



43rd Brinkworth Annual  
Produce and Handicraft Show

Sunday, 1st September 2024  
Public Viewing time: 1pm to 4.00pm  
Presentation of Cups and Prizes at 4.15pm  
followed by Auction of all donated entries.

To be held at Brinkworth Show  
Brinkworth Recreation Field, SN15 5AH

**Please deliver completed entry forms to:  
Fiddlers Green, School Hill, Brinkworth, SN15 5AX  
By 4pm on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2024**

Show Secretary  
Mrs Gill Humm 01666 510220

Chairman  
Mr Chris Walton 01666 510557

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## ENTRY RULES

1. All entry forms to be returned to the Show Secretaries by **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2024**, not later than 4pm.  
**NO ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME.**
2. One entry form for each exhibitor, please download an entry form per person or get a printed copy from the Secretary if required.
3. Entry Fees: All adult classes 40p. Children's classes H, I & J Free
4. Maximum of two entries per person, per class but only one certificate per person, per class will be awarded.
5. All produce shown must have been grown in the gardens or allotments of the exhibitors.
6. All exhibits to be staged **between 8.00am and 9.30am on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024** in the Recreation Field Marquee.
7. Judging will commence at 10.00am sharp.
8. Prizes will be awarded as detailed under "Prizes and Cups"

### THE JUDGE'S DECISION WILL BE FINAL

Note: Whilst every care will be taken, the Produce and Handicraft Show Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage to the exhibits, containers or any other items belonging to the exhibitors. Children's prize money can be collected from 4pm and the Cups will be presented at 4.15pm followed by the Auction of donated entries.

**Please Note:** Please use the entrance for the Recreation Field from the B4042 marked with a sign for Brinkworth Village Show. You will be able to drive up to and park near the rear entrance of the marquee to set up your entries. You will be expected to leave the Recreation Field in time for judging to commence at 10.00am.

The Recreation Field will re-open at 11.00am for the day's attractions. The Produce and Handicraft marquee, showing your exhibits, will open at 1.00pm for viewing.

Exhibits should be clearly marked NFS if they are not for sale. **Please do not remove exhibits from display until 4.00pm so that everyone can enjoy seeing them.** Items not marked NFS (or donated by exhibitors) will be sold by auction at 4.15pm to help to raise money the running costs of the show.

## **PRIZES AND CUPS**

- The Walton Family Cup  
Most points gained in sections A-C (Vegetables and Fruit)
- The Bill Dunn Trophy  
Outstanding exhibit in sections A-C
- The Wanborough Herb Nursery Cup  
Best exhibit in section 19
- The Adams Family Trophy  
Most points gained in section D (Floral Art)
- The Wakely Cup  
Best exhibit in section D
- The Slade Family Cup  
Most points gained in section E (Flowers and Plants)
- The Logan Family Cup  
Outstanding exhibit in section E
- The John Magill Memorial Shield  
Best photograph in section F
- The Bennett Trophy  
Most points gained in section F
- The Howells Family Cup  
Most points gained in section G (Domestic Classes)
- The Malcolm Scott Memorial Shield  
Best exhibit in class 73 (eggs)
- The Miss M. A. Brown Cup  
Best specimen handwriting under 8 years
- The Jean Lambe Memorial Cup  
Best specimen handwriting 8-11 years
- The Brinkworth Brownie Cup  
Most points gained in section H Children under 8 years  
(Excl. handwriting)
- The Brinkworth Carnival Committee Shield  
Most points gained in section I Children 8-11 (excl. handwriting)
- The Bennett Cup  
Most points gained in section J Children 12-15 years
- The Brinkworth W.I. Cup  
Most points gained in section K (Handicrafts)
- The Beavis Family Cup Junior  
Best photograph up to 12 years old Section I
- The Beavis Family Cup Senior  
Best photograph up to 15 years old Section J
- The Three Crowns Cup  
Best exhibit in Class 74-77
- Brinkworth Master Chef's Hat  
Class 71 Cake "Men Only"

Small Cash Prizes will be given for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in children's sections H, I and J and may be collected from 4.00pm onwards

## **THE SCHEDULE**

### **SECTION A – VEGETABLES CLASSES 1-17**

#### **Class**

1. 3 Potatoes (white)
2. 3 Potatoes (coloured)
3. 3 Beetroot
4. 6 Runner beans
5. 4 Tomatoes (not cherry)
6. 6 Cherry Tomatoes
7. 3 Carrots any variety
8. 2 Parsnips
9. 2 Courgettes
- 10.3 Sticks of Rhubarb
- 11.1 Cucumber
- 12.2 Leeks
- 13.3 Onions - under 250g
- 14.6 Shallots
- 15.3 Peppers of the same variety (including chillies)
- 16.6 French beans
17. Tied Bunch of Culinary Herbs (minimum 3 varieties)
18. A collection of any vegetables from the schedule

ALL ROOT VEGETABLES TO HAVE 2" GREEN TOP

### **SECTION B – FUN VEGETABLES CLASSES 20-23**

#### **Class**

19. Wonkiest vegetable
20. Heaviest marrow
21. Largest Onion
22. Longest runner bean
23. Heaviest Potato

### **SECTION C – FRUIT CLASSES 24-27**

#### **Class**

24. 4 Apples, cooking
25. 4 Apples, dessert
26. 1 dish of soft fruit (minimum 15 berries)
27. Any other fruit not in schedule (please identify type of fruit with a label)

## **SECTION D – FLORAL ART CLASSES 29-32**

### **Class**

29. An Arrangement in a Basket to celebrate the Paris Olympics
30. An Arrangement in any type of Melon (with lining to your choice)
31. A Water Arrangement with pin holder
32. Novice Class. An Arrangement using a Church candle (any size)

**A Novice is a person who has not previously won a First Prize in Floral Art Classes 29, 30, 31 in previous years.**

## **SECTION E – FLOWERS AND PLANTS CLASSES 33-48**

### **Class**

33. A collection of mixed garden flowers
34. 1 Geranium/Pelargonium
35. Pot Plant – flowering (home-grown) indoors or outdoors
36. Vase of mixed foliage
37. Brinkworth & Dauntsey Gardening Club Members –
38. 2 Spikes of Gladioli
39. 5 Stems of Sweet Peas
40. 1 Spray of Cluster Roses
41. 1 Rose bloom
42. 4 Rose blooms of one or mixed varieties
43. 1 Hydrangea bloom
44. 3 Dahlia blooms of any one variety
45. 3 Pom-Pon Dahlia blooms – must not exceed 55 mm in diameter
46. 3 Decorative Dahlia blooms (other than above)
47. 3 Specimen stems of one herbaceous plant
48. 1 Specimen cut bloom (any variety)

## **SECTION F – PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES 53-58**

### **Class**

- 53. Easter
- 54. Tractors
- 55. A Local View
- 56. Local Team Sport
- 57. Flowers
- 58. Such Fun!

Size of print no larger than 7"x5" or 180mm x 125mm, unframed and unmounted. Only one entry per class per person.

## **SECTION G – DOMESTIC CLASSES 59-77**

### **Class**

- 59. Jar of curd any variety
- 60. Jar of jam or jelly of any fruit
- 61. –
- 62. Jar of chutney
- 63. Jar of honey
- 64. Jar of marmalade
- 65. 6 Cheeses scones
- 66. A novelty cake or Show Stopper
- 67. Any loaf of bread, homemade
- 68. 8 Afghan Cocoa and Cornflake Biscuits (see recipe attached)
- 69. Victoria Sponge – 3 eggs
- 70. Cherry Cake
- 71. Men only: I Can't Cook Cake
- 72. Apple Fruit Pie - (on a foil plate)
- 73. 5 cupcakes decorated
- 74. 6 Hens eggs
- 75. A bottle of homemade any lemonade

76. Any homemade wine or spirit

77. A bottle of homemade Sloe Gin

(All wine and spirits in a clear bottle please)

**Class 68 – Afghan Cocoa & Cornflake Biscuits**  
**Recipe by Mary Berry**

**Ingredients**

175 g spread for baking (e.g. butter/stork margarine)

100g caster sugar

150g plain flour

2 level tablespoons cocoa

50g crushed cornflakes

**Method**

Heat the oven to 180c/160c fan/Gas 4 and grease baking sheets.

Cream the spread and sugar together until soft and then gradually work in the flour, cocoa and, lastly, the crushed cornflakes.

Shape the mixture into small balls the size of a walnut and place well spaced, on the baking sheets. Press each ball down with two fingers.

Bake in the oven for 15 to 20 minutes, lift off and leave to cool on a wire rack and then store in an airtight tin when cold.

Makes 30 to 35 biscuits

## SECTION H – CHILDREN UNDER 8 YEARS OF AGE

Classes 78-86

### Class

Entrants must be under 8 years old on 31st August 2023. **Please put your age on a label on the front of the exhibit with your name on the back.**

78. A Miniature Garden in seed tray (max size 26cm x 38cm)

78a. Grow a Cress Head and display in a decorated egg box.



How to do it – Hard boil an egg, enjoy eating the egg but don't take away too much of the shell top. Wet some cotton wool and put it on top of some kitchen paper. Fill the empty egg shell with the kitchen roll and cotton wool. Make sure there is a gap between the cotton wool and the top of the egg shells. Put some **cress** seeds on the cotton wool and press them down gently. Put your egg shells in a sunny, warm spot - try a kitchen windowsill. Decorate your old egg box and egg head. With thanks from [www.planet-science.com](http://www.planet-science.com)

79. Make a real Mr or Mrs Potato Head using a potato as a base.

80. A fingerprint picture

81. A Rocket made of recyclables

82. Picture drawn or painted

82a. Plate decorated with Flower Heads

83. Decorate a flower pot

84. 5 Decorated funny face cakes

85. A drawing of an animal (max size A4 on any type of medium)



86. Specimen handwriting – **Entrants in Key Stage 1 (Year 1 or 2) as at 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024.**  
Copy the following poem onto an A4 piece of paper and please decorate your poem around the border, only your handwriting will be judged but the borders look very colourful.

### The Gruffalo

He has terrible tusks  
And terrible claws  
And terrible teeth  
In his terrible jaws

He's the Gruffalo, Gruffalo, Gruffalo  
He's the Gruffalo  
He has knobbly knees  
And turned out toes  
And a poisonous wart at the end of his nose

By Julia Donaldson

### **SECTION I – OLDER PRIMARY SCHOOL CHILDREN CLASSES 87-95**

**Entrants must be aged 8 to 11 years (Key Stage 2) on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024. Please put your age on the exhibit with an extra label**

#### **Class**

87. Miniature garden in a standard seed tray (max size 26cm x 38cm)
- 87a. Make a model room in a shoe box for your favourite book or TV show
88. A picture in any medium including drawn, painted, pressed leaf, collage or print.
89. A paper plane made from an A4 piece of paper.  
This will be judged by how far it flies on the morning of the show. We sadly can't guarantee the safety of your plane as it will be flown.
90. A Lego model no bigger than 31cm x 31cm please.
91. Decorate a wooden spoon
92. A person or animal of Haribo sweet mix
93. Posy of flowers in a jam jar.
94. Design a "Thank you" card e.g., drawn, painted, printed max size A4

95. Specimen handwriting. Please copy the following poem onto A4 paper please decorate your poem around the border if you would like to. Only your handwriting will be judged but the borders do look very pretty.

### A Mischievous Pen

There was a pen on my desk,  
That didn't behave like the rest.  
Instead of writing neat and fine,  
It drew doodles every time.  
Mountains, valleys, dragons and trees,  
Oceans, spaceships, bumblebees.  
It created worlds on paper plain,  
With every twist and turn of its frame.  
I couldn't be mad, not even then,  
For who could scold such a creative pen?  
Its stories and art, a joy to see,  
A mischievous pen, as happy as can be.

### SECTION J – YOUNG PERSONS CLASSES 96-99

Entrants up to 16 years of age on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024.

**Please put your age on the exhibit with an extra label**

#### Photography

##### Class

- 96. Pets or animals
- 97. A funny picture with a caption please

#### Crafts

##### Class

- 98. A4 collage
- 99. A Floral Headdress

## **SECTION K – HANDICRAFT CLASSES 100-108**

### **Class**

100. An item of Hand Knitting or Crochet
  101. Picture in any medium  
need not be framed, max size 40cm x 30cm. e.g. drawn, painted, collage, felt, pen and ink, mosaic, machine embroidery or stitched.
  102. An item of felting craft work
  103. A decorated card using any medium  
e.g., decoupage, quilling, collage, painted, printed
  104. An item of Quilting or Patchwork
  105. A children's toy or game in any medium
  106. Something new from something old
  107. Item of 3D craft work in any medium  
e.g. Origami, piece of pottery, piece of wooden handicraft, metalwork.
  108. A piece of jewellery in any medium  
e.g. earrings, necklace, friendship bracelet
  109. An item of embroidery
- (Entries for class 110 may be attached to the entry form and posted through the letter box at Fiddlers Green with 40p entrance fee.)
110. A Limerick entitled "Pot holes"

### **Helpful hints:**

- ❖ Paper plates are useful for displaying lots of different entries
- ❖ Remember to read any specific display instructions in the schedule
- ❖ Please put a NFS (Not for Sale) label on your entry only if you can't be there at 4.00pm to collect them and would like the item kept aside from the auction.
- ❖ If a child enters an adult class, please state the age of the child on the front of the entry on a sticker so the judge is aware it is a child's entry.
- ❖ Section A to C - Slugs are a gardener's nightmare – try crushing egg shells and scatter them around vulnerable young plants and seedlings.

- ❖ Section A - When Cherry Tomatoes start to form, nip off the end of the flowering truss to encourage bigger fruits.
- ❖ In Section D – Floral Art a novice is a person who has not previously won a “First” in Floral Art class 29, 30 or 31
- ❖ In Section F – Photography the size of print should be no larger than 18cm x 12.5 cm (7” x 5”).
- ❖ Section G - Jars of Jam, Curd, Marmalade or Honey – please remember to put the date it was made on the label
- ❖ Section G - Jars of Chutney should have a new lid not a reused lid from an old jam jar.
- ❖ In Section G - Please cover all baked goods with cling film
- ❖ In Section H – Class 78a – Don’t plant too early or your egg head might need a hair cut!
- ❖ In Section I – Class 89 – the plane will be judged by flight distance on the morning of Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September. All planes will be flown by the show judge.
- ❖ In Sections H, I, J – Don’t forget to pick up extra stickers at the registration desk on Sunday 1st September to put your age on your entries.

For more information on the Produce and Handicraft Show or Brinkworth Show please go to

[www.brinkworthflowershow.com](http://www.brinkworthflowershow.com)