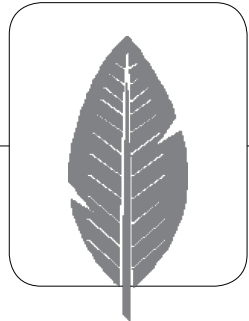
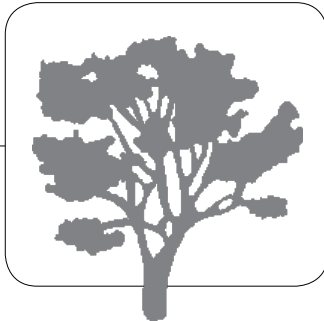




Don't forget to take your completed
ENTRY FORM to the W.I. Hall
between 6.30pm and 8.30pm on
Wednesday 5th July 2023

(Exhibits should be taken to the
MSC Hall on Show Day)

WICKHAMBROOK HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



SUMMER SHOW

INCLUDING DISPLAY FROM WICKHAMBROOK SCHOOL

8th July 2023 opens 2pm

(ENTRY FREE FOR 2023 - inside the MSC Hall)

FREE SCHEDULE

The WI Hall will also be open between 3.15 and 4 pm on Wednesday, 5th July for show entry forms from children. Hope this makes it easier for you to enter the Show!

(Exhibits should be taken to the MSC Hall on Show Day)

Exhibitors Name _____

Address _____

and age (if under 14) _____



ENTRY DATE

Wednesday 5th July 2023 between 6.30pm and 8.30pm

Entry fee must accompany form.

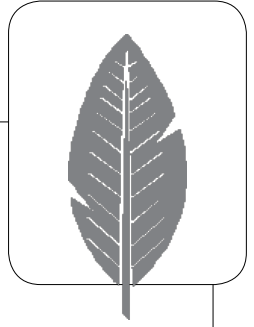
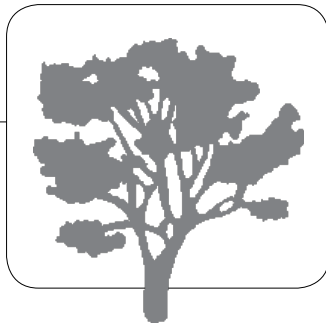
Please tick the class no. box for each of your entries and hand in this form to the Secretary at the W.I. Hall on **Wednesday 5th July between 6.30pm and 8.30pm. (see note overleaf regarding additional entry times).** No entries will be accepted after this date.

Entries are 20p each.

PLEASE NOTE : your exhibits should be taken to the MSC on the day of the Show

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	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66				

Please tick or x the relevant box for your Class Entries



RULES FOR THE FLOWER SHOW

1. Any garden produce offered for competition must have been grown by the exhibitor in his/her own garden or allotment.
2. The Pot Plant must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for not less than three months
3. That, if any exhibitor shows as his/her own, any produce not grown by himself/herself, or uses any means to deceive the Judges, the Committee shall have the power to exclude him/her from exhibiting at any future time. The Committee reserves the right to inspect any garden or allotment before awarding prize.
- 4. Horticultural exhibits must be at the Show between 8.00am and 10.00am on the day of the Show. No late entries accepted. Cup presentation at 4pm. Exhibits to be collected after Cup presentation.**
5. Exhibitors must bring their exhibits in their own dishes or baskets, roots must be clean except where otherwise stated, and in a fit state for exhibition.
6. No exhibitor may win more than one prize in any one Class. The Judges will take into consideration the quality rather than the size of the exhibits.
7. It will be left entirely to the decision of the Judges to grant extra prizes as they think fit.
8. The Committee will not, under any circumstances, be responsible for any loss, damage, or non-delivery of any article exhibited at the Show, but will take all reasonable care.
9. Unless there are four exhibits in the Class, Judges will use their discretion as to whether to award a third prize.
10. Any question of status to be determined by Committee
11. All carrots, Beet, Turnip tops, etc. to be NO MORE THAN 4" IN LENGTH



JUDGE – Mr Tony Payne

FRUIT, VEGETABLES & FLOWERS

OPEN CLASSES

THERE HAVE BEEN CHANGES IN THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES IN SOME CLASSES, SO PLEASE READ SCHEDULE CAREFULLY

* Please note Rule 11

Class VEGETABLES

- 1 Four potatoes any shape
- 2 *Four Beet, to be cut
- 3 Four onions
- 4 Four pods Broad Beans
- 5 Four Dwarf Beans
- 6 Four Tomatoes
- 7 Four Shallots
- 8 One lettuce, any variety
- 9 Two Courgettes
- 10 Three kinds of salad vegetables
- 11 **Genesis Green Cup**
Collection of vegetables, two kinds, no salads
(i.e. two potatoes, two carrots, etc.)
- 12 Four kinds of culinary herbs. Named, In one glass with water
- 13 Two of any variety, vegetable or fruit, not mentioned in Schedule
(i.e. two peppers, two apples)



Class FRUIT

- 14 Six Bunches Redcurrants
- 15 Six Strawberries
- 16 Six Gooseberries, size
- 17 Six Raspberries
- 18 Collection of fruit, three kinds
- 19 Three sticks of Rhubarb (leaf trimmed)

Class EGGS

- 20 Four Eggs

Class CUT FLOWERS

- 21 Three kinds of herbaceous flowers, in one vase
- 22 Four stems of flowers in one container, of one kind not named in schedule
- 23 Collection of annuals
- 24 Best collection of flowers from your garden
- 25 One vase or bowl of sweet peas
- 26 One vase Floribunda roses. Four stems
- 27 **Clopton Cup**
Four H.T. Roses. Any variety or varieties
- 28 One specimen rose bloom



Class PLANTS

- 29 A hanging container
- 30 One pot plant, foliage only
- 31 One pot plant flowering
- 32 One fuchsia
- 33 One geranium in a pot
- 34 One geranium, trailing in a pot
- 35 One cactus or succulent in a pot
- 36 One flowering begonia in a pot
- 37 A container of flowering plants for outdoors.
Not to exceed 15 inch diameter

JUDGE – Mrs Sally Swift

FLOWER ARRANGING

We had lots of entries in the Flower Arranging Section in last year's Show, so the format this year is the same as in 2019. Don't forget that you can now enter the Novice Class five times (one entry per year)

Class FLOWER ARRANGING

- 38 MAIN CLASS
(open to everybody)

Fit for the King

Using flowers and foliage of your own choice



- 39 **INTERMEDIATE CLASS**
(open to everyone except previous winners of the Elizabeth Rolfe Cup)

Arrangement in a teapot

Using flowers and foliage of your own choice

- 40 **NOVICE CLASS**
(You can now enter the Novice Class up to five times (one entry per year))

Wild vegetation in upcycled container

* You can enter the Intermediate Class and Novice Class in the same year if you wish.

- 41 **Miniature World**
A miniature arrangement not to exceed 4" overall.

JUDGE – Mrs Sally Swift

CHILDREN'S SECTION : AGE MUST BE STATED

NOTE : To be judged according to age

Class	Prize Money
42 Flower Arrangement using flowers and foliage of your choice in any container	£1.50 £1 50p
43 Garden themed Collage (Victory Cup to be awarded for best exhibit)	£1.50 £1 50p



Class

44

A Model

Using vegetable, fruit and plant material only

Prize Money

£1.50 £1 50p

COOKERY JUDGE – Mrs Sue Blaza

NOTE : No packets or kits to be used. All food must be home made and baked. All food must be covered for exhibition.

Open to All

Class COOKERY

45 Chocolate and walnut sandwich cake (see recipe on next page)

46 Vegan banana bread (see recipe on next page)

47 4 jam tarts

48 4 brownies

49 4 squares from tray bake of your choice

50 Small 1lb loaf on a board (no breadmakers)

51 4 cheese scones

52 Jar of lemon curd

53 A savoury tart (no larger than 6 inch)

54 Lemon meringue pie (sponsored by Wickhambrook W.I.)

For the W.I. Shield



RECIPE FOR CHOCOLATE AND WALNUT SANDWICH CAKE (class 45)

15 oz plain flour
4 oz golden syrup
¼ pint milk
1tsp bicarb soda
4 oz margarine
1 egg
2 oz cocoa

Filling

4 oz unsalted butter
3 oz icing sugar
1 lvl dsp cocoa
Vanilla essence
1 oz chopped walnuts
1 tsp instant coffee
Melted chocolate and a few walnuts to decorate

Oven temp 190C/Gas5
Cooking time 20-30 minutes
Tin size 7 inch

Grease and line two sandwich tins. Sieve flour and cocoa. Place syrup, sugar and butter in a pan and stir over gentle heat. Remove and when cool add milk, bicarbonate of soda and beaten egg. Stir thoroughly into flour, and continue to stir until mixture is quite smooth. Divide mixture between two tins and bake in a hot oven. Then cool on a wire tray and remove paper. For the filling, cream butter, icing sugar, cocoa and coffee, beat well add a drop of vanilla essence and chopped walnuts. Sandwich cake together, spread melted chocolate on top and decorate with few walnuts.



RECIPE FOR VEGAN BANANA BREAD (class 46)

3 large black bananas
100 g brown sugar
3 heaped tsp of baking powder
50g of dried fruit
75ml vegetable or sunflower oil
225g plain flour
3 tsp mixed spice

Preheat oven 200C/Gas 6
2lb loaf tin
Baking time 40 minutes

Mash bananas and mix with oil and sugar. Add flour, baking powder, spices and mix together. Add fruit.
Pour into oiled and lined tin and bake for 20 minutes. Cover with foil and bake for further 20 minutes. Test with clean skewer. Allow to cool before turning on to a wire rack. Exhibit whole.

HANDICRAFT JUDGES

Mrs Linda Diker and Mrs Sue Granger

PHOTOGRAPHY Mr Trevor Taylor

Handicrafts must not have been exhibited in a previous Wickhambrook Show.

A Trophy will be presented for the overall best exhibit in the handicraft section (Classes 55 to 62)



Class HANDICRAFTS

- 55 Piece of Knitting
- 56 Crochet item
- 57 Painting, any medium
- 58 A handmade card
- 59 Any piece of handicraft not listed above
- 60 Photograph - "Nature scene"
- 61 Photograph - "It makes me smile"
- 62 Photograph - "It makes me grumpy"

JUDGE – Mrs Sally Swift

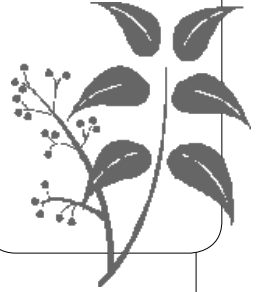
CHILDREN’S SECTION : AGE MUST BE STATED

NOTE : To be judged according to age

Class	CHILDREN’S HANDICRAFTS	Prize Money
63	Paper Butterfly	£1.50 £1 50p
64	A Decorated Cupcake (to be judged on decoration only)	£1.50 £1 50p
65	A Crown - any medium	£1.50 £1 50p
66	Any piece of craft not listed above	£1.50 £1 50p



SPECIAL AWARDS



BANKSIAN MEDAL

Excluding 2018 and 2019 winners. Presented by the Royal Horticultural Society. Awarded to the competitor who gained the largest total amount of points in Prizes in the whole Horticultural Classes

BADMONDISFIELD CUP

given by the late Mr F J Woollard for the highest number of points scored in the Show

CLOPTON CUP

presented by the late Mr J Brooks for the best Four Rose Blooms, See Class 27

ELIZABETH ROLFE CUP

given by Mr and Mrs Y Neaman for the best exhibit in the Floral Arrangement Classes

A SILVER CUP - WILLIAM AITKEN CHALLENGE CUP

given by the late Sir William Aitken. Will be awarded to the competitor who gains the most number of points in classes 45 - 62

MAPEY ROSE BOWL

given by Col. E V Mapey for the **Wickhambrook Horticultural Society member** gaining the most points in Vegetable and Flower Classes, excluding winner of the Badmondsfield Cup

FAMILY CUP

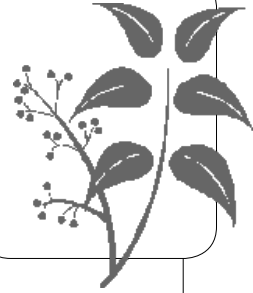
given by the late Mr and Mrs Butterworth for the family gaining most points in all competitions on Show Day (family criteria - parents and children in the same household).

GENESIS GREEN CUP

given by the late Mr S W Calver for the best collection of vegetables, Class 11



SPECIAL AWARDS



WI SHIELD

for the best exhibit in Class 54

CRYSTAL FRUIT BOWL

given in memory of Mr Robert Medcalf for the most points gained by the exhibitor for Fruit Classes

IVY HICKS TROPHY

awarded to the young person under 14 years gaining the most points in the Children's Section Classes 42 - 44 and 63 - 66

WORSHIPFUL CO OF GARDENERS

Two diplomas for excellence in horticulture. Two certificates for Floral Art. Two certificates for Novices

BAILEY SWEET PEA CUP

for the best vase or bowl of Sweet Peas in Class

HELEN LONG TROPHY

Awarded to the lady gaining most points in the Horticultural Classes for vegetables and flowers

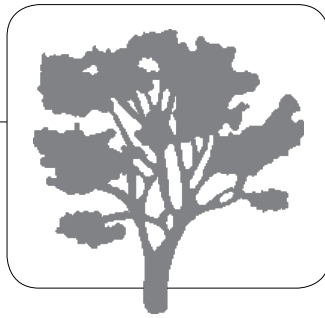
UNDERWOOD CUP

Awarded for the overall best exhibit in the Handicraft Section (Classes 55 - 62)

VICTORY CUP

Awarded for the overall best exhibit in Class 43 (Children's Section - Collage)

*You can see photos of entries for previous Wickhambrook Flower Shows on the Wickhambrook website - www.wickhambrook.org
You will find the photo gallery in the section called 'Our Village'*



WICKHAMBROOK HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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Wickhambrook Gardening Club would like to welcome you as a new member or guest. Please come along to one of our interesting and enjoyable meetings as below:-

Annual Membership : £10.00

Meetings : £1.00 (including refreshments) Guests are Welcome : £2.00 per meeting

All events take place in the Wickhambrook W.I. Hall At 7.30pm unless otherwise stated

PROGRAMME 2023

Monday 23rd January

CLEMATIS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Roy Nunn

Roy is a National Clematis Expert

Saturday 18th February

WINTER GATHERING

Dr Philip and Mrs Joyce Draycott have kindly invited us to the Barn

at Ashfield Farm £2.00

Guests welcome £3.00

Bring own drinks 6pm

Monday 27th February

GARDENING AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Clive Boase. The recent drought has made this issue even more urgent

Monday 27th March

GARDENING WITH GRASSES

Tim Fuller. There's more to it than lawns!

Monday 24th April

JAPANESE GARDENS, WHAT, WHY & HOW

Neil Dickinson

Wednesday 17th May

VISIT TO ASHDENE IN MANEA

David White with his vast experience of horticulture has invited us to his garden

£7.00 including tea and cakes

11am. Own transport TBA

Monday 22nd May

COMPANION GARDENING FOR A BALANCED GARDEN

Ian Bedford

Ian is one of our top regular experts

Saturday 27th May

PLANT SALE

Annual Bring and Buy Sale at 10am

Saturday 10th June

GARDEN VISIT

Clover Cottage, West Wickham

£3.50 light refreshments

2pm Own transport TBA

Wednesday 5th July

ENTRIES FOR FLOWER SHOW

7pm at the W.I. Hall

Saturday 8th July

SUMMER SHOW

at Wickhambrook Carnival

Wednesday 26th July

ALL DAY COACH TRIP

SANDRINGHAM FLOWER SHOW &
GARDENS - £40

9am from MSC car park. Return 5pm

Monday 25th September

GARDENING ON CHALKY CLAY

Geoff Hodge MCI Hort.

very relevant to all of us here

Monday 23rd October

YOURS AND MY NEED FOR PLANTS

Robert Brett, Curator of RHS Hyde Hall

The benefits of plants in general
and the RHS in particular

Monday 27th November

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Everyone welcome



WICKHAMBROOK HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Committee of the Wickhambrook Horticultural Society
would like to thank the following sponsor of our 2023 Schedules

Wickhambrook Women's Institute Open to new Members

We bake cakes, learn new skills, make new friends, walk, sing
and laugh (a lot!)

We also get involved in local and national issues, championing
causes and affecting change.

We are a thriving community of woman of all ages – enjoying
the community of women, learning with and from each other.

We have monthly meetings with inspiring speakers, as well as
reading groups, walking groups, a craft group, monthly pub
lunches, theatre trips and even paddleboarding!

Come try us out – we'd love to meet you!

We meet in the WI hall
7:30pm second Tuesday of the month

Or drop Mitch a line with a question... mitch.k@mac.com

