

Kingston Horticultural Society



***** New Format *****

Seasonal 'Have-a-go' Shows



Rules for all 2019 show days

1. Exhibitors must be amateurs.
2. All exhibits in Sections A, B, C and E must have been grown or made by the exhibitor.
3. All exhibits in Sections D, F and G must have been completed by the exhibitor since the 2018 Show.
4. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in each class.
5. Exhibitors must provide their own unbreakable & recyclable containers, dishes, paper plates, etc. as appropriate.
6. Exhibit cards will be available on the day, to be completed by the exhibitor for each entry and placed face down by the exhibitor when the exhibit is set up. Exhibitors must hand their cards in to the Show Secretary at the end of each show day for points to be awarded.
7. Exhibitors must remove all items at the end of each show day.
8. If judging is close, preference will be given to entries that are correctly named.
9. The judges may modify or withhold any award if the standard of exhibits does not merit a prize. The decision of the judges will be final. In all other matters connected to the Show, the decision of the committee shall be final.
10. The Society accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to exhibits, display material, personal property or any personal injury, due to any cause whatsoever.
11. Trophies remain the property of the Society and will be held by the winners for one year only. These must be returned at least two weeks before the AGM. No trophy can be won outright.

Saturday 13th July 2019

Park Road allotments

Day 1 – open to all

Set up from 9 am, judging from 10 am.

Show opens 11 am, exhibits to stay in place until close at 3 pm.

SECTION A: VEGETABLES

Beetroot

1. 3 with 8cms tops, any variety (do not cut in half)

Carrots

2. 3 with 8cms tops, any variety

Onions

3. 3 bulbs not to exceed 250 grams, with 5cms neatly tied stalk
4. 1 bulb largest by weight

Shallots

5. 10 not to exceed 3cms in diameter (neatly tied 5cms stalk)

Potatoes

6. 5 White - medium sized, avoid blemishes
7. 5 Other than white – as above

Beans

8. Runner – 5 with stalks
9. French, climbing or dwarf – 7 with stalks

Courgettes

10. 3 young, uniform with some stalk, any variety

Tomatoes – all with calyx

11. 5 small fruits, 3.5cms or smaller, any variety
12. 5 fruits, larger than 3.5cms, any variety
13. Single stem truss with at least 5 ripe fruits

Miscellaneous

14. 1 bizarre, ugly or misshapen vegetable/fruit.
15. A mixed exhibit of at least 5 types of vegetable. No more than 12”×12” in a basket or tray.

SECTION B: FRUIT

Strawberries

16. 1 plate of 5 with stalks

Raspberries

17. 1 plate of 12 with stalks – 1 variety

Other fruit

18. 1 plate of 5 soft fruit (same variety)
OR 5 trusses of cane fruit (same variety)

SECTION C: FLOWERS

Roses

19. 1 specimen bloom
20. 1 vase of 3 blooms – 1 or more variety

Garden/allotment flowers (annuals or perennials)

21. 1 vase – 1 variety of 5 stems
22. 1 vase – mixed varieties of 5 stems

KHS GARDEN SHOPS	Park Road		Wolsey Drive allotment site	
	Open Wednesday and Sunday		Open Sunday only	
	January – February	1100-1230	January	Closed
	March – September	1030-1230	February	1100-1230
	October – December	1100-1230	March – September	1030-1230
			October – November	1100-1230
			December	Closed

Saturday 28th September 2019

Park Road allotments

Day 2 – open to all

Set up from 9 am, judging from 10 am.
Show opens 11 am, exhibits to stay in place until close at 1 pm.

Charity event 11 am to 1 pm.

SECTION A: VEGETABLES

Any vegetable not included in Day 1

23. Minimum of 3, maximum 5

Pumpkins (or other winter squash)

24. 2 matched

25. 1 giant

Herbs – judged for quality

26. 1 vase, minimum of 3 different herbs

SECTION B: FRUIT

Apples

27. 5 dessert or 5 cooker with stalks

Other fruit

28. 5 other fruits on a plate (can be mixed)

SECTION C: FLOWERS

All containers to be unbreakable and recyclable with sand in the bottom for stability if necessary.

Dahlias

29. 1 vase, 3 stems of 1 variety –
uniformity important

30. 1 vase, 5 stems of any variety or colour

Foliage or seed heads

31. 1 vase of 5 stems of different species

Sunflowers

32. 3 own grown sunflowers

SECTION E: COOKERY

Exposed food entries must be covered with cling film and dated when made

Preserves and pickles etc.

Max. jar weight 1lb/ 500gms

33. Fruit jelly

34. Jam

35. Marmalade

36. Fruit curd

37. Chutney or pickle

38. Sloe/fruit gin – 1 bottle

Baking

39. Loaf of tea bread – any variety 2lb weight

40. Brownies – 6

41. Sausage rolls – 6, any pastry

42. Scones – 6 savoury

43. Quiche – 1 large or 4 small savoury

44. Cake – using at least 1 vegetable

SECTION F: CRAFTS and ARTWORK

45. Scariest scarecrow competition (for plot holders on Park Road site to be displayed on your plot)

46. Handmade article - can be knitted, crocheted, sewn etc.

47. Cot blanket/small shawl

Saturday 31st November 2019

Forward House

Day 3 – KHS members only

Exhibits to be put in place at 5 pm when the show opens and removed when it closes at 7 pm.

SECTION D: FLOWER ARRANGEMENT

Judges – PEOPLE'S CHOICE

- 48. Arrangement of flowers and foliage
25×25 cm
- 49. Christmas wreath

SECTION E: COOKERY

Covered with cling film and dated when made

- 50. Yule log
- 51. Mince pies – 6, any pastry

SECTION F: CRAFTS and ARTWORK

- 52. Christmas tree decoration
- 53. Children's toy
- 54. Christmas card – max size A6 – can be painted, collage, pressed flowers etc.

SECTION G: PHOTOGRAPHIC

Images must be unframed and unmounted max. size 18×13 cm/ 7"×5"

- 55. 'Flowers in Sunshine'
- 56. 'London Life'
- 57. 'Over the Garden Wall'

TROPHIES AND SCORES

All cards must be handed in at the end of each show day for points to be counted.

1 st in class	3 points	Best in section:	4 points
2 nd in class	2 points	Day 1 sections A, B C	
3 rd in class	1 point	Day 2 sections A, B, C, E, F	
		Day 3 sections D, E, F, G	

Trophies for the 2019 shows will be awarded at the Kingston Horticultural Society AGM in Spring 2020

Kingston Horticultural Society

Secretary: 2 Woodcote Close, Kingston upon Thames KT2 5LZ
Annual membership £5

All enquiries regarding the Shows, membership etc. – please join us for a cup of tea on a Wednesday or Sunday morning from 11 am at the Park Road site.