

# ST. ERME HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The 94<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL, FLOWER, VEGETABLE,  
HOME PRODUCE AND HANDICRAFT

## SHOW

will be held in the

**Community Centre**

on

**SATURDAY 9 AUGUST 2025**

To be opened at 3pm



By

**Mr Kevin Barradell**

PRESIDENT

Mr E Dymond

VICE PRESIDENTS

Mrs P Trethewey

Ms R Martin

Miss S Martin

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Admission to Show:

Adults - £1 Children - free

### 2025 OFFICIALS

Chairman

Hon Treasurer

Hon Secretary

Assistant Secretary

Fun Day/Village Hall Representative

Mr A Caple

Miss S Caple

Mrs H Cole

Mrs V Hitchman

Mr A Caple

### COMMITTEE

Mesdames: C Bonsall, H Cole,

B Dymond, J Gill, V Hitchman,

S Mounter, C Rounsevell, Miss S Caple and Miss L Wotton

Messrs: G Bonsall, A Caple and A Rounsevell,

### JUDGES

Flowers

Vegetables/Fruit

Floral Art

Cookery

Handicraft

Children's Work

Photography

Art

Ted Floyd of Truro

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Helen Thomas of Polwhele

Jane Aherne of St Dennis

Jillian Vasey of St Agnes

Joy Mounter of St Erme

Helen Davies of Trispen

Eirian Pascoe-Jones of Camborne

### CHILDREN'S AWARDS

THE WINFIELD CUP For the best picture

CUP (Mrs H Keam) For the best poem

THE A & F GAY

MEMORIAL CUP For the best exhibit in Classes 34-35

CUP For the highest total of points : under 5 years

SHIELD (Mrs H D Martin) For the highest total of points : 5-7 years

CUP For the highest total of points : 8-10 years

CUP For the highest total of points : 11-16 years

CUP (Mrs P Trethewey) For the highest total of points : Cookery 5-7 years

CUP (The Keeler Cup) For the highest total of points : Cookery 8-10 years

CUP (Arthur & Win Clayton) For the highest total of points : Cookery 11-16 years

CUP (Mrs R Baiss) For the highest total of points : All Sections

## RULES

### ADULT AWARDS

THE TREVELLA PERPETUAL CUP (Lt Cdr Verney)	For the highest total of points in the Flower Classes 1-27
THE LESLIE BUDDLE MEMORIAL CUP (The Society)	For the highest total of points in the Dahlia Classes 3-6
THE RICHARDS CUP	For the highest total of points in the Vegetable and fruit Classes 38-79
THE JOHN GAY CUP	For the highest total of points in the Flower Classes 1-27, Vegetable and fruit Classes 38-79
THE KEN GRUBB MEMORIAL TROPHY	For the best exhibit in Classes 19-26
THE ROY HOUSE MEMORIAL TROPHY	For the longest runner bean in Class 40
THE REG CHAPMAN MEMORIAL TROPHY	For the best exhibit in Class 53
JOHN AND MILLY HARRIS MEMORIAL CUP	For the highest total of points in the Floral Art Classes 28-33
THE CORA RICHARDS MEMORIAL CUP	For the best exhibit in Class 30
KC Plate (Connie Kearle) CUP	Creative and Inspiring Floral Art
CUP	For the highest total of points in the Cookery Classes 80-105
SHIELD	For the highest total of points in the Photography Classes 116-122
ROSE BOWL	For the highest total of points in the Handicraft Classes 123-140
(The Hon Mrs M Verney) CUP	For the highest total of points in the Handicraft Classes 123-140 Local Person
KC CUP (Connie Kearle)	For the highest total of points in the Art Classes 141-148
SILVER CIRCLE CUP	Creative and Inspiring Art Work
THE FARR CHALLENGE TROPHY	For the highest total of points gained by a Silver Circle member
SHIELD	For the most points in the show gained by two local society family members
CUP	For the highest total of points, for a member of the Society who has not qualified for any other special prize
CUP	For the runner up in the Flower Section (person not flower)
CORNWALL GARDEN SOCIETY CERTIFICATE	For the runner up in the Vegetable Section (person not veg)
AWARD OF MERIT	For the Society member with the most points in the Vegetable, Fruit and Flower sections.
(Blue Ribbon)	For the best exhibit in each Section

1. PRIZES IN EACH SECTION ARE : 1<sup>st</sup> - £1 2<sup>nd</sup> - 75p 3<sup>rd</sup> - 50p HC - 30p.  
ENTRANCE FEE IN EACH SECTION; ADULTS - 10p. CHILDREN - 5p PER ENTRY PER CLASS.
2. PLEASE NOTE: - NO SMOKING AND NO STILETTO HEELS ON FLOOR - THANK YOU.
3. ENTRIES WITH FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE SECRETARY - MRS H COLE, 63 POLISKEN WAY, ST ERME, TRURO, TR49RG ([nickandhelen37@gmail.com](mailto:nickandhelen37@gmail.com)) 01872 270805) NOT LATER THAN 6PM ON WEDNESDAY 6 AUGUST 2025. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.
4. The Hall at the Community Centre will be open for the staging of exhibits between 8am and 10am on the day of the show. No exhibits will be allowed into the Hall after 10am but staging may continue until 10:30am. Any exhibit not staged by 10:30am will be automatically disqualified. Class cards to be collected during the staging session.
5. ALL exhibits entered in the Horticultural Section MUST be grown by the exhibitor, except in the Floral Art Classes.
6. **In any one Class no adult exhibitor may submit more than 2 entries with 1 entry only in Cookery Classes. ALL CHILDRENS CLASSES 1 ENTRY ONLY PER CLASS.**
7. All items entered in the Handicraft Section must be new, not previously exhibited here and are not to be laundered.
8. In the event of a tie, a cup shall be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest number of 1<sup>st</sup> prizes.
9. All complaints, objections and protests must be delivered in writing to the Secretary before 4pm with £1.00 deposit in respect of each particular complaint, whereby this deposit shall be forfeited should the objection not be sustained. The decision of the Committee is final.
10. The Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained by the exhibitor or exhibits.
11. All Flowers and Vegetables to be shown in vases, dishes or containers provided by the exhibitor.
12. The Committee reserve the right to refuse any entry and/or to inspect the garden of any exhibitor.
13. Presentation of prizes will be approximately 4:30pm and prize money will be paid after this. Any prize money not collected on Show Day will automatically go into the Society Funds.
14. Except as may be provided by Rules 1-13, the Rules and definitions adopted by the Royal Horticultural Society (9<sup>th</sup> edition) and NAFAS competition manual 2009 shall be operative.
15. The Local Classes are confined to entrants residing in St Erme Parish or within 2 miles of St Erme Church, and to Committee members.
16. All entries must be removed by 5:30pm.
17. **All trophies to be returned to the Secretary no later than the third week of July.**
18. Guidelines for exhibitors are printed on the back of this schedule.

## FLORAL ART - CHILDREN'S CLASSES (ONE ENTRY PER CLASS)

### FLOWERS

- 1 Gladioli - 3 spikes
- 2 Gladioli - single spike
- 3 Dahlia - Cactus - 1 bloom
- 4 Dahlia - Decorative - 1 bloom
- 5 Dahlia - Collarette - 3 blooms
- 6 Dahlia - Pom Pom or ball - 3 blooms
- 7 Rose - 1 bloom - any variety
- 8 Rose - 1 stem Floribunda - any variety
- 9 Pansies - 6 on a board
- 10 Marigolds - African - 6 in one vase
- 11 Marigolds - French - 6 in one vase
- 12 Shrubs - 1 stem each of 3 varieties
- 13 Sweet Peas - 12 blooms
- 14 Carnations - 4 stems
- 15 Antirrhinums - 4 stems
- 16 4 stems - any one variety not included in Classes 1 -15
- 17 Fuchsias - 6 on a board, one variety
- 18 Fuchsias - 6 on a board, more than one variety
- 19 Flowering Begonia in pot, 9" maximum
- 20 Pelargonium - including Geranium in pot 9" maximum
- 21 Cacti - any variety in pot 9" maximum
- 22 Any other flowering plant in pot 9" maximum - in bloom
- 23 Non flowering plant in pot 9" maximum
- 24 Bush or Trailing Fuchsia in pot 9" maximum
- 25 Any flowering plant in pot over 9" - in bloom - please give dimensions
- 26 Non-flowering plant in pot over 9" - please give dimensions
- 27 Hydrangea - 1 bloom in container

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### FLORAL ART

- 28 An exhibit depicting 'Harvest Time' - 18" space
- 29 An exhibit incorporating an unusual container of your choice - 18" space
- 30 An all foliage exhibit - 18" space
- 31 An exhibit in a cup and saucer
- 32 An exhibit in a basket - 18" space
- 33 An exhibit of a dinner party centre piece - 18" space

NOTE: Bought flowers may be used in Classes 28-33 (excluding 30)

- 34 Collection of Garden Flowers in a jam jar: under 5 years
- 35 Collection of Garden Flowers in a jam jar: 5-7 years
- 36 Collection of Garden Flowers in a vase: 8-10 years
- 37 Collection of Garden Flowers in a vase: 11-16 years

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### VEGETABLES

- 38 Rhubarb - 3 sticks
- 39 Rhubarb - 3 sticks (local)
- 40 Longest Runner bean - 1
- 41 Broad beans - 6
- 42 Runner beans - 6
- 43 Runner beans - 6 (local)
- 44 French beans - 6
- 45 Cabbage - Summer
- 46 Leeks - 3
- 47 Carrots - long topped - 3
- 48 Carrots - other than long topped - 3
- 49 Onion Sets - flat - tops off - 3
- 50 Onion Sets - globe - tops off - 3
- 51 Onion Sets - globe - tops off - 3 (local)
- 52 Onions - red - tops off - 3
- 53 Onions - grown from seed - tops off - 3
- 54 Potatoes - white - 3
- 55 Potatoes - coloured or part coloured - 3
- 56 Potatoes - 1 variety, any shape - 3 (local)
- 57 Aubergine - 1
- 58 Parsnips - 3
- 59 Beets - red - round - tops twisted off - 3
- 60 Beets - red - round - tops twisted off -3 (local)
- 61 Turnips - white or yellow - 3
- 62 Peas in pod - 6
- 63 Peas in a pod - 6 (local)
- 64 Shallots - any variety - 6
- 65 Pickling Shallots - 6 -maximum 30mm diameter
- 66 Cabbage Lettuce - 1
- 67 Peppers - any variety or colour - 3
- 68 Courgettes - 3

- 69 Parsley - 6 fronds
- 70 Radishes - 6
- 71 Cucumber - telegraph type
- 72 Tomatoes -3
- 73 Cherry tomatoes - 6
- 74 Herb Collection - 4 sprigs in one container
- 75 Novelty Class - A misshapen vegetable

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#### FRUIT

- 76 Apples - cooking - 4
- 77 Apples - dessert - 4
- 78 Any soft fruit - 4
- 79 Any other fruit not listed in classes 76-78 - 4

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#### ADULT COOKERY

(NB ALL EXHIBITS TO BE ON A DOILY,  
UNCOVERED & WILL BE COVERED  
BY OUR COOKERY STEWARD)  
ONE ENTRY PER CLASS

- 80 Loaf of Bread
- 81 Splits - unglazed - 4
- 82 Cornish Pasty - beef, potato, swede and onion - 8" long maximum
- 83 Savoury quiche in a pastry case (not in a dish)
- 84 Sausage Rolls - shortcrust - 4
- 85 Plain Scones - 4
- 86 White Yeast Buns - 4
- 87 Heavy Cake
- 88 Fruit Cake (as per recipe at the end of the schedule)
- 89 Victoria Sponge - jam filled
- 90 Lemon drizzle cake
- 91 Fatless sponge - jam filled
- 92 Rock Buns - 4
- 93 Flapjacks - 4
- 94 Congress Tarts - 4
- 95 Queen Cakes - 4
- 96 Chocolate Brownies - 4
- 97 Chocolate Chip Cookies - 4

#### JAMS AND PRESERVES

- 98 Jar of Jam
- 99 Jar of Jelly
- 100 Jar of Marmalade
- 101 Jar of Lemon Curd
- 102 Jar of Chutney

#### HONEY

- 103 Jar of clear honey (1 lb)
- 104 Jar of naturally set honey (1 lb)
- 105 One beeswax candle

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#### CHILDREN'S COOKERY

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BY OUR COOKERY STEWARD)  
ONE ENTRY PER CLASS

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|-----|---|-------------|
| 106 | Chocolate cornflake cakes - 4                     | 5-7 years   |
| 107 | Decorated homemade fairy cakes - 4                | 5-7 years   |
| 108 | Jam Tarts - 4                                     | 5-7 years   |
| 109 | Rocky Road - 4 pieces                             | 8-10 years  |
| 110 | Decorated homemade fairy cakes - 4                | 8-10 years  |
| 111 | Pizza (topping of own choice)- not exceeding 20cm | 8-10 years  |
| 112 | Decorated homemade fairy cakes - 4                | 11-16 years |
| 113 | Flapjack - 4 pieces                               | 11-16 years |
| 114 | Bread Rolls - unglazed - 4                        | 11-16 years |
| 115 | Sausage rolls - 4                                 | 11-16 years |

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## PHOTOGRAPHY

(Please Note: Photographs to be unmounted and not to exceed 7"x5")

- 116 A colour photograph depicting 'The sky at night'
- 117 A colour photograph depicting 'A Royal Mail post box'
- 118 Any black and white photograph
- 119 A colour photograph depicting 'A squirrel'
- 120 A colour photograph depicting 'A garden flower'
- 121 A colour photograph depicting 'An unusual view of a bridge'
- 122 A photo of a landmark altered by using photoshop or another digital photo editing tool

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## HANDICRAFT

**Please Note: The size of each exhibit to be stated on entry form.**

- 123 A pair of socks
- 124 A hat - hand knitted
- 125 A handmade bag
- 126 A handmade card not to exceed 6"
- 127 Any article hand knitted - (local)
- 128 Any article hand knitted
- 129 An item of embroidery (hand)
- 130 An item of cross stitch or tapestry - unframed
- 131 A knitted toy
- 132 A cushion cover - any medium
- 133 An inexpensive handmade gift - cost to be listed
- 134 An item of crochet
- 135 An item of patchwork
- 136 A quilted item
- 137 An item made from wood
- 138 An item of jewellery
- 139 An everlasting door wreath - any medium
- 140 An item of craft not listed in Classes 123-139

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## ART

**Please note: The size of each exhibit to be stated on entry form.**

- 141 Poetry - 'If I was Prime Minister' Please bear in mind that the poem must be suitable for public display. (The committee reserves the right to remove items likely to cause offence).
- 142 Painting with a woodland theme - any medium
- 143 Painting - in water colour
- 144 Picture - in oil or chalk pastels
- 145 Painting - in acrylics or oils
- 146 Painting - any mixed media
- 147 Drawing - any medium
- 148 Collage - up to size A3

## CHILDREN'S CLASSES

**Age to be stated on Entry Form and front of work**

**PLEASE NOTE ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CHILD PER CLASS**

**Photographs to be unmounted and not to exceed 7" x 5"**

### UNDER 5 YEARS

- 149 Painted picture of a caterpillar, not exceeding A4
- 150 A pasta or bean collage, not exceeding A4
- 151 Decorated paper plate

### 5-7 YEARS

- 152 Plastic brick model (eg Lego), own design - not exceeding 30cm width and depth
- 153 Handwriting - 'Star light, star bright'- printed at end of schedule
- 154 Painted picture of an owl, not exceeding A4
- 155 Photograph - 'My favourite toy'
- 156 Decorated hard boiled egg
- 157 What can you make with an egg box?

### 8-10 YEARS

- 158 A miniature garden in a seed tray
- 159 Handwriting - 'Imagination'- printed at end of schedule
- 160 Painted picture of a tiger, not exceeding A4
- 161 Photograph - 'A bus'
- 162 Handmade article
- 163 Poetry - own choice of subject written by yourself
- 164 Decorated potato head
- 165 Plastic brick model (eg Lego), own design - not exceeding 30cm width and depth

### 11-16 YEARS

- 166 Poetry - own choice of subject, written by yourself
- 167 Handmade tablet or mobile phone cover
- 168 Customise a T shirt
- 169 Handwriting - 'The miracle of friendship' - printed at end of schedule
- 170 A photo of how cars might look in 20 years time using photoshop or another digital photo editing tool
- 171 Handmade article - please state size
- 172 Drawing - Any medium
- 173 Painted picture of a dinosaur, not exceeding A4

### Handwriting Class 153

5-7 years

Star light, star bright

Star light, star bright,

First star I see tonight,

I wish I may, I wish I might,

Have this wish I wish tonight.

### Handwriting Class 159

8-10 years

Imagination

Under my bed I saw a bear

It was woolly, large and brown

But all that Mum discovered there

Was my favourite dressing gown!

Hiding behind the old armchair

I saw a tiger fierce and fat,

But as I approached its lair

I saw it was the neighbours' cat!

### Handwriting Class 169

11-16 years

The miracle of friendship

There is a miracle called Friendship

That dwells within the heart

And you don't know how it happens

Or when it even starts.

But the happiness it brings you

Always gives a special lift

And you realise that friendship

Is God's most precious gift.

### FRUIT CAKE RECIPE FOR CLASS 88

Creaming method. Tin not to exceed 8"/20cm. Moderate oven.

2 hours approx. 7oz/200g butter & margarine (mixed). 10oz/285g

flour (plain and S R mixed), 7oz/200g caster sugar, 1lb/450g mixed

fruit. 3 eggs.  $\frac{1}{2}$  tsp vanilla flavouring.

## St Erme Horticultural Society

The Society is affiliated to the Cornwall Garden Society and the winner of the Cornwall Garden Society Certificate will receive a year's free membership to the Cornwall Garden Society.

Anyone wishing to join the Society would be made very welcome.  
We always require new members to help to stage  
the Annual Show.

Our A.G.M. and Schedule Meeting will be held on Monday 17  
November 2025 in the chapel room at 7:30pm, when membership  
subscription of £1 will be due.

### Guidelines for Exhibitors

1. Please read the schedule and guidelines carefully, failure to do so may result in your exhibit being disqualified by the judge.
2. Exhibits may be staged from 8.00am until 10am.
3. Exhibitor's cards are available on show day.
4. Exhibit your entry in the appropriate class with the class number facing upwards on your exhibitor's card. Stewards will be on hand to give assistance as required.
5. All exhibits must be staged by 10:30am when judging begins.
6. Entries may be removed after the presentation of awards (not before)
7. All entries must be removed by 5:30pm on the day of the show.