

**HELMDON GARDENING CLUB
PROUDLY PRESENTS
HELMDON FLOWER
AND PRODUCE SHOW
2012**



SATURDAY 18th AUGUST 2012

TO BE HELD IN
THE READING ROOM, HELMDON
2pm until 5pm

Welcome to The Show

Helmdon Gardening Club is delighted to announce the 3rd Flower and Produce Show.

Last year we were able to make a donation to The Toilets for Africa appeal, and this year our 2 charities will be Katherine House Hospice, and The Northamptonshire Air Ambulance.

As you know, it's a fairly informal affair, although there are some rules of course! We hope there is something for everybody in the village to enjoy. It was great to see lots of new names entering last year - and we hope for more!

You will notice that we have made a few class changes and additions to keep things interesting - some with a Jubilee theme - and some to hopefully get some more chaps entering the cookery classes.

Anyone resident in Helmdon and Falcutt, past and present pupils of Helmdon School and Acorns pre-school and members of the Gardening Club are able to enter.

On the day of the show we will have teas and yummy cakes on sale - and an auction of exhibits at the end.

So get those green fingers working, allotments digging, those recipes testing, and children's imaginations racing and please - ***Support the show!***

Thank You

The Show Committee

P.S. Remember the garden entries are judged early and so forms for the first 5 classes need to be in by ***July 17th***.

CLASSES

(Prize money: 1st - 60p, 2nd - 40p, 3rd - 30p)

GARDENS (to be judged on Sat July 21st)

1. Garden Border (Sponsored by the Helmdon Gardening Club. Garden Voucher prizes of 1st - £10, 2nd - £7 and 3rd - £3).
2. Patio Display
3. Vegetable Plot
4. Greenhouse
5. Water Feature (can be large or small)

VEGETABLES

6. Five Potatoes - White
7. Five Potatoes - Coloured
8. Eight Pods Runner Beans
9. Six French Beans
10. Three Transplanted Onions
11. Three Onion Sets
12. Six Shallots
13. Three Carrots
14. Three Courgettes
15. Three Beetroot with Foliage
16. Heaviest Marrow
17. One Cucumber
18. Collection of Vegetables (not more than four kinds from the following - Red or White Potatoes (four), Pods Runner Beans (five), Onions (three), Carrots (three), Parsnips (three), Beetroot (three), Pods Peas (six) or Tomatoes (four))
19. Collection of Herbs (four varieties, named)
20. Six Pods of Peas

FRUIT

21. Three Cooking Apples
22. Three Eating Apples
23. Six Tomatoes (red)
24. Six Tomatoes (yellow)
25. Six Cherry Tomatoes (red)
26. Six Cherry Tomatoes (yellow)
27. A Plate of fruit
28. Six Plums

FLOWERS

29. One Rose in a Vase (any variety)
30. One Pot Plant - Flowering (up to 9" pot)
31. Vase of Flowers - any one kind
32. An Arrangement of Garden Flowers (max width 12")
33. Flower Arrangement in a Teacup

HOME PRODUCE

34. A Jar of Jam*
35. A Jar of Jelly*
36. A Jar of Marmalade*
37. A Jar of Chutney*
38. A Jar of Lemon Curd*
39. A Victoria Sandwich (jam-filled, 7"-8" tin)
40. A Plate of 6 Cup Cakes (any flavour)
41. A Round of Shortbread
42. A Plate of 6 Cheese Scones
43. A Guinness Cake, Men/Boys only**
44. A Teabread, Women/Girls only**
45. 6 Fresh Eggs

YOUTH SECTION A Prize for Every Entrant!
(Entrants are asked to state their age on the entry form)

7 YEARS AND UNDER

- 46. A Model of an Animal made out of Fruit & Vegetables
- 47. A Painting, Subject: Olympics. No bigger than A3.
- 48. A Plate of Decorated Biscuits

8 TO 12 YEARS

- 49. A Garden in a Seed Tray (9.5" x 14.5")
- 50. Six Small Novelty Cakes
- 51. A Decorated Jubilee Crown

Please feel free to enter any of the main classes, which are open to everyone.

Please write your name on the back, not the front of your entry

- * Preserves should have a cellophane cover, not a metal lid.
- ** To be made according to recipes provided as a separate sheet. This sheet will be available from committee members (see overleaf), the Helmdon website, and The Bell.

PRODUCE SALE

At the end of the show the cups will be presented at 4.30pm. Following the presentation there will be a sale of any exhibits which entrants wish to donate. Any exhibits not collected by 4.30pm will be assumed to be donated for sale unless otherwise stated.

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SPONSORSHIP FORM

We also ask if individuals could sponsor classes for the prize money, which amounts to £1.30 per class.

Name.....

Address.....
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Total Sponsorship.....

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR KIND SUPPORT

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ENTRY FORM

(Note: One form to be completed per person)

Name.....Age (juniors only)

Address.....

Class Numbers

Total Fees

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SUBMISSION OF ENTRY FORMS

Completed entry and/or sponsorship forms should be delivered to one of the following people:

- Peter Payne, 37a Wappenham Road (Tel:760499)
- Rex Jessett, 24 Church Street (Tel: 760241)
- Julia McAuliffe, 19 Wappenham Road (Tel: 760539)
- Doreen England, 2 Hintons Close (Tel: 760744)
- Celia Terrey, 77 Church Street (Tel: 760215)
- Pip Ward, The Old Dairy, Falcutt (tel: 01280 851180)

Spare entry forms are available from Committee Members, and The Bell.

Entry fee: 40p per class - Youth Section 20p.

RULES

1. Entries will be accepted only from residents of Helmdon, and Falcutt, past and present pupils of Helmdon School and Acorns and members of Helmdon Gardening Club.
2. All entry forms to be received by the individuals named above not later than Tuesday 17th July for classes 1-5 and Wednesday 15th August for the remaining classes.
3. All exhibits to be staged between 9 and 10.30 a.m. on the day of the show, for judging to commence at 11.00 a.m.
4. The Judges will be independent and their decision will be final.
5. No exhibits to be removed before 4pm. All exhibits not donated for sale must be removed by 5 p.m.
6. All entries to be grown on exhibitors own garden or allotment, or made in his/her own home.
7. Entries limited to one per entrant per class.
8. The organisers will not be responsible for any loss or damage to any exhibit although all reasonable care will be taken.
9. Winners are asked to collect their winnings on the day of the show after 3.30 p.m.