



Ashburnham and Penhurst Flower Show and Country Fair Saturday 27th July 2024

- 8.30am Tent opens for show entries
- 10.00am Tent closes for judging -
please note, no entries will be allowed after this time
- 1.30pm Show ground opens to public
- 4.30pm Prize giving and auction
- 5.00pm Show closes

For full details of the day's events go to www.ashburnham-penhurst.net

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 6pm-11pm
 Saturday 12pm - 11pm
 Sunday 12pm - 8pm

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Schedule of Classes



Saturday 27th July 2024 1.30-5pm Sports
Field Ashburnham Battle TN33 9NU

Vegetables and Fruit

- 1 3 Potatoes
- 2 6 Runner Beans
- 3 6 French Beans
- 4 3 Courgettes
- 5 3 Onions (without tops)
- 6 3 Carrots (with tops, different colours optional)
- 7 An amusingly shaped vegetable
- 8 5 Chilli Peppers
- 9 1 Cucumber
- 10 3 Beetroot
- 11 1 Named Variety Tomato of your Choice (to be judged on taste)
- 12 Smallest Ripe Tomato
13. Longest Runner Bean
- 14 Ugliest Vegetable
- 15 Soft Fruit presented on a plate - your choice of one type or a variety
- 16 Collection of Three Herbs (named) in Water
- 17 The Country Gardener: A collection of vegetables, fruit and flowers to be displayed in a box, basket or trug. Maximum 10 different varieties

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beautiful villages and the natural world

Sold at The Market, Ashburnham Place,
Penhurst Retreat Centre Shop and
Ashburnham Place Shop
and at the Country Fair

If you want to find out more, email Jay
ashworthjay1@gmail.com



Country Fair 1.30pm - 5pm

There will be stalls to browse, fair ground games, lawn mower racing, dog show, teas, delicious cakes and BBQ, old cars and tractors, live music, and much much more!

Sunday 28th July 10.30am

Ashburnham Church

All Age Church Service in the Marquee

Led by Revd Gary Cregeen

Everyone is welcome to this service, suitable for all ages and held in the marquee at the Sports Field.

Refreshments will be served afterwards so come along and join us!

The Flower Show marquee is available for hire in the evening of Saturday 27th July if you want to plan an event or party.

Contact Brian for more information
clerk@ashburnham-penhurst.net

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Saturday 27th July 2024 - Entry Form

Please complete in block capitals and return, with entry fees, to one of the addresses shown on page 8

Name	
Age (if 16 or under)	
Email address	
Street Address	
Phone number	
I wish to enter the following classes	

Your details will only be used for matters relating directly to the Ashburnham and Penhurst Flower Show 2024 and will not be kept or passed onto any third party

Please tick

	I have read and will comply with the Rules for Exhibitors
	I enclose a fee of 30p per class entered
Signed	

Flowers

- 18 Single Rose
- 19 Roses, 3 Stems *
- 20 Dahlia, Any Type, 3 Blooms *
- 21 Annual Sweet Peas, 5 Stems*
- 22 Hydrangea 5 Stems*
- 23 Cosmos, 5 Stems*
- 24. A Vase of Mixed Annuals +
- 25 A Vase of Mixed Perennial Flowers +
- 26 An Arrangement of Foliage, No Flowers+
- 27 A Single Colour Arrangement
(Minimum 3 Types of Flower Plus Foliage)
- 28 A Hand-Tied Bouquet From Your Garden of Flowers and
Foliage (Presented in a Vase) +
- 29 An Indoor Pot Plant

Classes 24-25 judged on quality of flowers/plants, not as a flower arrangement

Classes 26-28 judged as flower arrangements

* May be single colour or mixed

+ All items must be home grown



Produce

- 30 Jar of Homemade Jam *
 - 31 Jar of Homemade Marmalade *
 - 32 Jar of Homemade Jelly *
 - 33 Jar of Honey
 - 34 Jar of Homemade Chutney *
 - 35 Jar Homemade Piccalilli
 - 36 6 Hen's Eggs
 - 37 A Loaf (Any Type)
 - 38 4 Plain Scones
 - 39 Victoria Sandwich made with 3 Eggs (not exceeding 8" diameter)
 - 40 6 Sausage Rolls made with Puff Pastry (can be bought)
 - 41 6 Shortbread Slices
 - 42 Fruitcake - Recipe Provided see p 5
 - 43 6 Savoury Biscuits (eg Cheese, Oatcakes)
 - 44 Homemade Sweets -eg Truffles, Fudge, Toffee
(minimum 6 pieces)
 - 45 1 Bottle of Non-Alcoholic Homemade Cordial or Squash *
 - 46 1 Bottle of Country Spirit * eg Sloe Gin, Plum Liqueur
- *Please specify the variety on a label attached to the exhibit
Please note all entries in classes 37-44 must be covered with cling film

Recipe for Class 42 from the Penhurst Retreat Centre Cookery Book

175g margarine 1 tsp mixed spice
150g light brown sugar 350g mixed dried fruit
3 eggs - beaten 50g glacé cherries - rinsed
225g self raising flour

Preheat oven to 180°C, 350°F or gas mark 4
Grease and line a 17cm round cake tin
Cream together the margarine and sugar until pale and fluffy
Gradually add the eggs beating after each addition, if the mixture begins to curdle, beat in a tablespoon of the flour.
Then add the flour, spice, fruit and cherries and mix until combined.
Put into prepared tin, bake for 1 ¼ hours, check if it's cooked by inserting a skewer and seeing if it comes out clean. If it starts to brown too soon, loosely cover with greaseproof paper.

Prizes and Awards to be presented at 4.30pm

In all classes the prize money will be as follows

1st Prize: 50p 2nd Prize: 30p 3rd Prize 20p

In all classes points will be awarded as follows:

1st Prize: 4 points 2nd Prize: 2 points 3rd Prize: 1 point

Eric White Memorial Trophy Awarded to the exhibitor achieving the most points across the show

The Jim Payne Floral Trophy Awarded to the winner of class 25

The Roy White Country Gardener Trophy Awarded to the winner of class 17

Let's Go Lego Cup Awarded to the winner of class 69

The WI Cup Awarded to the member of Ashburnham and Penhurst Women's Institute with the most points across the show

The Royal Horticultural Banksian Medal awarded to the exhibitor achieving the most points in the vegetables and fruit section
Section Trophies will be awarded to the exhibitors achieving the most points in the following sections: Flowers; Photography, Arts and Crafts; Produce; Junior Classes Aged 8 and Under; Junior Classes Aged 16 and Under.

Fees and Entry Forms

Entry forms and fees of 30p per exhibit should be submitted by Wednesday 24th July to one of the following collection points.
Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organisers who reserve the right to refuse entries submitted after this date
Gill and Robin Ratcliffe,
The Old Shop, Ponds Green, Ashburnham. TN33 9PD
John and Tina French,
Pound Cottage, The Pound, Ashburnham. TN33 9NR

Rules for Competitors

- Only one exhibit per person may be entered in any one class
- All fruit, vegetables, herbs and flowers must be grown by the exhibitor (except where indicated in floristry classes)
- All produce, photography, art, crafts and junior class entries must be the work of the exhibitor
- Judges may withhold prizes if they consider the exhibits not worthy of winning, or if there are insufficient entries in a class
- Reasonable care will be taken of the exhibits but the committee cannot accept any claims for damage or loss
- The judges' decisions are final
- **All exhibits must be staged between 8.30am and 10am on Saturday 27th July, after which time no other exhibits will be accepted and only the judges and stewards may remain in the tent until the end of judging**
- All cakes, biscuits, breads and other cooked food must be covered with cling film before being exhibited
- Exhibits must be left in position until 4pm and should be removed before 4.30pm. Any exhibits left in the tent after that time will be sold for show funds
- Prize money not collected by 4.30pm on 27th July will be taken as a donation to show funds
- Exhibits should be entered on the entry form included in this schedule (or a photocopy) and should be submitted with entry fees of 30p per class no later than Wednesday 24th July to one of the address on page 8 Late entries may be accepted but only at the discretion of the organisers who reserve the right to refuse entries submitted after this date
- Any queries should be directed to Gill Ratcliffe on 01424 892674 or robin.ratcliffe@btopenworld.com or Jay Ashworth 07876 484945 ashworthjay1@gmail.com

**Further copies of this schedule can be
downloaded from the village website
www.ashburnham-penhurst.net**

Photography Arts & Crafts

- 47 A Painting by the Exhibitor - any medium, any size
- 48 A Sewn Item of Clothing
- 49 A Pencil Drawing - any size
- 50 A Pottery or Ceramic Item
- 51 Any Item Upcycled or Recycled
- 52 A Collage/Mixed Media Commemorating Olympics
- 53 A string of bunting maximum length 2m
- 54 A Photograph of a Smile (max size 7"x5")
- 55 Funniest Photograph Including a Caption (max size 7"x5")
- 56 A Spring Photograph (max size 7"x5")
- 57 Photograph on the Theme of Weather (max size 7"x5")
- 58 A Poem Written by the Exhibitor on the Theme of Farming (8-12 lines)
- 59 An Original Piece of Prose Writing - Fiction or Non-Fiction, Max 500 Words
- 60 A limerick including the word 'Pothole'

Exhibits not to have been shown in previous years



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Age 4 and Under

- 61 A Paper Olympic Medal
- 62 A Picture of an Animal Made From Any Combination of Petals, Leaves and Seeds
- 63 2 Chocolate Crispy Cakes

Age 5-7

- 64 A Picture of an Animal Made From Any Combination of Petals, Leaves and Seeds
- 65 4 Chocolate Crispy Cakes
- 66 5 Tree Leaves Arranged and Named
- 67 A Painted Pebble
- 68 As Many Different Items Beginning with T
(arranged on a 7" paper plate with a list provided)

Age 8-11

- 69 A Form of Transport Made of Lego (not from a kit)
- 70 A Picture of an Animal Made From Any Combination of Petals, Leaves and Seeds
- 71 A Vegetable Animal
- 72 4 Chocolate Brownies
- 73 As Many Different Items Beginning with T
(arranged on a 7" paper plate with a list provided)



Age 12-16

- 74 A Photo of My Favourite Thing
- 75 A Decorated Pebble
- 76 Arrangement of Garden Flowers in a Jug
- 77 4 Chocolate Chip Cookies
- 78 As Many Different Items Beginning with T
(arranged on a 7" paper plate with a list provided)

All Ages Up To And Including 16

- 79 Any Vegetable You Have Grown Yourself
- 80 A Vase of Weeds
- 81 Best Handwriting (see text below)

Text for Best Handwriting Class 81

“Always remember you matter, you’re important and you are loved, and you bring to this world things no one else can.”

From The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse by Charlie Mackesy

