



CLASS SCHEDULE

29th July 2023

The schedule is full of all the classes you can enter
at Birstwith Show - take a look inside!

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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

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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.

Last date to submit entry forms - Friday 21st July

Handy Hints

- 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.
- **Show Day Entry Tickets:** These are available online via www.ticketsource.co.uk - search for "Birstwith Show" or scan the QR code on the front cover. Tickets will also be available at the gate on show day.

Birstwith Show 2023

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.

If you get booked in before June your business will be advertised for free in our main show programme available throughout July. You also receive 2 entry tickets for the show, any additional tickets can be purchased before the day or on the gate,

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

New for 2023

You can now buy your show day tickets online! Scan the QR code below or visit www.ticketsource.co.uk and search for "Birstwith Show".

Show Day entry ticket prices:

Online tickets - £7.00

On the gate - £7.50

Under 18s - Free

Scan QR code



Show Day Tickets

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Section A - Horticulture

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

- 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.
- 104 1 Vase of 12 Sweet Peas. Any Variety or Varieties.
- 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 Pansies. 4 Pansies Displayed.
- 124 Delphiniums. 3 Stems in a Vase.
- 125 3 Dahlia Blooms in a Vase.

Section A - Horticulture

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.
- 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 Kohlrabi.
- 165 A Chilli Plant.
- 166 A Cucumber. Any Variety.
- 167 4 Baby Turnips.

Section A - Horticulture

Fruit



George Gill Millennium Cup
Best exhibit in Section A - Fruit

- 181 Raspberries. 10 Separate Raspberries.
- 182 Blackcurrants. 10 Separate Blackcurrants.
- 183 Gooseberries. 10 Separate Gooseberries.
- 184 Redcurrants. 10 Separate Redcurrants.
- 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 Strawberries. 5 Separate Strawberries.
- 188 Figs. 2 Separate Figs.

General

- 200 A Royal 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.
- 212 A Gentleman's Buttonhole.
- 213 A Lady's Corsage.

Section B - Horticulture (Novice)

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. Not Exceeding 30cm.
- 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.
- 310 A Dahlia Bloom in a Vase.

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.

Section B - Horticulture (Novice)

Vegetables & Fruit (cont.)

- 338 5 Pods of Mangetout.
- 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 Kohlrabi.
- 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.

Section D - Flower Arranging

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 "A Flower Crown".
- 402 "The King's Coronation". An Arrangement with Accessories.
- 403 An Arrangement of Foliage.
- 404 An Arrangement of Fruit and Flowers.
- 405 An Arrangement in a Tea Cup.

Flower Arranging and Decorative *(First Time Exhibitors)*



E Wood Cup

Best exhibit in Class 421

- 421 An Arrangement in a Basket.

Section F - Children's Classes

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

Age in years and months must be stated on the front of the exhibit or on the exhibitors card. Exhibits not stating an age will be judged based on the maximum for the class. Please do not put the exhibitors name on the front of the exhibit. Names must be on the back only. All the work must be the children's own work. Exhibitors should indicate on the entry form if they require more than 300 x 300mm of table space for their exhibits.

12 - 17 Years

★ **R F Wood Cup**
Best exhibit in Section F - 12 to 17 Years

- 501 A Black and White Piece of Art in Any Medium.
- 502 A Coloured Piece of Art in Any Medium.
- 503 Photography. My Family and Friends.
- 504 Photography. My Pets.
- 506 Cookery. 4 Pieces of Chocolate Brownie.
- 507 An Item of Handiwork. Made From Any Material - Pottery, Wood, Knitted etc.

8 - 11 Years

★ **Leading Leisure Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section F - 8 to 11 Years

★ **Anonymous Voucher for £5**
Best Exhibit in Class 525

★ **Prize Awarded by Mrs Marion Stockdale**
Best Exhibit in Class 527

- 522 Photography. My Family and Friends.
- 523 Photography. My Pets.
- 524 A Sock Puppet.
- 525 An Item of Handiwork. Made From Any Material - Pottery, Wood, Knitted etc.

Birstwith Show 2023 - Entry Form

Full Name	Mr / Mrs / Miss
Phone	
Email	
Address	
(Official Use)	

Please note: EACH exhibitor must use a separate entry form

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8 - 11 Years (cont.)

- 526 Cookery. 4 Colourful Cupcakes.
- 527 Write a Story in Fewer Than 100 Words. Base Your Story on the Picture Found at the End of the Schedule.

7 Years and Under

- ★ **Children's Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section F - 7 Years and Under
- ★ **Anonymous Voucher for £5**
Best exhibit in Class 544
- ★ **Prize Awarded by Mrs Marion Stockdale**
Best Exhibit in Class 547

- 542 A Vegetable Animal.
- 544 Playdough Food. A Paper Plate of Playdough Food.
- 545 A Collage.
- 546 Cookery. Two Decorated Homemade Buns.
- 547 Handwriting. "Knock Knock". Please see Handwriting Piece at the End of the Schedule.

Pre-School Children Only

- ★ **Chocolate Trophy**
Best exhibit in Section F - Pre-School Children Only
- 563 A Hand and Footprint Picture.
- 564 Two Decorated Plain Digestive Biscuits.

Section F - Children's Classes

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Birstwith & Admiral Long School Pupils Only



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

591 Key Stage 1: Sunset or Sunrise. Any Medium.

592 Key Stage 2: Sunset or Sunrise. Any Medium.

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 Cress in an Egg Cup.

573 A Welly Good Flower Display. A Flower Display in a Welly.

575 A Bird Feeder.

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

577 A Broad Bean in a Jam Jar.

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

579 The Biggest Raddish.

Section H - Cookery & Homemade Beverages

Cookery

- ★ **Chairman's Silver Cup**
Best exhibit in Section H - Cookery
- ★ **Ellen Shaw Memorial Trophy**
Best exhibit in Class 605
- ★ **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 Flapjack. With One Additional Ingredient to be Named.
- 612 Two Yorkshire Puddings.
- 614 A Mini Quiche.
- 618 2 Cheese Scones.
- 619 Four Pieces of Yorkshire Parkin. See Recipe at the End of the Schedule.
- 620 An Individual Fruit Crumble.
- 621 Two Sausage Rolls. Winner Also Receives a Voucher.
- 622 Four Decorated Chocolate Buns. Winner Also Receives a Voucher.
- 623 A White Loaf. A Breadmaker May be Used.
- 624 A Wholemeal Loaf. A Breadmaker May 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

Section H - Cookery & Homemade Beverages

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 Chocolate Brownies.

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.

Section I - Photography

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 Barbecue Day.
- 732 Party Time.
- 733 A Panoramic View.
- 734 Oh I Do Like to be Beside the Seaside.
- 735 Colours of Nature.
- 736 It's a Pet's Life.
- 737 Extreme Weather.
- 738 Village Life.
- 739 Abandoned Building.
- 740 Nature Close Up.

Section J - Arts & Crafts

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.
- 803 A Crocheted Item.
- 804 Two Napkins Made from Recycled Material.
- 805 A Decorated Homemade Greetings Card.

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.

Recipe - Class 619

Four Pieces of Yorkshire Parkin

Ingredients

- 8 ounces (220 g) unsalted butter, softened
- 1 cup (200 g) golden syrup, or light corn syrup
- 1/2 cup (110 g) soft dark brown sugar
- 1/4 cup (55 g) black treacle, or molasses
- 1 cup (200 g) self-rising flour
- 1/2 cup (110 g) medium oatmeal, or porridge oatmeal
- 4 teaspoons ground ginger
- 2 teaspoons nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon mixed spice, or pumpkin pie spice
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 2 large eggs, beaten
- 2 tablespoons milk, if needed

Method

1. Gather the ingredients. Preheat the oven to 275 F / 140 C / Gas Mark 1.
2. Grease an 8 x 8-inch square cake tin.
3. In a large, heavy-based saucepan, melt together the butter, golden syrup, brown sugar, and treacle over a gentle heat. Do not allow the mixture to boil; you simply need to melt them together.
4. In a large, spacious baking bowl, stir together the flour, oatmeal, ginger, nutmeg, mixed spice, and baking powder.
5. Gradually add the melted butter mixture, stirring to coat all the dry ingredients and mix thoroughly.
6. Gradually beat in the eggs a few tablespoons at a time.
7. Add a tablespoon of milk at a time if the mixture feels dry. You are looking for a soft cake batter. Stir well.
8. Pour the mixture into the prepared tin and cook for 1 1/2 hours, until firm, set, and a dark golden brown.
9. Remove the parkin from the oven and leave to cool in the tin.
10. Once cool, slice and store the parkin in an airtight tin for a minimum of three days for the best flavor.

Picture - Class 527

Write a Story in Fewer Than 100 Words



Handwriting - Class 547

"Knock, knock"

Knock, knock

Who's there?

Tank

Tank who?

You're welcome.

Advertising & Sponsorship

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

£80 for a ½ page advert

£140 for a full page advert

BHS Sponsor

Our Corporate Package to sponsor the Show starts at £300 to include:

- A full page advert in the Show Day Programme
- Your logo on our website with link back to your website
- 6 entry passes to the Show Day
- Banner space on the show ground, if provided
- Complimentary drinks package

We can also offer bespoke packages for your business if you would like more involvement in the show. Please speak to **James Henderson** for further details on **07792 467118**.

Going for Gold!

Birstwith in Bloom are entering the Yorkshire In Bloom competition this year and need your help! We last entered in 2019 and achieved a Gold award and we are keen to do as well again this time.

You will see us being extra busy around the village, planting, weeding and tidying before the judging takes place in July and if you are able to help us in any way that would be much appreciated. This could involve lending a hand at one of our monthly meets (the first Saturday of every month), donating plants or money, picking up litter as you walk around the village or just keeping your own front gardens and pathways extra tidy.

If you'd like to find out more you can find us on Facebook or contact Ruth Fisher on ruthffisher@btinternet.com or 01423 779424.



Rules and Regulations

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.

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

VILLAGE EVENTS

16th September - Duck Race

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

7th May - Picnic in the Paddock