



Knowsley Council

Schedule



# Knowsley Flower Show



Sunday 6 August 2023, 11am - 5pm

Court Hey Park, Roby Road, Huyton L16 3NA

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# Welcome

from Christine Yates, Show Secretary

This is a very special year for Knowsley Flower Show, our **25<sup>th</sup>** Anniversary!

In 1999 the flower show was one of many events in Knowsley to celebrate the Millennium, and I volunteered as show secretary. Who would have believed I would still have that role in 2023, I certainly didn't. If I could go back all those years would I still volunteer? Of course I would, I have loved being part of such a wonderful show, working with the rest of our hard working committee alongside Knowsley Council. Another bonus is meeting our exhibitors, some from our very first show and many more joining them over the years. It is like being a part of a very large extended family, which of course includes our judges, so important for the smooth running of the show. So thank you to everyone, whatever role you play in the show.

The flower which celebrates a 25th anniversary is the Iris, so this year we would like to light up our website with photos of Iris growing in your gardens. The growing season is from early Spring for the low growing Reticulata varieties to early Summer for the Bearded and Siberian types. They provide a rainbow of colour before the summer perennials arrive, so get busy with your camera or smart phone and brighten up our website. Send your image and name through to [Katy.McLoughlin@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:Katy.McLoughlin@knowsley.gov.uk) and we will consider inclusion on [www.knowsleyflowershow.com](http://www.knowsleyflowershow.com)

We like to think that in our schedule there are classes to suit everyone, whatever age or ability, but we are always open to suggestions for new classes. If you have any ideas about any aspect of the show we can improve on, please let us know.

We look forward to welcoming you as exhibitors and visitors to the show on 6th August.

## COMMITTEE

Mrs K Brady  
Mr B Clark  
Mr D Crew  
Miss L Formby  
Mr T Hill  
Miss L Malley  
Miss K McLoughlin

Mrs R Kennedy  
Mr J Kennedy  
Mrs K Mower  
Mrs C Reddecliff  
Mrs C Simkin  
Mrs R Walker

## SHOW MANAGER

Mr K Silcock

## ENTRY FEES

30p per entry. Young Person's classes 20p  
Telephone entries will be accepted.

## SHOW SECRETARY

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# Classes



## ARTHUR JACKSON MASTER GARDENER CLASS

Sponsored by Les Jackson

Class No.

- 1 Two vases, two distinct kinds of flowers (three stems, spikes, spray, etc) two pot plants (one foliage, one in flower - max pot size 7") and two distinct kinds of vegetables, one dish of each. (Amount of vegetables as per this schedule)  
Max width of exhibit - 33"  
All six parts of the exhibit to be judged individually with marks out of 20 for each part. Highest total to be the winner.

## FREDA & ALAN GABRIELSEN CLASS

Sponsored by Serena Murphy

- 2 Basket of cut flowers, any variety or varieties.  
Any foliage may be used. Baskets will be supplied, flowers must be grown by exhibitor, basket to be prepared on site. (One entry per exhibitor)

## GENERAL CUT FLOWERS

In memory of Ted Frith & Dennis Martin

Judge: Mr L Jackson

Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £30

Sponsored by **Taylor Wimpey** & ForHousing

No restriction in vase sizes in all classes except in class 11 where there is a maximum vase size 4" x 12" restriction.

- 3 One vase mixed flowers
- 4 One vase of annuals, one kind
- 5 One vase of annuals, mixed
- 6 **One vase of mixed white flowers in memory of Joan Quilliam**
- 7 Two vases of annuals, two distinct kinds
- 8 One vase of mixed herbaceous perennials
- 9 One vase of herbaceous perennials one kind, excluding phlox
- 10 One vase of herbaceous phlox
- 11 One vase of same variety or mixed annuals or perennials. Maximum 15 stems, max vase size 4" x 12"
- 12 Two vases of sweet peas, nine stems per vase, two distinct varieties

- 13 One vase of sweet peas, nine stems, one variety
- 14 One vase of sweet peas, nine stems, mixed
- 15 One vase of sweet peas, 12 stems, one variety
- 16 One bowl of sweet peas, maximum 30 stems, mixed, max 8" bowl
- 17 One vase of three gladioli, large flowered, one variety
- 18 One vase of gladioli, large flowered, three spikes, distinct varieties
- 19 One vase of three miniature gladioli
- 20 One vase, one spike gladioli
- 21 One vase of six stems, garden pinks
- 22 Pansies or violas, five blooms in tubes, staged in a 5" pot of sand
- 23 One vase of spray chrysanthemums, five stems

## DAHLIAS

Judge: Mr R Weeks

Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £30

Sponsored by **Taylor Wimpey** & ForHousing

- 24 One vase, three blooms, small and/or miniature decorative
- 25 One vase, three blooms, small cactus and/or semi cactus
- 26 One giant decorative or giant semi cactus
- 27 One vase, three blooms, small ball
- 28 One vase, three blooms, miniature ball
- 29 One vase, five blooms, pompom
- 30 One vase, three blooms, water lily
- 31 Two vases of two single blooms, any variety or varieties
- 32 Any other classification, three blooms  
Refer to [www.dahlia-nds.co.uk](http://www.dahlia-nds.co.uk) for classification details

## ROSES

Sponsored by Friends of Court Hey Park

In memory of Viv Kelly

Judge: Mr R Scott

Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £30

- 33 One rose, large flowered
- 34 One vase of three large flowered roses



- 35 One vase of five large flowered roses
- 36 One vase of cluster flowered roses, three stems
- 37 One vase, one stem, cluster flowered rose
- 38 One vase, miniature roses, three stems
- 39 One bowl of garden roses, max 8" plastic bowl
- 40 One vase of cluster flowered roses three stems and one vase of large flowered roses three stems
- 41 Three stage blooms. Vase three stems, one variety, one bud stage (showing colour), one perfect stage, one full blown stage

## JACK DENSON ROSE CLASS

Sponsored by Joan Denson

- 42 One vase of five large flowered roses (red only)

## POT PLANTS

Judge: Mr R Sumner

Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £30

Sponsored by Miss L Malley

- 43 Two specimen pot plants, one flowering, one foliage
- 44 One pot plant, flowering
- 45 One pot plant, foliage
- 46 One pot, double, tuberous begonia
- 47 One pot, cactus
- 48 One pot, succulent
- 49 One fuchsia, any variety - max 3.5" pot
- 50 One fuchsia, single, any cultivar - max 6" pot
- 51 One fuchsia, double, any cultivar - max 6" pot
- 52 One fuchsia, variegated/ornamental - max 6" pot
- 53 One triphylla - max 6" pot
- 54 Any flowering standard - max 10" pot
- 55 Two fuchsias, any cultivars - max 6" pot

Standards may only be entered in class 54

## PELARGONIUMS/GERANIUMS

Judge: Mr R Sumner

Sponsored by

Childwall Valley Estate Management Board

- 56 One plant, single flowered basic green leaves zonal - max 6" pot
- 57 One plant, basic zonal having bronze or golden foliage - max 6" pot



- 58 One plant, basic angel - max 4.5" pot
- 59 One plant, double or semi-double basic green leaves zonal - max 6" pot
- 60 One plant, dwarf zonal - max 4.5" pot
- 61 Ivy leaf - max 6" pot
- 62 One plant, miniature zonal - max 3.5" pot
- 63 One plant, stellar - max 6" pot
- 64 One plant, tricolour - max 6" pot
- 65 One plant, regal - max 6" pot

Exhibitors are reminded that plants should be in proportion to their pots in size of plant, leaf and flower. Please refer to [www.thepags.org](http://www.thepags.org)

## VEGETABLES

Sponsored by Keepmoat

Judge: Mr J Woods

Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £30

- 66 Three large onions, dressed
- 67 Six onions, each to be 250g or under, dressed
- 68 Heaviest onion, trimmed to 6" shank
- 69 Dish of nine shallots
- 70 Dish of nine pickling shallots/30mm max size
- 71 Two pot leeks to a 6" button, complete with roots and leaves -  
**Sponsored by Jean Kilshaw & Dawn Blackburn (one entry per exhibitor)**
- 72 Two blanched leeks, complete with roots and leaves
- 73 Dish of four potatoes, white
- 74 Dish of four potatoes, other than white
- 75 Dish of four potatoes, two white, two other than white
- 76 Dish of ten tomatoes, cherry or other cultivar
- 77 Dish of five tomatoes
- 78 Heaviest truss of tomatoes, ripe or unripe
- 79 Dish of nine pods peas
- 80 Dish of nine pods broad beans
- 81 Dish of nine runner beans
- 82 Longest runner bean
- 83 Dish of nine pods french beans
- 84 Three globe beetroot
- 85 Three long beetroot
- 86 One cabbage, 3" stalk
- 87 One head cauliflower, 3" stalk
- 88 Three sticks of rhubarb, trimmed and tied
- 89 Three of one kind of any other vegetable not mentioned

- 90 Two vegetable marrows, for quality
  - 91 Heaviest marrow
  - 92 Three carrots, long
  - 93 Three carrots, short
  - 94 Soft fruit - one plate, one variety, with stems
  - 95 Bizarre shaped vegetable
  - 96 Cucumber, one for quality
  - 97 One trug of mixed vegetables  
(trugs supplied for a refundable deposit)
- Sponsored by Roby Gardening Society**
- 98 Herbs, three vases, three distinct kinds

## SPECIAL HERB CLASS

**Sponsored by Incredible Edible**

**Judge: Karen Mower**

- 99 Incredible kitchen herbs - grow a kitchen herb box or display, with three different herb varieties. Approx. size 15" length x 4" deep x 6" wide



## NOVICE CLASSES

**Sponsored by Eco Therapy Garden**

**Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £10**

- 100 Three vegetables, any one variety
- 101 Three tomatoes, any variety
- 102 Three potatoes, any variety
- 103 One vase of flowers, any variety or varieties
- 104 One flowering pot plant, any variety
- 105 One vase, three blooms, dahlias, any variety or varieties
- 106 One spike, gladioli in vase
- 107 One large flowered rose
- 108 One vase, three blooms, roses, any variety or varieties

Vases supplied for novice classes only, see Rule 8.



## HOME MADE SECTION

**Special Cash Prize for Best in Section: £15**

**Sponsored by Tony Hill**

**Judge: Ms C. Hyde**

- 109 Jar of home made jam
- 110 Jar of home made chutney

## CROCHET & KNITTING

**Special Cash Prize for Winner: £15**

**Sponsored by Tony Hill**

**Judge: Brenda Hill**

- 111 A knitted or crochet garment.

## Young People Classes

**Sponsored by**

**Knowsley Town Council & Tony Hill**

**Judge: Mrs C Hearity & Brenda Hill**



### AGE 7 AND UNDER

**Best in Section: £10**

- 112 Paint a picture of a flower or flowers.  
Max size A3
- 113 Make a 25th birthday card for the Knowsley Flower Show.  
Max folded size A5
- 114 Make a garden in a standard seed tray 9" x 15" using living or recycled materials to celebrate Knowsley Flower Show.

### AGE 8 TO 11 YEARS

**All classes in memory of Olivia Korbel**

**Best in Section: £10**

- 115 Construct a vase of flowers using silver foil or shiny papers. (no breakable containers)
- 116 Design a poster to illustrate a natural, environmental or climatic issue using any media. Max size A3
- 117 Using any media, make a picture to celebrate the Flower Show's 25th Anniversary. Max size A3
- 118 Make a garden in a standard seed tray 9" x 15" using living or recycled materials to celebrate Knowsley Flower Show.

### AGE 12 TO 18 YEARS

**Sponsored by Merseyside Youth Association**

**Best in Section: £10**

- 119 Using any media (including computer generated) produce a picture, featuring iris (the 25th anniversary flower) to celebrate the show's 25th anniversary.
- 120 A photograph of a single flower.  
Max size A5
- 121 Design a poster to illustrate a natural, environmental or climatic issue using any media. Max size A3
- 122 Make a 25th Anniversary cup cake.



- ★ 1st Prize £25 Amazon Vouchers,
- ★ 2nd prize £15 Amazon vouchers and
- ★ 3rd Prize £10 Amazon Vouchers

# Prize Money

## ALL CLASSES

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£3.00	£2.00	£1.00

## CLASS 6: ONE VASE OF MIXED WHITE FLOWERS

In memory of Joan Quilliam

Sponsored by Christine Yates

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£15.00	£10.00	£5.00

## THE ARTHUR JACKSON MASTER GARDENER CLASS

Sponsored by Les Jackson

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£30.00	£20.00	£10.00

+ trophy

## FREDA & ALAN GABRIELSEN CLASS

Sponsored by Serena Murphy

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£30.00	£20.00	£10.00

+ trophy

## CLASS 43: JACK DENSON ROSES CLASS

Sponsored by Joan Denson

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£15.00	£10.00	£5.00

## CLASS 71: TWO POT LEEKS

Sponsored by Jean Kilshaw & Dawn Blackburn

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize	4th prize
£20.00	£15.00	£10.00	£5.00

## CLASS 97: ONE TRUG OF MIXED VEGETABLES

Sponsored by Roby Gardening Society

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
£15.00	£10.00	£5.00

## CLASS 99: INCREDIBLE KITCHEN HERBS

Sponsored by Incredible Edible

1st prize	2nd prize	3rd prize
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**THE PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES WILL TAKE PLACE AT 4.30PM NEAR THE FLORAL MARQUEE.**

The Best Exhibit in the show will be awarded in the Joan Quilliam Trophy in memory of Joan Quilliam, a much loved friend and supporter of the Knowsley Flower Show

The Bill Sandifer Memorial Trophy will be presented to the Best Exhibit in the Gladioli Classes

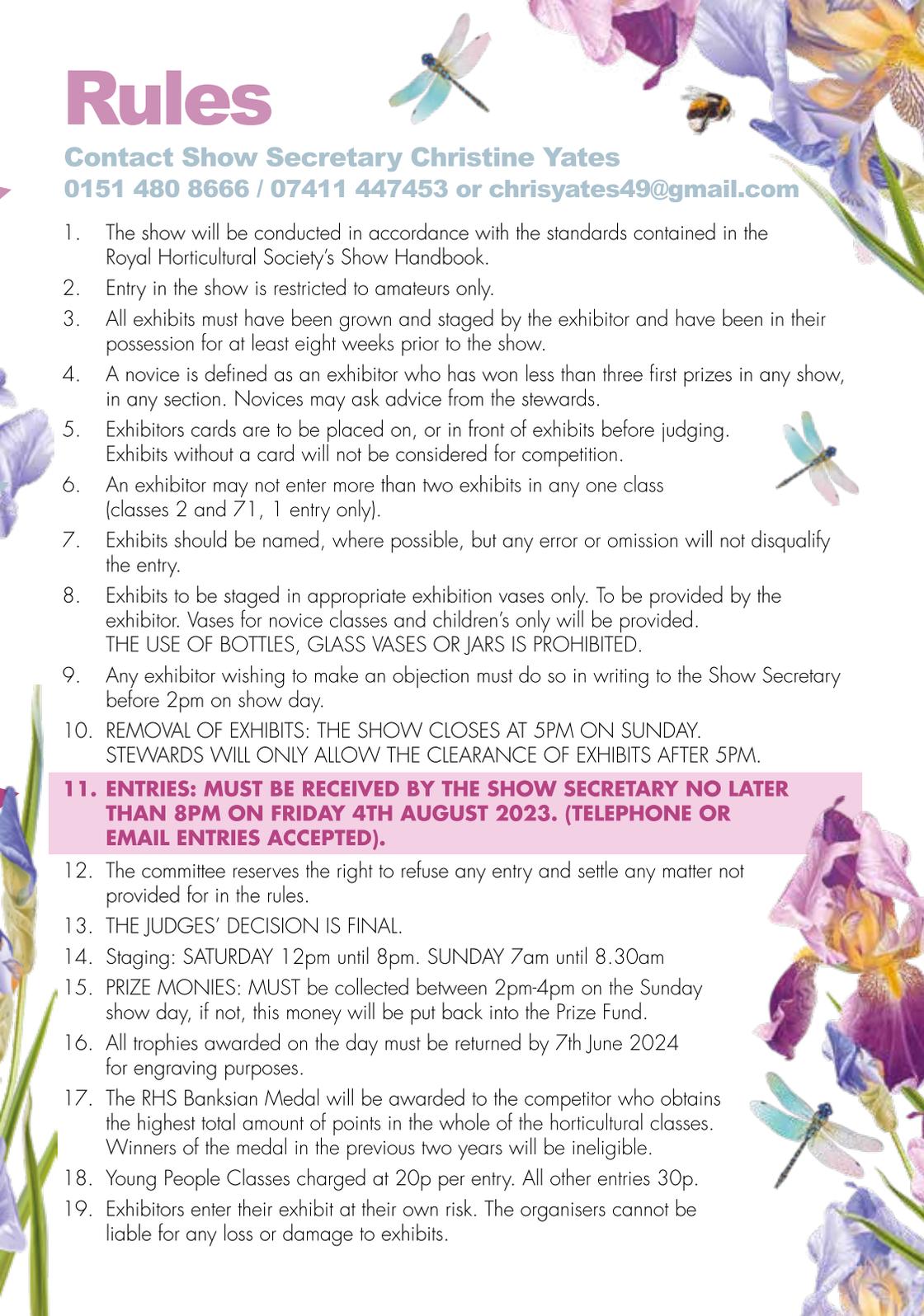
The North of England Dahlia Association E.W. Winterbottom Trophy (Best Dahlia Exhibit)

The Ford Sports and Social Club Gardening Challenge Cup (Most points in Vegetable Classes)

The Albert Sutcliffe Memorial Trophy (Most points in Dahlia Classes)

12-18 year young people classes sponsored by Merseyside youth Association Amazon Vouchers for 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes - £25, £15 and £10

# Rules



Contact Show Secretary Christine Yates

0151 480 8666 / 07411 447453 or [chrisyates49@gmail.com](mailto:chrisyates49@gmail.com)

1. The show will be conducted in accordance with the standards contained in the Royal Horticultural Society's Show Handbook.
2. Entry in the show is restricted to amateurs only.
3. All exhibits must have been grown and staged by the exhibitor and have been in their possession for at least eight weeks prior to the show.
4. A novice is defined as an exhibitor who has won less than three first prizes in any show, in any section. Novices may ask advice from the stewards.
5. Exhibitors cards are to be placed on, or in front of exhibits before judging. Exhibits without a card will not be considered for competition.
6. An exhibitor may not enter more than two exhibits in any one class (classes 2 and 71, 1 entry only).
7. Exhibits should be named, where possible, but any error or omission will not disqualify the entry.
8. Exhibits to be staged in appropriate exhibition vases only. To be provided by the exhibitor. Vases for novice classes and children's only will be provided.  
THE USE OF BOTTLES, GLASS VASES OR JARS IS PROHIBITED.
9. Any exhibitor wishing to make an objection must do so in writing to the Show Secretary before 2pm on show day.
10. REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS: THE SHOW CLOSSES AT 5PM ON SUNDAY.  
STEWARDS WILL ONLY ALLOW THE CLEARANCE OF EXHIBITS AFTER 5PM.

**11. ENTRIES: MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE SHOW SECRETARY NO LATER THAN 8PM ON FRIDAY 4TH AUGUST 2023. (TELEPHONE OR EMAIL ENTRIES ACCEPTED).**

12. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entry and settle any matter not provided for in the rules.
13. THE JUDGES' DECISION IS FINAL.
14. Staging: SATURDAY 12pm until 8pm. SUNDAY 7am until 8.30am
15. PRIZE MONIES: MUST be collected between 2pm-4pm on the Sunday show day, if not, this money will be put back into the Prize Fund.
16. All trophies awarded on the day must be returned by 7th June 2024 for engraving purposes.
17. The RHS Banksian Medal will be awarded to the competitor who obtains the highest total amount of points in the whole of the horticultural classes. Winners of the medal in the previous two years will be ineligible.
18. Young People Classes charged at 20p entry. All other entries 30p.
19. Exhibitors enter their exhibit at their own risk. The organisers cannot be liable for any loss or damage to exhibits.



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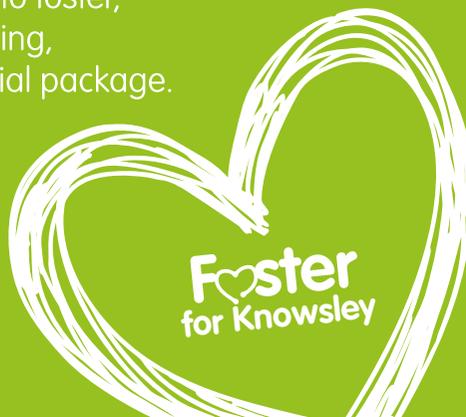
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