

**THE MINSTEAD FLOWER SHOW SOCIETY**

**THE SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL  
Flower, Fruit and Vegetable Show**

to be held at Minstead Hall on

**SATURDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2015**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AT 2.00 pm  
TEAS AVAILABLE - £2.00 per person**

**SCHEDULE OF CLASSES, TROPHIES AND RULES**

ADMISSION: ADULTS 50p CHILDREN 10p

The Society's Annual General Meeting will be held at  
Minstead Hall on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2015 at 8.00 pm

**Everyone welcome**





# THE MINSTEAD FLOWER SHOW SOCIETY



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**Cup and prize donors are listed against the appropriate classes.**



# **THE SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL FLOWER, FRUIT & VEGETABLE SHOW**



## **PROGRAMME FOR THE DAY OF THE SHOW**

8.15 am	Hall will be open for staging exhibits
10.30 am	Judging commences & all exhibitors must leave the Hall
2.00 pm	Show open to the public
2.45 pm	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>
3.00 pm onwards	Teas available in the lounge
4.15 pm	Presentation of Cups and Special Awards
4.45 pm	Draws for cake etc. followed by payment of prize money.
	<b>Produce may be removed once the draws are complete.</b>

**PLEASE NOTE: Exhibitors' and General Rules are on pages 11 and 12**

**Entry forms are at the end of this schedule or can be emailed to  
[jm4mfs@btinternet.com](mailto:jm4mfs@btinternet.com)  
(fees must be paid on the morning of the Show)**

**Photographs taken at the Show may be used for publicity.  
If you have any OBJECTIONS to this please make this clear to the Hon. Secretary.**

## SCHEDULE OF TROPHIES AND AWARDS

**NORTHCROFT MEMORIAL CUP** A perpetual challenge cup to be awarded for the *best floral exhibit* in the show as **voted for by the public**. Cup donated by the Society in memory of the late **E G D Northcroft CBE**.

**MARK SOFFE ROSE BOWL** for the *best roses* in the show.

**DAPHNE CLARK CUP** to be awarded for the *best asters* in the show.

**WM CONGLETON MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded for the *best dahlias* in the show. Cup donated by the Society in memory of the late **Lord Congleton**.

**MEMORIAL CHALLENGE SHIELD** for the *best onions* in the show donated by the family of the late Prof. M. R. P Hall.

**THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SHOW'S BANKSIAN MEDAL** to be awarded to the winner of the *largest total amount of prize money for Horticultural Classes at the Show classes 8-58*, excluding the Cadnam Vegetable Collection. In the event of two or more exhibitors being equal, the Medal will be awarded to the exhibitor whose surname comes first in the alphabetical order. The exhibitors who won the Banksian Medal in 2013 and 2014 were Susan Cutler and S Bishop respectively.

**S H R CLARKE CUP** for the *highest number of points obtained at the show from all classes*.

**A PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Division 1*.

**MRS HENRY COMPTON MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *second highest number of points in Division 1*.

**JUNIOR MINSTEAD CHALLENGE CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Division 3*.

**SIR RICHARD CROFTON CBE CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 2*.

**EDITH CONGLETON MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 3*.

**EMMA ROBINSON CUP** donated by the late **D Robinson** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 5*.

**MRS YOUNG MEMORIAL CUP** donated by the family of the late **Mrs Muriel Young** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 6*.

**MRS L FROST MEMORIAL CUP** donated by **Mrs J Edwards** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 7*.

**ROBERT KITCHER MEMORIAL CHALLENGE SHIELD** donated by **J Kitcher** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 8*.

**BILL MORLING MEMORIAL CUP** donated by the late **Mr C Morling and Mrs A Morling** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 10*.

**MAURICE CAVILL MEMORIAL CUP** donated by **Mr and Mrs D Renyard**, to be awarded to the *winner of Class 11*.

**ROBERT HARCOURT CUP** donated by the late **Mrs M Harcourt**, for the *winner of Class 13*.

**E G D NORTHCROFT CBE CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 14*.

**L A RICHARDSON CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 16*.

**N L LAWLER CHALLENGE SHIELD** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 22*.

**THE MINSTEAD TRAINING PROJECT CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 29*.

**DR A J DANBY MEMORIAL** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Classes 11 to 29* (see Exhibitors' Rules page 12). The exhibitors who won this trophy in 2013 and 2014 were Sandra Hodson & Janet Mitchell respectively.

**S OSMAN CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 32*.

**SCHEDULE OF TROPHIES AND AWARDS (continued)**

**CYRIL LOVELL PERPETUAL CHALLENGE SHIELD** donated by **S Mills** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 41*.

**CONGLETON CUP** donated by the late **Edith, Lady Congleton MBE, JP**, to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Classes 30 to 49*.

**DR E H SEARS CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *second highest number of points in Classes 30 to 49*.

**SID OSMAN MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Classes 53 to 58*.

**SUE COLE EGG CUP** to be awarded for the **best exhibit** of eggs from *Classes 59 to 62*.

**MRS W JEFFREYS CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 63*.

**MRS M E NORTHCROFT CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 64*.

**MRS S PAYNE CUPS** to be awarded to the winners of *Classes 66, 67 and 69*.

**MISS E HORARE CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 68*.

**THE MINSTEAD TRAINING PROJECT CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 70*.

**MRS A COOPER CUPS** to be awarded to the *winner of Classes 73 and 74*.

**PURKISS CUP**. Donated by **Mr & Mrs S Cattell** in memory of the late **Mrs D Lewis** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 83*.

**D HICKMAN CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 84*.

**MRS LINDA MOORE MEMORIAL TROPHY** to be awarded to the *highest points in classes 87-91*.

**MRS M PARIS CUP** to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the *highest number of points in Classes 92 to 95*.

**MRS G YARDLEY MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 92*.

**MRS B TEAR MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the *winner of Class 96*.

In all classes where points count for an award the ruling will be: 1<sup>st</sup> prize will count as 3 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize will count as 2 points and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize will count as 1 point.

**NOTICE TO 2014 CUP WINNERS:  
Please return cups to the Hon Secretary by  
Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2015.**

**DIVISION 1 - OPEN TO ALL**

Entrance fee 10p

**Class No**

	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>
<b>Theme for floral arrangements is "Garden Seasons".</b>			
1.	£2.00	£1.00	.50p
"Summer Sunshine". Floral exhibit not to exceed 80cms deep or wide.			
2.			
"Autumn Fruits". An exhibit of fruit, berries and/or vegetables, not to exceed 80cms wide or deep.			
Cup donated by the late Sir Richard Crofton, CBE.			
3.	£2.00	£1.00	.50p
"Jump into Spring". A floral exhibit not to exceed 30cms wide or deep.			
Prizes donated by Furzey Gardens.			
Edith Congleton Cup presented by the Society.			
4.	£2.00	£1.00	.50p
"Winter Wonderland". A petite floral exhibit not to exceed 20cms.			
Prizes donated by Mrs D E Soffe.			
5.	£2.00	£1.00	.50p
<b>Novice class.</b> "Seasons" window box. A window box filled with plant material depicting a season. Box must be no longer than 40cms or wider than 20cms.			
Cup donated by the late Mr D Robinson in memory of his wife Emma.			
<b>NOTE: previous winners of this class are not eligible to exhibit again.</b>			
6.	£2.00	£1.00	0.50
<b>CLASS FOR A GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL.</b> "Jam & Jerusalem"			
An exhibit celebrating 100yrs of the W.I. comprising the three items listed below:			
a) a floral exhibit containing pink roses			
b) celebration fruit cake			
c) small jar of jam			
To be displayed on a tray not exceeding 45cms.			
Cup donated by the late Mrs M Young			
7.			
A vase of no less than five different varieties of garden flowers grown by the exhibitor. This exhibit will be judged on the quality of the blooms.			
Cup donated by Mrs J Edwards & prizes donated by Mrs V Newman			
8.	£5.00	£3.00	£2.00
Collection of vegetables – four kinds (see rule 10). Perpetual shield in memory of the late R Kitcher and prizes donated by J Kitcher.			
9.	£3.00	£2.00	£1.00
Cadnam Garden Centre Vegetable Collection. A basket or trug of mixed vegetables (more than three distinct kinds).			
<b>SPONSORED BY CADNAM GARDEN CENTRE – GIFT VOUCHERS</b>			
10.	£15	£10	£5
Collection of salad vegetables – three kinds (distinct). See rule 11.			
Cup and prizes donated by Mrs A Morling.			
11.	£2.00	£1.00p	.50p
One specimen rose. Prizes donated by C R Payne.			
Maurice Cavill memorial cup donated by Mr & Mrs D Renyard			
12.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Bowl of roses of any variety or varieties.			
Prizes donated in memory of the late Mrs M E Northcroft.			
13.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of floribunda roses. Cup donated by the late Mrs M Harcourt.			
14.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of five hybrid tea roses (single bloom) any variety or varieties.			
Prizes donated by the family of the late Prof M R P Hall.			
Cup donated by the late E G D Northcroft, CBE.			
15.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Three cactus dahlias.			
16.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Three decorative dahlias. Cup donated by the late L A Richardson.			
17.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of small flowered pompom dahlias. Five blooms of any variety or varieties.			
Blooms not to exceed 5cms (2") in diameter.			
18.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of ball dahlias. Five blooms of any variety or varieties.			
Blooms to be above 5cms (2"). Prizes donated by Furzey Gardens.			
19.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Three dahlias.			
20.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of three spray chrysanthemums of any variety or varieties.			
21.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of six African Marigolds. Prizes donated by Furzey Gardens.			
22.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Seven stems of Sweet Pea. Shield donated by the late N L Lawler and prizes donated by L Lawler.			
23.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of asters (six blooms) annual, single.			
Prizes donated by Furzey Gardens.			
24.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Vase of asters (six blooms) annual, double.			
Prizes donated by Furzey Gardens.			
25.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
Three gladioli spikes, any variety or varieties.			
26.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
One specimen pot plant in flower <b>excluding orchids.</b>			
Prizes donated by P Moore.			
27.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
One specimen pot plant – foliage only. Prizes presented by P Moore.			
28.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
One specimen orchid in a pot, any variety. Prizes donated by P Moore.			

**(MAX SIZE POT FOR CLASSES 26-28, 26CM (10") DIAMETER**

**DIVISION 1 (continued)**

29.	Pot of mixed herbs – max size pot 38cms (15") Cup donated by Minstead Training Project.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
	<b>Dr A J Danby Memorial Award to the exhibitor gaining the highest points in classes 11 to 29.</b>			
30.	One specimen onion.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
31.	One specimen cabbage.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
32.	One specimen vegetable for which there is <b>NOT</b> a special class. Prizes donated by Mrs J Mitchell. Cup donated by the late S Osman.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
33.	Six French beans. Prizes donated by A J Appleby.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
34.	Six runner beans.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
35.	Three beetroot (round)	£1.00	.60p	.40p
36.	Three carrots.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
37.	Pair of courgettes.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
38.	Pair of cucumbers.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
39.	Five onions <b>not grown from seed</b> . Prizes donated by F Broomfield.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
40.	Three onions <b>grown from seed</b> .	£1.00	.60p	.40p
41.	Nine shallots. Perpetual Shield presented by S Mills in memory of the late Mr C Lovell.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
42.	Nine pickling shallots. Prizes donated by K Osman.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
43.	Largest marrow.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
44.	Pair of table marrows.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
45.	Five potatoes (white).	£1.00	.60p	.40p
46.	Five Potatoes (coloured).	£1.00	.60p	.40p
47.	Five tomatoes.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
48.	Ten small fruited tomatoes.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
49.	Two turnips, swedes or parsnips. Prizes donated by A J Appleby.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
50.	Novelty class – The “Weirdest” looking vegetable. Any vegetable when grown in its natural state and is a peculiar shape. <b>No additions allowed.</b>	£1.00	.60p	.40p
51.	Miniature “Alice in Wonderland” Scarecrow. To be made from any material, height not to exceed 1 metre and to be self-supporting. <b>Please give your entry a name.</b> <b>FOR INDIVIDUALS OR GROUPS. NO ENTRANCE FEE.</b>	£3.00	£2.00p	£1.00p
52.	2014 exhibitors with 3 or more entries. Best begonia – supplied by the Society. Max pot size 16cms. <b>NO ENTRANCE FEE.</b>	£3.00	£2.00p	£1.00p
53.	Four pears.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
54.	Four dessert apples.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
55.	Four cooking apples.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
56.	Four plums.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
57.	A dish of raspberries, up to a maximum of ten fruits. Fruits must be displayed with stalks intact.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
58.	An exhibit of not less than three fruits of one variety, excluding any falling within classes 54 to 58 above.	£1.00	.60p	.40p

S Osman Memorial Cup for the highest number of points in classes 53 to 58.  
Prize money donated by the family of the late S Osman.

**DIVISION 2 - Entrance fee 10p**

Note: Eggs must have been laid by **Chicken** owned by the exhibitor. Plates will be available on which to display exhibits.

<b>Class No</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	
59.	Best three white or light or pale cream new laid eggs.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
60.	Best three light brown new laid eggs.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
61.	Best three dark brown new laid eggs.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
62.	Best three new laid eggs of a colour not already specified in classes 60 to 62.	£1.00	.60p	.40p

Cup for the **best** eggs – Classes 59 to 62 donated by Mrs S Cole.

**DIVISION 3 – OPEN CLASS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE. No entrance fee.**

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR AGE ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW IS SHOWN ON THE ENTRY FORM

Prizes of £3.00, £2.00 and £1 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> highest points gained in Division 4 presented by B L Olorenshaw.

Class No.		1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
63.	“Alice’s Tea Party” flower arrangement in a cup and saucer. Open to all children under 11 years old. Prizes donated by the family of the late Prof M R P Hall. Cup donated by the late Mrs W Jeffreys. <b>Exhibitors in class 63 must arrange their exhibit in the Hall on the morning of the Show, in the presence of a steward only.</b>	£1.00	.60p	.40p
64.	“Mad Hatter”. A decorated eggshell with a cress hairstyle. Open to children of 15 years and under. Cup donated by the late Mrs M E Northcroft. Prizes donated by B L Olorenshaw	£1.00	.60p	.40p
65.	Nasturtiums grown in a pot (max 16cms) must be grown from seeds. Open to children of 15 years and under.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
66.	5 – 8 years. “Farm Animal”. An exhibit made from vegetables and/or fruit only, <b>not exceeding 50cms.</b> Prizes donated by I Coffin. Cup donated by Mrs S Payne.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
67.	9-15 years. “Farm Animal”. An exhibit made from vegetables and/or fruit only, <b>not exceeding 50cms.</b> Prizes donated by D M Soffe. Cup donated by Mrs S Payne.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
68.	5 – 8 years. A miniature farm yard. Design a farm using mainly plants in a seed tray. Prizes donated by D M Soffe. Cup donated by Miss E Hoare.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
69.	9 – 15 years. A miniature farm yard. Design a farm using mainly plants in a seed tray. Prizes donated by Mrs D E Soffe. Cup donated by Mrs S Payne.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
70.	Under 15 years. The heaviest potato crop grown in a bucket ( <b>max size 14ltrs/3 gallons</b> ) from tubers provided by the Society. Please bring the growing potato in the bucket to the Show before <b>10.30a.m.</b> The bucket will be emptied and the crop weighed by a steward. <b>Remember to collect your bucket later!</b> Prizes donated by J A Penny. Cup donated by the Minstead Training Project.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
71.	Heaviest crop of radishes. <b>THREE</b> radishes grown by the exhibitor from seed. The pot will be emptied by the steward who will remove the leaves and root so that just the radishes themselves are weighed. Judging commences at <b>10.30a.m.</b>	£1.00	.60p	.40p
72.	Under 15 years. Decorate a pot, maximum size 15cm, then plant with vegetable and/or flower seeds or plants. Prizes donated by S Cattell.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
73.	5 – 8 years. A “Farm Animal” mask made from mainly natural materials. Must be capable to being hung for display. Space allowed 45cms x 45cms. Prizes donated by the family of the late Prof M R P Hall. Cup donated by Mrs A Cooper.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
74.	9 -15 years. A “Farm Animal” mask made from mainly natural materials. Must be capable to being hung for display. Space allowed 45cms x 45cms. Prizes donated by J Broomfield. Cup donated by Mrs A Cooper.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
75.	Under 5 years. A picture of a Farm Animal -in any medium. <b>Max size 30cms x 40cms.</b> Prizes donated by P Moore.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
76.	5 - 8 years. Design a poster for the 2016 Flower Show. Poster template to be used is at the back of schedule <b>Max size 30cms x 40cms.</b> Prizes donated by P Moore.	£5.00	.60p	.40p
77.	9 - 15 years. Design a poster for the 2016 Flower Show. Poster template to be used is at the back of schedule. <b>Max size 30cms x 40cms.</b> Prizes donated by P Moore.	£5.00	.60p	.40p
78.	Under 7 years. Handwriting. <b>“To the Farm”</b> poem at the foot of this page, to be copied in ballpoint or pencil on plain paper. <b>Max size 21cms x 30cms.</b> Script or joined up writing, illustrated if possible. Prizes donated by Miss C Danby.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
79.	7 - 11 years. Handwriting. <b>“My Pig won’t let me watch TV!”</b> poem at the foot of this page, to be copied in ballpoint or pencil on plain paper. <b>Max size 21cms x 30cms.</b> Script or joined up writing, illustrated if possible. Prizes donated by Miss C Danby.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
80.	12 - 15 years. Handwriting. <b>“My Cow Bess”</b> poem at the foot of this page, to be copied in ballpoint or pencil on plain paper. <b>Max size 21cms x 30cms.</b> Script or joined up writing, illustrated if possible. Prizes donated by Miss C Danby.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
81.	5 – 8 years. <b>Five</b> “Farm Animal” Ginger biscuits made to own recipe. Prizes donated by the family of the late Prof M R P Hall.	£1.00	.60p	.40p



**DIVISION 3 (continued)**

82. 9 -15 years. **Five** "Farm Animal" cupcakes made to own recipe and decorated. Prizes donated by J A Penny. £1.00 .60p .40p
83. 5 – 8 years. Any **handmade** article. Prizes donated by J A Penny. Purkiss cup in memory of the late Mrs D Lewis and prizes donated by S Cattell & Mrs P Cattell. £1.00 .60p .40p
84. 9 -15 years. Any **handmade** article. Prizes donated by J A Penny. Cup donated by D Hickman. £1.00 .60p .40p
85. 9 – 15 years. "**Unusual Weather**". Three photographs mounted on card. Prizes presented by P Moore. **Note 2016 subject will be "Forest Animals"**. £1.00 .60p .40p
86. "Concourse D'elegance" – Model Car

**Open to all young people under the age of 16 years.** Design and build your own self-propelled (non-electrical) model car, must be no larger than 300mm x 300mm and it can be made out of recycled materials. Guidelines use <http://www.rubberbandcar.net>. The cars will be judged on functional appearance, quality of construction, originality of design, use of materials plus overall elegance and sweetness of line. On Sunday ??? September 2015 the cars can be entered in the Junior Minstead Wacky Races event to be held at the Village Hall with a tea to follow. £3.00 £2.00 £1.00

**Note:** Could all parents ensure that **max sizes** are not exceeded and that the **exhibitors age** is shown on the entry form.

**Class 78**

**To The Farm**

Horses, donkey, cows that  
moo,  
Chickens, kittens, piglets too!  
Fish that swim down in the  
pond,  
Ducklings quacking all day  
long.  
All the animals you can see,  
If you go to the farm with me!

**Class 79**

**My pig won't let me watch TV!**

My pig won't let me watch TV,  
It's totally unfair.  
He watches anything he wants,  
But doesn't even share.

I never get to watch cartoons,  
Or anything like that.  
He's busy watching farming  
shows,  
I should have got a cat!

I should have got a gold fish,  
Or a guinea pig or goat.  
Instead I've got this pig,  
Who's always hogging the remote!

**Class 80**

**My Cow - Bess**

I'd like to introduce you to my cow,  
Her name is Bess.  
She has a special talent,  
Which I know you'd never guess!

She's fond of eating chocolate,  
Which, I feed her every day.  
The chocolate makes her happy,  
So she starts to swing and sway!

She jiggles and she juggles,  
She wiggles and she whirls.  
She boogies and she bounces,  
She taps, and twists and twirls.

She shivers and she shudders,  
She quivers and she quakes.  
I feed her chocolate candy,  
And she gives me chocolate milkshakes!

## DIVISION 4 – HOME CRAFTS

Entrance fee 10p

Class No.		1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
87.	Jar of lemon curd.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
88.	A pair of home-made jam of any two varieties.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
89.	Jar of jelly, any variety.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
90.	Jar of marmalade.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
91.	Jar of chutney – any variety.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
92.	LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE Made from your own recipe. Max size 20cm (8”) tin. Prizes donated by P Moore. Cup donated by the late Mrs G Yardley.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
93.	LEMON SHORTBREAD BISCUITS. FIVE to be exhibited and made from your own recipe. Prizes donated by Mrs J Mitchell.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
94.	CUSTARD TART Max size tin 20cm (8”). To be exhibited and made from your own recipe. Prizes donated by P Moore.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
95.	SCOTCH EGGS THREE to be exhibited made with your own recipe. Prizes donated by Mrs J Mitchell.	£1.00	.60p	.40p

**Note: For classes 87 – 91 any top/cover is acceptable.**

Linda Moore Memorial Trophy to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the highest number of points in classes 87-91.  
Paris Cup to be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the highest number of points in classes 92 – 95.

96.	OPEN TO ALL. A <b>handmade</b> article in any materials. Works will be judged for technique and finish. Prizes donated by Mrs J Mitchell. Cup donated by the grandchildren of the late Mrs B Tear.	£2.00	£1.00	.50p
97.	Photography Class – subject “ <b>Unusual Weather</b> ”. Three prints mounted on card. Prizes donated by J Broomfield. <b>Note for 2016: photography subject will be “Forest Animals”.</b>	£2.50	£1.50	£1.00

**Classes 98-100 may be entered by exhibitors from outside the 12 mile limit provided they are members of the NEW FOREST BEE KEEPERS ASSOCIATION.**

98.	A jar of home produced clear run honey. To be exhibited in a standard 1lb honey jar.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
99.	A 6-8oz box of comb honey produced by the exhibitor.	£1.00	.60p	.40p
100.	An object or article made from home produced bees wax.	£1.00	.60p	.40p

## EXHIBITORS' RULES

1. No entry will be accepted without the appropriate Entrance Fee and only one entry per person per class is allowed.
2. Intending exhibitors must give notice in writing on the form at the end of this schedule to the Hon Secretary by Wednesday 26 AUGUST 2015. **ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE ONLY AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SECRETARY.** Please avoid this as much as possible to enable the correct staging of exhibits.
3. **CLASS CARDS** - exhibitors should apply for cards on arrival at the Hall. These are to be placed (reversed) in front of or on the exhibits before judging. Any exhibit without a card will be considered as not for competition.
4. The Hall will be open from 8.15 am on the day of the Show and all exhibits must be staged and ready for the judges by 10:30am **when all must retire from the Hall except the officials and nothing will be received for competition after that time.** The public will be admitted from 2pm and nothing may be removed from the Hall until **after the draws have been completed.**
5. The judges will be directed to withhold or reduce the prizes where specimens may be considered as unworthy. The judges are empowered to award extra prizes subject to the approval of the committee.
6. All flowers, fruit and vegetables (except wild) for exhibition must have been grown by the exhibitor except in Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 63.
7. Classes for floral art are as follows:

Young People :        Class 63. This class must be arranged in the Hall on the morning of the Show in the presence of a steward only.

Adult Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Notes: An "exhibit" can be with or without accessories but the accessory must not predominate. Artificial plant material may **NOT** be used. The exhibit must be within the confines of the space allocated.

8. For guidance to exhibitors in Class 8, Collection of Vegetables, the number of each kind, followed by the maximum points available in brackets are:

5 Potatoes (20), 6 Runner Beans (18), 6 Broad beans (15), 3 Carrots (20), 3 Beetroot (15), 3 Parsnips (20)  
6 French Beans (15), 6 Pods of Peas (20), 3 Onions (20), 2 Cabbages (15), 3 Turnips (15), 2 Marrows (15),  
5 Tomatoes (18), 2 Lettuce (15), 3 Heads of Celery (20), 9 Brussels Sprouts (15), 2 Cauliflower (20), 3 Leeks (20).

**Maximum size of board 61cms (2ft) x 92cms (3ft).**

9. For guidance to exhibitors in Class 10, Collection of Salad Vegetables, the number of each kind shall be:

4 Tomatoes    1 Cucumber    2 Lettuce    2 Sweet Peppers    5 Spring Onions    2 Beetroot

**Maximum space allotted 61cms (2ft) x 92cms (3ft).**

10. Definition of a **BOWL**. A vessel that is wider than it is tall but not exceeding 26cms (10") width.

11. Definition of a **VASE**. A vessel that is taller than it is wide.

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## EXHIBITORS' RULES (continued)

### Dr A J Danby Memorial Trophy

This trophy is donated by the Society in memory of the late Dr Danby and will be awarded on a three yearly cycle to the exhibitor gaining the highest number of points in Classes 11 to 29. The winners of the trophy in 2013 and 2014 will not be eligible to receive the trophy in 2015.

The committee reserve the right to visit by commission, before or after the Show, the gardens from which the plants, flowers, fruit or vegetables have been entered for competition. This does NOT apply to Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 63.

Most careful arrangements will be made for the protection of all exhibits but the committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage they may sustain on their way to, from or during the Show.

The decision of the judges is final and any protest must be made IN WRITING and handed to the Hon Secretary before 3.30 pm on the day of the Show. Any enquiries concerning the prizes allocated can be made to the Hon Secretary.

Any person not adhering to the above rules will be disqualified.

## GENERAL RULES

- 1 **All donations are very much appreciated and enable us to continue running this Show.**  
Please send to Mr T Holt, Little Orchard, Minstead, SO43 7FW.
- 2 People who donate or subscribe are entitled to a free entrance ticket to the Show.
- 3 A separate entry form must be completed for **each** exhibitor.
- 4 Could cup winners please ensure that cups are covered by their home insurance.

## DONATIONS

**DONATIONS** towards expenses will be gratefully accepted by the Hon Treasurer.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

THE SOCIETY'S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON 1 DECEMBER 2015  
IN THE GREEN ROOM AT MINSTEAD HALL.  
PLEASE COME ALONG AND AIR YOUR VIEWS.  
EVERYONE WELCOME.

ANY SUGGESTIONS OR PROPOSALS PLEASE SEND TO THE SECRETARY  
JANET MITCHELL [jm4mfs@btinternet.com](mailto:jm4mfs@btinternet.com) or telephone: 02380813484  
AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE MEETING

**ENTRY FORM  
FOR THE SHOW AT MINSTEAD HALL, SATURDAY 5 SEPTEMBER 2015**

NAME OF EXHIBITOR .....

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ADDRESS .....

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..... Post Code ..... Telephone no .....

**Age on day of Show** for exhibitors in Division 3: .....

Please forward to Mrs J Mitchell, Hon Secretary, Fairacre, Southampton Road, Cadnam, SO40 2NG no later than Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2015. Can be emailed to [jm4mfs@btinternet.com](mailto:jm4mfs@btinternet.com) and fees paid on the morning of the Show.

**FOR EACH CLASS ENTERED: Please enter the appropriate class number, brief class description & entrance fee where applicable .**

CLASS NO.	DESCRIPTION	FEE

Please continue on separate sheet if required.

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SOCIETY**

65TH ANNUAL

Flower, Fruit & Vegetable Show

Saturday

3rd September 2016

**At Minstead Hall**

**Opens 2pm**

Schedules available from Janet Mitchell 02380 813484