

YEOVIL & DISTRICT CHRYSANTHEMUM & DAHLIA SOCIETY



Schedule of Classes 2023



61st OPEN EARLY CHRYSANTHEMUM & DAHLIA SHOW

Saturday 16th September, 2–4.30pm

Sunday 17th September, 2–4.30pm

- and -

77th OPEN LATE CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW & DAHLIA TUBER SALE

Saturday 18th November, 2–4.30pm

Sunday 19th November, 2–4.30pm

- at -

NEW VENUE MARSTON MAGNA VILLAGE HALL

Yeovil Road, Marston Magna, Yeovil, Somerset BA22 8BY

Admission £1 Refreshments Free Parking

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Ladies & Gentlemen

Well, what a year (2022) turned out to be, not so much last year, but the last 2/3 years, very trying to say the least.

From my point of view, you the Growers, the difficulties that you have had to contend with is a credit to you all.

I cannot remember in my lifetime the heat reaching 40 degrees.

But look at the Benches and see what you, the Growers have produced, what a resilient lot you are.

Our late Show in November was, again, a great success albeit down on entries.

As usual the Society held their Annual Dahlia Tuber Sale, huge thanks to Roger and Neal for donating the huge amount of Tubers which really help to boost the Coffers, without which we would find it difficult to hold our two Shows, especially as the Hall Fees have increased considerably last year.

We look forward once again to welcoming the Western Group this year.

I would like to extend the Society's thanks to the Holy Trinity Scouts for their excellent facilities in 2022, to our small team for all their hard work each year in making our Shows so successful and to our Mayor for attending both Shows and presenting the Trophies.

STOP PRESS! Unfortunately, we have had to make a late change to the venue for the 2023 Early & Late shows. They will now be held at Marston Magna Village Hall, rather than at our usual venue (Holy Trinity Scout Hall, as originally advertised in the published schedule and on Facebook and our Website). As a consequence, we've had to adjust some of the staging times etc. Updated details are, of course, now on our website/facebook and have been emailed to members. If you have any questions about the new venue or times, please do get in touch.

Looking forward to seeing you all again this year.

Sincerely

Manny Roper (Chairman)

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EARLY SHOW JUDGES

Chrysanthemum Classes

Gary Dando & Colin Parkes

Dahlia Classes

Ian Clemens

Nick Toogood

LATE SHOW JUDGES

Chrysanthemum Classes

Richard Patrick & Mike Hancock

SHOW RULES

- 1 ENTRIES** should reach the Show Secretary by **Thursday** prior to Show.
Only one entry allowed in each Chrysanthemum Class, except Early show Class 21 & Late Show Classes 35 & 36 where unlimited entry is permitted. Dahlias unlimited entry in single vase classes and Classes 44 & 48, but only one entry in Novice/Beginners Classes 60-61 is permitted.
- 2 STAGING.** Exhibits may be staged from **8.30pm to 10.30pm** on the Friday evening before the show. (Please let us know when submitting your entry if you intend to stage on Friday evening) Staging continues from **7am to 11.30am prompt** on the Saturday morning of the Show.
- 3 SHOW OPEN 2-4.30pm Saturday & Sunday.**
Presentation of awards takes place on Saturday afternoon.
- 4 JUDGING** commences at **11am** Saturday and be conducted under N.C.S. and N.D.S. rules. Judges may withhold or modify any award if entries do not merit any such award. The decision of the judges shall be final.
- 5 OWNERSHIP OF EXHIBITS.** All exhibits must have been grown by, and been the property of, the exhibitor for at least three months prior to the Show.
- 6 ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES.** The Committee reserve the right to refuse any entry without stating the reason.
- 7 EXHIBITS.** Every reasonable care will be taken, but the Committee will not be responsible for any damage or loss which may occur. No exhibits may be removed before the close of the show. It is recommended that all cultivars/varieties be named on cards provided by the Society.
- 8 VASES** are provided by the Society for all exhibits except Late Show Class 34 and must remain on the staging at the conclusion of the show.
- 9 PROTESTS.** If any dispute shall arise other than the judging, protests must be made in writing and delivered to the Chairman not later than two hours after the opening of the Show, accompanied by a fee of £1. The decision of the Committee shall be final.
- 10 EXHIBITORS** may become members of the Society on payment of £4 Annual Membership Fee payable in September and will be eligible to compete for Members Awards & entry in the members draw in November.
- 11 TROPHIES** are the property of the Society, to be held for one year only and returned to the Show Secretary in time for presentation at the show. The Committee will hold the winners responsible for the safe custody of the Cups. The committee has decided not to have trophies engraved but winners may do so at their own expense. All prize money not claimed by 4pm on the final day of the show will be put back into society funds.
- 12 POINTS VALUE**

	1st	2nd	3rd
Early Show Classes 1, 2, 3, 15, 38, 39, 41,	7	4	2
All other Classes (Except Classes 21, 59, 62- 66 where no points will be allocated)	4	2	1
Late Show Classes 1, 2, 3, 8, 12, 20, 21, 26, 28, 30	7	4	2
All other Classes (Except classes 35, 36 where no points will be allocated)	4	2	1

EARLY SHOW AWARDS

Rous Cup	South West of England Championship. Class 1
Anne & Mike Stephens Trophy	Supreme Championship, Class 2.
Cook Trophy	Medium Championship, Class 3.
N.C.S. Silver medal	Best Chrysanthemum vase or exhibit of most merit in show.
N.C.S. Bronze medal	Second best Chrysanthemum vase or exhibit of most merit in show.
Lionel Park Trophy	Best vase of incurved Chrysanthemums in show.
Westland Trophy	Best exhibit of spray Chrysanthemums in Class 15.
Hart Cup & Voucher	Most points awarded to exhibitors in Chrysanthemum classes.
N.C.S. Certificates of Merit	Awarded at the Judges discretion excluding Silver & Bronze Exhibits.
Len Allen Memorial Trophy	South West of England Dahlia Championship, Class 38.
The Chris Burnett Trophy	Best Exhibit in Class 39.
Walter Burroughes Memorial Shield	Best Dahlia exhibit in Class 40.
Shaston Cup	Pompon championship Class 41.
N.D.S. Silver medal	Best Dahlia vase in show.
N.D.S. Bronze medal	Second best Dahlia vase in show.
Bond Cup	Dahlia Novice Class.
Travellers Classes Voucher	Best Exhibit in Classes 62 to 66.
Members Shield & Voucher	Most points awarded in Dahlia Classes.

EARLY SHOW: CHRYSANTHEMUMS

It is recommended all cultivars be named.

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. ROUS CUP SOUTH WEST OF ENGLAND CHAMPIONSHIP 3 Vases 5 blooms Medium or Large, one cultivar per vase	£20	£10	£5
2. STEPHENS TROPHY SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP 3 Vases 3 Large blooms per vase, one cultivar per vase.	£20	£10	£5
3. COOK TROPHY MEDIUM CHAMPIONSHIP 3 Vases, 3 Medium blooms per vase, one cultivar per vase	£20	£10	£5
4. 2 Vases, 3 blooms per vase, one vase medium, one vase large 1 cultivar per vase	£5	£3	£1
<u>LARGE, MEDIUM, OR SMALL</u>			
5. 1 Vase 5 blooms INCURVED	£3	£2	£1
6. 1 Vase 3 blooms INCURVED	£3	£2	£1
7. 1 Vase 5 blooms INTERMEDIATE	£3	£2	£1
8. 1 Vase 3 blooms INTERMEDIATE Large	£3	£2	£1
9. 1 Vase 3 blooms INTERMEDIATE Medium or Small	£3	£2	£1
10. 1 Vase 5 blooms REFLEXED	£3	£2	£1
11. 1 Vase 3 blooms REFLEXED Large	£3	£2	£1
12. 1 Vase 3 blooms REFLEXED Medium or Small	£3	£2	£1
13. 1 Vase 5 blooms INTERMEDIATE not less than 2 cultivars	£3	£2	£1
14. 1 Vase 5 blooms REFLEXED Not less than 2 cultivars	£3	£2	£1
<u>SPRAYS</u>			
15. WESTLAND TROPHY SPRAY CHAMPIONSHIP 3 Vases Exhibition Sprays, 3 sprays per vase one cultivar per vase.	£20	£10	£5

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| 16. | 1 Vase 5 stems Exhibition Sprays
– single or anemone | £3 £2 £1 |
| 17. | 1 Vase 5 stems Exhibition Sprays
– doubles | £3 £2 £1 |
| 18. | 1 Vase 3 Stems Exhibition Sprays | £3 £2 £1 |
| 19. | 2 Vases 3 blooms or 3 Exhibition sprays in each.
Only one Vase from any one section to be staged
tiered, one in front of the other. | £5 £3 £1 |
| 20. | 1 Vase 3 blooms any one cultivar | £3 £2 £1 |

TRAVELLERS

21. 1 vase 1 bloom or 1 stem exhibition spray.
Unlimited entry, prize cards only.
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EARLY SHOW: DAHLIAS

It is recommended all varieties be named

Unlimited entry in single vase classes and 44 & 48 is permitted except novice & beginners classes 60-61 when only one entry permitted

38. **LEN ALLEN MEMORIAL TROPHY:** £20 £10 £5
SOUTH WEST OF ENGLAND DAHLIA CHAMPIONSHIP
3 Vases, only one vase allowed from the same sub-group
3 Blooms per vase: Giant, Large and/or Medium
5 Blooms per vase: Small and/or Miniature
6 Blooms per vase: Pompon
5 Blooms per vase: Any other type
Giants may be staged singly
39. **CHRIS BURNETT TROPHY** £15 £5 £3
3 Vases
1 vase, 3 Blooms Small and/or Miniature Decorative
1 vase, 3 Blooms Small and/or Miniature Ball
1 vase, 3 Blooms Small and/or Miniature Cactus or Semi Cactus
40. **WALTER BURROUGHES MEMORIAL SHIELD** £5 £3 £1
2 Vases from those described in Class 38.
Two vases the same allowed. To be staged tiered.
41. **SHASTON POMPON CUP** £5 £3 £1
3 Vases POMPON. 3 Distinct varieties
6 blooms of one variety in each vase,
Pompon vases only please. To be staged tiered.
42. **THE RED CHALLENGE** £5 £3 £1
2 Vases, 1 variety per vase. RED coloured only from:
3 Blooms per vase: Giant, Large and/or Medium
5 Blooms per vase: Small and/or Miniature
6 Blooms per vase: Pompon
Any combination of vases may be used. To be staged tiered.
Giants may be staged singly
43. **THE TWO VASE CHALLENGE** £5 £3 £1
2 Vases 5 Blooms in each from
SMALL and/or MINIATURE DECORATIVE
SMALL and/or MINIATURE CACTUS or SEMI CACTUS
SMALL and/or MINIATURE BALL.
To be staged tiered, one in front of the other.
44. 3 GIANT/LARGE CACTUS and/or SEMI CACTUS, £3 £2 £1
To be staged singly
45. 1 Vase 3 Blooms MEDIUM CACTUS £3 £2 £1
and/or SEMI CACTUS
46. 1 Vase 3 Blooms SMALL CACTUS £3 £2 £1
and/or SEMI CACTUS

47.	1 Vase 3 Blooms MINIATURE CACTUS and/or SEMI CACTUS	£3 £2 £1
48.	3 GIANT and/or LARGE DECORATIVE To be staged singly	£3 £2 £1
49.	1 Vase 3 Blooms MEDIUM DECORATIVE	£3 £2 £1
50.	1 Vase 3 Blooms SMALL DECORATIVE	£3 £2 £1
51.	1 Vase 3 Blooms MINIATURE DECORATIVE	£3 £2 £1
52.	1 Vase 3 Blooms SMALL BALL	£3 £2 £1
53.	1 Vase 3 Blooms MINIATURE BALL	£3 £2 £1
54.	1 Vase 6 Blooms POMPON, pompon vase only	£3 £2 £1
55.	1 Vase 3 Blooms COLLARETTE	£3 £2 £1
56.	1 Vase 3 Blooms WATERLILLY	£3 £2 £1
57.	1 Vase 3 Blooms FIMBRIATED	£3 £2 £1
58.	1 Vase 3 Blooms ANY OTHER TYPE	£3 £2 £1
59.	1 Vase 1 Bloom SEEDLING – any variety not previously shown	£2 £1 50p
60.	THE BOND NOVICE CUP 1 Vase 3 Blooms. Any variety or varieties. Open to any exhibitor who has not won a FIRST PRIZE for dahlias in any show judged under N.D.S. rules before this year.	£3 £2 £1
61.	BEGINNERS CLASS 1 Vase 3 Blooms. Any variety or varieties. Open to any person who has never shown at a show previously judged under N.D.S rules.	£3 £2 £1
	<i>TRAVELLERS CLASSES</i>	
	Unlimited entry, prize cards only. BEST EXHIBIT voucher.	
62.	1 Bloom GIANT or LARGE	
63.	1 Bloom MEDIUM	
64.	1 Bloom SMALL or MINIATURE.	
65.	1 Bloom POMPON – To be staged in Pompon vase only.	
66.	1 Bloom ANY OTHER TYPE (eg WATERLILLY, COLLARETTE etc)	

LATE SHOW AWARDS

Hamblett Trophy	Best Vase in show.
The Joyce Trophy	Best vase of Singles in show.
N.C.S. Silver Medal	Best vase or exhibit of most merit in show.
N.C.S. Bronze Medal	Second best vase or exhibit of most merit in show.
Lush Cup	Best exhibit in Class 1, Supreme Championship.
Aldon Cup	Best exhibit in Class 2, Large Exhibition.
Dening Cup	Best exhibit in Class 3, Medium Exhibition.
Diment Rose Bowl	Best exhibit in Class 8, Incurved.
Brigham Cup	Best exhibit in Class 9, Reflexed.
Arthur Bicknell Memorial Trophy	Best exhibit in Class 19.
Batten Cup	Best exhibit in Class 20, Large Singles.
O.A Wiles Builders Trophy	Best exhibit in Class 21, Medium Singles.
Vincent Cup	Best exhibit in Class 26, Sprays.
Derick Hooper Memorial Trophy	Best exhibit in Class 30, Fantasies.
Joe Thomas Cup	Best exhibit in Anemone classes.
Show Committee Cup & Voucher	Most points gained by an exhibitor in the show.
N.C.S. Certificate of Merit	To be awarded at the Judges' discretion, excluding Silver & Bronze Exhibits.

LATE SHOW: CHRYSANTHEMUMS

It is recommended all cultivars be named

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP LUSH CUP Any three vases, only one cultivar in each Vase from: 1 Vase 1 Bloom – Sections 1 or 2 1 Vase 3 Blooms – Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 10 1 Vase 3 Stems – Section 9 Any combination of sections may be used, but not more than two vases from any one section. Section 10 may be staged singly.	£20	£8	£4
<u>LARGE & MEDIUM EXHIBITION</u>			
2. ALDON CUP 6 Blooms LARGE EXHIBITION To be staged singly.	£15	£5	£3
3. DENING CUP 6 Blooms MEDIUM EXHIBITION To be staged single	£15	£5	£3
4. 3 Blooms LARGE EXHIBITION To be staged singly	£3	£2	£1
5. 3 Blooms MEDIUM EXHIBITION To be staged singly	£3	£2	£1
6. 1 Bloom LARGE EXHIBITION	£1	75p	50p
7. 1 Bloom MEDIUM EXHIBITION	£1	75p	50p
<u>INCURVED</u>			
8. DIMENT ROSE BOWL 3 Vases 3 blooms per vase INCURVED one cultivar per vase	£15	£5	£3
9. 1 Vase 5 Blooms INCURVED.	£3	£2	£1
10. 1 Vase 3 Blooms INCURVED White, Cream or yellow	£3	£2	£1
11. 1 Vase 3 Blooms INCURVED excluding white, cream or yellow, not less than two cultivars.	£3	£2	£1

REFLEXED/INTERMEDIATE

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| 12. | BRIGHAM CUP
3 Vases 3 Blooms per vase, REFLEXED or INTERMEDIATE, one cultivar per vase
Large, Medium or Small | £15 £5 £3 |
| 13. | 1 Vase 5 blooms REFLEXED | £3 £2 £1 |
| 14. | 1 Vase 3 blooms REFLEXED | £3 £2 £1 |
| 15. | 1 Vase 5 blooms INTERMEDIATE | £3 £2 £1 |
| 16. | 1 Vase 3 blooms INTERMEDIATE Large | £3 £2 £1 |
| 17. | 1 Vase 3 blooms INTERMEDIATE Medium | £3 £2 £1 |
| 18. | 1 Vase 5 Blooms INTERMEDIATE excluding white, cream or yellow, not less than two cultivars. | £3 £2 £1 |
| 19. | ARTHUR BICKNELL MEMORIAL TROPHY
2 Vases 3 Blooms in each Vase,
from incurved, reflexed, intermediate and single.
Not more than one vase from any one Section.
To be staged tiered, one in front of the other. | £5 £3 £2 |

SINGLES

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| 20. | BATTEN CUP
3 Vases SINGLES, 3 Blooms of one cultivar in each vase. Large Flowered | £15 £5 £3 |
| 21. | O. A. WILES BUILDERS TROPHY
3 Vases SINGLES. 3 Blooms of one cultivar in each vase. Medium flowered and/or Small flowered. | £15 £5 £3 |
| 22. | 1 Vase 5 Blooms SINGLES. Any one colour. Large flowered. | £3 £2 £1 |
| 23. | 1 Vase 5 Blooms SINGLES. Not less than two cultivars. Large flowered. | £3 £2 £1 |
| 24. | 1 Vase 5 Blooms SINGLES. Any one colour Medium or small flowered. | £3 £2 £1 |
| 25. | 1 Vase 5 Blooms SINGLES. Not less than two cultivars. Medium or Small flowered. | £3 £2 £1 |

SPRAYS

26. **VINCENT CUP**
3 Vases EXHIBITION SPRAYS £15 £5 £3
3 Stems of one cultivar in each vase.
27. 1 Vase 3 Stems EXHIBITION SPRAYS £3 £2 £1

ANEMONE

28. 3 Vases ANEMONE, 3 Blooms of one cultivar
in each vase £15 £5 £3
29. 1 Vase 5 Blooms ANEMONE. £3 £2 £1
Any cultivar or cultivars

FANTASIES

30. **DERICK HOOPER MEMORIAL TROPHY**
6 Blooms Fantasies £10 £4 £2
Any cultivar or cultivars to be staged singly.
31. 3 Blooms FANTASIES £3 £2 £1
Any Cultivar or Cultivars to be staged singly



IMPROVERS

32. 1 Vase 3 blooms or 3 stems exhibition sprays. One cultivar. £3 £2 £1

Open to any exhibitor who has not won more than three first prizes in any Late Chrysanthemum Show judged under N.C.S. Rules before this year.

ALL ROUND EFFECT

33. Vase or Container of Chrysanthemums £4 £2 £1

Arranged for all round affect.

Quality of blooms taken into account.

POT PLANT

34. 1 Charm, Cascade or Specimen Chrysanthemum Pot Plant £3 £2 £1

TRAVELLERS CLASSES

Unlimited entry, Entries may be taken on day of show

35. 1 Vase any cultivar or cultivars from:
1 Bloom – sections 1, 2 or 10;
3 Blooms – sections 3 to 7;
3 Stems – section 9
36. 1 Vase 1 bloom or 1 stem exhibition spray
Excluding sections 1 & 2
Unlimited entry, prize cards only

Dates for your diary 2024

Yeovil & District Chrysanthemum & Dahlia Society

Chrysanthemum & Dahlia Show 21th & 22th September 2024

Western Group N.C.S show 22th September 2024

Chrysanthemum Show & Dahlia tuber sale 16th & 17th November 2024



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