



CLASS SCHEDULE

30th July 2022

BIRSTWITH SHOW

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Please keep this schedule and bring it to the show with you

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Entry Fees and Prizes

Entry Fee: £0.50 per class

First Prize: £3.00

Second Prize: £2.00

Third Prize: £1.00

How to Enter

ENTRY NIGHT - Bring your completed entry form(s) along with the correct entry fees to Birstwith Church Hall on Friday 22nd July between 7pm and 8pm.

ENTRY MONTH - Leave your completed entry form(s) and the correct entry fees in the Birstwith Show Post Box at the **Dale Stores, Birstwith**. This service is available from the 1st July until close of business at the Dale Stores on 22nd July.

POSTAL ENTRIES - You may post your completed entry form(s) along with the correct entry fees to **BHS, Dale Stores, Birstwith, HG3 2NF**. It is important to note that these must arrive no later than Friday 22nd July. If they arrive late they cannot be processed and will not be entered.

STAGING NIGHT - Bring your exhibits to the Birstwith Show marquee on Friday 29th July between 7pm - 9pm

STAGING MORNING - Alternatively bring your exhibits on show morning Saturday 30th July between 8am - 9.45am

Cheques made payable to 'Birstwith Horticultural Society'

Free entry with 10 or more exhibits

Enter 10 or more different exhibits into the show and get a complimentary entry ticket to the Show Day. Obtain your ticket on staging night or morning, when you bring all ten or more exhibits to the show.

All exhibits will be entered into an exhibitor prize draw. The winner will receive two complimentary food tickets for the Birstwith Show evening event.

- Get your entry form in on time as we can't accept late entries. Please read the "How to Enter" section on page 3 carefully as there are various ways to enter and stage your exhibits.
- Make sure the information on your entry form is correct. Whatever is written on your entry form will be what you receive entry cards for. We are really sorry but if this isn't right we can't change it on show day, even if you have brought your prize winning entry with you!
- Make sure you read the class description correctly. Bring the correct number of items required and make sure they are the right dimensions.
- We know that some classes have a lot of information included and the Rules and Regulations aren't very exciting, but read them through carefully on page 26 as they hold key information.
- Remember all exhibits will be entered into an exhibitor prize draw. The winner will receive two complimentary food tickets for the Birstwith Show evening event.
- **Pre Sales:** Buy your show day tickets in advance to enter the raffle to be drawn on show day. Tickets will be available from July, please keep an eye out for further details.

Our Committee

Are you interested in joining our fun committee or just fancy helping out on the build up to the show? We are always looking for new people to become involved in the show and there are lots of different ways you can do so. For more information please email **Amy Howard** on info@birstwithshow.com

Trade Stands

At the Birstwith Show, we are always looking for new, exciting trade stands to attract our visitors. So, if you have a small business, a cottage industry or even a hobby that you want to tell everybody about, we'd like you to book a stall at the show.

Each year there is a prize for the best Trade Stand of the year.

Just email info@birstwithshow.com, or phone **01423 772966** for information on how to book your space.

Vases are available in the marquee for those who require them.

Flowers

- ★ **Joan Castle Trophy** Best exhibit in Section A - Flowers
 - ★ **Gardening Voucher** Best exhibit in Class 102
 - ★ **NSPS Bronze Medal** Best exhibit in Class 103
 - ★ **NSPS Certificate** Best exhibit in Class 104
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- 102 1 Vase Cut Flowers from the Garden. Perennial or Annual, at Least 3 Kinds.
 - 103 3 Vases of Sweet Peas. 3 Varieties, 6 Stems in Each Vase. Winner Also Receives NSPS Bronze Medal.
 - 104 1 Vase of 12 Sweet Peas. Any Variety or Varieties. Winner Also Receives NSPS Certificate.
 - 106 3 Stems Phlox. Any Variety or Varieties.
 - 108 1 Rose. Any Variety.
 - 109 A Vase of Sweet Williams.
 - 110 A Pot Plant. Any Variety - Flowering.
 - 111 A Pot Plant. Any Variety - Foliage.
 - 112 A Pot Plant. Cactus or Succulent.
 - 113 A Tub or Container of Mixed Plants.
 - 117 Hanging Basket or Pot. Containing any Variety or Varieties of Plants.
 - 119 3 Hydrangea Blooms in a Vase.
 - 121 A Vase of Mixed Cosmos.
 - 122 A Vase of Antirrhinums. Can be Mixed.
 - 123 Lupins. 3 Stems in a Vase.
 - 124 Delphiniums. 3 Stems in a Vase.
 - 125 3 Dahlia Blooms in a Vase

Vegetables

- ★ **David A Clarkson Perpetual Silver Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section A - Vegetables
- 140 4 Potatoes. Coloured. Any One Variety.
 - 141 4 Potatoes. White. Any One Variety.
 - 142 5 Pods of Peas.
 - 143 3 Onions. Include Tops and Roots.
 - 144 4 Tomatoes. Any Variety Except Cherry.
 - 145 6 Cherry Tomatoes.
 - 146 5 Pods of Mangetout.
 - 147 3 Carrots.
 - 148 5 Shallots.
 - 149 1 White Cabbage. Any Variety. Will be Cut When Judged.
 - 150 3 Beetroot. Any One Variety.
 - 151 3 Courgettes. Any Variety or Varieties.
 - 152 1 Lettuce. Roots to be Attached, Washed and Displayed in a Jar.
 - 153 5 Pods Broad Beans.
 - 154 5 Runner Beans.
 - 155 1 Specimen Vegetable. Not Included Elsewhere in the Show Schedule.
 - 156 Display of 3 Different Vegetables.
 - 157 Vase of Mixed Herbs. Maximum 4 Varieties. To be Named.
 - 159 5 Radishes.
 - 160 1 Grown Potato Plant. Any Variety. To be Grown in a 10"x10" Pot (Florist Bucket). Bring in the Pot Undisturbed for Judges to Assess the Best Overall Weight.
 - 161 1 Garlic Bulb.
 - 162 1 Broccoli Head.
 - 163 5 French Beans.
 - 164 2 Kohl Rabi.
 - 165 A Chilli Plant.
 - 166 A Cucumber. Any Variety.
 - 167 4 Baby Turnips.

Fruit

★ **George Gill Millennium Cup**
Best exhibit in Section A - Fruit

- 181 Raspberries. 10 Strings.
- 182 Blackcurrants. 10 Strings.
- 183 10 Gooseberries.
- 184 Redcurrants. 10 Strings.
- 185 3 Stems of Rhubarb with Leaves. 1 Stem will be Broken to Test for Tenderness.
- 186 1 Specimen Fruit. Not Included Elsewhere in the Show Schedule.
- 187 5 Strawberries.
- 188 2 Figs.

General

- 200 A Secret Garden. To be Made in a Seed Tray Approximately 35x35cm. To be Made from Plant Material.
- 211 The Most Unusual Shaped Fruit or Vegetable. In the Opinion of the Judges.

Open to anyone who has not entered this section 3 times or more in the past.

Flowers

★ **Mrs F Whitwham Cup** Best exhibit in Section B - Flowers
★ **Horticap Voucher** Best exhibit in Class 301

- 301 Tub or Container of Mixed Plants.
- 303 5 Sweet Peas. Any Variety or Varieties.
- 304 One Vase of Cut Flowers. Any Variety or Varieties.
- 307 A Pot Plant. Flowering or Foliage.
- 308 A Pot Plant. Cactus or Succulent.
- 309 A Rose. Any Variety.

Vegetables & Fruit

★ **George Whitwham Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section B - Vegetables & Fruit

- 325 1 Flower and 1 Vegetable.
- 327 A Vase of Mixed Herbs. Maximum of 4 Varieties. Herbs to be Named.
- 329 3 Onions. Include Tops and Roots.
- 330 6 Spring Onions.
- 331 4 Potatoes. White. Any One Variety.
- 332 4 Potatoes. Coloured. Any One Variety.
- 333 1 Lettuce. Roots to be Attached, Washed and Displayed in a Jar.
- 334 A Pot of Mixed Salad Leaves. Pot No Larger than 20cm.
- 335 5 Pods of Broad Beans.
- 336 5 Runner Beans.
- 337 3 Courgettes. Any Variety or Varieties.
- 338 5 Pods of Mangetout.

Vegetables & Fruit (cont.)

- 339 5 Pods of Peas.
- 340 5 Radishes.
- 341 4 Tomatoes. Any Variety Except Cherry.
- 342 6 Cherry Tomatoes.
- 343 5 French Beans.
- 344 2 Kohl Rabi.
- 345 A Cucumber. Any Variety.
- 362 A Dish of Soft Fruit. Any One Kind. Not to Exceed 100 Grams.
- 366 A Stem of Rhubarb. Longest One Wins.

All classes will be staged within a space approximately 750mm height x 680mm width x 600mm depth unless otherwise stated and will have a white background.

An exhibit in a show is composed of natural plant material, with or without accessories. To be contained within the space specified. Containers, backgrounds, bases, drapes, titles and mechanics may be included. Natural plant material should dominate but need not be grown by the exhibitor. Artificial plant material should not be used.

Exhibits must be the unaided work of the exhibitor but may be pre arranged and brought to the marquee complete.

Flower Arranging

★ **Killinghall Cup**
Best exhibit in Section D - Flower Arranging

- 401 "You've Got Soul". An Arrangement in a Recycled Plastic Bottle.
- 402 "The Queen's Platinum Jubilee". An Arrangement with Accessories.
- 403 "Diamonds are a Girl's Best Friend".
- 404 "Enchanted Garden". Fruit, Flowers and Foliage.
- 405 An Arrangement in an Egg Cup.

Flower Arranging and Decorative (First Time Exhibitors)

★ **E Wood Cup**
Best exhibit in Class 421

- 421 "Down by the Riverside".

Section F - Children's Classes

Age groups apply to the child's age on Show Day

Birstwith & Admiral Long School Pupils Only

★ **Birstwith School Governors Centenary Shield**
Best exhibits by Birstwith School Pupils (Shared)

591 Key Stage 1 : A Painting - Save the Ocean.

592 Key Stage 2 : A Painting - Save the Ocean.

Children's Horticulture (Any Age)

★ **Joe Maiden Cup**
Best exhibit in Section F - Children's Horticulture

★ **Horticap Voucher**
Best exhibit in Class 573

571 A Miniature Garden. To be Made in a Seed Tray Approx 35x35cm. To be Made from Plant Material.

572 "Mr Grass Head".

573 A Flower Display in an Old Shoe.

575 A Bird Feeder.

576 Highest Yield from a Potato Still Growing in a Bag.

577 4" Pot of Nasturtians.

578 The Most Unusual Shaped Vegetable (in the Opinion of the Judges).

579 The Longest Courgette.

Section H - Cookery & Homemade Beverages

Cookery

★ **Chairman's Silver Cup**
Best exhibit in Section H - Cookery

★ **Ellen Shaw Memorial Trophy**
Best exhibit in Class 6.5

★ **Anonymous Voucher**
Best exhibit in Class 621

★ **Anonymous Voucher**
Best exhibit in Class 622

★ **Angus and Heather Holmes Trophy**
Best exhibit in Classes 631 to 637

601 Mixed Fruit Tea Loaf. To be Made in a 2lb / 1kg Loaf Tin.

602 3 Pieces of Shortbread.

605 Victoria Sandwich Cake (Jam Filling). 7" - 8" Diameter.

608 Four Pieces of Rocky Road.

612 Two Yorkshire Puddings.

614 A Cheese and Onion Pasty. See Recipe at the End of the Schedule.

618 2 Fruit Scones.

619 Four Unfilled Brandy Snap Fingers.

620 An Individual Fruit Crumble.

621 Four Vegetable Somosas.

622 Three Individual Meringues.

623 A Milk Loaf. A Breadmaker May be Used.

624 A Tear and Share Loaf. No Breadmaker to be Used.

631 A Jar of Jam. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

632 A Jar of Marmalade. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

633 A Jar of Chutney. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

634 A Jar of Jelly. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

635 A Jar of Lemon Curd. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

Cookery (cont.)

- 636 A Jar of Honey. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.
637 A Jar of Mustard. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

Can't Cook, Try and Cook! Beginners Class

- 642 Four Madeleines.

Wine, Beer, Spirit or Soft Drink (to be in a Clear Bottle)

- ★ **Peter Hodgkinson Tankard**
Best exhibit in classes 698, 699 - Wine, Beer, Spirit or Soft Drink
- 698 Homemade Soft Drink. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.
699 Homemade Wine, Beer or Spirit. Please Name Your Exhibit and State the Date Made.

Maximum size limit to be no larger than 7 x 5 inches. All photographs to be mounted on 8 x 6 inch card. All photographs can be in black & white or colour, unless specified.

Photography

- ★ **John Stockdale Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section I
- 731 Food, Glorious Food.
732 Family Life.
733 An Ancient Monument.
734 Oh I Do Like to be Beside the Seaside.
735 Shadows.
736 Reflections.
737 Changing Weather.
738 Community.
739 Rural Life.
740 Lockdown Moment.

Exhibitors should indicate on the entry form if they require more than 30 x 30cm of table space for their exhibit. Maximum width of paintings is 75cm including mount.

Handiwork

★ **Mrs S B Ward Cup**
Best exhibit in Section J - Handiwork

- 801 An Item Made From Any Hard Material. Pottery, Wood, Metal etc..
- 802 A Handknitted Item.
- 804 Recycle an Old Shirt.
- 805 Origami.

Art

★ **Mike Hindle Award**
Best exhibit in Class 921

★ **Birstwith Rural Group Trophy**
Best exhibit in Class 922

- 921 A Coloured Piece of Art in Any Medium.
- 922 A Black and White Piece of Art in Any Medium.

Ingredients

- 900g/2lb shortcrust pastry
- 450g/1lb onions, peeled and sliced
- 450g/1lb mature cheddar, grated
- 2 tbsp. vegetable oil
- Salt and pepper
- Beaten egg for glazing

Method

1. Heat the oven to 200C/400F/Gas 6.
2. Roll out the pastry and cut out 6 circles 20cm/8in in diameter.
3. Heat the oil and cook the onions in it until starting to soften.
4. Take off the heat and cool. Stir in the grated cheese and season well.
5. Divide the mixture between the 6 circles and crimp the edges together. Brush with a little of the beaten egg.
6. Put on a baking sheet and bake in the oven for 20-30 minutes until the pastry is golden. Serve hot or cold.

Handwriting - Class 547

"Knock, knock"

Knock, knock

Who's there?

Tank

Tank who?

You're welcome.

Would you be interested in becoming an advertiser or sponsor this year? Have a look below for all the details and please contact us for more information:

Email info@birstwithshow.com

BHS Advertiser

Our main Show Schedule is distributed around 3 weeks before the Show. Businesses who wish to advertise can do for:

£50 for a ¼ page advert

£75 for a ½ page advert

£125 for a full page advert

BHS Sponsor

Businesses wishing to sponsor the Show for £300 will receive:

- A full page advert in the Show Schedule
- Entry passes for 6 people to the Show Day
- The opportunity to display your business/promotion banner in the main ring on show day
- Unlimited drinks for up to 6 people *
- Free trade stand
- 2 meal vouchers at the Show Evening Event

** Excludes sprits. Drinks include prosecco, wine, draft beer & lager. Subject to available stock and responsible consumption.*

BHS Patron

As you're aware, Birstwith has a strong sense of community with a big drive towards improving the local environment.

The backbone of this is a combination of Birstwith Horticultural Society and Birstwith In Bloom which are made up of local people who live and work in the local community. Being a non-profit community group we rely heavily on fundraising. We would like to invite contributions from our local community and in return you will become a Patron.

As a Patron; you, your family or your business name will feature in the village. It will also feature at the Birstwith Show and on social media (if you wish). Your funds will go towards:

- Purchasing additional plants for the communal areas in the village
- Maintaining those existing planted areas
- Contribute to the running of the Birstwith Show
- Maintaining the village community garden area

All we ask for is a minimum donation of £20 a year. Being a local resident you will see first-hand the benefits of your contributions.

If you would like to become a Patron, please email info@birstwithshow.com or speak to a member of our committee.

On behalf of Birstwith Horticultural Society and Birstwith In Bloom thank you in advance for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you in the village throughout the year.

1. Please comply with the written information at the beginning of each section.
2. Horticultural exhibits must be the exhibitor's property 2 months prior to the show, with the exception of plants entered as hanging baskets or containers. In this case plants may be purchased prior to planting.
3. No re-entry of prize winning exhibits, except in the horticultural section.
4. Any infringement of the rules automatically disqualifies the exhibitor's entry and renders the exhibitor liable to forgo any prize money.
5. Children's work must be the exhibitor's own work. If, in the opinion of the judges, there has been excessive adult input the judges may mark down the exhibit.
6. Multiple entries are allowed per class however only one prize per exhibitor per class is permitted.
7. All exhibits in **Section D (Flower Arranging)** must be the unaided work of the exhibitor. They may be prepared at home and brought to the marquee to complete.
8. The judges' decision is final.
9. No person, exhibitor or competitor will be admitted to the show field without an official entry ticket.
10. Where there are three entries or less in a class the judges reserve the right to award one or two prizes only.
11. Any technical objection is to be handed to the Information Point in writing by 3.30pm on show day accompanied by a fee of £1, which will be refunded if the objection is upheld.
12. The sale of raffle tickets on the show field is not permitted, except with prior written permission from the committee. Consent will be subject to such rules that the committee may decide in its absolute discretion.
13. All trade stands and stall holders must comply with the conditions laid down by the committee.
14. All prize money is to be collected from the Information Point at approximately 3:30pm onwards, an announcement will be made on the day.
15. Exhibits are to be collected from the marquee no earlier than 4pm on show day. Any exhibits left after 5pm will be thrown away.

January: Mulch any borderline hardy plants with compost or straw. Harvest leeks, parsnips, cabbage and sprouts as needed and enjoy browsing through the seed catalogues.

February: This month is your last chance to plant bare root trees and shrubs. Don't forget to ventilate cold frames and greenhouses on mild days.

March: Divide and replant snowdrops. Cut back grasses, late flowering fuchsias and hydrangeas before new growth begins. Plant broad beans and sweet peas under cover.

April: Protect fruit trees from late frosts. Sow winter cabbage and plant early potatoes in containers. Dead head spring flowers.

May: If the ground is warm enough sow early crop carrots, beetroot, cauliflower, peas and lettuce. Earth up potatoes and plant main crop in the ground. Don't forget that lawns need frequent cutting and the weeds just love this time of year.

June: Plant outdoor beans. Plant up summer pots but protect from cold nights. Undercover sow courgettes, cucumbers, swede and French beans. Harden off outdoor tomato plants.

July: Sow nasturtiums between beans to keep away blackfly. Harvest early sown garlic and onions. *Don't forget to enter produce and flowers (and your baking) in Birstwith Show.*

August: Keep harvesting fruit and veg, this encourages more produce. Dead head flowers, trim back herbs to encourage pungent new growth but don't forget to let some flower. The bees love thyme and chive flowers. Enjoy a glass of wine in the sunshine and admire your handiwork.

September: Cut back early flowering shrubs to generate a second flush of flowers. Dead head roses and dahlias. Harvest apples, pears and damsons.

October: Begin to cut back summer border plants. Plant garlic and onion sets. Plant bulbs and wallflowers for spring colour. Sweep up and compost leaves.

November: Trim back shrubs especially buddleia, lavender and summer climbers to keep them compact. Lift dahlia tubers and store in a dry cool shed. Plant fruit canes and trees.

December: Keep warm by tidying the shed, turning the compost and clearing borders of perennial die back. Pick Brussels sprouts and enjoy your Christmas dinner.

BIRSTWITH VILLAGE EVENTS

For all upcoming events, please keep an eye out on our Facebook page and in village noticeboards for further information.

If you'd like to help setup and run any of the events below please email or speak to a member of our committee.

For any questions please email info@birstwithshow.com

COMMUNITY GARDEN ACTIVITIES

20th March - Seed Planting

2nd May - Making Beltane Crowns

19th June - Summer Solstice Picnic with Activities

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

4th June - Pig Race at The Station Hotel

5th June - Picnic in the Paddock