

Leuchars and District Gardening and Crafts Club



Annual Flower Show

Saturday 6th September 2025

in the Burnside Hall, Balmullo

Show Opens	1:30pm – 5:00pm
Presentation	4:30pm

Admission to show £3.00
(including refreshments)

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The committee would like to take this opportunity to thank all those businesses and individuals who kindly supported our flower shows in 2024.

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Show Rules

1. All exhibitors over the age of 16 must pay a Show Membership.
2. The Show Membership Subscription shall be £3.00 for the year (children free)
3. The entrance for all classes is **Free**
4. All exhibitors must specify on the entry form the various classes in which they intend to compete.

Staging times shall be 6:00pm to 9:00pm Friday and 7:30am to 9:45am Saturday.

5. **Entries will be accepted up to 9.30am on the day of the show with all exhibits staged and the hall cleared by 9:45am. Articles may not be removed until the end of the show.**
6. Each article intended for competition, must include a label, which will be supplied by the Club, with the exhibitors name and address.
7. All plants, flowers, fruits, vegetables etc., entered for competition, must be the property of and grown by the competitor and have been in their possession for at least 6 weeks previous to the show, except Floral Art, and must be free from pests and disease.
Exhibits must be entered in the name of the owner of the garden from which the exhibit came.
Exception to this rule: if members of a family wish to share the credit for an exhibit then they can enter in joint names.
8. No competitor is allowed to stage more than one exhibit in any class.
9. No article will be shown more than once at this show in the Handicrafts Section.
10. Only committee members, exhibitors and their assistants will be allowed to enter the Show area during staging.
11. The Committee reserves the right to visit the gardens of all competitors within 2 weeks before or after the Show. Refusal to allow access will disqualify the competitor.
12. The judge's decision shall be final. No protest will be considered unless violation of the rule can be proved. Protests may be lodged with the Secretary within two hours of the Show opening on payment of £1.00, which will be refunded if the protest is upheld.
13. The Club will not be responsible for the loss of, or damage done to plants, flowers, fruits, vegetables, stands, or other articles while in the exhibition but all ordinary care will be taken of them.
14. Prize money shall be paid out in full on the day of the show. In the event of funds of the Club not being sufficient (after meeting all liabilities) to pay prizes in full, the funds available will be divided among the prize-winners in proportion to the amount of their prizes. Prize money and trophies will be withheld until infringements of rules 7 and/or 11 are resolved.
15. Cup or Trophy winners will be responsible for their safekeeping and must return them in good, clean condition, to the Secretary by 9.00am on the day of the Show.
16. Cut flowers will be shown in vases supplied by the Club.
17. **Confined classes are open to residents in or within a 4 mile radius of Leuchars.**
18. Each class in the novice section is open to any competitor who has not been a prize winner, three times in that class.

Prize Money

Prize money will be:

Category	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
A	£6.00	£4.00	£2.00
B	£3.00	£2.00	£1.00
C	£1.50	£1.00	£0.50

Flower Show

Section 2 – Cut Flowers

10	3 Vases Sweet Peas, 3 Named Varieties (12 Spikes in a Vase)	B
11	2 Vases Sweet peas, 2 Named Varieties (9 Spikes in a Vase)	C
12	1 Vase Sweet Peas (Blend – 12 Spikes)	C
13	1 Vase Sweet Peas (Mixed – 12 Spikes)	C
14	3 Vases Dahlias (3 Blooms in a Vase)	B
15	1 Vase Dahlias, Medium – Decorative (3 Blooms)	C
16	1 Vase Dahlias, Miniature – Decorative (3 Blooms)	C
17	1 Vase Dahlias, Medium – Cactus (3 Blooms)	C
18	1 Vase Dahlias, Small – Cactus (3 Blooms)	C
19	1 Vase Dahlias, Pompons (3 Blooms)	C
20	1 Vase Dahlias, Small - Decorative (3 Blooms)	C
21	1 Vase Gladioli (3 Spikes)	C
22	1 Vase Gladioli – Miniature (3 Spikes)	C
23	1 Vase, 1 Gladiolus	C
24	1 Vase Asters (3 Blooms)	C
25	1 Vase Phloxes (3 Spikes)	C
26	2 Vases Mixed Cut Flowers	C
27	1 Vase Antirrhinum (3 Spikes in a Vase)	C
28	1 Vase Shrub or Tree Foliage/Flower (one or more varieties)	C
29	Stocks (3 Spikes in a Vase)	C
30	1 Vase African Marigolds (3 Blooms)	C
31	1 Vase Pinks (6 Spikes)	C
32	1 Vase Floribunda Roses	C
33	1 Rose in a Vase	C
34	4 Roses (shown in 2 Vases)	B
35	3 Roses (shown in 1 Vase) (confined)	B
36	Carnation in Vase	C
37	3 Carnations in Vase	C
38	1 Stem Spray Chrysanthemum in a Vase	C
39	3 Stems Chrysanthemum mixed in a Vase	C
40	6 Carnations (shown on Boards)	C

41	6 Pansies (shown on Boards)	C
42	6 Violas (shown on Boards)	C
43	6 French Marigolds (shown on Boards)	C
44	2 Begonia Heads (shown on Boards)	C
45	6 Fuchsia Heads (mixed) on a Board	C
46	Mixed Fuchsia Heads in a Bowl of Water	C
47	4 Roses on a Board (minimum 2 varieties)	C
Footnote: Carnations –wiring allowed Sweet Peas – no wiring or haulm allowed		

Section 3 – Vegetables

50	1 Cauliflower	C
51	2 Parsnips	C
52	2 Carrots (long)	C
53	3 Carrots (other than long)	C
54	3 Onions from Seed	C
55	3 Onions, Flat, from Sets	C
56	3 Onions, Globe, from Sets	C
57	3 Onions, Red	C
58	3 Onions (any kind) under 8oz	C
59	6 Shallots (White) from Sets	C
60	6 Shallots (Red) from Sets	C
61	6 Shallots (Pear Shaped) from Sets	C
62	2 Leeks	C
63	2 Pot Leeks	C
64	6 Pods Peas	C
65	6 Pods Broad Beans	C
66	6 Pods French Beans	C
67	6 Pods Runner Beans	C
68	4 Potatoes (White)	C
69	4 Potatoes (Coloured)	C
70	3 Beetroot (Round)	C
71	2 Beetroot (Long/Cylindrical)	C
72	4 Stalks Rhubarb (Quality)	C

73	2 Turnips	C
74	1 Cabbage (Round)	C
75	1 Cabbage (Pointed)	C
76	1 Lettuce (inc. in a pot)	C
77	2 Celery	C
78	4 Tomatoes	C
79	6 Tomatoes (small fruited)	C
80	Truss Tomatoes (Quality)	C
81	1 Cucumber	C
82	1 Cucumber (small variety not exceeding 6 inches in length)	C
83	Vegetable Marrow (Heaviest)	C
84	Vegetable Marrow (Quality –not exceeding 15 inches in length)	C
85	Parsley in Pot (pot not to exceed 7 inches)	C
86	3 Chilli Peppers	C
87	2 Sweet Peppers	C
88	2 Courgettes (Quality, 4 to 6 inches in length)	C
89	Any other Vegetable	C
90	3 Pots Herbs (excluding Parsley) (Pot not exceeding 7 inches)	C

Section 4 – Collections

91	Collection of Vegetables - OPEN (4 kinds) Collection is confined to quantities and kinds contained in Section III	A
92	Collection of Vegetables - CONFINED (3 kinds) Collection is confined to quantities and kinds contained in Section III	B
93	Collection of Flowers and Vegetables Collection is confined to 2 Vases of Flowers and 3 kinds of Vegetables contained in Section III	A
94	Collection of Onions being 3 Onions, 3 Red Onions and 3 Onions from sets.	B
95	Collection of Shallots being 4 White, 4 Red and 4 Pear shaped.	B
96	Collection of Potatoes (3 varieties, 3 of each)	B
97	Box of Vegetables for the Pot	C

Section 5 – Novice

Flowers

100	1 Vase Sweet Peas– (mixed –9 Spikes)	C
101	1 Vase Dahlias (3 Blooms)	C
102	1 Vase Gladioli (2 Spikes)	C
103	1 Rose in a Vase	C
104	1 Vase French Marigolds (3 Blooms)	C
105	1 Vase Cut Flowers (other than above)	C

Vegetables

106	2 Carrots	C
107	2 Onions (Seed or Sets)	C
108	4 Shallots	C
109	4 Pods of Peas	C
110	4 Pods of Beans (any kind)	C
111	3 Potatoes	C
112	2 Beetroot	C
113	2 Turnips	C
114	3 Tomatoes (any kind)	C
115	1 Cucumber	C

Pot Plants

117	1 Pot Geranium	C
118	1 Pot Fuchsia	C
119	1 Pot Plant Flowering (other than classes 117 & 118)	C
120	1 Pot Plant Foliage	C
121	1 Pot Cactus	C
122	1 Pot Succulent	C
123	1 Pot Orchid	C

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Signature

Print Name Date

Address

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Email.....Tel:.....

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Section 5 Novice cont'd

Floral Art

124	"Stepping Out" an arrangement in a shoe using fresh flowers and foliage	C
125	An arrangement in a soup tin using fresh materials	C

Preserves

126	1 Jar of 3 Fruits Marmalade	C
127	1 Jar of Beetroot Chutney	C
128	1 Jar Pickled Cucumber	C
129	1 Jar of Apricot Jam - made with fresh or dried apricots	C

Baking

130	2 x Vegetarian Pasties using shortcrust pastry	C
131	2 x squares of Rocky Road	C
132	2 x slices Gingerbread Loaf	C
133	2 x Scottish Macaroons	C

Section 6 – Pot Plants

Pots not to exceed 7 inches in class 140-147 inclusive.

140	2 Pots Geranium Zonal	C
141	1 Pot Geranium (Single) Zonal	C
142	1 Pot Geranium (Double or Semi Double) Zonal	C
143	1 Pot Miniature Geranium Zonal	C
144	1 Pot Geranium (Ivy Leafed)	C
145	1 Pot Pelargonium (Regal)	C
146	2 Pots Begonia	C
147	1 Pot Begonia	C
148	1 Pot Standard Fuchsia	C
149	1 Pot Fuchsia (Single or Semi Double)	C
150	1 Pot Fuchsia (Double)	C

151	1 Hanging Basket (Growing)	C
152	1 Hanging Pot (Growing)	C
153	1 Pot Fern	C
154	1 Pot Plant (Foliage)	C
155	1 Pot Plant (Flowering – Outwith Schedule)	C
156	1 Pot Orchid (Flowering)	C
157	1 Planted Container with 2 or more plants (flower or foliage)	C
158	3 Pots or Pans Hardy Alpines (Distinct)	C
159	1 Pot or Pan Hardy Alpines	C
160	3 Pots or Pans Hardy Heaths (Distinct)	C
161	1 Pot or Pan Hardy Heaths	C
162	1 Pot or Pan Hardy Miniature Conifer	C
163	1 Pot Cactus	C
164	3 Pots Cacti (Distinct)	C
165	1 Pot Succulent	C
166	3 Pots Succulent (Distinct)	C
167	1 Bonsai Deciduous	C
168	1 Bonsai Coniferous	C
169	1 Carnivorous Plant	C

Section 7 – Fruits

170	12 Red or Green Gooseberries	C
171	6 Strawberries	C
172	12 Raspberries	C
173	Blackcurrants – approx. ¼ lb.	C
174	Redcurrants – approx. ¼ lb.	C
175	3 Cooking Apples	C
176	3 Dessert Apples	C
177	Any other fruit	C

Section 8 – Floral Art

For novice floral art, see section 5, classes 124 & 125.

Except where otherwise stated exhibits not to exceed 20 inches overall WIDTH.

180	A Floral Exhibit with a Scottish Theme using fresh/and or dried material	B
181	"Afternoon Tea" a petite exhibit using a teacup and saucer, max overall 23cmx23cmx23cm	B
182	"Oasis" A fresh foliage exhibit	B
183	"Monochrome" An exhibit using fresh material	B
184	"Cornucopia" an exhibit incorporating fruit and vegetables, using fresh material.	B

Section 9 – Preserves

Note: Pleaser ensure all entries are labelled

190	1 Jar of 3 Fruit Marmalade	C
191	1 Jar of Lime Curd	C
192	1 Jar of Apricot Jam - using fresh or dried Apricots	C
193	1 Jar of Rhubarb and Apple Jelly	C
194	1 Jar of Fruit Chutney	C
195	1 Jar of Pickled Beetroot	C
196	1 Small Bottle of Tomato Sauce	C
197	1 Small Bottle of Blackcurrant Cordial	C

Section 10 – Baking

210	3 Cheese Scones	C
211	3 Petticoat tails	C
212	2 slices Gingerbread Loaf	C
213	3 Scottish Macaroons	C
214	1 x Loaf of bread, max 800g (bread maker or oven baked)	C
215	2 x Unfilled Meringue shells	C
216	2 x squares Rocky Road	C
217	2 x squares Lemon Drizzle Cake	C
218	2 x Vegetarian Pasties using Shortcrust pastry	C

219	Flask of Pea and Ginger Soup	C
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Section 11 – Handicrafts

240	Pair of Knitted socks for an adult	B
241	Item in Woodwork -not to exceed 12" x 12" x 12"	B
242	Item in Macrame	B
243	Knitted Vegetable or Fruit.	B
244	Monochrome Greetings Card - any craft.	B
245	Photograph – unframed – not to exceed 7" x 5" "Wildlife".	B
246	Photograph – unframed – not to exceed 7" x 5" "Harbour"	B
247	Photograph - unframed - not to exceed 7" x 5" "A Tree"	B
248	Drawing/Painting, " Flowers"- any medium, framed/unframed.	B

Handicrafts for 2026

<i>Item incorporating applique</i>
<i>Cross Stitch Bookmark</i>
<i>Knitted Headband</i>
<i>Amigurumi Toy</i>
<i>Papercraft Gift Box</i>
<i>7" x 5" (max) photo 'Springtime'</i>
<i>7" x 5" (max) photo 'A Celebration'</i>
<i>Drawing / painting any medium, Night Scene</i>

Section 12 – Children’s

A – 6 years and under

260	A Sock Puppet	C
261	2 x Rice Krispie Cakes	C
262	An Edible bracelet	C
263	Artwork incorporating hand/foot prints	C
264	A Painted stone	C
265	A miniature garden in a seed tray	C

B – 7 years to 9 years

270	A Sock Puppet	C
271	2 x Rice Krispie Cakes	C
272	An Edible bracelet	C
273	Artwork incorporating hand/foot prints	C
274	A Painted stone	C
275	A miniature garden in a seed tray	C

C – 10 years to 12 years

280	A Sock Puppet	C
281	2 x Rice Krispie Cakes	C
282	An Edible bracelet	C
283	Artwork incorporating hand/foot prints	C
284	A Painted stone	C
285	A miniature garden in a seed tray	C

Section 13 – Eggs

286	4 Hens Eggs, White	C
287	4 Hens Eggs, Brown	C
288	4 Hens Eggs, Mixed	C

Section 14 – Honey

300	2 Jars Liquid Honey	C
301	2 Jars Naturally Granulated	C
302	2 Jars Soft Set Honey	C
303	1 Frame for Extraction	C
304	1 Block of Beeswax (min 227g)	C
306	3 Beeswax Candles (any type) (this class not restricted to beekeepers and candles can be of different types)	C
All honey must be produced by the exhibitor's own bees and may be shown in any type of clear jar.		

Section 15 - SWI

Open to all SWI's in Fife. Displays should not exceed 75cm (2'6") width and have no backing. Points awarded are 10 per item and 10 for layout

2025

320	"A Baby Shower"	Prize A
A Sewn Baby Play Mat A Knitted Matinee Jacket - any ply An Invitation to a Baby Shower 3 Decorated Cup Cakes - cake and decoration to be judged. 3 Assorted Savoury Canapes A Celebration Drink		

2026

320		Prize A
The 2026 competition will replicate the SWI 2026 competition		

Trophies

Best Exhibit Section 8

The Earlshall Cup (presented by the Baron and Baroness of Earlshall)

Best Exhibit Class 10

The L & DH & IS Challenge Cup

Best Exhibit Class 11

The RAF Leuchars Cup

Most Points Classes 12-47

The W Bernard Cup

Best Exhibit Class 14

The J Prain Cup

Most Points Classes 21-27

The Mr & Mrs Varvill Cup

Best Exhibit Class 34

The Mrs Drysdale Cup

Best Exhibit (confined) Class 35

The Mrs Williams Cup

Best Exhibit Classes 52 & 53

The Murphy Chemicals Cup

Most Points Section 3

The W Dunn Shield

Best Exhibit Section 3

The Bruce Williamson Memorial Trophy

Best Exhibit (confined) Section 3

The McLaren Cup

Best Exhibit Potatoes

The George Gay Memorial Trophy

Best Exhibit Class 91

The Mrs Erskine Cup

Best Exhibit (confined) Class 92

The Flt Lieut Robbins Cup

Best Exhibit Class 93

The 75th Anniversary Trophy

Most Points Section 5

The A Scott Trowel

Best Exhibit Classes 140-145

The Anna Taylor Cup (presented by Mr R Taylor)

Most Points Classes 140-157

The Hepburn Cup (presented by Mr A Burt)

Best Exhibit Class 148

The Moscrop Medal

Best Exhibit Classes 148-150

The Gillian Cup (presented by Mr R Moscrop)

Best Exhibit Classes 158-162

The Mr A M Aitken Cup

Best Exhibit Section 6

The Harry Ritchie Memorial Cup (presented by Mrs Ritchie)

Best Exhibit Section 7

The Dunfermline Trophy

Most Points Section 8

The Cardwell Cup

Best Exhibit Section 8

The George Gay Cup (presented by Mrs Gay)

Most Points Section 9

The George Spence Cup

Most Points Section 10

The Guardbridge WRI Cup

Best Exhibit Section 11

The Mrs Haig Cup

Most Points Section 11

The Mrs J Stewart Cup

Best Exhibit Section 12a

The Mr R Colliar Cup (6 years & under)

Best Exhibit Section 12b

The Mrs A Small Cup (7 to 9 years)

Best Exhibit Section 12c

The Greig Sibbald Memorial Cup (10 to 12 years)

Best Exhibit Class 265

The L&DG&CC Trophy

Best Exhibit Class 275

The Johnstone Trophy

Best Exhibit Class 285

The Ian Paterson Trophy

Best Exhibit Section 14

The Motray Cup (presented by Guardbridge Sports and Social Club)

Best Exhibit Section 15

The Aitken Medal

LIST OF LOCAL / OTHER SHOWS 2025

COLINSBURGH & KILCONQUAR HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

09 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - K. WEIR TEL: 01333 340642

LETHAM & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY (Confined to 7 mile radius except flower classes)

09 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - A.MCDONALD TEL: 07414161106

CUPAR & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

16 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - W. WHEELANS TEL: 01334 654648

PITLESSIE FLOWER SHOW (CONFINED TO DISTRICT)

16 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - V. GARLAND TEL: 01337 830611

NEWBURGH & DISTRICT GARDENING CLUB

23 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - M.CLARK TEL: 01337 840809

FORFAR HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

29 -30 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - K.FORSYTH TEL: 01307 463201

LEVEN & DISTRICT GARDENS & ALLOTMENTS SOCIETY

30 -31 AUGUST 2025

CONTACT - E. MCGUIRE TEL: 01333 423551

AUCHTERMUCHTY FLOWER SHOW (CONFINED TO DISTRICT)

6 SEPTEMBER 2025

CONTACT - J.FORBES TEL: 01337 828617

LEUCHARS FLOWER SHOW

6 SEPTEMBER 2025

CONTACT W.DUFF TEL:01334 870787

LARGO & NEWBURN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

6-7 SEPTEMBER 2025

CONTACT - R. CUTHILL TEL:07983587276

PERTH & DISTRICT CHRYSANTHEMUM & DAHLIA SOCIETY

13 SEPTEMBER 2025

CONTACT A. CAMERON TEL: 01821 640856

FIFE FLOWER SHOW

20-21 SEPTEMBER 2025

CONTACT - A. BARNARD TEL:07809 219579 OR
R.SCOTT TEL: 01592 759582

