LOWDHAM

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

FOUNDED IN 1893

AFFILIATED TO THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2016 SUMMER SHOW

AT THE VILLAGE HALL AND PLAYING FIELDS LOWDHAM

BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 29th August 2016

£2.00 Children under 16 yrs. of age FREE

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The Society

The Lowdham Horticultural Society was founded in 1893 with the first show taking place in August that year.

If you have an interest in flowers, fruit and vegetables and enjoy social gatherings why not join the society? We have two shows each year, The Spring Show in April and the Summer Show in August, plus the Apple Day in October. Visits are arranged to interesting places in the summer months and during the winter we have a series of monthly talks in Lowdham village WI hall at 7.30 on Thursday evenings.

The Annual Subscription is £10.00. A small charge is made for non members attending the winter talks and everyone is welcome.

For the benefit of members the Society operates a subsidised seed scheme and subsidised coach trips to places of gardening interest.

The Society Secretary is Christine Baggaley, telephone 0115 966 3734.

Why not have a look at our website for details of the Society and any forthcoming events.

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Lowdham Horticultural Society through the years Extracts from our archives

- 1893 Opening year The large marquee presented a beautiful appearance due to the exceedingly pretty show of flowers and plants but the pansies, zinnias and stocks ought to be singled out for special mention'. Newark Advertiser August 26th 1893
- 1912 The Committee and Judges include Mr Williamson of Gunthorpe Lodge, Mr Alf Jackson, Dr Brooks, Mr Edward Franklin, Mr Stacey Blake and eleven others.
- The Show was held on August 18th and was sited in a field behind the
 Magna Carta Inn by kind permission of Mr H J Pratt. It was opened by Mrs J
 D Player and the net result was £210.
- 1939 45 During the war years the Lowdham Flower Show was discontinued and the villagers started alternative projects.
- 1940 The Womens Institute opened a Fruit Preservation Centre and in August and September of that year alone 955 tins of fruit and tomatoes were canned and 1009 lbs of jam and pickles were made.
- 1950 The Show was disappointing in that it only made £116.5s.0d net profit. It was suggested that future shows should be held on the cricket ground where they would be visible from the by- pass and from Southwell Road.
- 1952 For the second year in succession Mr G W Haggis won the Evening News

 Cup for the highest number of points in the Horticultural Classes. His wife
 gained the highest number of awards in the Produce Section and his father,

Mr W H Haggis of Stafford, won awards for cacti, succulent plants and honey.

- RULES -- 2016 SHOW

 The Show is open to everybody regardless of where they live.
- Exhibits will be staged between 8 am and 10.30 am on Monday 29th August. NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER 10.30 am
- Judging will commence promptly at 11 am.
- NO EXHIBITS WILL BE MOVED UNTIL AN ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE IN THE MARQUEE - APPROXIMATELY AT 4.30 pm
- The Society Rules for judging the Horticultural Classes are based on the recommendations of the Royal Horticultural Society, and the decision of the judges is final.
- Winners of the Banksian Medal in 2014 may not be awarded the medal in 2016 and the winner in 2015 may not be awarded the medal in 2016 or 2017 under RHS rules.
- The Novice Classes are for gardeners who have not won a 1st prize in the Main Classes. The prize money and points awarded in these Classes will not count towards the totals for the Society's Cups and Trophies.
- No exhibitor may be awarded more than one prize in any one class.
- The following scale of points is used to calculate winners of Cups and Section Awards.

Classes 1, 33 & 78 10pts: 1st. 6pts: 2nd. 4pts: 3rd. Classes 2, 3, 4, 34, 35 & 83 7pts: 1st. 4pts: 2nd. 3pts: 3rd. Remainder Classes 5pts: 1st. 3pts: 2nd. 2pts: 3rd.

The Royal Horticultural Society Bronze Medal will be won outright. 10 The Nottingham Evening News Challenge Cup, The Pearson Bowl, The Walter Bennett Plate, The Hoveringham Cup, The McAlpine Challenge Cup, The Smith Memorial Challenge Cup, The Furley Cup, The Birkin Trophy, The Croft Cup, The George Haggis Memorial Trophy, The Revell Cup, The David Rees Memorial Cup, The Burton Challenge Trophy, the Gerry Reddish Memorial Plate, the Lowdham Silver Plate and the Charles King Memorial Cup are perpetual challenge trophies which will be held by the winners for 12 months.

The winners are to give satisfactory security to the Society that the trophies will be returned to the Hon. Show Secretary two weeks before the date of the following show.

- 11 In the event of two or more exhibitors having equal numbers of points competing for a cup, medal or bowl, the award will go to the exhibitor having the greatest number of first prizes.
- 12 All competitors who wish to claim their prize money should apply to the Treasurer between 4 and 5 pm.
- The Committee will not be responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit or 13 property whilst in its custody.
- 14 The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.

LOWDHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY **APPROXIMATE TIME TABLE 2016**

STAGING OF EXHIBITS 8.00 am **COMMENCES**

10.30 am STAGING OF EXHIBITS ENDS

11.00 am JUDGING COMMENCES

SHOW OPENS AT- 1.00pm

EVENTS (approx times)

1.00 pm	Carlton Brass Band
1.30 pm	Punch and Judy
2.00 pm	Hawks of Steele
2.30pm	Dako Flying Angels
3.00 pm	Carlton Brass Band
3.30 pm	Dako Flying Angels
4.00 pm	Duck Race
4.15 pm	PRESENTATION OF PRIZES
4.30 pm	RAFFLE DRAW followed by AUCTION

Sideshows and Stalls open all afternoon – refreshments until 4.00pm

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2016 COMMITTEE

Chairman: Mrs N Macdonald

Vice Chairman: Vacancy

Secretary: Mrs C Baggaley

Show Secretary: Mrs T Aram
Treasurer: Mr A Horne

Mrs B. Beales Miss J. Halpin Mrs J Powell-Perry Mr G Burton Mrs J Johnson Mr W Powell-Perry Mrs A Scrivener Mr K Fretwell Miss Y Greenfield Mr G Scrivener

LIFE MEMBERS

Rev. E Ashby Mrs M Ashby Mrs C Baggaley

Mr F Jervis Mrs J Jervis Mrs D King

Mr J D Linley Mrs J Nutting Mrs H Turner

Mr P McDonnell Mrs J Hardy

SHOW JUDGES FOR 2016

Vegetables:Mr M DaveyFruitMrs S GreenFlowers:Mr D WilliamsFlower Arrangements:Mrs J Borrowdale

Produce: Mr J Aram
Photography: Mrs R King
Young People Classes: Mrs C Statham
Handicrafts: Mrs F Darroch

Preserves: Mrs D Yates & Mrs A Martin

Show Secretary: Mrs T Aram Tel: 0115 966 3772
Show Treasurer: Mr A Horne Tel: 0115 923 4268
Schedule Secretary Yvonne Greenfield Tel: 07788 435857

The Committee will be very pleased to receive surplus produce, exhibits, donations and gifts of any kind and size for sale on the Produce and Gift Stalls and at the Auction at the end of the Show. The proceeds will swell the Prize Fund.

Produce and gifts will be auctioned at approximately 4.30 pm.

The Committee is grateful to donors who have sponsored the prize money for the Collections in the Show and those who provided gifts for the raffle. We would also like to thank the businesses who have advertised in our schedule.

SPECIAL AWARDS & 2015 TROPHY **WINNERS**

THE NOTTINGHAM EVENING NEWS CHALLENGE CUP Mr A Baggalev Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Horticultural Classes.

THE BANKSIAN MEDAL of the ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY Mrs M Handley Awarded, according to the RHS rules, to the winner of the largest total amount of prize money in the whole of the Horticultural Classes in the Show (Excluding Classes 4 & 83) .

THE T. F. REVELL MEMORIAL CUP

Mr C Grocock

Awarded to the winner of Class 1 (Collection of vegetables, 6 different kinds).

THE FRED FURLEY MEMORIAL CUP

Mr A Baggaley

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in all the Vegetable Classes 1-28.

THE SMITH PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP

Mr A Baggaley

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Fruit Classes 29 to 40.

THE GEORGE HAGGIS MEMORIAL TROPHY

Mrs M Handley

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Flower Classes 78 to 110

THE CROFT CUP FOR COLOUR CONTENT

Mrs W Fisher

Awarded to the winner of Class 108

THE WALTER BENNETT PERPETUAL CHALLENGE PLATE

Mrs T Aram

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Flower Arrangement Classes 62 - 67

THE PEARSON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE BOWL

Mr P McDonnell

Awarded to the winner of Class 104

THE HOVERINGHAM PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP

Mr C Barnes

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Produce Classes 48 to 60

THE McALPINE PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP

A Kearsley

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Young People Classes 68 to 77

THE Mrs V. BIRKIN TROPHY

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Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in selective

Preserve Classes.

THE RHS BRONZE MEDAL (Flowers)

Mr M Fisher

Awarded to the best exhibit in the Flower classes (excluding Class 108)

THE RHS BRONZE MEDAL (Veg.)

Mr C Grocock

Awarded to the best exhibit in the Vegetable Classes (Excluding the Collections.)

THE RHS BRONZE MEDAL (Fruit.)

Mr A Baggaley

Awarded to the best exhibit in the Fruit Classes (Excluding the Collections.)

LOWDHAMS VEGETABLE TRAY

Mr A Baggaley

Tokens awarded for the collection of 3 vegetables from the nominated 8 vegetables.

LOWDHAMS FLOWER VASE For a vase of mixed flowering stems Mrs W Fisher

THE DAVID REES MEMORIAL CUP

Lvnda Shelton

Jointly Mr

GScrivener

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Photographic Classes.

THE BURTON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY

Mrs T Aram

Mr M

Awarded to the exhibitor with the Best Flower Arrangement in the Show.

Fisher

THE GERRY REDDISH MEMORIAL PLATE

Mr M Fisher

Awarded to the exhibitor with the most points in the Dahlia and Chrysanthemum Classes.

LOWDHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY PLATE

R Morecroft

Awarded to the best Young Peoples exhibit.

CHARLES KING MEMORIAL TROPHY

Mr M Fisher

Awarded to the exhibitor with the most points in the Pot Plant Classes.

SCHEDULE of CLASSES

An Entrance Fee of 20p per exhibit applies to all exhibits. Young People's classes are FREE

Prize Money (unless otherwise stated):

1st - £2.50 2nd - £2.00 3rd - £1.50

VEGETABLE COLLECTIONS

- 1. Collection of vegetables, 6 different kinds 2 of each Prizes: 1st £10.00 2nd £5.00 3rd £3.00
- 2. Collection of potatoes, 3 different varieties, 3 of each Prizes: 1st £4.00 2nd £3.00 3rd £2.00
- A basket of mixed vegetables, 8 different kinds, any number of each, To be judged for variety, quality & effect.
 Prizes: 1st - £4.00 2nd - £3.00 3rd - £2.00

4. LOWDHAM LEISUREWORLD VEGETABLE TRAY

Collection of 3 different kinds of vegetables, 2 of each Prizes: 1st - £10.00 2nd - £5.00 3rd - £3.00 The Rules for this Class are given later in the Schedule

The T. F. REVELL MEMORIAL CUP will be presented to the winner of Class 1

VEGETABLE CLASSES

- 5. 3 Parsnips with tops, foliage trimmed back to 7.5cms (3ins)
- 6 3 blanched Leeks
- 7. 2 Cabbages
- 8. 3 Carrots tapering with tops, foliage trimmed back to 7.5cms(3ins)
- 9. 12 Shallots, judged on size and quality
- 3 Carrots any variety other than tapering with tops foliage trimmed back to7.5cms (3ins)
- 11. 5 Globe onions dressed
- 12. Pair of cucumbers other than ridge
- 13. 5 White Potatoes kidney, round or oval
- 14. 9 French beans
- 15. 5 Coloured Potatoes kidney, round or oval

- 5 Flat Onions dressed
- 17. Plate of 6 Tomatoes
- 18. 8 Kidney Beans
- 19. Pair of Marrows
- 20. Pair of Lettuces
- 21. Pair of Peppers
- 5 Onions, dressed, round or flat. Individual bulbs to be 250 grams or less in weight
- 23. 3 Beetroot, round foliage trimmed back to 7.5cms (3ins)
- 24. Small container of mixed herbs (cut),
- 25. A Truss of Cherry Tomatoes
- 26. 3 Courgettes
- 27. Plate of 12 Cherry Tomatoes (individuals not to exceed 35 mm in diameter)
- 28. One plate of any vegetable other than those specified in Classes 5 to 27
- 29. The Longest Kidney Bean

The **FRED FURLEY MEMORIAL CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor who gains the greatest number of points in Classes 1 to 28 inclusive.

NOVICE VEGETABLE CLASSES

Prizes: 1st - £2.50 2nd - £2.00 3rd - £1.50

30 5 Tomatoes

Well shaped, clear skinned rounded fruits, ripe but firm. Richly coloured with calvces attached

31 6 Kidney Beans

Long, uniform, straight, shapely, fresh pods of good colour with stalks, uniform tails and no outward sign of seeds

32 Plate of other vegetables (3 of a kind)

Well formed vegetables with size and colour characteristic of their kind, free from blemishes

FRUIT CLASSES (ALL FRUIT SHOULD BE SHOWN WITH STALKS)

- 33. 5 different kinds of fruit, displayed on separate plates, one variety to a plate Prizes: 1st £10.00 2nd £5.00 3rd £3.00
- 34. Collection of Apples, 4 distinct varieties, 5 of each Prizes: 1st £4.00 2nd £3.00 3rd £2.00

35.	A basket of 4 kinds of fruit, grown by the exhibitor, arranged for effect Prizes: 1st - £4.00 2nd - £3.00 3rd - £2.00					
36.	Plate of 5 Dessert Apples (Excluding Discovery)					
37.	Plate of 5 Pears					
38.	Plate of 5 Discovery Apples					
39.	Plate of 8 Plums					
40.	Plate of 5 Cooking Apples					
41.	Plate of 20 Blackberries					
41a.	Plate of 20 Raspberries					
42.	One Melon					
43.	Plate of 20 Damsons					
44.	Plate of One Kind of Fruit other than those specified in Classes 36 - 43					

The **SMITH CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor who gains the most points in Classes 33-44

NOVICE FRUIT CLASSES (ALL FRUIT SHOULD BE SHOWN WITH STALKS)

Prizes: 1st - £2.50 2nd - £2.00 3rd - £1.50

45 Plate of 3 Apples (Cooking or Dessert)

Optimum sized shapely fruits with eyes and stalks intact and clear

unblemished skins.

46 Plate of 3 Pears

Optimum sized shapely fruits with eyes and stalks intact and clear

unblemished skins.

47 Plate of any other kind of fruit

Fresh, ripe fruit with size and colour characteristic of the type. 3 specimens for large fruit (apricots, figs etc), 15 for small fruit (blackberries, raspberries, blueberries etc), well shaped ripe bunch for grapes

PRODUCE CLASSES

48 5 cheese scones (own	recipe)	
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49 *Jar of jam

49a *Jar of jelly

An 'artisan' bread (own recipe)

51	5 pieces of favourite tray bake (own recipe, state main ingredient)
52	Savoury flan (own recipe, state main ingredient)
53	Vegetarian pate (own recipe)
54	*Jar of lemon curd, with waxed disc
55	5 decorated cupcakes (own recipe)
56	A Toss - In fruit cake (recipe given)
57	Small bowl of coleslaw (own recipe)
58	Swiss Roll (own recipe)
59	5 Triple chocolate brownies (recipe given)
60	*Jar of chutney

The <code>HOVERINGHAM</code> <code>PERPETUAL</code> <code>CUP</code> will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest points in Classes 48-60

The **Mrs. V BIRKIN TROPHY** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest points in Classes 49, 49a, 54 and 60

MEN ONLY - 8 ins Victoria Sponge Sandwich (jam no cream)

RECIPES

61

Toss-In Fruit Cake

225g self Raising flour 225g mixed fruit 115g caster sugar 115g margarine 2 eggs 1 tsp mixed spice ½ cup milk

Preheated oven 180 c Gas 4

Mix together in a bowl the flour and mixed fruit, add margarine and sugar, then add two eggs, mixed spice and milk, mix well put into 6 /7inch cake tin bake in medium oven

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

Prizes: 1st - £5.00 2nd - £4.00 3rd - £2.50

Please Note: Intention to enter the Flower Arrangement Classes must be notified to the Show Secretary before noon on Sunday 28th August in order that adequate space

may be allocated for these exhibits. 62. A SONG IN MY HEART - An arrangement not to exceed 45cm (18") in width or depth. This is a NOVICE class for anyone who has not won a 1st prize in a flower arrangement class at any Lowdham Horticultural Society Show 77. 3 sticky toffee cupcakes (recipe given) 63 SEASHELL - A petite design in a shell. Not to exceed 25cm (10") in width, depth or height. FLORAL CUSHION - To be created on a 8inch posy pad base. Designed to 64. bea table centre **Pinwheel Cookies** Free Entry - (posy pad base provided and available in advance from the Show Secretary) 175g margarine 75q icing sugar VINTAGE MEMORIES - A design to depict the title. Not to exceed 60cm 65. 1tsp vanilla extract (24") in width or depth. 250g Plain Flour 25g melted chocolate THE CROWN JEWELS - A colourful arrangement to depict the title. Not to 66. exceed 45cm (18") in width or depth CONTRAST - A design to depict the title. Not to exceed 60cm (24") in width 67. or depth. well combined .PLEASE NOTE. Accessories may be included in any exhibit. The BURTON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY will be awarded for the

Best Flower Arrangement in the Show.

The WALTER BENNETT PERPETUAL CHALLENGE PLATE will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in Classes 62 to 67.

YOUNG PEOPLE CLASSES

Up to 16 years of age. Age **must** be stated in order to be taken into consideration. There will be a free gift awarded to every entrant in each Young People Class.

68.	5 pieces Fruit Flapjack (own recipe)	}
69.	A creature made from fruit or vegetable .	}
70.	A homemade birthday card	}
	A homemade bug hotel An edible necklace	} } 10 years or unde } }
73.	3 pinwheel cookies (recipe given)	}

74. An article of handicraft you have made	}
75. A small hand tied posy	} } 11 to 16 years old
76. A4 size Poster depicting the 2016 Olympics	}
77 3 sticky toffee cuncakes (recine given)	} `\

Preheated oven 180c, Gas 4 greased baking tray

Beat together margarine and icing sugar add vanilla extract, gradually add plain flour to form a soft dough, Divide mixture into two pieces, add melted chocolate to one piece mix until

Cover and chill both pieces for 30 minutes.

Roll out each portion into a narrow rectangle about 1cm

Carefully place one rectangle on top of the other and roll up like a swiss roll, cut across into slices place on baking tray and bake for about 10 minutes until firm, place on wire rack to cool.

Sticky Toffee Cupcakes

50g chopped Dates 1 tsp bicarbonate of soda 225ml hot water 175g plain flour 1tsp baking powder 50g margarine 200g soft brown sugar 1 lge egg ½ tsp vanilla extract Topping 25g butter 50g soft brown sugar

4 tbs dble cream

Line bun tin with paper cases (approx 18) Pre heated oven 180c Gas mark 4

Mix together the chopped dates bicarbonate of sod a and

hot water, leave to cool. Sift together flour and baking powder rub in margarine, add soft brown sugar, then add 1 egg and vanilla extract, beat together with the date mixture until well combined. Spoon into paper cases bake for about 25 minutes until risen and firm, allow to cool on wire rack. Make topping in a pan with butter, soft brown sugar and cream gently melt together then bring to the boil for 1-2 minutes until thickened, spread over each cake.

The **McALPINE PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Classes 68 to 77.

The LOWDHAM SILVER PLATE will be awarded to the best Young People's exhibit.

FLOWER CLASSES

- 78. 6 kinds of flowers, 6 stems of each in 6 containers, judged for quality & effect Prizes: 1st £10.00 2nd £5.00 3rd £3.00
- 79. One Geranium in bloom
 The PEARSON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE BOWL will be awarded to the
 Winner of class 79
- 80. One vase of annuals, 6 of one kind
- 81. 5 Blooms of Roses, one variety or mixed
- 82. + Dahlias, 3 blooms, small cactus or semi-cactus, usually 4" 6"
- 83. **LOWDHAM LEISUREWORLD FLOWER VASE**: A mixed vase of flowers containing a total of between 6 & 12 stems, taken from a minimum of two different kinds of plants.

Prize 1st - £10.00 2nd - £5.00 3rd - £3.00 The Rules for this Class are given later in the Schedule

- 84. One Spray of Floribunda (cluster) Roses
- 85. One Gladiolus
- 86. One Rose Bloom
- 87. 3 Stems of Shrub, one variety, flowering, fruiting or foliage. Maximum 24" width & depth
- 88. One Vase of Miniature Roses, the display not exceeding 12" in diameter
- 89. A Container of Shrubs, 5 kinds, flowering, fruiting or foliage. Maximum 24" width & depth
- 90. + Dahlias, 3 blooms, small decorative, usually 4" 6"

91.	3 Gladioli, same variety or mixed
92. +.	Dahlias, 3 blooms, miniature decorative up to 4"

- 93. One vase of Hardy Perennials, one kind, 6 stems
- 94. + 6 Blooms of Chrysanthemums, one variety or mixed
- 95 . * One Foliage Pot Plant
- 96. + Dahlias, 5 blooms, pompom, maximum diameter 2"
- 97. * 3 flowering Pot Plants, pots not exceeding 6" in diameter. Same kind or mixed
- 98. ~ 9 Asters, same variety or mixed
- 99. One cactus or succulent, in a pot, maximum pot diameter 4"
- 100. * One Flowering Pot Plant
- Pansies, 6 blooms, one variety or mixed. Display board provided by the Society
- 102. One Cactus or Succulent, in pot over 4" diameter
- 103. One Vase of Mixed Annuals
- 104. One Fuchsia in a pot
- 105. + 3 Stems of Spray Chrysanthemums, one variety or mixed
- 106. * 3 Foliage Pot Plants
- 107. 6 Stems of Sweet Peas
- A Container of Flowers and Foliage from your garden.
 To be judged on colour content only this is NOT "an arrangement"
 The CROFT CUP will be awarded to the winner of this class.
- 109. Flower heads floating in a bowl of water (max diameter 9")
- 110. One Patio Planter, maximum container width 18"
- + The **GERRY REDDISH MEMORIAL PLATE** will be awarded for the most points in the <u>Dahlia</u> and <u>Chrysanthemum</u> Classes 82, 90, 92, 94, 96 & 105.
- * The **CHARLES KING MEMORIAL CUP** will be awarded for the most points in the pot plant classes 95, 97, 100, & 106.

The **NOTTINGHAM EVENING NEWS CHALLENGE CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Horticultural Classes.

The **GEORGE HAGGIS MEMORIAL TROPHY** will be awarded for the most points in Classes 78 – 107, 109 & 110.

NOVICE FLOWER CLASSES

Prizes: 1st - £2.50 2nd - £2.00 3rd - £1.50

111 1 Rose

Average size for the type with good colour and evenly spaced petals

free from blemishes

112 Vase of Mixed Summer Flowers

Judged on quality and colour

113 Vase of one kind of Annuals or Perennials

Judged on quality

PHOTOGRAPHIC CLASSES

All entries to be unmounted without frames

Max. Size 9"	Size Over 9"	Subject
114.	118.	CLIMBING PLANTS
115.	119.	CATS
116.	120.	STATUES
117. 121		CHILDREN AT PLAY
NEW CLASS		
122 123		MY FAVOURITE PLACE - a class for 16's and under

("Size" is the greatest measurement of the photograph)

The **DAVID REES MEMORIAL CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the greatest number of points in the Photographic Classes.

SUBJECTS FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC CLASSES 2017

Get clicking for next year!!

INSECTS ON A FLOWER, FARM ANIMALS, VINTAGE CARS, CHURCHYARDS, Under 16s class NOTTINGHAM EVENT

If you have any favourite subject you would like to be included let us know and we can include it in the future - subject to the Committee's approval!!

HANDICRAFT

An item of handicraft made by the exhibitor not previously shown

124. Textile125. Non - textile

FOR ANY QUERIES REGARDING THE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OR THIS SCHEDULE YOU CAN CONTACT:

Mrs C Baggaley Tel: 0115 966 3734

Yvonne Greenfield Tel 07788 435857

Lowdhams Vegetable Tray 2016

Class 4 COMPETITION RULES:

- 1. All vegetables are to be displayed for effect, 2 of each kind
- They must be displayed within an area measuring 45cm x 60cm (18 x 24 in) without bending any part of them. No part of them may exceed the size of the tray.
- 3. A tray of the correct size will be provided by the society, or an area can simply be marked on the staging.
- 4. Parsley is allowed for garnishing, but no other foliage or accessories e.g. plates, sand rings etc, will be allowed.
- 5. Onion tops may be tied or whipped using raffia or string.

The winner of the **Lowdhams Vegetable Tray** will receive:

1st £10.00 2nd £5.00 3rd £3.00

NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS AND JUDGES

- Carrots and parsnips must have foliage trimmed back to 7.5cm (3in)
- Peas and beans must be displayed with some stalk attached.
- Tomatoes must be displayed with the green flower bud case (calyces)
- Judges may handle exhibits, open pods etc to check for quality.
- The tray, board or staging may not be cut or mutilated in any way e.g. cutting holes for onions to stand in.
- Judges should use their discretion, entries may have come from inexperienced exhibitors.
- Points awarded should be clearly marked by judges on the exhibitor's cards.
- Any queries, other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by the Show officials.

Failure to abide by any of these rules will lead to disqualification.

Lowdhams Flower Vase 2016

Class 83 COMPETITION RULES:

- 1 This class is for a vase of mixed flowering sterns containing a total of between 6 and 12 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.
- 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.
- 3 Stems used in the display must be showing flowers only; no seed heads or berries will be allowed.
- 4 The vase can be any shape and 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, is allowed. Packing material including Oasis - to keep the stems in place is allowed.

The winner of the **Lowdhams Flower Vase** class will receive:

1st £10.00 2nd £5.00 3rd £3.00

NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS AND JUDGES

- Flowering stems can be taken from ANY flowering plant.
- The different kinds of plants need to be taken from different genera For instance, pinks, carnations and sweet william - which are all dianthus - would not be classed as different kinds.
- Only fresh, home-grown flowers can be used in the vase. No dried or silk flowers are allowed.
- 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.
- This class is open for anyone to enter and is not intended purely for growers who regularly display single species classes at shows.
- Judges should use their discretion when judging the Top Vase class, bearing in mind that the entries may come from inexperienced exhibitors. Judges and exhibitors should note that the display has to be viewed all round.
- The points awarded should be clearly marked by the judges on the exhibitors' cards.
- Any queries that may arise, regarding anything other than the above rules, should be referred to, and decided by, the show officials.

Failure to abide by any of these rules will lead to disqualification.