MICKLEHAM & WESTHUMBLE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

(http://www.surreycommunity.info/mwhs/)

Saturday 1st September 2018

ENTRIES Entry form on page 15

Please send entry forms by **8 pm on Wednesday 29th August** to

Mrs A Gilchrist, Ashleigh Grange, off Chapel Lane, Westhumble (or leave in the box at the foot of the lane opposite Chapel Farm) e-mail: ar.gilchrist@btinternet.com

Entries must be submitted before 8 pm on Wednesday 29th August

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME NO ENTRIES OR CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW Mickleham and Westhumble Horticultural Society (http://www.surreycommunity.info/mwhs/)

Village Show

Saturday
1st September 2018
Mickleham Village Hall
2:30 to 4:30 pm

Prizes to be presented by
The Rev David Ireland
All entries to be made by
8 pm on Wednesday 29th August

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MICKLEHAM & WESTHUMBLE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY Saturday 1st September ENTRY FORM

Where more than one	member of a family enter.	s, please distinguish s	eparate entries clearly
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Members FREE	Non-members	20p per class 5p children's cl	50 p for gardens lasses Total £

See overleaf for details of where to send entries.

Entries must be submitted before

8 pm on Wednesday 29th August.

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Farmhouse Fruit Cake

Ingredients	Method
225g (8oz) self-raising flour	1. Grease and line a 20cm (8in) round cake tin.
1 teaspoon mixed spice 150g (5oz) soft dark brown sugar 150g (5oz) margarine	2. Place all of the cake ingredients into a bowl. Beat together with a wooden spoon until well mixed.
2 eggs	3. Place the mixture in the prepared tin and smooth
350g (12oz) mixed dried fruit	the top with the back of a spoon.
120ml (4fl oz) milk Demerara sugar, for sprinkling	4. Sprinkle the top of the cake with demerara sugar. Bake in a preheated oven for $1\frac{3}{4}$ - 2 hours, until
Preparation time: 10 minutes	the cake feels firm when pressed.
Cooking time: $1\frac{3}{4}$ - 2 hours Oven: 150° C, 300° F, gas mark 2 Serves: 8 - 10	5. Cool the cake in the tin for 15 minutes then turn out and allow to cool completely on a wire tray.

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RULES

- 1. The show is open to everyone living within two miles of Mickleham church, to children attending a school or nursery in the same area and to those on the Garden Shed mailing list.
- 2. All exhibits in sections B to D to be grown by exhibitors in their own gardens or allotments and to be their own bona fide property.
- 3. No exhibitor may have more than one entry in any class (except class D49).
- 4. No entries will be accepted after 8 pm on Wednesday 29th August 2018.
- 5. All exhibits that have been entered for competition must be brought to the hall on the day of the Show between 8:30 and 10:15 am. No exhibits may be affixed to the wall of the hall. Exhibitors may not move exhibits other than their own without the agreement of a Steward.
- All exhibitors and visitors attend the Show at their own risk and the Officers and Committee shall be under no liability for injury by accident, however caused
- 7. Exhibitors must supply all plates, dishes and other receptacles. At all times either before, during or after the Show, all such articles and also exhibits will be left at the exhibitor's risk and it is a condition of acceptance that the Officers and Committee shall be under no liability for loss or theft of such articles and/or exhibits or damage thereto.
- 8. All articles exhibited shall remain in the Show until after the prize-giving. The Show will be closed to the public and the exhibitors will then remove exhibits by 5 pm promptly.
- 9. All judging will be in accordance with the RHS Horticultural Show handbook, except for the gardens.
- The judges may, at their discretion and without giving any reason, disqualify any entry. In all respects the decision of the judges shall be final.
- 11. The judges shall, if they consider that there are insufficient entries, or if all the exhibits in a class do not merit a prize, withhold prizes. In the event of any exhibitor showing an entry of particular merit, the judges may, on the authority of the Committee, award a Certificate of Merit.
- 12. Any complaints must be made in writing to the Secretary by 4 pm on the day of the Show.
- 13. The Committee reserves the right to nominate representatives to visit the garden of any exhibitor.

Please note: exhibitors are requested to:

- allow plenty of time to display their entries in order to leave the hall at 10:15 am sharp when judging will start. A bell will sound 5 minutes before the deadline and again at 10:15 after which no further entries will be allowed.
- 2 ensure that their Class Entry Cards are held securely in place by a vase or other object, **name side downwards**.

See hints and instructions on pages 9, 12 and 13. Further information about flower and produce entries is available in the RHS Horticultural Show Handbook available from Wisley. See also pictures of previous exhibits on the website:

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EXHIBITORS SHOULD READ THE SCHEDULE CAREFULLY AND CHECK THEIR EXHIBITS AGAINST THE CLASS DESCRIPTIONS.

GIVE YOURSELF PLENTY OF TIME TO ARRANGE YOUR EXHIBIT.

WHERE POSSIBLE, PLEASE NAME THE VARIETY OR VARIETIES OF FLOWERS, FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

SPECIAL AWARDS

BRONZE BANKSIAN MEDAL

Presented by the Royal Horticultural Society. For the competitor with the highest number of points in the whole of the horticultural classes of the Show (Sections B, C and D).

The 2016 and 2017 winners Mary Dennis and Judy Kinloch are not eligible to win the medal this year.

THE SALOMONS CUP

Presented by the late Mrs Salomons. For the competitor obtaining the greatest number of points in all sections. Points are awarded as follows: 3 points for 1st prize, 2 for second and 1 for 3rd.

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Craft

	G78 Item	incorporating	recycled	material	or material:
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- G79 Any sewn or knitted item
- G80 A piece of embroidery
- G81 A quilted, patchwork or appliqué item (sleeve and pole for hanging large items—please indicate on entry form if your entry is large)
- G82 An item of handmade jewellery
- G83 An item made of wood or metal
- G84 Any other piece of art or craft including sculpture: small—less than 60 cm/24 in in all dimensions
- G85 Any other piece of art or craft including sculpture: large—more than 60 cm/24 in in any dimension
- G86 A home-made plant support

Not for competition

G87 Any art or craft item you wish to display not for competition

SECTION G—HINTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

Please pin entry cards to fabric entries. Drawings and paintings should be framed. Photographs would benefit from being enlarged and should be displayed neatly in a mount without glass, but **not** in a frame. Details of where photos were taken would be appreciated.

Entries in Section G should not have been exhibited previously in the Society's shows. Garments, toys, quilts etc should be unworn or unused.

All items in this section should have been drawn, painted, photographed or made in the recent past eg within the last year or so. Any large entries should be brought to the Village Hall on Friday 31st August by 6:30 pm to be displayed to best effect.

SECTION F—HINTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

Cookery No packet mixtures are to be used. There should be no proprietary names visible on the jars, bottles or tops for jam or chutney or drinks. Remember that cleanliness is essential: check your jars, bottles and lids as well as the contents for freshness.

Jams Jars should be filled to the top and polished clean. Wax covers should be put on at once. We recommend using new tops or cellophane. Preserve is jam in which the fruit is kept whole. Conserve is jam with an additional ingredient or ingredients to give a more unusual flavour.

Chutney This should have a plastic or plasticised lid.

SECTION G - ARTS AND CRAFTS

THE BETTY COLWELL CUP

Presented by the late Mr F N Colwell, awarded to the competitor obtaining the greatest number of points in this section.

THE VI BULLEN TROPHY

Donated by the Kinloch family for the most outstanding entry in Section G.

Class

Art (preferred max size 75 x 75 cm/30 x 30 in due to space constraints)

- G70 A drawing pencil, charcoal, pen or other medium (amateurs only)
- G71 An original watercolour or pastel picture (amateurs only)
- G72 An original oil or acrylic painting (amateurs only)
- G73 An original mixed media picture (amateurs only)

Photography (preferred max size A3 due to space constraints)

- G74 'A Moment to Remember'
- G75 'A Waterscape'
- G76 'Animal Magic'
- G77 'Down the Lane'

SECTION H—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CLASSES ALL ENTRIES SHOULD BE THE YOUNG PERSON'S OWN WORK

THE IRVINE CUP

Presented by Karen Irvine, to be awarded to the most outstanding entry in the Children's Section— 3 to 4 years old and the Community Nursery Class

THE HEYGATE CUP

Presented by Mr and Mrs W J Heygate for the most outstanding entry in the Children's Section— up to and including 8 years old.

THE WILKINSON CUP

Presented by Mrs R C Spence for the most outstanding entry by a child 9 years and over.

THE HUDLASS CUP

For the winner of the best entry in the St Michael's School classes.

Prizes for all young people's classes: 1st £3, 2nd £2, 3rd £1. Young people are also very welcome to enter any adult classes although no cash prizes are awarded.

Class

Age 3-4

- H1 A small jug of seed heads
- H2 An animal made from a vegetable

Age 5-8 years

- H3 A picture of my favourite flower
- H4 An edible animal (e.g. marzipan)
- H5 A miniature garden in a seed tray

Age 9 - 12 years

- H6 3 decorated cupcakes
- H7 A photograph: 'Animal Magic'
- H8 A decorated box
- H9 A flower arrangement: 'Anything Goes' (weeds welcome)

All young people are encouraged to take part in any of the other classes.

- H10)
- H11) St Michael's School classes (entry through School only)
- H12)
- H13 St Michael's Community Nursery (entry through Nursery only)

SECTION A—GARDENS

THE PAYNTER CUP

Presented by the late Mrs A E Paynter, awarded to the winner of the class for: An attractive and productive vegetable plot.

THE AITKEN CUP

To be awarded to the winner of the class for:

A late summer border.

These classes will be judged on 24th August—entries to Judith Long (01372 375206, judith.long2@btinternet.com) by 8 pm on Friday 17th August.

The cups will be presented to the winners at the Show. The winners will be notified before the show so that they can attend the prize-giving.

Judging of these classes is not strictly in accordance with the RHS rules but is modified according to experience. Points are awarded on the basis of the quality of plants and the attractiveness of the display. For the vegetables the range of produce, the health of the plants and overall appearance will all be taken into account

SECTION F—COOKERY

THE TAYLOR CUP

Presented by the late Mrs W L B Taylor, awarded to the competitor obtaining the greatest number of points in this section.

THE DENNIS TROPHY

Presented by the Committee for the most outstanding entry in this section.

Class

- F53 5 date and oat slices
- F54 5 fingers of chocolate chip shortbread
- F55 A hand-made savoury loaf
- F56 A loaf made in a machine
- F57 A Farmhouse Fruit Cake (see recipe on page 14)
- F58 A fruit crumble made by a man
- F59 A Tarte Tatin

Please cover all items in classes F53-F59 with cling film. Where the recipe is left to your choice, please provide a descriptive label.

- F60 1 jar of marmalade
- F61 1 jar of raspberry jam
- F62 1 jar of gooseberry or gooseberry and elderflower jam
- F63 1 jar of chutney or pickles
- F64 1 jar of fruit jelly (specify which fruit)
- F65 1 bottle of fruit gin
- F66 1 jar of fruit curd
- F67 1 bottle of home-made cordial
- F68 3 eggs
- F69 1 jar of honey

Please note that some of these dishes may contain nuts.

See hints and instructions on page 12. See also pictures of previous exhibits on the website: http://www.surreycommunity.info/mwhs/.

SECTION D—FRUIT

THE SCHREIBER CUP

Presented by the late Brigadier D Schreiber MVO for the most outstanding entry in this section

Class

- D41 Collection of 3 kinds of fruit or 3 varieties of the same fruit
- D42 Dish of 3 dessert apples
- D43 Dish of 3 cooking apples
- D44 Dish of 3 plums, gages or damsons
- D45 Dish of 10 blackberries
- D46 Dish of 10 raspberries
- D47 Dish of 3 pears
- D48 The largest apple
- D49 One dish of any other fruit (eg blueberries, loganberries—more than one entry per exhibitor accepted, this class only, if you have different fruits or varieties)

SECTION E - FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

THE GORDON-CLARK CUP

Presented by the late Mrs H M Gordon-Clark for the most outstanding entry in this section

Class

- E50 Formal arrangement: 'Berried Treasure' (max diameter/height 75 cm/30 in—may include accessories)
- E51 Informal arrangement: 'Anything Goes' (max dimension 30 cm/12 in—weeds welcome)
- E52 A miniature arrangement in a cup (max dimension 15 cm/6 in, including container)

SECTION B—FLOWERS

THE ELLMAN CUP

Presented by the late Mrs B Ellman for the most outstanding exhibit in this section.

THE ALAN HUGGETT MEMORIAL CUP

Presented by the late Katharine Huggett for the best dahlias in the Show.

Class

- B1 One vase of mixed garden flowers arranged for effect in a space max 75 x 75 cm / 30 x 30 ins
- B2 One vase of herbaceous perennials, max 9 stems
- B3 One vase of annuals or biennials, max 9 stems
- B4 One vase of Michaelmas daisies, 5 spikes
- B5 One vase of dahlias, 5 blooms
- B6 One specimen dahlia (name variety if known)
- B7 One specimen flower, any variety other than a rose or dahlia
- B8 One specimen rose (no buds), hybrid tea (name variety if known)
- B9 One vase of 3 hydrangeas
- B10 One pot grown fuchsia
- B11 Vase of any foliage, with berries, max 3 stems
- B12 Vase of any foliage, without berries, max 5 stems
- B13 Vase of ornamental grasses
- B14 One outdoor grown tender perennial plant in pot, other than fuchsia (max diameter of pot 25 cm/10 in)
- B15 Shrub or climber (other than a rose) in flower, 3 stems
- B16 Pot of bulbs in flower (max diameter of pot 25 cm/10 in)

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SECTION C - VEGETABLES

THE ROBSON CUP

Presented by the late Mr A Robson and Mrs Robson for the most outstanding entry by an amateur in this section.

Class

- C17 Collection of 5 different vegetables (in container, max size 51 x 43 cm/20 x 17 in)
- C18 Collection of 3 different salad vegetables (in container max size 45 x 30 cm/18 x 12 in)
- C19 Dish of 5 maincrop potatoes
- C20 5 carrots—leave 3 inches on top
- C21 5 onions
- C22 3 beetroot
- C23 9 shallots
- C24 The longest marrow
- C25 Vase of spinach or chard
- C26 3 courgettes (max length 15 cm/6 in)
- C27 9 cherry/small-fruited tomatoes (may be mixed varieties)
- C28 Dish of 5 tomatoes (one or more varieties)
- C29 6 runner beans
- C30 6 dwarf beans
- C31 Collection of culinary herbs in water
- C32 The longest runner bean
- C33 1 squash
- C34 1 cucumber
- C35 Most misshapen vegetable
- C36 5 chillies
- C37 3 peppers
- C38 1 aubergine
- C39 2 ears of sweetcorn
- C40 Any other vegetable not listed

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SECTIONS B, C, D—HINTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

Flowers Pick flowers when not fully open. Pick the evening

before the show and stand them in water overnight. Remove damaged leaves. Vases should be appropriate and not easily knocked over. Pot-grown plants should have been grown by the exhibitor or, if purchased,

owned for at least six months.

All vegetables Plain displays are preferred. Put on a plain white plate

large enough to contain exhibits without crowding.

Exhibits may be arranged for effect.

Root vegetables Leave the roots on. Wash the vegetables.

Potatoes Wash but do not polish.

Beets Globe-type beet should have a small tap root. The

leaves should be removed, leaving not more than 3 in of stalk. Seal end with a flame to stop bleeding and tie.

Courgettes They should be young, tender and a uniform shape

(max 15 cm/6 in in length). They can be any colour

but well-matched.

Onions Do not take too much off outside of onion. Leave 4 in

of tops and small amount of root. Tie tops with raffia.

Beans Arrange well on a plate or dish and leave little stalks.

Herbs They should be clean and healthy (no rust under leaves

or insect holes).

Collection of veg They should be well set out on a tray. Observe

maximum size when given.

Soft fruits Leave on sprigs. Present on a dish. Leaves may be

used to decorate.

Hard fruits Do not polish. Leave on natural bloom.

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