

Summer Produce and Handicraft Show 2023

Saturday 26th August

Hungerford Town Hall RG17 ONF

Open to all, not just allotment holders, but amateurs only please!



Welcome to the first *Summer Produce and Handicraft Show* run by Hungerford Allotment Holder's Association (HAHA). The event has many opportunities for you to enter and show off your own and your family's skills, not just in the vegetable and fruit section but photography, flowers and flower arranging, cookery, handicrafts, children's classes and much more.

Further copies of the show schedule and entry form can be obtained from: Kate.druce@icloud.com or downloaded from [HAHA](#) and [Hungerford Food Community](#) websites, plus in locations around Hungerford.

Organised by:



Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

SECTION 1 – VEGETABLES/FRUIT

No	Description
1	3 Potatoes White
2	3 Potatoes Coloured
3	5 Runner Beans
4	Longest runner bean
5 A	5 French or green beans
5 B	3 Onions (<i>over 8oz / 227g tops tied</i>)
6	3 Onions (<i>up to and including 8 oz / 227g tops tied</i>)
7	5 Shallots (<i>tops tied</i>)
8	5 Tomatoes (<i>small fruited</i>)
9	5 Tomatoes (<i>standard fruited</i>)
10	5 Mangetout/sugar snap
11	3 Carrots standard (<i>leaves trimmed to 1" / 2cms</i>)
12	6 Carrots stubby/round (<i>leaves trimmed to 1" / 2cms</i>)
13	3 Beetroot (<i>leaves trimmed to 1" / 2cms</i>)
14	2 Cabbages (<i>any variety</i>)
15	1 Marrow (<i>heaviest</i>)
16	2 Courgettes (<i>any matching colour</i>)
17	5 Distinct kinds of culinary herbs displayed in a jam jar of water
18	1 Odd shape vegetable
19	1 Edible squash, any variety
20	2 Cucumbers any variety
21	Any 5 vegetables displayed (<i>no tomatoes</i>)
22	Any five salad vegetables displayed (<i>inc. tomatoes</i>)
23	3 Varieties of edible flowers displayed floating in water. (<i>Any from: nasturtiums, marigold, borage, viola, chive, snapdragon</i>)
24	1 Plate of mixed soft fruit

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

SECTION 2 – FLORAL

No	Description
25	Vase of 3 Dahlias Small (under 2” / 5cms)
26	Vase of 3 Dahlias Large (over 2”/ 5cms)
27	Vase of 3 Chrysanthemums
28	6 Sweetpeas
29	3 Gladioli
30	3 Carnations
31	3 Sprays of pinks
32	1 Single rose
33	Vase of mixed roses
34	Vase of 3 <u>other</u> flowers
35	Largest dahlia flower
36	Flowering pot plant (<i>must have been owned for 3 months</i>)
37	Foliage pot plant (<i>must have been owned for 3 months</i>)
38	Up to 3 cacti/succulents in one container (<i>must have been owned for 3 months</i>)

SECTION 3 – FLOWER ARRANGING

No	Description
39	Miniature arrangement (4” / 10cms or less)
40	Table arrangement incorporating a candle.
41	A hand tied posy
42	The King’s Coronation arrangement.
43	Any arrangement of foliage (<i>no flowers</i>)
44	An arrangement in a tin can (400g size)
45	A bowl of floating flowers
46	An arrangement of flowers and vegetables

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

SECTION 4 – HOME BAKING AND PRODUCE

No	Description
47	Victoria Sponge (7-8” / 18-20 cms jam filling only, undecorated)
48	Light fruit cake (any tin shape, no ready-made liner)
49	4 Biscuits/cookies (any type)
50	4 Fruit Scones (size 2-3” / 6-8cms)
51	4 Savoury Scones (size 2-3” / 6-8cms)
52	Iced cake depicting ‘Summer’
53	4 Iced cup cakes
54	Fruit Pie (7-8” / 18-20cms pastry top AND bottom)
55	Standard (not miniature) jar of Fruit Jam
56	Standard (not miniature) jar of Chutney or Relish
57	Standard (not miniature) jar of fruit curd
58	Standard (not miniature) jar of marmalade
59	Standard (not miniature) jar of Honey
60	Jar of pickled onions
61	Loaf of bread (Any made using 800g/2lb of flour, not finished weight)
62	4 ‘sausage’ rolls (3”/8cms, meat or vegetarian)
63	Bottle of wine/cordial/spirit
64	Harvest basket (Any vegetables/fruit <u>grown by you</u> and any jams, cakes, bread or other produce <u>made by you.</u>)

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

SECTION 5 – HANDICRAFT & PHOTOGRAPHY

No	Description
65	Any hand knitted item
66	Any crochet item
67	Any needle work item not specified above
68	Any other craft
69	Up to 7x5” Photograph – UK wildlife
70	Up to 7x5 Photograph – Something in Hungerford High Street or Bridge Street.
71	Up to 7x5 Photograph – Garden or allotment
72	Up to 7x5 Photograph - Sky
73	Up to 7x5 Photograph – Any close up <i>(It must fill the page)</i>

***Photos must be original and not photoshopped/enhanced*

SECTION 6 – CHILDREN

No	Description
74	4 decorated cup cakes
75	A creature using fruit and vegetables.
76	Bird drawing/painting/collage
77	A painted stone
78	Grasses and flowers in a jam jar

Children's classes:

- Infants: up to and including 7-year-olds on the day of the show.
- Juniors: 8-year-olds to 11-year-olds on the day of the show.
- Young people: from 11 to under 16 years old on the day of the show.
- Age will be shown on exhibitor's card. Entries must be the work of the children.*

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

Entry Fees:

Adult classes 20p each entry. *Children's classes 10p each entry.*

Enter as many classes as you like.

Show Rules:

- 1) Open to all, but amateurs only please.
- 2) One entry per class per person.
- 3) ***Entries and entry fees must be received no later than midday on Tuesday 22nd August 2023.***

Competitors who have already entered classes by the 22nd August deadline, may add up to 5 late items by 10 am on the morning of the show.

4) How to enter:

a. On paper with cash/cheques (payable to 'Hungerford Allotment Holders Association') in a sealed, named envelope please:

- Mrs K. D. Edwards, 86 High Street, Hungerford, RG17 0NA
- Mrs J. Pike, 2 Liguil Close, Priory Road, Hungerford, RG17 0BW
- Mrs E. Barnett, 6A Station Road, Kintbury, RG17 9UP
- Charles Stephenson, 15 Uplands, Hungerford, RG17 0LP
- HAHA at Hungerford Food and Artisan Market Sunday August 13th

b. By email with a bank transfer:

andrewdowns88@gmail.com

HAHA Bank details:

Sort code: 20-59-14

Account number: 43437086

Ref: Name & initials as shown
on entry form

Show Day

- Saturday 26th August 8.30 - 11am – stage your exhibits at the Town Hall
 - Stewards will be on hand to guide you.
- Judging will be between 11.15 - 2.15pm
 - No access to the Town Hall while judging is in progress.
- 2.30pm Exhibitors and the public.
- 4.30pm Prize giving & collection of exhibits.
- 5pm Show closes.

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

- 1) Special note: The show is for amateurs only.
- 2) PLEASE follow the description for each class! *Otherwise, it will be marked 'Not According to Schedule'*
- 3) Handicraft items must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 4) Section 4 (cakes etc) to be displayed on a plate and covered with cling film not a polythene bag. *(Cling film will be available if you forget.)*
- 5) All exhibits in Classes 1 and 2 must be the property of, and have been cultivated by the Exhibitor, *except where otherwise stated*. The organisers reserve the right to visit the gardens/allotments of all intending exhibitors.
- 6) All exhibits are staged at owners' risk and must remain on the show tables until after the presentation of Certificates and Trophies.
- 7) Only Stewards and Exhibitors will be allowed into the display area before 11 am on the day of the show whilst staging exhibits. Stewards will be available to assist with any staging problems.
- 8) You will be given cards for your exhibits. Stage your exhibit with the card 'This side up for judging'. Exhibits must be ready for the judging to start at 11am.
- 9) Exhibitors should not handle other persons' exhibits. See Stewards for help.
- 10) Points are awarded on the basis of:-
 - a. 1st Prize – 3 points
2nd Prize – 2 points
3rd Prize – 1 point
 - b. *In best in class, in the event of a tie, the exhibitor with most wins will be judged the winner, if still tied then the decision will be made by the judges.*
- 11) If a class has only one entry, then the judges have the power to award 2nd or 3rd instead of 1st if in their opinion a higher award is not warranted.
- 12) The decision of the judges will be final and they have the power to withhold any prize if the exhibits are not, in their opinion, of sufficient merit to warrant an award.
- 13) The nominated trophies will be awarded to the persons gaining the highest points total in the following groups of classes.
 - The Alba Cup – most points in the show.

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

- HAHA Cup – most points in Sections 1 & 2
 - The Floral Cup - most points in Sections 2 & 3
 - Produce cup – most points in Section 4
 - Liz Barnett Cup –most points in Section 5
 - Children's Cup for most points achieved by a child - Section 6 (*One award covering all age groups*)
- 14) Prize money will be in cash or vouchers and will be given for all classes – as decided by the organisers.
- 15) All Trophies will remain the property of the Organisers. The Trophy winners must sign to accept the Trophies and will be held responsible that all reasonable care is taken of the trophies and should if they wish, obtain the service of a reputable engraver to engrave the Trophies with their name at their own expense.
- 16) The trophies must be returned to the show organisers cleaned and polished no later than *31st July* the year following the competition.
- 17) The show will close after presentation of the Certificates/Trophies.
- 18) Items left after show has closed will be disposed of at the discretion of the Organisers.

Please ask for clarification if you are unsure of any aspect of the show.

Kate.druce@icloud.com

Enter as many classes as you like and join in with the fun!

(Print another entry form if you need to.)

Whilst affiliated to the RHS, HAHA reserves the right to run the show under its own set of rules.

Thank you to our sponsors so far:

The Town and Manor of Hungerford
Christian Alba at Christian Alba's Traditional Butchers
Sarah and George Styles
Liz Barnett
Simon at The Naked Grape

Rules and other details are shown below the category listing

Entry Form

Name:		
Address:		
Contact phone number/email:		
Total number of classes entered:		Total entry fee paid: <i>Please indicate method of payment:</i> Cash/cheque/bank transfer
Class number: (eg: 64)	Description: (eg: Any hand knitted item)	Entry fee per class: 20p 10p children's classes.
Total entry fees enclosed (cash or cheques) / transferred:		£

(If you need more space, please print another entry form or continue on a separate sheet.)