AUTUMN SHOW

Saturday 7th September 2024

Marindin Hall Frensham

2.30pm to 4.00pm

Prize giving at 3.45pm

ORGANISERS

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JUDGES

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ENTRIES

Entry form (available on website or in member's handbook) or email with the same details should reach the Show Organiser or be deposited at Frensham Village Shop no later than 12 noon on Thursday, 5th September 2024.

All exhibits must be staged between 9.15am and 10.45am on the morning of the Show, and before leaving exhibitors should check with the Stewards that their exhibits and entry slips are correctly placed in the appropriate Class.

The Show is open to the public between 2.30pm and 4.00pm after which exhibits are to be collected.

NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS

All exhibits in the Floral Arrangements, Flowers, Shrubs and Vegetables sections must have been grown in the exhibitor's garden or allotment and be entered in their name. The use of accessories is permitted but plant material must always predominate. Judging will be in accordance with RHS Horticultural Show Guidelines.

First prize	4 points	Second prize	3 points
Third prize	2 points	Highly commended	1 point

Exhibitors must supply their own vases, dishes and other containers. No exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in any one Class.

Junior classes are restricted to those aged 15 and under. To assist the Judges write the age of the child on the reverse of the entry slip and display next to their entry.

Open classes - entry open to society members and non-members with no age limits unless we specify open classes for juniors.

Exhibitors may include the name and variety of the flowers, plants, fruit and vegetables that they exhibit. This is purely for the interest of other exhibitors and visitors and no points will be earned or deducted

FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

Note: an arrangement consists predominantly of flowers and/or foliage, with or without accessories, according to class, contained within specified width and heights.

Class

1	My cup of tea - not to exceed 20 cm in width and 30 cm in height.
2	Spectacular - an arrangement not to exceed 60 cm in width and 80 cm in height.
3	Open class: Autumn colours - an arrangement of foliage not to exceed 40 cm in width and 60 cm in height.
4	Open class: A vase of garden flowers - number of kinds and stems, sprays or branches at exhibitor's discretion, (may include flowering shrubs), not to exceed 40 cm in width and 60 cm in height.
5	Open class: Juniors - Gone to seed - not to exceed 30 cm in width and 30 cm in height.

FLOWERS, SHRUBS AND POTTED PLANTS

Note: cut flowers and shrubs should be displayed in a vase, bowl, bottle or similar container, unless otherwise specifically stated.

6	Miniature Rose, – 1 stem or spray. Blooms may be single, semi double or double.
7	Cluster-flowered Rose – 1 stem or spray.
8	Large flowered Rose – 1 stem.
9	Roses, one or more varieties – 3 stems.
10	Dahlias (pompom or ball) – 3 stems, one or more varieties.
11	Dahlias (cactus or fimbriated) – 3 stems, one variety.

12	Dahlias 3 waterlily type flowers floating, one variety.
13	Dahlias – 3 stems, one or more varieties.
14	Dahlias – 5 stems, at least 3 different varieties all the same colour range.
15	Asters/Michaelmas Daisies, one or more varieties – 3 stems or sprays.
16	Rudbeckia, one or more varieties – 3 stems.
17	Japanese Anemone – 1 stem or spray.
18	Hydrangeas - 3 stems, in bloom, one or more varieties.
19	Collection of mixed ornamental grasses / sedges – 5 stems to include Inflorescence.
20	Herbaceous perennial, one variety – 3 stems or sprays.
21	Herbaceous perennials, 3 distinct varieties – 3 stems or sprays of each.
22	Annuals*, one variety – number of stems at exhibitor's discretion.
23	Flowering shrub – 1 stem (excluding hydrangea).
24	Flowering shrubs, 3 different kinds (excluding hydrangea) 1 stem, spray or branch of each.
25	Shrub or tree bearing berries – 1 stem.
26	Ornamental foliage, 3 different kinds - 1 stem of each.
27	Pot of growing pelargonium(s) – pot not to exceed 30 cm in diameter.
28	Penstemons – 3 stems of one cultivar or mixed.
29	Open class: A container of mixed stems, bearing seeds, hips or pods etc. No flowers.

Note: * an annual is any flower raised from seed during the twelve months preceding the Show.

VEGETABLES

Note: fresh vegetables should be displayed on a plate, shallow dish or similar container, unless otherwise stated. Some entries may be snapped or cut open by judges to assess how fresh they are.

31	Tomatoes, small fruited and cherry cultivars (not exceeding 3.5cm in diameter) – 1 truss (may include both ripe and unripe fruits).
32	Tomatoes, medium (approx. 3.5 to 6.5 cm in diameter) – 5, with stalks.
33	French beans – 5, with stalks.
34	Runner beans - 5, with stalks.
35	Potatoes - 3.
36	Carrots – 3, tops trimmed to approx 8 cm.
37	Courgettes – 2, up to 20 cm in length, with stalks.
38	Beetroot – 3, tops trimmed to approx 8 cm.
39	Onions – 3, tops tied and trimmed.
40	Cucumbers – 2, with stalks.
41	Sweet corn – 2 cobs, with beards, stalks and a quarter of the grain exposed by removing a number of husks from tip to base).
42	Chilli peppers – 3 of one variety.

43	Any other vegetable not listed above – number at exhibitor's discretion.
44	Culinary herbs - 5 named kinds (no flowers), in a vase or similar container. A maximum of three stems of each herb.
45	A collection of vegetables in a basket, measuring no more than 80 cm in length. Exhibit judged on quality and number of different vegetables.

FUN CLASSES

46	Open class: The heaviest pumpkin.
47	Open class: Most misshapen fruit or vegetable.

FRUIT

Note: fruit should be displayed on a plate, shallow dish or similar container, unless otherwise stated.

48	Dessert Apples – 3.
49	Cooking Apples – 3.
50	Plums – 5, with stalks.
51	Pears – 3, with stalks.
52	Blackberries – 10, with stalks.
53	Raspberries – 10, with stalks.
54	Any other fruit not listed above – number at exhibitor's discretion.
55	A collection of fruit in a bowl, maximum 45 cm in diameter, to be judged for effect.

HOME INDUSTRIES – OPEN CLASSES

Note: all edible items must be covered for reasons of hygiene, and there must be no logos or trade names on jars or lids.

56	Soft fruit jam, (named and dated – day/month/year).
57	Lemon Curd, (named and dated - day/month/year).
58	Oat and Honey Flapjack cookies - recipe available on website or member's handbook.
59	An inspiring book mark.
60	A Gardener's bag – woven, knitted, crocheted or stitched – you decide.
61	Juniors: A Pomander – an orange decorated with cloves, ribbon etc – ages 8 – 15.
62	Juniors: A pebble painted to be an animal – under 8's.

PHOTOGRAPHY – OPEN CLASSES

Note: prints only, unmounted, not to exceed A4 size. Photographs can be cropped and printed at home: digital enhancement is not allowed.

63	Autumn Spectacular.
64	Clouds.
65	Garden Tools.
66	Juniors: My favourite vegetable.