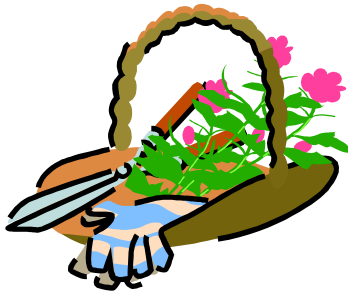


The 117th Dean and Shelton Flower Show

Saturday 10th September 2011 at the Dalton Hall
Upper Dean

Official opening at 2.00 pm by Alistair Burt,
MP for North East Bedfordshire



Children's performance 2.20 pm

Viewing of exhibits from 2.30 pm

Auction of produce at 4.00 pm

in aid of Guide Dogs for the Blind

Featuring: Rushden Town Band

ENTRY: £1 for up to 5 entries, £2 for up to 10 entries, £3 for 11
entries or more

OVERALL SHOW WINNER

DEAN AND SHELTON FLOWER SHOW MEMORIAL CUP

Presented in 1979 in memory of Mrs C Mackay Brown and
Rev B Aylott

CUP FOR NEWCOMERS TO THE VILLAGE: NOVICES CUP

Presented to the person with the most points who moved
into the village less than 5 years ago.

EILEEN WADE ROSE BOWL

Presented in 1978 in memory of Eileen Wade for the most
points in the vegetable classes.

JIM LILLEY MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded for the most points in classes 1, 2 and 3.

DALTON CHILDREN'S CUP

Presented by the Dalton Trustees in 1982 to be awarded to the
child less than 16 years of age with the most points in the
children's classes.

CENTENARY CUP

Presented in 1995 for the most points in the flower classes.

DALTON CUP

Presented in 1982 as the Garden Cup but now awarded for most
points in the fruit and produce classes.

FRANK AND DORIS GAMBLER MEMORIAL PLATE

Presented in 1996 by the Gambler family for the most points in the
bakery classes (55-63).

SIMON PECK ROSE BOWL

Presented in 1984 by Simon Peck for best photograph classes 88 and 89

CAVES CUP

Presented by Mr and Mrs G Caves for the winner of class 90.

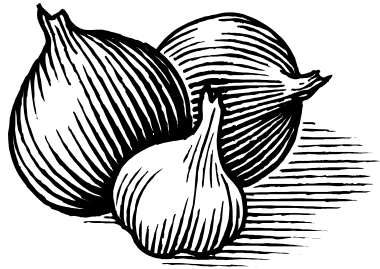
THE DILLINGHAM TROPHY

Presented in 1994 by the Dillingham family for the most points in the craft classes.

Vegetable classes

Please name varieties where possible.

1. 3 shallots
2. 2 bulbs of garlic
3. 3 onions
4. 4 parsnips
5. 5 runner beans
6. 5 French beans
7. 6 carrots with tops
8. 6 potatoes, any variety
9. Largest potato
10. 3 courgettes
11. 5 tomatoes with stalks
12. 10 cherry tomatoes with stalks
13. Longest runner bean, point to point
14. 3 peppers, any variety
15. 3 beetroot
16. 2 lettuces, any variety
17. 3 squash, any variety
18. Collection of any 6 vegetables, one of each
19. Heaviest vegetable.



Flower classes

20. 3 pompom dahlias
21. 3 cactus dahlias
22. 3 antirrhinum
23. 3 sunflowers
24. 3 stems of roses (spray or single)
25. 3 asters
26. 3 stems of chrysanthemums
27. 6 sweet peas
28. Collection of 6 kinds of cut flowers, one of each
29. Miniature garden in an average shoebox (adults)
30. Fuchsia
31. Pelargonium
32. Flowering house plant
33. Foliage plant
34. Cactus plant.



Classes 30-34 to be one root only, shown in a container no more than 20cm in diameter, in which the plant was grown.

Fruit and Produce (to include egg classes)

35. 3 cooking apples
36. 3 eating apples
37. 3 fruit of the plum family
38. 5 raspberries
39. 3 pears
40. 12 blackberries
41. Collection of 4 fruit, one of each kind
42. 1 bottle of homemade cordial (natural not kit)
43. 1 bottle of homemade fruit gin
44. 1 bottle of fruit spirit other than gin
45. 1 jar of pickle



46. 1 jar of chutney
47. 1 jar of jam
48. 1 jar of marmalade
49. 1 jar of honey
50. 50. 1 jar of jelly



Egg classes (judged with fruit and produce)

To be judged for matching size, colour and texture of shell

51. 3 white hens eggs
52. 3 coloured hens eggs
53. 3 eggs - any other poultry

To be broken by the judge to determine freshness

54. 1 hen's egg

Bakery classes

55. Victoria Sandwich cake 8"
56. Apple pie on a plate (double crust)
57. 3 plain scones
58. A round of shortbread
59. 6 brown rolls
60. 2lb white loaf
61. 3 cheese straws
62. 8" fruit cake



New Class Men's Bakery

63. A sponge cake 8"

Craft classes

64. A flower arrangement depicting dawn, size 50cm x 50cm x 50cm max
65. Buttonhole for a gentleman
66. Handheld posy for a lady, size 20cm x 20cm x 20cm max
67. Miniature flower arrangement, size 10cm x 10cm x 10cm max
68. Collection of 6 herbs, named.
69. A handicraft in any medium

Children's classes

Please note that entry for these classes is free. (Name and age to be written on back of entry).

70. Drawing or painting of flora (7 years and under)
71. Computer generated picture of flora (7 years and under)
72. Drawing or painting of fauna (8 years and over)
73. Computer generated picture of fauna (8 years and over)
75. Neatest handwriting, sentence of 15-20 words (7 years and under)
76. Neatest handwriting, sentence of 15-20 words (8 years and over)
77. Creature made out of natural found objects
78. Vehicle in any medium, e.g. Knex, Lego or natural objects.
79. Decorated stone (aged 9 and under)
80. 6 homemade decorated buns

- 81. A painting (under 5s)
- 82. Stitched bookmark
- 83. Pressed flower greetings card
- 84. Homemade bracelet
- 85. Miniature garden in a standard shoebox

(Double points will be awarded for classes 86 and 87)

- 86. Vegetable grown from seed
- 87. Flowering plant grown from seed

Photography classes

- 88. Dawn in Dean or Shelton (18 years and over)
- 89. Dawn in Dean or Shelton (13 to 17 years)
- 90. Dawn in Dean or Shelton (12 years and under)

All photographs to be on a mount no larger than A4.

Rules

1. The society shall be organised to encourage good cultivation of village gardens. It shall be called the Dean and Shelton Flower Show and the Officers and Committee shall be elected annually.
2. A list of entries (one per person) must be handed to Mrs L Holyoake (The Oakes, High Street, Upper Dean) by 9 pm on the Friday before the Show.
3. No one may show more than one exhibit in any class.
4. In all classes the exhibits must have been grown or produced in Dean and Shelton, excluding the Dalton Children's Cup classes.
5. All exhibits must be presented at the venue between 8.30 and 10 am on Show day.
6. All exhibits should arrive at the venue ready for presentation.
7. All reasonable care will be taken of the exhibits and no one other than the Judges or Stewards will be allowed in the hall until after the opening.
8. All classes will be judged, but prizes will only be awarded at the judges' discretion.
- 9. Exhibits should be collected at 4 pm. Any exhibits left after this time will be auctioned in aid of charity.**
10. Insurance of the cups/rose bowls is the responsibility of the winners. Trophies should be returned 2 weeks before the show.

Any queries or complaints must be made before 4 pm on the Show day.

Hints and tips

If you have not entered before and are thinking of doing so this year you may find these general guidelines useful:

- ❖ Exhibits should be matched for uniformity of shape and size.
- ❖ Largest is not always judged as best.
- ❖ Naming varieties helps, for example 'Gardener's Delight' (tomatoes), 'Early Nantes' (carrots).
- ❖ Presentation is important if entries are close in terms of quality. For example, shown on proper plates.
- ❖ Some decoration or staging can help. For example a single beetroot leaf under the beets or onions/shallots shown on sand/grain.
- ❖ Simple works best – not too many leaves or stalks.
- ❖ Should you wish your produce to be auctioned, please remove any part of your display that you want to keep. The auctioneer will collect items from the tables. (Please see rule 9).

Class specific guidelines include:

- ❖ Tomatoes should be shown stalk up.
- ❖ Onions should not be *too* skinned. Tops should be neatly tied, and you should indicate if they are set or seed.

Dean and Shelton Flower Show

PRESIDENT: Mr C H R Wade

VICE PRESIDENTS: Mr N Brodie, Mrs J Gell and Mr & Mrs J Wells

COMMITTEE: Mr & Mrs D Andrews, Mr & Mrs B Ashby,
Mr & Mrs J Cordell, Mr and Mrs S Hall, Mrs R Hallworth,
Mrs R Holmes, Mrs L Holyoake, Mrs J Wade

SECRETARY: Mrs J Ashby, Inglenook House, Lower Dean

Entry forms should be delivered to The Oakes,
High Street, Upper Dean from Wednesday 7th to
Friday 9th September between 6.00 and 9.00 pm

PRIZE MONIES FOR CHILDREN'S CLASSES ONLY

15p per point.

First prize = 3 points, second prize = 2 points, third prize = 1 point.

Next year's 118th Show

Official opening at 2.00 pm at The Dalton Hall, Upper Dean

Exhibits on show from 2.30 pm to 4 00 pm

Children's performance/competition 2.15 pm

Rushden Town Band will play

Teas available

Auction of produce at 4.00 pm

Classes decided for 2012:

Photograph: "How I enjoyed the Queen's Diamond Jubilee"

Flower arrangement: The Queen's Diamond Jubilee

The Committee would like to thank the following who have donated prizes to this year's show:

Bloms Bulbs

Brambles

The Co-operative Society

Clover Office Supplies

Podington Garden Centre

The Three Compasses

Tilbrook Mill Kennels and Cattery

The Vice Presidents

Waitrose

Websters Florists

The White Horse

Your support is very much appreciated.

Cauliflowers Fluffy

Cauliflowers fluffy and cabbages green,
Strawberries sweeter than any I've seen,
Beetroot purple and onions white,
All grow steadily day and night.

*The apples are red the plums are ripe,
Broad beans are sleeping in their blanket beds.*

Blackberries juicy and rhubarb sour,
Marrow fattening hour by hour,
Gooseberries hairy and lettuces fat,
Radishes round and runner beans flat.

The apples are red

Orangey carrots and turnips cream,
Reddening tomatoes that used to be green,
Brown potatoes in little heaps,
Down in the darkness where the celery sleeps.

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