



Club Book, Show Dates and Schedules 2024

Spring Flowers Evening

20th March 2024

Members Table Show

19th June 2024

Summer Show

17th and 18th August 2024

Carlton Colville Community Centre,
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Closing time for Summer Show entries: 6pm Weds 14th Aug

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1. Meetings, Shows and Membership

Meetings

Where: St Luke's Church,
Homefield Avenue, Lowestoft, NR33 9BX

When: On the third Wednesday of the month
starting at 7.30pm unless otherwise advertised.

Meetings and Show Dates for 2024

17th January 2024 - Social Evening

21st February - Bob Coutts: Top Tips on Growing Vegetables

20th March Spring Flowers Evening with a short talk
by Debbie Amor: Bellevalia, a National Collection

17th April - Richard Curtis: Growing Dahlias for Show

15th May - Roger Hance: Wildflowers and Orchids part 2

19th June Members Table Show with a short talk
by Jane Bastow: My Garden Journey

17th July - Geoff Hodge: Coastal Gardening

17th-18th August Summer Show:

Carlton Colville Community Centre

18th September - TBC: The World Land Trust

16th October - Luci Skinner: Winter Care

20th November A.G.M. and presentation of awards

15th January 2025 Social Evening

Membership

Membership is **£12.00** per year plus **£2.50** entry to meetings,
which includes refreshments.

Non-members are welcome to attend talks and show evenings,
entry is £3 per meeting which includes refreshments.

Summer Show admission is free if you enter an exhibit.

2. Waveney Gardeners Club

Committee

President: Bob Coutts*

Chairman: John Davis* 01502 582125

Secretary: Jean Davis* 01502 582125

Treasurer: Kay Bruce

***Show Committee:**

Committee Members: Cathy Coutts, Marion Goodall, Geoff Pipe, Karen Pipe, John Wells*, Debbie Amor*

The Waveney Gardeners Club is a non-profit-making organisation, but the committee arrange various fund-raising activities throughout the year to supplement membership fees, cover expenditure on hall hire and pay speakers etc. Through the generosity of many local businesses and individuals, we have sponsorship of events and storage of equipment.

Message from the President

Over the past year we have had some good monthly meetings with very interesting speakers. Our programme for 2024 is also varied. I trust we have something to interest you all.

On your behalf I would like to thank all the members and WGC committee, who have worked hard to ensure our club, and our shows, run smoothly – well done to all!

We have again had some requests to amend a few entries for the shows, as you will see in this schedule. As I write this (end November 2023) I do wonder if we should have a class for rice !!! Good luck for the coming growing season and hope to see your efforts on the show benches and to also see you at our monthly meetings. I wish all our members a happy and healthy 2024.

Bob Coutts
WGC President

The Waveney Gardeners Club Brief History

- 1911** Founded as the Oulton Broad Gardening Association
1914 – 1918 activities suspended during the war years
1919 New headquarters at the Rock Institute in Oulton Broad.
1936 Became Oulton Broad and District Horticultural Society,
1948 Society held three shows a year
1961 Societies Golden Jubilee
1977 Became Oulton Broad and Lowestoft Horticultural Society.
2021 Changed to The Waveney Gardeners Club.

Affiliations

The Waveney Gardeners Club is affiliated to the following:

The Royal Horticultural Society,
The British Gladiolus Society,
The National Vegetable Society,
The National Dahlia Society,
The Norfolk and Suffolk Dahlia Society
The Norfolk and Norwich Horticultural Society

If any member requires further information, please contact a committee member.

Waveney Gardeners Club

WGC would like to thank the following sponsors and supporters for their generosity this year:

Lound Plant Centre, Minors and Brady Estate Agents, Kay Bruce, Joyce Aguss, Bob Coutts, John Wells, John Davis, Jean Davis, Catherine Douse, Debbie Amor, Roger Webb.

Also thanks to Andrew Bretton for his support with show entries this year.

3. Show Rules for Exhibitors

If you require additional information concerning the definition of any class, contact a member of the Show Committee.

General

1. All classes are open to all exhibitors except where indicated in the schedule. The Young Gardeners Classes are open to children 12 years and under.

2. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than one entry in each class.

3. Where a maximum display width is given for any class in the schedule, the maximum depth is 76cm (2'6").

4. Show entries:

- For the Summer Show and Members Table Show all entries must be received by the Show Secretary not later than the date and times stated on the appropriate Schedule pages.

- For the Spring Flowers Evening all entries are to be made on the night between the staging times stated on the appropriate Schedule pages.

- Staging for all shows must be completed between the date and times given on the appropriate Schedule pages.

- Late entries will only be accepted if space is available and at the discretion of the Show Committee.

5. After staging, no exhibit may be moved by any person, other than the exhibitor or the Show Committee.

6. Exhibits must not be removed from the show-bench until the show has finished as advised by the Show Committee.

7. A protest on any other matter, including the interpretation of the schedule, must be made in writing and handed to a member of the Show Committee for consideration by the committee, whose decision shall be final.

- Members Table Show or Spring Flowers Evening: on the evening before the show closes

- Summer Show: before 3 pm on the first day of the show

8. In any case of proven fraud, all prize money will be forfeited.

9. The judges are empowered to withhold the first, or any other prize, in the case of the exhibits not being deemed worthy.

10. Where awards are made for best exhibits or winners of a class, they will only be given to exhibits gaining a first prize. If no first prize has been given, then the special award will be withheld.

11. The Club will not accept any responsibility for the loss or damage to exhibits before, during or after the show.

12. The Club reserves the right to pay prize money over £20.00 by cheque.

13. Any matters arising which are not provided for in these regulations will be dealt with by the Show Committee whose decision must be accepted as final.

13A. Novice classes can only be entered by exhibitors who have not previously been awarded a first place in the appropriate section.

Horticultural classes (Flowers, vegetables and plants)

14. All exhibits must have been grown by the exhibitor and have been in their possession for at least three months preceding the show, unless raised by the exhibitor from seed or cuttings in a shorter period.

15. All exhibits will be judged to the latest standards as laid down by the Royal Horticultural Society or National Dahlia Society.

16. In collections of vegetables or fruit, the number of specimens of each kind is as stated in the schedule and they will be judged in accordance with the point system given in the latest issue of the R.H.S. handbook. When showing apples they can be unripe. Quantities for collections are as the table on page 8. The decision of the judges shall be final as to the relative merits of the exhibits.

17. Two or more persons may not exhibit separately in the same class from the same garden or greenhouse. This rule does not apply to Floral Art, Photography, Handicrafts, or Domestic Economy

18. All exhibits should if possible be named (this adds interest for the public and could be taken into account if exhibits are very close on points).

19. All pots **must be** staged on saucers, or in the case of larger classes on a polythene sheet or large tray.

20. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter their exhibit into the correct class, otherwise the exhibit will be deemed to be not as schedule (NAS) and disqualified.

Floral Art, Photography, Handicrafts and Domestic Economy

21. All entries must be created by the exhibitor.

22. In the handicraft and photography classes exhibits may not be entered if they have been entered in a similar class at one of the Club's previous shows.

23. In domestic economy classes all tin sizes are approximate and are given as a guide only.

24. In domestic economy classes new lids or cellophane covers are acceptable.

25. Flowers and vegetables may be purchased for Floral Art Classes.

26. Floral foam products (such as OASIS) are allowed in Floral Art classes except for where the class description states otherwise, in which case alternatives must be used. Alternatives to floral foam include (but are not limited to) chicken wire, sand, gravel, pin holders, pebbles, clay balls, marbles, wood, moss, fruit.

Definitions

(Applicable to all shows, including the Table Show)

A bowl is broader than it is tall. A vase is taller than it is broad at the mouth. In classes where a space is defined, the exhibit must be completely contained within the space including overall size of accessories or other containers.

Entry Fees and Prize Money

There is **no prize money** for classes at the **Spring Flowers Evening** in March or the **Members Table Show** in June.

August - Summer Show

Entry fees: Unless stated elsewhere in this schedule, the entry fee for each class is **50p** for members and **70p** for non-members.

Prize money: Unless stated elsewhere in this schedule, the prize money for 1st place in each class at the **Summer Show** is £1.00.

Award of Points

Where an award is based on points, the points will be as follows:

1st Place 5 points 2nd Place 3 points 3rd Place 2 points

Imperial / Metric Conversion (Approx)

2 inches = 5 cm	8 inches = 20.5 cm	24 inches = 61 cm
3 inches = 8 cm	12 inches = 30.5 cm	30 inches = 76 cm
5 inches = 12.7 cm	14 inches = 35.5 cm	36 inches = 92 cm
6 inches = 15 cm	15 inches = 38 cm	
7 inches = 17.5 cm	18 inches = 46 cm	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All measurements are approximate. • Where a size is given in either imperial or metric the exhibitor has discretion to use the larger size. 		

Collections Of Vegetables


This table details the number of specimens of each kind to be shown in all classes for **Collection of Vegetables** at all shows.



Judging points system as per the current R.H.S. handbook.

Vegetable	Quantity	Points	Vegetable	Quantity	Points
Artichokes Globe	3	15	Kohlrabi	3	12
Asparagus Peas	9 pods	12	Leeks	2	20
Aubergines	2	18	Lettuce	2	15
Beans Broad	9	15	Marrows	2	15
Beans Runner	9	18	Onions under 8oz	6	15
Beans French	9	15	Onions Large	6	20
Beetroot Cylindrical, Globe	3	15	Onions, Salad	9	12
Beetroot, long	3	20	Parsnips	3	20
Broccoli, Colour headed	3	18	Peas	9 pods	20
Brussels sprouts	15	15	Peppers Sweet	4	15
Cabbage, Green, Red, Savoy	2	15	Potatoes, White or Coloured	4	20
Carrots Long	3	20	Radishes, Small Salad	9	15
Carrots other than long	3	18	Salsify	3	15
Cauliflowers	2	20	Scorzonera	3	15
Celeriac	3	15	Shallots large	9	18
Celery	2	20	Shallot, pickling	9	15
Courgette	4	12	Swede	3	15
Cucumbers All	2	18	Sweetcorn	2	18
Endive	2	15	Tomatoes	6	15
Fennel	3	15	Tomatoes cherry	6	12
Garlic	6 bulbs	15	Turnips	3	15

Please give the names of your plants and vegetables.

4. Awards Trophies and Certificates

 Cups are awarded for these sections or classes

 Certificates  Medal or rosette £ Money only prize














Awards - June Members Table Show

All challenge cups and trophies to be held for one year and will be presented on the night of the Table Show.




	Bob Banham Trophy - Best in Show at the Members Table Show.
	R.J. Pryce Challenge Cup - Best exhibit classes 1 and 2, Sweet Peas.
	Margery Mobbs Challenge Cup - Best exhibit classes 3, 4, 5 and 6, Flowers
	Fred Suggate Memorial Cup - Best exhibit class 7, Roses
	Buckley Challenge Cup - Best exhibit classes 8 and 9, Pot plants.
	The President's Trophy - Best exhibit class 10, Pelargonium.
	Kessingland Challenge Cup - Best exhibit class 11, Fuchsia.
	The Diamond Jubilee Trophy - Best exhibit class 12, Display of Fruit
	The J and M Thrower Trophy - Best exhibit class 13, 3 stalks Rhubarb.
	The Pamala Mortimer Trophy - Best exhibit class 14, Herbs.
	Harry Folkard Memorial Trophy - Best exhibit class 15, Trug of Veg.
	The Frank Mortimer Trophy - Best exhibit class 16, Collection of Veg.
	The Centenary Cup - Best exhibit class 17, Domestic Economy.
	The Sansom Trophy - Best exhibit in classes 18 and 19, Floral Art.
	The OB&LHS Photography Trophy - Best exhibit class 20, Photography.

Awards - August Summer Show


All challenge cups and trophies to be held for one year and will be presented at the Club's AGM in November.

£	John Pretty Masterclass
	The Jubilee Bowl – presented by the late M. E. Humphery for the highest number of first prizes at the Summer Show.
✿	The Royal Horticultural Society Banksian Medal – awarded to the exhibitor with the highest number of place points in the whole of the Horticultural classes at the Summer Show.
Points are as follows: 1st=5 points 2nd=3 points 3rd=2 points	
No points are awarded for non-horticultural classes	
SECTION 1 – DAHLIAS	
	The Rachel Gurney challenge trophy - Highest points in the whole section
	The Don Tyson challenge cup - Best exhibit in class 1 or 2
	The Heart of Gold challenge trophy - In memory of the late Mrs. Winifred Keene Best exhibit in class 9
	The Mitchell Cup – Best exhibit in class 17
	The Cyril Richards challenge cup - Best novice exhibit in class 20
	National Dahlia Society's Silver Medal Certificate - Best exhibit in the whole section
	National Dahlia Society's Bronze Medal Certificate - Best vase in the whole section
	The Norfolk & Suffolk Dahlia Society's Award of Merit - Highest number of points in classes 1–19
SECTION 2 – CUT FLOWERS	
	Garden News Challenge Shield - Best exhibit in section
	British Gladiolus Society Silver Medal Certificate - Best exhibit in class 31
	British Gladiolus Society Meritorious Exhibit Certificate - Best exhibit in class 32
	John Statham Memorial Cup - Best Exhibit in class 32


SECTION 3 - POT PLANTS

	Bob Coutts Trophy – Best exhibit in section
	Dr James MacBain Taylor Memorial Challenge Cup – Highest points in section
	Judith Yaxley Trophy – Best exhibit in class 45

SECTION 4 - BEGONIAS

	The Selwyn Wollaston Humphery Memorial Salver – Best exhibit in section
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SECTION 5 - FUCHSIAS

	The Vera Oldman Trophy – Best exhibit in section
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SECTION 6 - VEGETABLES

	The Sea View Challenge Cup – Highest points in section
	National Vegetable Society Medal and Award Card – Best exhibit of vegetables and onions in classes 71–95 excluding class 86
	The John Pretty Trophy – Best exhibit in class 86
	The John Thomson Memorial Trophy – A Trug of Vegetables – Best exhibit in class 96
	Harry Folkard Cup – Class 98
	The Royal Standard Shield – Best collection in class 100
	Garden News Challenge Shield – Best collection in class 101
	The Margaret Howard Trophy – Best collection in class 102
	The Pontin's Cup – Best exhibit in class 105



SECTION 7 - FRUIT

	The Broads Trophy - Best exhibit in Section
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SECTION 8 FLORAL ART

	The Corner Shop Challenge Cup – Best exhibit in Section
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SECTION 9 – DOMESTIC ECONOMY

	The H. Capon Challenge Trophy – Best exhibit in section
	The Stephen Rhodes Trophy – Best exhibit in class 123

SECTION 10 – HANDICRAFTS

	Lowestoft Country Market Trophy – Best exhibit in section
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SECTION 11 – PHOTOGRAPHY

	The Thomson Trophy – Best exhibit in section
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5. Spring Flowers Evening

Wednesday 20th March 2024

St Lukes Church, Homefield Avenue, Lowestoft NR33 9BX

Entry restricted to members of the Waveney Gardeners Club only.
This is a fun event, and we hope to see many entries.

Entries will be on the night. No entry fees. No prize money.

Vases will be provided by the Club, or you can bring your own

Staging of exhibits: 6.30pm – 7.15pm

Judging: 7.30pm

The winner of each class will be decided by the members present completing a voting slip.

Schedule

1	A pot of Tulips, max size 38cm (15")
2	A vase of Tulips (any variety)
3	A vase or pot containing any flowering bulb or bulbs, not Daffodils or Tulips
4	An arrangement of fresh garden flowers and foliage (any size)
5	A posy
6	Hellebore flowers floating in water, no foliage
7	One pot of Auriculas, Primulas or Primroses
8	A vase of yellow Daffodils
9	A vase of white Daffodils
10	A vase of mixed Daffodils, any varieties, any number
11	Two vases, two different Daffodil classifications, three stems in each vase
12	A patio container of spring flowers, max pot size 30.5cm (12")
13	A potted house plant, max pot size 30.5cm (12")
14	A vase containing three stems of flowering shrub
15	Any vegetable -1 only at exhibitors' discretion
<i>Please name your plants and vegetables where possible</i>	

6. June - Members Table Show

Wednesday 19th June 2024

St Lukes Church, Homefield Avenue, Lowestoft NR33 9BX

There will be a talk during judging, followed by award of trophies.

Entry restricted to members of the Waveney Gardeners Club only.

No entry fees - No prize money

Entries to Andrew Bretton by 6 pm. Tuesday 18th June 2024

Tel: 01502 513709

Email: gill282@sky.com

Staging of exhibits 6.30 pm – 7.15 pm.

Judging: 7.30 pm

Schedule

(🏆 See trophies on page 8)

1	1 vase sweet peas, 1 or more varieties, 9 stems
2	1 Bowl of sweet peas, any number of stems, foliage allowed, to be viewed all round, judged for quality and effect. Max. bowl width 8"/ 20cm
3	3 vases cut flowers, 3 kinds, 1 kind per vase
4	1 vase pinks, 6 stems
5	1 plant cacti or succulent, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
6	1 vase cut flowers any kind
7	1 vase roses, 3 stems, any varieties
8	1 pot plant flowering, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
9	1 pot plant foliage, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
10	1 pot plant Pelargonium, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
11	1 pot plant Fuchsia, any variety, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
12	A display of fruit, one or more different kinds
13	3 stalks Rhubarb
14	Cut herbs in a vase of water
15	A trug of vegetables and/or salads
16	A collection of three different vegetables (number of each vegetable at exhibitors discretion)
17	A Cherry Cake 8" round exhibitor's recipe
18	A fresh flower arrangement in a cup and saucer
19	An arrangement in an 'unusual container' max 12" by 12"
20	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed. Subject - A pet or pets.
<i>Please name your plants and vegetables where possible</i>	

7. August - The Summer Show

The biggest event in the WGC calendar, members and non-members are encouraged to get involved in our big weekend!

Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th August 2024

Carlton Colville Community Centre,
Hall Road, Carlton Colville, NR33 8BT

Entries to Andrew Bretton by 6pm by Wednesday 14th August
Tel: 01502 513709 Email: gill282@sky.com

Entry fees for exhibits to be paid when you set up your exhibits
See p6 of this booklet.

Staging of exhibits

Friday 16th August	5.00pm – 7.30pm
Saturday 17th August	7.00am – 10.15am

No exhibits will be accepted for judging after 10.15am on the Saturday.

Judging commences Saturday 17th August at 10.30am

Summer Show opens to the public

Saturday 1.30pm – 4.30pm
and
Sunday 10.30am – 4.00pm

Admission charge for all non-exhibitors is £2
Exhibitors and Children free.

The John Pretty Masterclass

Prize money 1st £50, 2nd £30, 3rd £20

A display of flowers, fruit and vegetables in a space not exceeding 122cm x 76cm (4ft x 2ft 6in).

The display **MUST** include

- two or more kinds of fruit
- two or more kinds of vegetable
- two or more variety of flowers

all other additional quantities are at the exhibitor's discretion, the collections of vegetables quantities listed on page 7 **do not** apply to this class.

The class can be entered by either an individual or two people working together to produce the display.

All exhibits (fruit, vegetables and flowers) must be grown by the entrants.

With thanks to the late John Pretty who made a donation to sponsor this class.

Award and prize money will be presented at the Summer Show

Enter as class number "**JPM**"

August Summer Show Schedule

JPM	John Pretty Masterclass 1st/£50, 2nd/£30, 3rd/ £20
SECTION 1 - DAHLIAS 🏆	
Why not join the Norfolk and Suffolk Dahlia Society Details at the show from the Club Secretary	
1 🏆	3 vases, 3 blooms, small, any classification, vases can be mixed
2 🏆	2 vases, 3 blooms, miniature, any classification, vases can be mixed
3	1 giant or large decorative any cultivar
4	3 vases, 1 bloom in each, large any classification
5	1 vase, 3 medium decorative any cultivar/s
6	1 vase, 5 small decorative any cultivar/s
7	1 vase, 5 miniature decorative any cultivar/s
8	1 vase, 1 giant or large cactus/semi cactus any cultivar/s
9 🏆	2 vases, 3 blooms in each vase medium cactus/semi cactus any cultivar/
10	1 vase, 3 medium cactus/semi cactus any cultivar/s
11	1 vase, 3 small cactus/semi cactus any cultivar/s
12	1 vase, 3 small ball any cultivar/s
13	1 vase, 5 miniature ball any cultivar/s
14	1 vase, 5 pom-pom any cultivar/s N.D.S classification
15	1 vase, 5 miniature cactus
16	1 vase, 5 any other variety
17 🏆	1 vase, 1 bloom, any cultivar
18	1 Giant Dahlia judged on size only
19	1 vase, 5 water lily dahlias
20 🏆	1 vase, 1 bloom (novice only class, see rule 13A)
SECTION 2 - CUT FLOWERS 🏆	
All vases will be supplied by the Club	
21	1 vase roses, 3 blooms, one variety, Hybrid
22	1 specimen rose, Hybrid Tea 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
23	1 vase roses, 3 stems, any varieties, not Hybrid Tea
24	1 vase of roses, 3 stems, Miniature or Patio

25	1 vase annuals mixed
26	1 vase annuals (one kind)
27	1 vase pinks, 6 stems
28	1 vase perennial flowers, one kind
29	1 vase perennials, two or more kinds
30	1 vase asters, 6 blooms, double
31	3 vases gladioli, 1 spike per vase, any cultivar
32	3 vases gladioli, 6 spikes, 2 spikes per vase, any cultivar/s
33	1 vase gladioli, 1 spike any cultivar
34	1 vase of assorted foliage (no flowers)
35	One vase of mixed cut flowers, between seven and ten stems, no additional foliage
Please name your plants and vegetables where possible	
SECTION 3 - POT PLANTS	
Note: all pots should be staged on saucers, see the rules on page 6.	
36	1 exotic pot plant excluding bulbs, not in any other class, max 20.5 cm pot (8") 1st/£5 Sponsor John Davis
37	1 plant Pelargonium regal or angel, max 17.5 cm pot (7")
38	1 plant Pelargonium zonal, max 17.5 cm pot (7")
39	1 plant Pelargonium fancy/variegated leaf, max 17.5 cm pot (7")
40	Display of alpines growing in a 30.5 cm/12" circular container, includes semi-alpine 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
41	1 basket or pouch, hanging or on a pedestal, one or more plants, flowering and/or foliage, max size 35.5 cm (14")
42	An unusual container of one or more flowering or foliage plants - container to be clearly visible
43	1 patio tub or container of plants, one or more flowering and/or foliage
44	1 pot plant flowering, not fuchsia/begonia/orchids, max 17.5 cm pot (7")
45	1 Pot plant - Orchid
46	3 Pot plants - Orchids 1st/£5 Sponsor John Wells

47	3 different pot plants flowering, excluding Orchids, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
48	1 pot plant foliage, not begonia/coleus, max pot size 17.5 cm (7") 1st/£5 Sponsor John Wells
49	3 pot plants foliage not begonia/coleus, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
50	1 pot plant Coleus, any cultivar, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
51	Collection of cacti or succulents in separate pots, maximum width 61cm (24") (minimum of six different plants)
52	1 pot plant Cacti or Succulent, max pot size 20.5 cm (8") 1st/£5 Sponsor Kay Bruce
53	1 pot summer flowering bulbs, max pot size 20.5 cm (8")
54	1 plant Pelargonium Scented Leaf, max pot size 17.5 cm (7")
SECTION 4 - BEGONIAS 🌿	
Staging boxes for cut blooms will be supplied by the Club	
55	3 pots begonias, tuberous doubles (1 plant per pot)
56	1 pot begonia, tuberous double
57	3 cut blooms begonias, any variety/varieties
58	1 cut bloom begonia, any variety
59	1 foliage begonia
60	1 pot containing more than one plant of begonia
61	1 basket pendula begonia
62	1 basket begonia sutherlandii
SECTION 5 - FUCHSIAS 🌿	
63	6 named Fuchsias on a board, max 30.5 cm square (12"). Board and tray provided by the Club
64	1 plant any variety single 17.5 cm max pot size (7")
65	1 plant any variety double 17.5 cm max pot size (7")
66	1 plant any variety single or double 12.7 cm max pot size (5")
67	3 Plants (in separate pots) any variety single of double 17.5cm max pot size (7")
68	1 plant standard any pot size (full, half or quarter)
69	1 full or half basket 1 or more plants any variety/varieties
70	1 plant Fuchsia, any variety, max pot size 30.5 cm (12")

SECTION 6A - VEGETABLES 🏆	
71	One truss of tomatoes (any variety) 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
72	6 tomatoes (with stalks), round red – one variety
73	6 cherry tomatoes (with stalks) – one variety 1st/ £5 Sponsor John Wells
74	6 tomatoes (with stalks), any other variety
75	7 runner beans – one variety 1st/£5 Sponsor Kay Bruce
76	7 French beans – one variety
77	3 globe beetroot – one variety
78	9 shallots pickling not to exceed 30mm (1.2”) –one variety
79	6 shallots any cultivar – one variety
80	3 carrots long trimmed 8cm (3”) tops – one variety
81	3 carrots stump rooted trimmed 8cm (3”) tops – one variety 1st /£5 Sponsor Roger Webb
82	1 vegetable marrow 38cm (15”) max
83	2 lettuces – any variety 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
84	1 green cabbage – any variety
85	1 cauliflower 1st £5 Sponsor John Wells
86 🏆	6 potatoes 3 distinct cultivars
87	4 potatoes white – one cultivar 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
88	4 potatoes coloured – one cultivar 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
89	2 cucumbers – one variety 1st/£5 Sponsor Debbie Amor
90	3 leeks – one variety
91	3 parsnips – one variety
92	2 heads of celery any cultivar/s
93	3 onions (large exhibition)
94	3 onions under 8ozs
95	Any other vegetable. Not in classes 71 to 94. Quantity at exhibitor's discretion
96 🏆	A trug of vegetables. (Trug supplied by the Club) 1st/£5 2nd/£3 3rd /£2 Sponsor Bob Coutts
97	3 herbs growing in a 30.5cm (12”) (approx) container. 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre

98 🏆	Any one mis-shaped vegetable (wonky) 1st/ £5 Sponsor John Davis
SECTION 6B - COLLECTIONS OF VEGETABLES 🏆	
See page 7 for number and list of vegetables in collections	
99	A collection of salad items maximum width allowed 46 cm (18")
100 🏆	Collection of 6 vegetables from the list of collections of vegetables on page 7. maximum width allowed 91 cm (36") 1st/£5 Sponsor John Davis
101 🏆	Collection of 4 vegetables from the list of collections of vegetables on page 7. maximum width allowed 61 cm (24") 1st/£5 Sponsor Jean Davis
102 🏆	Ladies Only Class Collection of 3 vegetables from the list of collections of vegetables on page 7. maximum width allowed 61 cm (24") 1st/£5 Sponsor Debbie Amor
103	Three varieties of tomatoes (five of each) displayed on separate plates 1st/ £5 Sponsor Jean Davis
104	Master Gardener 1 vase of flowers and 3 vegetables from the following – two Gladioli of any variety/ies, three Dahlias any variety, three Chrysanthemums any variety/ies, nine Annuals any variety/ies, six runner beans, two cabbages, one cauliflower, three carrots (3" tops), three onions, six potatoes, six tomatoes, three leeks, three parsnips Maximum width allowed 61 cm (24 inches) 1st/£5 2nd/£3 3rd/£2 Sponsor Bob Coutts
SECTION 6C - HEAVY VEGETABLE CHAMPIONSHIP 🏆	
105	🏆 Giant Pumpkin – Judged on weight only 1st/£5 Club
106	1 marrow – judged on weight alone
107	1 potato – judged on weight alone
108	1 tomato – judged on weight alone
109	Longest runner bean - must be green – judged on length only – any shape 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
110	3 onions – judged by combined weight alone, max 5 cm (2") stem, no roots. Judges will disqualify all unsound onions or twins
111	1 onion – judged by weight alone, max 5 cm (2") stem, no roots. Judges will disqualify unsound onions or twins

For any vegetable not listed please contact the Show Committee.

SECTION 7 - FRUIT 🏆	
112	A display of fruit – quantity at Exhibitors discretion, at least two different kinds
113	A display of fruit – one kind 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
SECTION 8 - FLORAL ART 🏆	
Note – Flowers and vegetables may be purchased for Floral Art Classes. For all floral art classes see rules on pages 6. Note: see new rule 26 regarding the use of floral foam (OASIS)	
114	Fireworks Width allowed 61cm (24") 1st/£5 2nd/£3 3rd/£2 Sponsor Catherine Douse
115	An arrangement using five blooms Width allowed 38cm (15") 1st/£5 Sponsor Joyce Aguss
116	Handtied arrangement Width allowed 30.5 cm (12")
117	A Buttonhole – A miniature arrangement width allowed 17.5 cm (7") 1st/£5 Sponsor Joyce Aguss
SECTION 9 - DOMESTIC ECONOMY 🏆	
Plates and doyleys are supplied for classes 118–123 For all domestic economy classes see rules on page 6.	
118	Chocolate Cake with chocolate filling no decoration (Exhibitors own recipe)
119	Courgette Loaf (made to recipe on page 22) Show one loaf whole and one loaf sliced and buttered.
120	Five cheese scones (Exhibitors own recipe) 1st/£5 Sponsor Lound Plant Centre
121	Five sausage rolls (Exhibitors own recipe)
122	4 Eccles Cakes (made to recipe on page 22)
123	🏆 Men only class, A Bakewell Tart (made to recipe on page 23) 1st/£5 Sponsor Jean Davis
124	1 Jar of Marmalade (Exhibitors own recipe)
125	1 Jar of Fruit Jam (Exhibitors own recipe)
126	1 Jar of Chutney (Exhibitors own recipe)
127	1 Jar of Sweet Pickles (Exhibitors own recipe)

SECTION 10 – HANDICRAFTS 🏆

Exhibits may not be entered in this class if they have been entered in a similar class at one of the previous club shows.
For all handicraft classes see rules on page 6.

£10 for best overall exhibit from classes 128 to 136

Sponsor Kay Bruce

128	A Cushion in any medium
129	A Knitted or Crochet item
130	A Cross Stitch, Tapestry or Needlepoint item
131	A hand or machine embroidered item
132	A patchwork item, max width 61cm (24"), can be folded to fit space allowed
133	A hand made card
134	An item upcycled or recycled
135	A Drawing or Painting, size not to exceed 61 cm (24") in any direction
136	Any Craft Exhibit not listed in this Section – e.g. Metalwork, Woodwork, Pottery

SECTION 11 – PHOTOGRAPHY 🏆

Photographs may not be entered in this class if they have been entered in a similar class at one of the Club's previous shows.
For all photography classes see rules on page 6.

£5 for the best photograph in show (Club)

138	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed Subject – Fungi
139	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed Subject – Transport
140	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed Subject – Blue
141	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed Subject – Cloud(s)
142	1 photograph 20.3 x 15.2 cm (8 x 6 inches) maximum, unframed Subject – Stairs

SECTION 12 – YOUNG GARDENERS (12 Years and under) 🏆

143	🏆 Best animal made with one vegetable
144	🏆 Heaviest sunflower head
145	🏆 A plant in a pot grown from seed

Domestic Economy Recipes for Section 9

Class 119 - Courgette Loaf

This recipe makes 2 x 2lb (900g) loaves. They will store in the fridge for up to three weeks or will freeze. **Show one loaf whole and one loaf sliced and buttered.**

Ingredients

3 eggs	275ml sunflower oil
350g courgettes grated	165g plain flour
175g raisins	165g buckwheat flour
1 tablespoon ground cinnamon	150g walnuts
2 teaspoons of bicarbonate of soda	1 teaspoon baking powder

Preheat the oven to 180 degree C/Gas 4. Grease and base line two 2lb (900g) loaf tins with greased greaseproof paper. Measure all the ingredients into a large bowl and mix well. Pour into the prepared tins.

Bake in the pre-heated oven for about an hour or until the loaves are firm and a fine skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean. Cool the cakes a little before turning out to cool completely on a wire rack.

Class 122 - Eccles Cakes

Ingredients

375g/12 oz puff pastry	25g/1oz granulated sugar
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Filling

1 tablespoon melted butter	½ teaspoon cinnamon
125g/4oz soft brown sugar	¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg
50g/2oz candied peel	Grated rind of 1 lemon
125g/4oz currants or seedless raisins	

Grease a baking tray and preheat the oven to 230-degree C/Gas 8. Roll out the pastry thinly and cut into 12cm/ 5inch squares. Mix all the filling ingredients and place a heaped tablespoon of the mixture in the centre of each pastry square. Lightly dampen the pastry edges, bring the edges up to the centre and pinch together. Turn the parcels over and mould them into round shapes. Roll with a rolling pin until the cakes are about 6cm/2 1/2inches in diameter and the fruit shows through the pastry. Dampen the tops and sprinkle with granulated sugar. Place the cakes on the prepared baking tray and cut three slits in the top of each one. Bake in the preheated oven for 10-15 minutes until lightly browned.

Class 123 - Men Only Class - Bakewell Tart

This quantity will make four 6-inch pie plates or three 7-inch pie plates. Choose your best Bakewell tart and freeze the rest.

Ingredients

500g shortcrust pastry
Raspberry jam
275g/9oz ground almonds
275g/9oz caster sugar
275g/9oz butter or soft margarine
3 eggs
½ teaspoon almond essence
A little cold water or milk (optional)

Grease three deep 18cm/ 7-inch pie plates. Preheat the oven to 200 degree C/ Gas mark 6. Roll the shortcrust pastry thinly and line the pie plates with it.

Spread the pastry as thinly or as thickly as you like with raspberry jam. Beat together the ground almonds, caster sugar, butter or margarine, eggs and almond essence to a smooth paste.

If the mixture is too stiff, add a little cold water or milk. Divide the mixture between the three tins and smooth the surface with a palette knife. Bake in a preheated oven for about 30 minutes or until the pastry is golden brown and the filling firm to the touch.

Photography 2025

*In order to allow you plenty of time to take your photographs for next year the **Photography classes for the 2025** will be*

*138, Gull Wing Bridge,
139, Wildlife,
140, A Flower Show,
141, People,
142, Place of Worship.*

Entry Form June Members Table Show - Weds 19th June

Entries to be received by 6pm Tues 18th June.

Name.....Address.....

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Tel. No.

Class no	Description

Entries to Andrew Bretton Tel: 01502 513709

Email: gill282@sky.com

Entry Form August Summer Show – 17th &18th August

Entries to be received by 6pm Weds 14th August.

Name.....Address.....

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Class no	Description	Entry fee

Entries to Andrew Bretton Tel: 01502 513709

Email: gill282@sky.com

Entry fees to be paid when you set-up your exhibits at the show, do not attempt to pay them in advance.

8. Dates for your diary

Raveningham Gardens

Raveningham Estate Norwich NR14 6NS

Snowdrops - 11am to 4pm

1st Feb to 29th Feb (closed Saturdays)

East Ruston Old Vicarage Garden

East Ruston Old Vicarage NR12 9HN

Plants Fairs 24th April 2024 and 8th June 2024

Open 10am - £5 entry

Bungay Garden Market

Bungay Town Centre.

12th May – 10am onwards

Plant Heritage Spring Plant Fair & Artisan Market

Helmingham Hall, Stowmarket, Suffolk IP14 6EF Sunday 26th and Monday 27th May. Entry £9 in advance £10 on gate.

WGC Trip to Sandringham Flower Show

31st July 2024 – Contact Cathy Coutts (Club Committee)

Bradwell Gardeners Club Summer Show

Members only show in July - but visitors welcome

The Old School Village Centre, 2 Green Lane,

Bradwell, NR31 8QH (Find them on Facebook)

Norfolk and Suffolk Dahlia Society 62nd Annual Show

Alburgh Village Hall, Low Road, Alburgh, Harleston IP20 0BZ

Sunday 25th August - 10am – 4pm

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