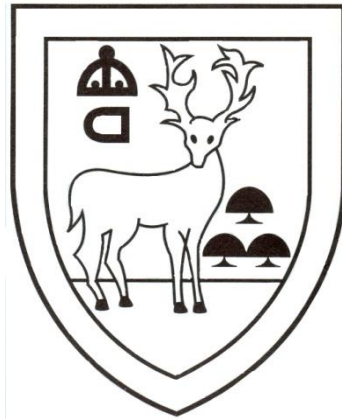


THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society



108th ANNUAL SHOW & TORTOISE RACE

Prizes Awarded for:

Vegetables and Fruit

Flowers and Plants

Handicrafts

Photography

Cookery and Preserves

Junior Section

Saturday 21st July 2018 in the Village Hall

Staging of Exhibits: 8.00-11.00am

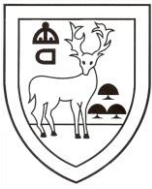
Doors open: 2.00pm

Presentation of Trophies by Eleanor Laing MP: 4.00pm

Closure & Removal of Exhibits: 4.30pm

Admission £1, Accompanied children free

www.tbhs.org.uk



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Officers

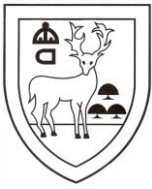
President: Barry Turner

Vice Presidents: David Weetch, Jane Turner

Chairperson	General Secretary
Liz McGuire Tel: 01992 814845 Email: greenfingers44@gmail.com	Lee Anderson Tel: 01992 814998
Treasurer	Show Secretary
Graham Pribul Tel: 01992 813096	Margaret Bhonsle Tel: 020 8502 0897 Mob: 07703 205951 Email: theydonshow@gmail.com

Committee Members

Margaret Jones Hugh Meteyard Diana Badcock John Palmer Diana Meteyard
Robert Jones



THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Forthcoming events

Talk: *Plants of Seasonal Interest* by Tim Carter of Longhouse Plants

With lots of their plants for sale!

Wednesday 28th March 2018 at 8.00pm in the village hall.

Members free, Non-members £2

Talk: *Summer and autumn bulbs* by George Lockwood

Wednesday 25th April 2018 at 8.00pm in the village hall.

Members free, Non-members £2

Visit: Savill Gardens, Windsor

Saturday 2nd June 2018

Coach to leave the village hall car park at 9.30am returning approx. 5.00pm

Price £22 (Members), £25 (Non-members)

For tickets contact Margaret Jones 01992 814797

Visit: Knebworth House and Gardens in September.

Full details to be announced later - see web site.

AGM & Talk

Wednesday 21st November at 8.00 pm in the village hall.

Alpine Garden Society – Epping Forest Group

Illustrated talks on Tuesdays at 8.00pm in the Village Hall.

13th March: *From lush lowlands to mountain peaks: exploring the flora of the Julian Alps, Slovenia* – Matthew Jeffery, RBG Kew

10th April: *A labour of love: 40 years at Pottertons Nursery* - Rob Potterton

8th May *Blackthorn Nursery Part 2 – Glorious June* – Jon Evans

12th June: *On the Edge - Alaska and Newfoundland* – David Haselgrove

11th September *Hilary's View* – Tony Goode

9th October *Iran revisited* – Arthur Nicholls

13th November *The Reintroduction of the Bardfield Oxlip back into Great Bardfield* –
Doug Joyce

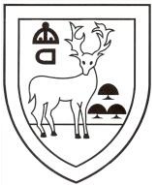
8th January 2019: Exploring the endemic flora of Cyprus - Leon Charalambous

12th February 2019: AGM followed by members' slides

More details: <http://www.alpinegardensociety.net/groups/Epping-Forest>

St Mary's Church

Plant Sale: Saturday 19th May, 10.00am-2.00pm in the Church Hall. Wide selection of quality nursery-grown plants.



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Awards and Prizes

Prizes: 1st £1; 2nd 50p; 3rd 30p

The Gazette Challenge Bowl for the best fruit or vegetable exhibit.

The Gerald Buxton Cup for the best flower or plant exhibit.

Frank and Josie Way Memorial Cup for the best Fuchsia exhibit.

Ted Lock Memorial Cup for the best Cactus exhibit.

Ronnie Roast Salver for the best beetroot.

The Miniature Flower Arrangement Cup for Class 70.

Points are awarded to calculate the winners of the trophies listed below:

- 5pts for a 1st prize
- 3pts for 2nd prize
- 2pts for 3rd prize
- 1pt for Highly Commended

The William Way Cup for the most successful exhibitor in both the fruit and vegetable section and the flower and plant section.

The Elcee Cup for the most successful exhibitor in the Handicraft section.

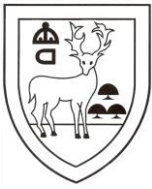
The Committee Cup for the most successful exhibitor in the Photographic section.

The Keswick Cup for the most successful exhibitor in the Cookery section.

The Secretary's Cup for the most successful exhibitor overall.

The Garden News Shield for the most successful exhibitor in the Junior section.

Mini-Shield for the runner up in the Junior section.

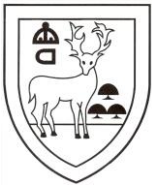


**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Annual Show Rules

1. The Theydon Village Show is organised in accordance with the Rules and Definitions etc., in the Horticultural Handbook of the Royal Horticultural Society, a copy of which will be available on the day of the Show.
2. The show is divided into the following sections for judging purposes:
 - Vegetables and Fruit
 - Flowers and Plants
 - Handicrafts
 - Photography
 - Cookery and Preserves
 - Junior Section (restricted to children under 16 on the day of the show)
3. Each section is subdivided into classes.
4. Each exhibitor may only place one entry in a class.
5. Entry Fees for 2018 will be:
 - Adults - 20p per class
 - Juniors - Free
6. Entrants are reminded that the horticultural show, unless stated otherwise in the rules, is intended for amateurs and not professionals. In the Cookery, Handicraft and Photographic Sections potential entrants should consider themselves professionals if they trade or produce articles for sale in the same section.
7. Whilst every care will be taken over the exhibits, the Committee will not hold itself responsible for any accident or damage that may occur to any exhibit.
8. Floral exhibits must be presented in the Society's vases unless otherwise stated in the schedule.
9. Professional gardeners exhibiting produce from their employers' gardens must enter them in their employer's name. Prizes thus awarded will be credited to the owner of the garden.
10. The only persons that will be allowed in the village hall whilst judging is taking place are the judges and their supporting stewards.
11. The judges' decision is final.
12. If the number of entries in any one class is less than three, the number of prizes awarded shall be at the judges' discretion.
13. Protests – any protest must be made in writing and delivered to the show secretary within one hour of opening to the public.
14. The presentation of the Trophies and Prize Money for all Sections will be made on the day of the Show. Any other awards will be made at the Society's Annual General Meeting.
15. Trophies will be presented on the day of the show, but then will be retained by the show secretary for engraving. The show secretary will distribute the cups after engraving, the



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

winner will then hold them until 30 June 2019 when they should be returned to the Show Secretary in a clean condition.

16. The committee has the power to disqualify any exhibitor who refuses permission to look over his/her garden or allotment. The duty of this inspection shall be carried out by a person mutually agreed by the Committee and the exhibitor.

Submission of Entry Forms

Entry forms may be sent to the show secretary by email to theydonshow@gmail.com before 11pm on Thursday 19th July, handed to any committee member prior to Friday 20th July, or be submitted at the Village Hall between 2.30 and 8.30pm on Friday 20th July. (To send by email, fill in the form, scan or photo with a smart phone and then forward to the above email address)

Exceptionally entry forms may be accepted between 8.30 and 9.30am on the day of the show. This will be at the discretion of the committee as it will depend on demand and the availability of personnel to write entry cards.

Each entrant will be given a unique identity number which should be retained and used to collect any prize money from the Treasurer at the show.

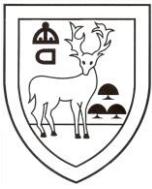
Presentation of Exhibits

Exhibitors should collect their entry Identity cards from the foyer of the village hall on the day of the show.

Exhibits should be prepared and staged between 8.00 and 11.00am on the day of the show.

Exhibitors should place their entries in the appropriate place in the hall together with their identity cards with the exhibitor's name face down on the table.

Entries must be left on the tables till 4.30pm. At 4.30pm the exhibitor should remove their exhibits from the hall, any left beyond 4.45pm will be deemed unwanted and disposed of.



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Classes

Adult entries 20p per class, entries in the Junior section are free.

All classes are open

Vegetables and Fruit

- 1 Potatoes 5 (please name the variety if possible)
- 2 Beans, Runner 5 pods (with short stalks)
- 3 Beans, Dwarf or climbing French 5 pods (with short stalks)
- 4 Beans, Broad 5 pods (with short stalks)
- 5 Peas 5 pods (with short stalks and bloom attached)
- 6 Mangetout 5 pods (with short stalks and bloom attached)
- 7 Shallots 8
- 8 Onions 5
- 9 Garlic 3 bulbs
- 10 Carrots 5
- 11 Beetroot 3
- 12 Tomatoes 5 medium (ordinary cultivars)
- 13 A truss of named small fruited tomatoes (not necessarily all ripe)
- 14 Chilli Peppers 5
- 15 Vegetable marrow 1 (not more than 30cm)
- 16 Courgettes 2 (must not be under 10cm or over 15cm)
- 17 Cucumbers 2
- 18 Lettuces 2
- 19 Cabbages 2
- 20 Cauliflower 1
- 21 Rhubarb 3 stalks
- 22 Vase of 5 named herbs
- 23 Dish of soft fruit (1 kind, see page 12 for quantity)
- 24 Tree fruit 4
- 25 Heaviest Marrow
- 26 Heaviest Tomato
- 27 Heaviest Onion
- 28 Longest Runner Bean
- 29 Display of Vegetables in competitor's own trug (min 5 kinds)



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Flowers and Plants

- 30 1 specimen HT rose (no foliage)
- 31 Roses, floribunda or polyantha, 3 sprays
- 32 Hydrangea 3 heads
- 33 Annual sweet peas 8 spikes
- 34 Perennial sweet peas 8 spikes
- 35 Gladioli 3 spikes
- 36 Vase of dahlias (minimum 5 stems)
- 37 Vase of pelargoniums
- 38 Vase of 3 different kinds outdoor annuals
- 39 Vase of 1 kind outdoor annual
- 40 Vase of 3 different kinds of herbaceous perennials
- 41 Vase of 1 kind herbaceous perennial
- 42 Vase of mixed flowers (not less than 5 kinds)
- 43 Vase of evergreen foliage (not less than 3 kinds)
- 44 Floating flowers (more than one in exhibitor's own bowl)
- 45 Fuchsia 1 plant in bloom
- 46 3 Fuchsia flowers (specimen tubes will be provided)
- 47 Pot plant (foliage, no flowers) named if possible, pot size 10cm max
- 48 Pot plant in bloom, named if possible, pot size 10cm max (Not fuchsia)
- 49 Pot plant (foliage, no flowers) named if possible, pot size 10cm – 25cm
- 50 Pot plant in bloom, named if possible, pot size 10cm – 25cm (Not fuchsia)
- 51 A selection of cacti and/or succulents in exhibitor's own container
- 52 A cactus (exhibitor to have owned plant for at least one year)
- 53 A vase of blue and white flowers
- 54 Bonsai (exhibitor to have owned plant for at least one year)
- 55 A planted patio container – no restrictions
- 56 A pot plant grown from seed by the exhibitor

Handicrafts

- 57 Miniature garden in a seed tray
- 58 A piece of patchwork
- 59 A piece of cross stitch or tapestry
- 60 A hand knitted article – clothing
- 61 A carved Welsh love spoon
- 62 A homemade card
- 63 A handmade toy
- 64 A piece of machine embroidery
- 65 A painting in water colours
- 66 A pencil drawing



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

- 67 A piece of crochet, lace or threadwork
- 68 A farm scene (any medium except photograph)
- 69 An article of needlework
- 70 A floral arrangement in a tea cup (To be judged by the public)

Photographic

- 71 Seed heads
- 72 Pens and pencils
- 73 A War Memorial (memorial to be named)
- 74 The night sky
- 75 A beach scene (not necessarily in the UK)
- 76 A photograph of a bird or birds
- 77 Set of 3 photographs depicting three different hobbies

Cookery and Preserves

- 78 Jar of Jam)
- 79 Jar of Jelly) 350g – 500g
- 80 Jar of Marmalade)
- 81 Jar of Chutney)
- 82 Cheese scones 6
- 83 A loaf of white bread (500g of flour)
- 84 A carrot cake
- 85 A fruit loaf – see recipe on page 15
- 86 Ginger biscuits 6
- 87 A square of bread pudding (10 – 15cm square)
- 88 Madeleines 6
- 89 Victoria sandwich (2 eggs)
- 90 A cake to celebrate success (to fit on a 30 x 30 cm cake board)

Junior Section

Under 5 years

- 91 Drawing of Paddington Bear
- 92 Pot of growing radishes

5 – 7 years

- 93 A pencil sketch of a church
- 94 A scene in a shoe box
- 95 A marigold plant, grown from seed, in a pot (pot size 10cm max)



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

8 -11 years

- 96 3 potatoes grown by the exhibitor
- 97 A Mayan mask
- 98 A still life drawing

All ages under 16 on the day of the show

(The child's age will be taken into consideration by the judges)

- 99 Homemade card (Max size A5)
- 100 A photo of Theydon Village (Max size A5, preferably mounted on card)
- 101 A mosaic in a flower pattern (Max size A5)
- 102 A model of a caravan (model should fit in a shoe box)
- 103 A model of a Roman shield
- 104 A plate of 6 cup cakes (not from a packet mix)

THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY SHOW ENTRY FORM 2018

JUNIOR SECTION – Classes 91 - 104

Please feel free to photocopy and enlarge as required

Form to be submitted on or before Friday 20th July.

Name Age.....

Address.....

I wish to enter the following classes:

.....

.....

Children are welcome to enter any of the classes outside the Junior section but entry must be made on the standard entry form, and any such entry will not be taken into consideration for the award of the Garden News Shield or Mini Shield.



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

To Help the Exhibitors – Hints and Definitions

GENERAL

Read the Show Rules and get your entry form in before Show Day.

Show your exhibits as attractively as possible.

If you are exhibiting for the first time don't be afraid to ask for help and guidance from the committee or stewards: they are there to help

Come prepared; bring scissors, pen, newspaper, a small watering can and any other tools you might require to display your exhibit.

Pay attention to the number of items required for the class: more or less will disqualify. For example, in Class 1, Potatoes 5, five are required. Four or six will not do!

POT PLANTS

The pot should be clean and soil fresh looking on top. Remove dead or deformed leaves and flowers, name the plant if you can.

FLORAL AND FOLIAGE DISPLAYS

If there are not many flowers in your vase and they are difficult to arrange, little wads of newspaper or foam inside the vase will help your arrangement. The marking takes into account the quality of the arrangement.

Uniformity of specimens in an exhibit is of importance. Generally, in a number of set flowers, e.g. 3, three similar size specimens will score over two large and one small.

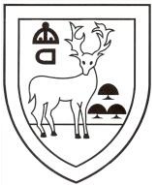
FLOWERS

Specimen Rose. This class will be judged first. The rose should be without foliage as it is the bloom that is judged. Wire or other support may be used to keep the bloom erect. The bloom should be fresh, free from blemish, half to three quarters open and of full size for the variety, good form with petals regularly and gracefully arranged within a circular outline and having a well-formed centre.

Decorative Class. Groups of roses are considered more decorative and should show the foliage which should be of good size and free from blemish with strong stems proportionate to the size of blooms.

Single, semi- double, and fully double blooms are regarded as of equal merit, and should be half to three-quarters open.

Cacti. Other things being equal a plant in bloom will be preferred to one that is not.



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Pelargonium (Geranium). As shapely as possible, ample clean healthy foliage, flowers round and of decided colour.

Fuchsia Plant. Vigorous symmetrical, floriferous with clean foliage.

VEGETABLES

When exhibiting vegetables, the condition, size and uniformity should be considered.

Condition – Clean, fresh, tender, absence of blemish.

Size – Meritorious if accompanied by quality

Uniformity – Alike in size and/or colour.

Root vegetables should be washed carefully leaving the skin clean and undamaged, and approx. 5cm if stalks

Beetroot and Carrots Size according to variety, tender, good shape, clear of side roots, skin clean and bright. Leave approx 3” leaf stalks neatly tied.

Beans

Broad	Large, well filled and clear skinned, with short stalk attached
Dwarf	Straight, fresh and brittle, with short stalk attached
Runner	Straight, fresh and brittle, with short stalk attached

Cabbages Shapely, solid heart, surrounding leaves perfect.

Lettuces Firm tender unbroken hearts of good colour. Wrap roots in damp kitchen towel.

Onions Large, firm, thin necks, **with** tops – not excessively skinned. Roots neatly trimmed back to basal plate.

Parsley Can be shown as a herb but it is also permissible to use it as a garnish in collections of vegetables.

Peas Large, well filled, fresh and deep green with bloom and short stalk attached.

Potatoes Medium size, clean clear skin, eyes few and shallow.

Radishes Medium size, young, tender, bright colour, short intact foliage.

Shallots Should be staged as separate bulbs and look well bedded on a little sand.

Tomatoes Size and shape according to cultivar, firm, well coloured, calyces attached.

FRUIT

Currants (black, red, or white) 12 strigs (bunches as grown).

Gooseberries, Raspberries, Strawberries, Blackberries and Blueberries. Leave the little stalks on. Entry 12 berries for each kind.



THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

PHOTOGRAPHY

The photographs will be judged by giving half the marks for technique: focus, exposure, colour, composition etc. and half the marks for interpretation of the subject. Please try to present photographs on a suitable card mount not exceeding A4 for individual photos.

HANDICRAFTS

Work to have been completed since last show day.

Any article made from a kit must be so marked.

An article using both soft and hard materials, e.g. a wooden stool with a soft top, may be entered 'soft' class if the top has been made by the entrant and the wooden stool bought separately. In such a case the entrant should indicate the part which is being entered as their own work.

Definitions

From the RHS "The Horticultural Show Book"

Perennial

A perennial plant is one which lives for more than two years and includes trees, shrubs, plants grown from bulbs, corms and tubers and in fact all that are not annuals or biennials.

Herbaceous Perennials

Plants with non-woody stems which die down to ground annually but have root stocks which remain alive throughout for several years: for horticultural purposes the word root stock includes bulbs, corms and tubers.

Annuals

Many perennial and biennial plants are now commonly cultivated as annuals, that is to say they are raised from seed, flowered and discarded within 12 months. The difficulty in distinguishing between annuals, biennials and perennials is so great that our classes will mean "Flowers grown from seed during the 12 months preceding the show".

Kind

Chrysanthemums, delphiniums, phloxes and roses are kinds of flowers: apples, grapes, pears are kinds of fruit etc.

Variety

Variation within a "kind" e.g. Crimson Glory, Superstar are varieties of rose, Bramley's seedling and Blenheim Orange are varieties of apple.



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Tortoise Race

Rules

1. Entry will be restricted to tortoises under weight of 5kg. (Sorry, no fully-grown Galapagos, Aldabaran or Giant African Tortoises will be allowed!)
2. If the number of entries permit, races will be arranged by tortoise weight, flyweight (up to 1.0kg), middleweight (1.0 to 2.5kg) and heavyweight (over 2.5kg).
3. The race will be run in lanes between boards, 30cm wide, over a distance of approximately 3.5m.
4. Once the race has started the owner may not touch their tortoise other than to stop their animal if it tries to climb out of its lane.
5. Any animal climbing out of its lane will be given a 20cm penalty.
6. Owners can place whatever enticements, bribes or incentives they want along their lane to encourage racing.
7. The referee's decision is final.
8. Rosettes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

Owners should bring their tortoises to the event in a secure box, a cat carrier is ideal, with plenty of padding and ventilation to prevent injury and escape.

Get training!

Tortoise Race Entry Form

To be sent to the Show Secretary by Friday 20th July. *(Advance notice of an intention to enter by email or phone would be much appreciated by the organiser)*

Owner's name

Address

Tel..... email

Tortoise Name

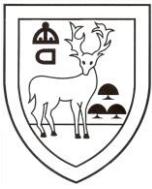
Breed (If known)

Age (if Known)..... Weight.....kg

Favourite food Favourite activity

Any other interesting habits

.....



**THEYDON BOIS
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

2018 SHOW SCHEDULE

Cake Recipe

Fruit loaf recipe (Class 85)

Ingredients

125g caster sugar
125g dried fruit
125g butter softened
200g plain flour
125ml water
1tsp baking powder
Salt and ground mixed spice to taste

Method

Preheat the oven to 180°C.

Grease and line a 30cm x 6cm x 10 cm loaf tin with non-stick paper. Combine the water, sugar, butter, dried fruit in a large saucepan. Heat over a medium heat until the butter has melted and the sugar has dissolved. Remove from the heat, then add the flour, baking powder and spice after a few minutes. Stir well to combine thoroughly.

Pour into the prepared loaf tin. Bake until done.

Tell us what you want in next year's show

The committee are open to suggestions for classes and displays in next year's show. If you have an idea, please contact any member of the committee or send an email to theydonshow@gmail.com

THEYDON BOIS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

2018 SHOW ENTRY FORM

Name

Address.....

Tel

Email

FEES
20p per class

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT	
FLOWERS AND PLANTS	
HANDICRAFT	
PHOTOGRAPHY	
COOKERY AND PRESERVES	
TOTAL	
<p>Entry forms may be sent to the show secretary by email to theydonshow@gmail.com before 11.00pm on Thursday 19th July, handed to any committee member prior to Friday 20th July, or be submitted at the Village Hall between 2.30 and 8.30pm on Friday 20th July.</p>	