

# Beech Village Show, October 1, 2022



Beech Gardeners are delighted to announce that the popular Beech Village Show will be held on October 1, 2022. Please support the Show by entering as many classes as you can and dropping by to view the exhibits. Be surprised at the hidden talents of your friends and neighbours!

We aim to cover the cost of staging the show with entry fees (30p per entry per class), a modest profit on refreshments and a plant stall. If we do not cover the cost, we will not be able to put on a show next year.

There will be something for everybody at this year's show, with 44 classes covering flowers, vegetables, fruit, cookery, crafts, photography, painting and poetry.

## Families are welcome

Children may enter any class; age on entry envelope please. If we have sufficient children's entries in a class, we will subdivide it. Where the class is not subdivided, the judges will take age into account— though in practice they haven't needed to.

The Family class of Making a Ghoul is for everyone of all ages in the family to join in.

## Prizes

Two classes—Abstract Art and Poetry—will be judged by public vote at the show.

A cup is awarded to the Gardening Club member accruing the most points in the show, and there is a Brownie Point Cup for the person entering the most classes. We have awards for various categories and certificates for all classes.

You can see the list of categories on this page, and full information about how to enter the show and the entry requirements and terms and conditions are on the next page.

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| <b>Flowers</b><br>(in water, supply your own vase)  | Single Rose Stem                           | 1    |
|   | Single Dahlia                              | 2    |
|   | 3 Dahlias                                  | 3    |
|   | Indoor pot plant                           | 4    |
|   | Best Flower in my garden today             | 5    |
| <b>Vegetables</b>   | 3 Courgettes                               | 6    |
|   | 1 Cucumber                                 | 7    |
|   | 4 Runner beans                             | 8    |
|   | 3 Onions                                   | 9    |
|   | 3 Tomatoes                                 | 10   |
|   | Funny/Unusual Vegetable                    | 11   |
|   | Best Vegetable in my garden today          | 12   |
|   | Collection of Herbs                        | 13   |
| <b>Fruit</b>  | 3 Apples                                   | 14   |
|   | 3 Pears                                    | 15   |
|   | 6 Raspberries                              | 16   |
|   | Best Fruit in my garden today              | 17   |
| <b>Floral Art</b><br>(Please bring exhibits to the Show previously arranged by the exhibitor) | Table Arrangement                          | 18   |
|   | Arrangement in a Teacup                    | 19   |
|   | Arrangement evoking a West End Show        | 20   |
|   | Arrangement in an egg cup                  | 21   |
|   | Arrangement in an unusual object           | 22   |
| <b>Cookery</b>  | Chutney                                    | 23   |
|   | Jam/ Honey                                 | 24   |
|   | Swiss Roll                                 | 25 A |
|   | Halloween Treats                           | 25 B |
|   | Vegetarian Tart                            | 26   |
|   | MEN - Plate of biscuits, any flavour       | 27   |
| <b>Craft</b>  | Items made of wood                         | 28   |
|   | Handmade party decoration (any materials)  | 29   |
|   | Ghoul (any materials)                      | 30   |
|   | Handmade Good Luck Card                    | 31   |
| <b>Photography</b><br>(Exhibitor's own, max size A4 mounted on card)                          | New Year Scene                             | 32   |
|   | Family Christmas (not to exceed 7 x 5 in)  | 33   |
|   | Water Everywhere                           | 34   |
|   | Photo with Humorous Caption                | 35   |
|   | Nature's Abundance                         | 36   |
|   | Little Friend                              | 37   |
|   | Special Moment in Time                     | 38   |
| <b>Painting</b>   | A Portrait                                 | 39   |
|   | Winter                                     | 40   |
|   | Abstract/Modern/Mixed Medium               | 41   |
| <b>Poetry</b>   | Poem on subject of your own choice         | 42   |
| <b>Outside Pot Plant</b>  | Single plant in a pot, Hardy or half Hardy | 43   |

## How to enter

Each entry costs 30p per Class.

You may enter as many classes as you wish but only one entry per class per person.

Please enter with one envelope per person containing the entry fees for all the classes you are entering. Each person entering must submit the envelope for themselves.

On the outside of the envelope please write: total cash enclosed, Name, Address, Contact Details in case of query, the actual number/s of the Class(es) you wish to enter, the total number of Classes entered, and for children, their age.

Entry envelopes to be submitted by Monday September 26 to Sue Robinson, 49 Medstead Road, or Kathy Pearce, Woodlawn, 104 Medstead Road.

## Exhibit instructions

Please bring your exhibits to the Village Hall between 9am and 10am on Saturday, October 1.

If you are unable to be present on the day, you can give your protectively wrapped entry to Kathy at Woodlawn beforehand with the entry envelope.

Where possible, exhibitors should name varieties of

produce to assist the judges, and in class 20 please provide the name of the West End Show.

Your name should not be visible on the exhibit, but supplied on a piece of card face down on the display table prior to judging.

Fresh food items (Classes 25 to 27) should be covered with clear film or presented in a clear plastic bag.

Fruit and vegetable entries to be on a plain white plate.

Please do not remove your exhibits before 1.30pm to allow the public to view.

## Judging

Judging will take place between 10am and 12noon and the Show will be open to the public at 12noon.

Results of the public votes on classes 41 and 42 will be announced at 1.15pm.

## Conditions of entry

All entries are submitted at your own risk. Beech Gardeners accept no responsibility for lost or damaged items.

**If you have any questions, please contact Sue Robinson on 01420 82896 or Kathy Pearce on 01420 549401.**