**

**Completed Entry Forms** should be with the Show Secretary by **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August by midday** apart from Best Kept Allotment which needs to be in by **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June**.

Contact the Show Secretary for late entries.

An exhibitor can only make one entry in any Class.

**The Hall will be open for exhibitors to stage their entries from 7.30 to 10.15am. All exhibitors must leave the Hall by 10.20am. Judging starts at 10.30am.**

Trophies will be presented at approximately 4pm. Please don't remove any exhibits until after the presentations.

The exhibitor must have grown any garden produce that is shown.

Objections to any exhibit must be lodged with the Show Secretary on the day of the Show.

The decision of the Judges shall be final.

If there are less than five entries in any one Class, the Judges shall decide which prizes are awarded. The Judges may withhold any award if they consider the entry undeserving.

No responsibility will be taken by the Committee for the loss of, or damage to, exhibits at the Show or in transit.

**If in doubt – enter it!!**

***ENTRY FEE: 10p per exhibit, except for Division VII which is free***

POINTS AND MONEY AWARDED:	1 <sup>st</sup>	10 points and £1
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	6 points and 60p
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 points and 40p

Rosettes will also be awarded in Division VII (Children's' Classes) for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes and Highly Commended

**Prize monies to be collected from Show Secretary AFTER 3pm**

Prize-winners are requested to return trophies to the Show Secretary on Show Day for engraving.

**Trophies to be returned to the Society by the end of July 2020**

*All exhibitors (except children) must be members of the Society.  
The annual subscription is £2.50 per member, just add this onto your entry fees if you are not a member.*

## **DIVISION I**

### **VEGETABLES AND FRUIT**

Open to all members, it is intended for experienced and novice gardeners to compete together, with classes suitable for all standards. The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Harris Challenge Bowl and an award to the value of £3.

#### **VEGETABLES**

##### *Class*

- 1 Potatoes – 5 white
- 2 Potatoes – 5 coloured
- 3 Runner Beans – 5 pods
- 4 Carrots – 3 trimmed to 75mm
- 5 French Beans – 5 pods
- 6 Cucumbers – 1
- 7 Tomatoes – 5 red medium with calyxes max 65mm diameter
- 8 Tomatoes – 9 red cherry or plum with calyxes max 35mm diameter
- 9 Tomatoes – 5 any ripe type with calyxes (any other colour)
- 10 Tomatoes – 3 large with calyxes (not less than 75mm)
- 11 Beetroot – 3 trimmed
- 12 Corn on the Cob – 2
- 13 Onions – 5 harvested under 250g
- 14 Onions – 3 harvested over 250g
- 15 Cabbage – 1 green or red
- 16 Shallots – 12 large
- 17 Shallots – 12 small, not to exceed 30mm in diameter
- 18 Lettuces – 1
- 19 Parsnips – 3 trimmed to 75mm
- 20 Leeks - 3 trimmed
- 21 Courgettes – 3
- 22 Chilli Peppers – 3
- 23 Any vegetable not mentioned above
- 24 Jam jar of herbs
- 25 Flowers and Vegetables – 3 stems of one variety in a vase plus 3 vegetables of one variety
- 26 Longest runner bean
- 27 Heaviest marrow
- 28 Longest carrot
- 29 A humorous mis-shapen vegetable or fruit!

## **FRUIT**

### *Class*

- 35 Apples (dessert) – 3 same variety
- 36 Apples (cooking) – 3 same variety
- 37 Pears – 3 same variety
- 38 Raspberries – 10 with stalks
- 39 Plums – 5 same variety
- 40 Any fruit not mentioned above

## **DIVISION II**

### **FLOWERS**

Open to all members, it is intended for experienced and novice gardeners to compete together, with classes suitable for all standards. The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Tatum Shield and an award to the value of £3. Small vases are available if required.

### **FLOWERS**

#### *Class*

- 45 Roses – vase of 3 blooms (any variety)
- 46 Rose – 1 specimen bloom
- 47 Rose – made up a buttonhole
- 48 Dahlia – 1 bloom large
- 49 Dahlias – vase of 3 pompoms
- 50 Dahlias – vase of 3 cactus or semi-cactus
- 51 Chrysanthemums – vase of 3 sprays
- 52 Asters – annual vase of 3 any colour
- 53 Perennials – vase of 3 stems any variety (NOT flowering shrubs)
- 54 Pot plant in flower (including orchids)
- 55 Pot plant – foliage
- 56 Annuals – vase of 5 stems
- 57 Flowering shrub – vase of any kind (61cm spread max)
- 58 Gladiolus – 1 specimen spike
- 59 Gladioli – vase of 3 stems
- 60 Hydrangea – 3 stems
- 61 Delphiniums – vase of 3 stems, 1 or more varieties
- 62 A vase of pink flowers. No accessories to be used.
- 63 One specimen bloom or spray, not mentioned above

### **BEST ALLOTMENT – Class 65**

This will be judged during July taking account of:

1. Condition of plot
2. Standard of workmanship
3. Quality/range of content
4. Visual aspect

Please advise the show secretary by **30<sup>th</sup> June** of your allotment entry.

## **DIVISION III**

### **FLORAL ART**

Open to all non-professional flower arrangers. Flowers and accessories may be purchased. No maximum height specified but exhibits should not exceed 45cm in width.

NAFAS rules do not apply.

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Kathleen McBride Challenge Cup and an award of £3.**

#### *Class*

- 100 A hand-tied bouquet
- 102 An arrangement in a basket
- 103 A table arrangement themed on a Ruby Wedding Anniversary
- 104 A miniature garden
- 105 A 'petite' floral arrangement, size not more than 10" (25cm) overall
- 106 A vase of foliage.

## **DIVISION IV**

### **COOKERY**

Open to non professionals. Food must be covered, preferably in a clear plastic bag or loosely wrapped clingfilm, but not sealed in any way (except class 114). No doyleys to be used. No screw top lids to be used for jams. Please ensure date made is stated on jar label.

**The exhibitor gaining most points will receive the Ladies Challenge Cup and an award of £3. The winner of class 112 will receive the Keith Alcoe Mens' Cookery Cup.**

#### *Class*

- 110 Swiss Roll (*recipe and method provided*)
- 111 Victoria Sponge (3 eggs) sandwich with vanilla butter cream and jam – 7" tin
- 112 Cake made by a man – Moist Chocolate Cake (*recipe and method provided*)
- 113 Cheese Straws – 5 to be shown
- 114 Herb Bread (*recipe and method provided*)
- 115 Lemon Meringue Pie using homemade shortcrust pastry
- 116 Ginger biscuits – 5 to be shown
- 117 Millionaire Shortbread – 5 to be shown
- 118 A jar of soft fruit jam
- 119 A jar of chutney. Jar to be sealed with a non-metallic lid.

### **Recipe: Class 110 – Swiss Roll**

**Ingredients:** butter, to grease  
50g caster sugar, plus an extra 2 tbsp to dust  
100g strawberry jam  
2 large eggs  
50g self-raising flour, sieved

#### **Method:**

1. Heat oven to 180C/160C fan/gas 4. Grease and line a 16 x 28cm Swiss roll tin with baking parchment.
2. Beat the eggs and sugar together for 5 mins with an electric hand whisk until thick and pale. Gently fold in the flour in two batches using a large metal spoon. Pour mixture into the tin and gently ease into the corners. Bake for 10-12 mins until golden and firm. Be careful not to overbake, or the sponge will break when rolled.
3. While the sponge is baking, sprinkle 2 tbsp sugar over a square of baking parchment. Warm the jam in the microwave for 20 secs.
4. Turn the baked sponge into the sugared paper. Peel off the lining paper and spread the sponge with the warm jam. Roll up from the short edge using the paper to help you then cool on a wire rack and dust with caster sugar.

### **Recipe: Class 112 – Moist Chocolate Cake**

#### **Ingredients:** For the cake:

220g plain flour	1 level tsp baking powder
1 level tsp bicarbonate of soda	2 level tbsp cocoa powder
150g caster sugar	2 tbsp golden syrup
2 eggs	142 mls milk

#### For the butter cream:

85g butter	175g icing sugar
2 ½ tbsp cocoa powder	2 ½ tbsp milk
Apricot jam	

#### For the topping:

115g unsalted butter	250g plain chocolate
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#### **Method**

**Cake** - Sieve the flour, baking powder, bicarbonate of soda and cocoa powder into a mixing bowl and make a well in the middle then add the sugar, golden syrup, eggs, milk and vegetable oil. Beat all together until it makes a smooth batter and divide into 2 greased and lined 8inch sandwich tins.

Cook at 160°C for 35/40 mins then leave to cool.

**Butter cream** - mix butter and icing sugar until smooth, add cocoa powder and milk and mix well again until smooth.

**Sandwich cakes** together with apricot jam and chocolate butter cream.

**Make the topping** by melting ingredients in a bowl over a pan of simmering water or in the microwave the spread over the top of the cake.

### **Recipe: Class 114 – Herb Bread**

6 tbsp milk	6 tbsp hot water	7g sachet easy blend yeast
275g wholemeal flour	4 tsp sugar	1 tsp salt
25g butter plus extra for greasing		1 small onion – grated
½ tsp each of oregano and rosemary		

Mix the milk and water plus 1/2 tsp of sugar into a small bowl. Combine the flour, easy blend yeast, sugar and salt in a large bowl and rub in the butter then add the onion and herbs, pour in the liquid and mix to a dough.

Knead for 5-10 minutes then put the dough back into the large bowl and cover with a clean damp cloth and leave until doubled in size (about 45 minutes in a warm place)

Pre-heat the oven to 230°C

Knock back the dough and place into a loaf tin, cover and leave for 20-30 minutes to rise.

*Bake for 10 minutes then reduce the oven to 200°C for 25 minutes.*

## **DIVISION V**

### **HANDICRAFT**

#### **NO PREVIOUS ENTRIES TO BE SHOWN.**

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the President's Cup and an award of £3.**

#### *Class*

- 125 A hand-knitted garment or accessory in double knitting
- 126 A Fidget Blanket (entries to be donated to charity)
- 127 A home-made soft toy
- 128 A home-made upcycled item (please include name of original item)
- 129 A watercolour painting – framed or unframed
- 130 An acrylic/oil painting – framed or unframed
- 131 Bunting – 1 to 3 metres
- 132 Any piece of tapestry or embroidery
- 133 Any craft item not mentioned above

## **DIVISION VI**

### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

#### **NO PREVIOUS ENTRIES TO BE SHOWN, AMATEURS ONLY**

Prints to be standard size 18cm x 13cm or 15cm x 10cm, colour or black and white and not mounted. Photos **must** have been taken by the entrant and **not** have been digitally enhanced.

*Exhibitors must ensure that their names are on the back of the photograph.*

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Secretary's Cup and an award of £3.**

#### *Class*

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 134 A garden             | 135 An action scene               |
| 136 Mountains/hills      | 137 Circles (black & white photo) |
| 138 On the river         | 139 A bird                        |
| 140 Vegetable still life | 141 Red                           |



## **DIVISION VII**

### **CHILDRENS' CLASSES**

Open to all children who reside, or attend school or nursery, in East Bergholt; or who are related to members of East Bergholt Horticultural Society. All exhibits to be entirely the work of the exhibitor except where, for reasons of safety, parental/adult assistance is necessary.

**Age to be stated so that it is visible to the Judge on all exhibits.**

#### Age 12 to 16 years

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Dines Cup**

145 A miniature garden in a seed tray

146 5 chocolate flapjacks

147 An animal made out of vegetables and/or fruit

#### Age 8 to 11 years

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Holman Cup**

149 An animal made out of vegetables and/or fruit

150 A miniature garden in a seed tray

151 5 Rocky Road squares

#### Age to 5 to 7 years

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Stroud Cup**

153 Flowers in a jam jar

154 An animal made out of vegetables and/or fruit

155 5 cornflake cakes

#### Age to 4 years

**The exhibitor gaining the most points will receive the Lavender Hall  
Kindergarten Cup**

157 Cress grown in an eggshell

158 Finger painting

159 Hedgehog made out of a pine cone

# Store Price List

## COMPOSTS

Bark: Clover, Ornamental 75 ltrs	£6.45
Ericaceous: Clover 75 ltrs	£5.10
Growbags: Clover 38 ltrs	£2.55
John Innes Seed no 1,2 & 3 20/25 ltrs	£3.60
Multipurpose: Clover 75 ltrs	£5.00
Perlite	£8.25

## FERTILISER

Baby Bio	£2.40
Bonemeal 25kg	£18.85
Bonemeal 5 lbs	£1.75
Doff liquid growmore 1 ltr	£3.00
Fish, Blood & Bone 25kg	£15.00
Fish, Blood & Bone 5 lbs	£1.40
Miracle Grow All Purpose Plant Food 1ltr	£3.20
Miracle Grow Slow Release Fertiliser 1kg	£5.10
6X Poultry Pellets 8kg	£6.85
Rose Fertiliser 5lbs	£1.75
Growmore 25kg	£21.50
Growmore 5lbs	£1.95
Tomato Feed (Tomorite)	£3.25
Weed Feed & Moss 20kg	£24.00
Weed Feed & Moss 5lbs	£2.75

## WEED KILLERS

Bayer Glyphosate 500ml (concentrate)	£7.85
Doff Glyphosate 1 ltr (ready to use)	£2.75
Weedol pathclear tube (concentrate)	£1.60
SBK Brush killer 250ml	£7.00

## INSECTICIDES

Bug Killer 1 ltr	£4.50
Rose Clear 200ml	£5.75
Doff slug pellets 800gms	£2.80

## MISC

Bird Food: Fat balls	£1/5
Wild bird seed	25p/1lb
Sunflower hearts	65p/1lb
Canes 4ft	25p
Canes 8ft	60p
Citrox Agraian 500ml	£4.10
Cool Glass greenhouse shading	£1.25
Fleece 2m wide	£30p/mtr
Gloves gents	£2.25
Gloves ladies	£2.15
Garotta 3.5kg	£4.75
Jeyes Fluid 300ml	£5.25
Jeyes Fresh Bin 680gms	£2.35
Labels 10cm (50)	50p
Labels 15cm (50)	90p
Phostrogen Swellgell 250g	£5.95
Salt tablets – sack	£8.50
Sequestrine plant tonic sachet	75p
Vitax rooting powder	£1.50
String – brown	£2.75
String – green	£1.65
Tap connectors	£1.25

NB Prices may fluctuate throughout the year

## THE SOCIETY'S STORE

(at the rear of Robertsons Almshouses next to the church)

**will be open for the sale of fertilisers,  
peat, compost, etc. at competitive prices**

**SUNDAYS 9.30 till 10.30**

**17th February to 22nd September**

# SOCIETY OFFICIALS

## **President**

Rupert Eley

## **Vice-Presidents**

Miss G Bleaden, Messrs R Ansell,  
G Harris, R Pooley and P Williets

## **Chairman**

Andy Fenn, 2 Fiddlers Lane, 01206 298908

## **Secretary**

Mary Butcher, Whitehays, Orvis Lane, 01206 299672

## **Treasurer**

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## **Membership Secretary**

Andy Fenn, 2 Fiddlers Lane, 01206 298908

## **Show Secretary & Vice Chairman**

Louise Kemp, School House, Heath Road, 01206 298122

## **Committee**

Janet Alcoe, 2 Rose Gardens, Woodgates Road	01206 298724
Joe Eccles, 17 Broom Knoll, East End	01206 392098
Evie Johnson, Little Court, The Street	01206 299981
Anne Manuel, 4 Beehive Corner	01206 299628
Hugh Smith, Notley Bay, Orvis Lane	01206 298118

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# EVENTS CALENDAR FOR 2019

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April – Quiz and Fish & Chip Supper – Lambe School - 7pm**  
A fun evening with teams of 4 to 6 and a fish & chip supper.

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Talk by Jim Buttress – Constable Hall – 7.30pm**  
With his trademark bowler hat Jim Buttress is a familiar figure to garden lovers. As head judge at the RHS he presided over shows like Chelsea and Harrogate and was Superintendent of the Royal Parks. He's also known as the Peoples Gardener and was a popular judge on the BBC's Big Allotment Challenge.

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Plant Sale – Lambe School – 10am till 12noon**  
Come along to our annual plant sale where many shrubs, bedding and vegetable plants will be on offer.

**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Soft Fruit Show – Notley Bay, Orvis Lane - 2-4pm**  
**\*\*NEW\*\*** this year, an afternoon of soft fruit competitions plus tea and cake.

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Coach Trip – Copped Hall**  
Copped Hall is a fine Georgian mansion with gardens situated on a site of ancient human habitation and is currently under restoration.  
Tea, coffee and cake on arrival, leave the village at 9am.  
PACKED LUNCH required.

**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August – Annual Show – Constable Hall – 1pm**  
Over 100 classes including vegetables, fruit, flowers, flower arranging, cookery, handicraft, photography and children's. Refreshments, raffle and licensed bar.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October – Pumpkin Competitions and AGM – Lambe School - 6pm**  
Our popular pumpkin competitions will again be held before the AGM with heaviest and best carved adults and children classes.

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