



45th Annual Flower and Vegetable Show
2.00pm Saturday 9th August 2025
at The Washbrook Barn, Ebrington GL55 6NW

(By kind permission of. the Drinkwater Family)

Presentation of prizes at 4.00pm

Admission £1

Afternoon Tea and Cake



RULES OF ENTRY

ENTRY OPEN TO MEMBERS ONLY, who joined the club before **1st July 2025** except for **CHILDREN'S CLASSES**, which are open to any child up to and including the age of 14 years and all the **FLORAL ART** classes.
No entry fees or cash prizes.

Exhibits to be staged on the morning of the Show between **8.00 am and 10.45 am**.
The Show area will then be closed for judging.

Prize giving at 4pm.

Entries are not to be removed until after completion of prize giving.

Judges' decisions are final. Schedule must be adhered to in order to avoid disqualification.

A maximum of two entries per member per class (only one prize to be awarded per member, per class).

Containers in a variety of sizes will be available to exhibitors.

Ebrington and District Gardening Club cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to any exhibitor's property.

Except for floral art classes, ALL exhibits in other classes must be the property of the exhibitor

HINTS FOR EXHIBITORS

FLOWERS

**If you are entering two exhibits in the same class make sure to add A and B to your number stickers so that the prize, if you are successful, can be awarded to the correct entry. Please ensure that your number is clearly visible and firmly fixed.*

**Flowers for the show should be gathered the day before and immediately plunged into water. Bring spares to the show in case of mishaps.*

**With regard to the selection of permitted foliage number and types of flowers in arrangements—follow the schedule carefully.*

**You may need crumpled newspaper kitchen roll to help support flowers (there will be a supply of newspaper available). Also useful are a pair of secateurs or scissors and a small watering can. Flower vases are available for exhibitors. If a class states a different container then you should bring them. e.g., class 42—you need to bring a shallow dish, class 22 a bowl and class 61 a jam jar.*

COOKERY

All cakes and scones to be presented with a doyley on a flat plate and to be covered with cling film.

SCHEDULE

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL EXHIBITS CONFORM TO THE SCHEDULE. SEE NOTES AND TIPS FOR EXHIBITORS

VEGETABLES

1. 3 Potatoes of any variety.
2. 4 Carrots – tops trimmed to 3" / 7cm approx.
3. 4 Beetroot – tops trimmed to 3" / 7cm dressed.
4. 4 Onions – dressed or with a 2"/5cm stalk
5. 5 Shallots – dressed or with a 2"/5cm stalk
6. 5 Runner Beans
7. 5 Broad Beans
8. 5 French Beans
9. 5 Pods of Peas or mange tout
- 10.1 Marrow
- 11.3 Courgettes–6"/15cm and under
12. Any other vegetable not mentioned in classes 1 to 19
- 13.1 Bulb of Garlic - with 2" / 5cm stalk
- 14.5 Radish in a bunch
- 15.5 Cherry tomatoes, with calyces attached
- 16.3 Standard Tomatoes, with calyces attached
- 17.3 Peppers or chillies any colour
- 18.1 Cucumber
- 19.1 Lettuce any variety (with roots)
20. Your favourite vegetable and edible flower
21. A collection of 5 different vegetables displayed in a trug or basket.

FLOWERS

22. 1 bowl of floating flower heads. Bowl not to exceed 260mm diameter
23. 1 Pelargonium growing in a container (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
24. 3 Ball Dahlias–up to 6"/15cm
25. 3 PomPom Dahlias–up to 2"/ 5cm
26. 3 Decorative Dahlias
27. 3 Cactus Dahlias
28. 1 specimen bloom of any variety of Dahlia
29. 3 cut Sunflowers
30. 1 Begonia growing in a container – max size 12" / 30cm
31. 1 rose – single bloom
32. 1 Spray of Roses
33. 1 Stem–The Most Perfumed Rose
34. 3 Stems of Sweet Peas
35. 3 Stems of Cosmos

36. 3 Stems of Everlasting Pea
37. 3 stems of Carnation
38. 1 or more Lilies (growing in a container of max size 12" / 30cm)
39. 6 Pansies or Violas – boxes provided
40. 3 Spikes of Gladiolus
41. 3 Spikes of Miniature Gladiolus
42. 3 blooms of one or more varieties of Floating Clematis
43. 3 Stems of Penstemon
44. 3 Stems of Phlox – one or more varieties
45. 3 Stems of Crocosmia (one or more varieties)
46. 1 Container of cut Mixed Annuals—3 or more Distinct varieties
47. 1 Container of cut Mixed Herbaceous Perennials – 3 or more distinct varieties
48. 5 Hosta leaves – 1 or more varieties
49. 3 Stems of hydrangea - 1 or more varieties
50. 5 Sprays of Flowering Shrubs – 1 or more varieties (not roses)
51. 5 Sprays of Foliage – 1 or more varieties
52. 3 Sprays of Berried Foliage - 1 or more varieties
53. 3 Sprays of Rosehips - 1 or more varieties
54. 3 Sprays of Fuchsia - 1 or more varieties
55. 1 Fuchsia growing in a container (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
56. 1 flowering House Plant (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
57. 1 foliage House Plant (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
58. 1 Succulent (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
59. 5 White Daisies (leucanthemum/shasta daisy)
60. Patio Container of Growing Herbs (max size pot 12" / 30cm)
61. Bunch of Mixed Herbs displayed in a Jam Jar (max, 5 varieties)

FRUIT

- 62.3 Cooking Apples
- 63.3 Eating Apples
- 64.1 Plate of Raspberries or Strawberries
- 65.5 Plums –one variety
- 66.1 variety Tea plate of Cultivated Blackberries
67. Tea Plate of Blueberries
68. Tea Plate of any berries not mentioned above

FLORAL ART

69. **Novice class** for those not having gained a first prize in any floral art class in the Summer Show: **‘Tea for two’**. Accessories permitted.
70. **‘Where have all the flowers gone’**. Arrangement not to exceed 60cm in any direction. Accessories permitted.
71. **‘You’ve been framed’**: Accessories permitted. No height restriction .

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

AGES TWO TO FIVE

72: 3 Decorated biscuits-decorated with flowers, fruit and or vegetables

73: "I grew this-a flower(s), or fruit or vegetable(s)"

74: "How many items can you get in a matchbox?" please attach a hand written list

75: A monster made out of fruit and or vegetables

AGES SIX TO NINE YEARS

76 : 3 Decorated biscuits-decorated with flowers, fruit and or vegetables

77: "I grew this-a flower(s), or fruit or vegetable(s)"

78: "How many items can you get in a matchbox?" please attach a hand written list

79: A monster made out of fruit and or vegetables

AGES TEN TO FOURTEEN YEARS

80: 3 decorated biscuits (homemade) decorated with flowers, fruit and or vegetables

81: "I grew this-a flower(s), or fruit or vegetable(s)"

82 : "How many items can you get in a matchbox?" please attach a hand written list

83. A monster made out of fruit and or vegetables

COOKERY

84.A coffee sandwich cake (8 inch)

85. An apple and cinnamon cake

86. 5 fruit scones

87.A savoury quiche

88. 5 savoury biscuits

89. A 1 lb loaf of hand made bread

90. 5 Jam tarts (any variety of jam

91. 5 short bread biscuits

92 . A Lemon tart

93. **Men's Cookery class for "chaps of any age"** – A cherry loaf cake

ALL JARS FOR THE FOLLOWING CLASSES ARE TO BE SEALED WITH TWIST TOPS (all jars should be plain, non-commercial, with new lids and clearly labelled with name of jam and date made)

- 94. Jar of fruit jelly – approx. 8oz/225g (any single or mixed fruit)
- 95. Jar of Raspberry Jam - approx. 1lb/ 454g
- 96. Jar of Strawberry Jam - approx. 1lb/ 454g
- 97. Jar of Marmalade- approx. 1lb/ 454g
- 98. Jug of Homemade Fruit Cordial in a clear container
- 99. Jar of Chutney - approx. 1lb/ 454g (please specify if hot or mild)

WINE

(All wine to be in clear wine bottles with flanged corks. Exhibits in any other bottles will be disqualified)

- 100. Bottle of Wine made from Fruit
- 101. Bottle of wine made from Roots
- 102. Bottle of wine made from Flowers
- 103. Bottle of Homemade Sloe or Damson Gin
- 104. Any bottle of homemade alcoholic beverage not mentioned above

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photographs must be the work of the exhibitor and not previously entered into an Ebrington Show. Write exhibitor number on label and affix to BACK of print. Do not write on print. Entries to be unmounted and not to exceed A5 (21cmX15cm) size.

- 105. Horticultural/Agricultural scene
- 106. A landscape
- 107. Village life
- 108. Flower/flowers

ART/ CRAFT WORK

Items should not previously have been entered into Ebrington Show and must be the sole work of the exhibitor

- 109. Any item of craft work made within the last 2 years
- 110. A painting/ drawing or sketch of wildlife in the garden
- 111. Any other painting, drawing or sketch (not gardening related)
- 112. An item of craftwork related to gardening

CHILDREN'S ART , CRAFT and FLORAL ART

Age up to 14 years (age will be taken into account). Please write age of exhibitor on the back of each exhibit.

- 113. A painting drawing of a flower or flowers/fruit/vegetables or a mixture of all three
- 114. A flower arrangement in a jam jar . The flowers can be paper flowers.
- 115. A decorated poem about 'Summer'

POULTRY

116. Half a dozen home produced hens eggs

117. Half a dozen other home-produced eggs (labelled and all of same breed)

118. AN EXCITING NEW CLASS FOR CHILDREN - this is one open class for children up to and including the age of 14 years

The Gloucestershire Federation of Gardening Societies is sponsoring a JUNIOR AWARD. There will be a first, second and third Prize which will be awarded for the best exhibits the children have grown. The exhibit can be a vegetable/ vegetables, flower/ flowers, fruit or any combination of these grown by the entrant.



ARE YOU A MEMBER? JOIN US!

If you're not already a member of Ebrington and District Gardening Club, please consider joining us.

We offer a varied programme of garden visits and talks on garden related topics – as well as holding Spring and Summer Shows.

Membership is only £5 per person and this also entitles you to discounts with local garden centres.

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AWARDS 2025
SARAH GRANT MEMORIAL BOWL for the lady gaining most points in the show.
SALLY MAIN CHALLENGE SHEILD for the most points gained in the Show
MIRIAM COLLINS FLOWER CUP for the most points gained in classes 22 – 61
RHS BANKSIAN MEDAL for the most points gained in classes 1-68
DOROTHY DRINKWATER CUP for Floral Art Class 71
DOUGLAS DRINKWATER CHALLENGE CUP for Cookery Class 93
NATIONAL VEGETABLE SOCIETY MEDAL for Best Single Vegetable Exhibit
GABRIELLE FALKINER CUP for Most Points in VEGETABLE classes 1 - 21, excluding Class 20
E&DGC Trophy for most points in ROOT VEGETABLES Classes 1 – 3
E&DGC Trophy for most points in SALAD Classes 16-19
PETER RIGHTON MEMORIAL CUP for the Best Exhibit in DAHLIA classes 24 – 28
ERIC WILLIAMS MEMORIAL CUP for best exhibit in ROSE Classes 31 -34
E&DGC Trophy for most points inFruit Classes 62-68
CHERRY TREES FLORAL ART CUP for most points in Classes 69 – 71
DARBY COOKERY CUP for most points in COOKERY Classes 84 – 99
EBRINGTON SHOW COOKERY AWARD for the Best Exhibit in Class 85
TANKARD for most points in WINE Classes 100 -104
DAVID GOODENOUGH CUP for the Best Bottle of Wine in Show
EBRINGTON ARMS SILVER SALVER for most points in PHOTOGRAPHY Classes 105 – 108
CRAFT WORK CUP for most points in CRAFT Classes 109 – 112
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CHILDREN’S CLASSES
E&DGC Trophy for best exhibit inChildren’s Art,Craft and Floral Art Classes113,114,115
RHS JUNIOR COMPETITOR’S AWARD OF MERIT for the Best Children’s Horticultural Exhibit in Classes 72 – 83 &118
MAI DORRINGTON CUP for most points in children’s general classes 72 to 75 ; ages 2-5 years
MAI DORRINGTON CUP for most points in children’s general classes 76 to 79; ages 6-9years
MAI DORRINGTON CUP for most points in children’s general classes 80 to 83 ages 10-14years
GLOUCESTERSHIRE FEDERATION OF GARDENING CLUBS JUNIOR AWARD 1st PRIZE +Certificate —class118
GLOUCESTERSHIRE FEDERATION OF GARDENING CLUBS JUNIOR AWARD 2nd PRIZE +Certificate —class 118
GLOUCESTERSHIRE FEDERATION OF GARDENING CLUBS JUNIOR AWARD 3rd PRIZE +Certificate —class118
PADDINGTON BEAR CUP FOR BEST EXHIBIT IN ALL CHILDREN’S CLASSES