



Annual Birmingham Allotment Show

Saturday 29th, Sunday 30th & Monday 31st

AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND

SHOW SCHEDULE 2020 SECTION 2.

INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITORS



Venue for Show
Midlands Arts Centre

Cannon Hill Park B12 9QH

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General Show Rules

1. To be eligible to exhibit in the BDAC Allotment Show as follows.

- a. Exhibitors must be a current Tenant of a city of Birmingham Allotment.
- b. Partner of a Tenant of a city of Birmingham Allotment.
- c. Exhibitor must be a Society or Association of a City of Birmingham Allotment(s)
- d. Community Groups (Community Groups must be the registered BCC Tenant and enter under same criteria as an association.)

2. Entries

- a. Copies of the schedule and entry forms will be supplied on request by the Show Secretary
- b. All entries must be made on form provided.
- c. Each exhibitor must complete a separate entry form.
- d. Each exhibitor has only one entry per class.
- e. Exhibitor must state on their entry form - The situation, name and number of their Plot.
- f. All entry forms must be returned to Show Secretary.
- g. Closing date for entries Sunday 9th August 2020.
- h. Entry Cancellation -The Show Secretary is to be notified three days prior to setup day of show.

3. Entry Fee

- (a) Entry Fee to each of classes 1A,2, & 2A will be £2.50
- (b) All other Classes are 50p, Except for children's classes and Class 1B which are Free

4. Access

- a. Access to Area Theatre for exhibitors will be between 12.00 noon and 9.30pm Friday 28th August 2020.
- b. Arena Theatre will be closed for judging between 8.00am and 10.30am Saturday 29th August 2020
- c. Only those persons officially appointed shall be present during the judging of exhibits
- d. No exhibit is to be removed before 5.00pm on Monday 31st August 2020
- e. Area Theatre will open to public (subject to competition of judging) 11.00am
- f. 11.00am Saturday 29th August 2020 Closing to Public at 5.00pm
- g. 9.00am Sunday 30th August 2020 Closing to Public at 5.00pm
- h. Presentation.3.00pm Sunday 30th August 2020 (All Cups and Trophies to be awarded to winners)
- i. 9.00am Monday 31st August 2020 Closing to Public at 5.00pm

5. Security

- a. The committee will make the most careful arrangement for the protection of all exhibits at the show.
- b. All exhibits, individual property etc., will be at the risk of the exhibitor and the committee will not be liable for the loss or damage due to any cause whatever.

6. Exhibits

- a. Exhibit place cards will be returned to exhibitor by post as soon as possible after receipt of entry form.
- b. Failure to receive entry cards it is the exhibitor's responsibility to contact the show Secretary
- c. Exhibitors wishing to retain their exhibits need to indicate with an "R" on their class card.

7. Exhibitors will be responsible for

- a. Cards are for correct class numbers.
- b. Placement on correct exhibit.

8. Exhibit correctly named where stipulated.

- a. Left face down.
- b. All exhibits must be named when stipulated.
- c. In classes where naming is not stipulated errors in naming will not disqualify the exhibitor.
- d. Judges will however recognise favourably a correctly named exhibit in close competition.

9. All individual exhibits must be grown on the exhibitor's allotment plot by the exhibitor.

- a. All exhibits entered by an Association must be grown on that Association's site(s)
- b. All exhibits entered in children's classes need not be grown by the exhibitor.
- c. Exhibits must be cleaned and trimmed before delivery to show bench.
- d. All flowers must be exhibited in containers holding water. (vases, bowls, tubes etc.)
- e. Fruit exhibits to be displayed paper plates will be supplied.

10. Judging

- a. All Exhibits in allotment classes shall be Judged in accordance with the R.H.S "The Horticultural Show Handbook" (8th Edition 2016)
- b. Judges have the right to award additional prizes or withhold prizes in the event of insufficient entries in each class.
- c. Extra prizes will not exceed the lowest monetary sum of the class. Prizes of equal merit prize money will be totalled and divided between equal merit winners.
- d. Any exhibit that does not conform to the schedule will be marked N.A.S. and disqualified.
- e. The decision of the judges will be final.
- f. In the event of a disqualification the lower prize winners will all be moved up one place and the lowest place will not be awarded.

11. Complaints

- a. The Committee reserves the to visit an allotment in the event of a dispute/complaint.
- b. Any Complaint as to awards or exhibits must be made in writing to the show secretary no later than 1.00pm Saturday 29th August 2020

Birmingham Annual Allotment Show Trophies

Trophies for individual classes'

All cups and Trophies to be awarded to the winners at the presentation held in the marquee on Sunday afternoon at 3.00pm.

City of Birmingham Allotment Committee cup	Will be awarded for obtaining most prize money in the Vegetable Classes 3 - 38
The Councillor Blackwell Challenge Cup	Will be awarded for obtaining most points in class 41 0.61m x 0.61m (2ftx2ft) collection of cut flowers.
Jack Archer Memorial Trophy	Will be awarded for obtaining most points in the Vegetable Classes 3 - 38
Central Television Cup	Will be awarded for obtaining most points in the Vase of Mixed Annual Flowers Class 42
The A G Vaisey Memorial Trophy Presented by Mrs A G Vaisey	Will be awarded for the highest number of points in Class 3. 0.91m x 0.91m 3ftx3ft
The Councillor Mrs Pickering Trophy Presented by Mr F Pickering	Will be awarded for the highest number of points in Class 4. 0.61m x 0.61m 2ftx2ft
The Norman Eden Memorial Trophy Presented by the Birmingham and District Allotments Council	Will be awarded for the best exhibit in class 5.
The Ron Winkett Challenge Trophy Presented by R.W. Winkett. BDAC Life VicePresident	Will be awarded for obtaining the most points in flower classes 48 - 57
B.D.A.C.Blanch Leeks Cup Presented by the Birmingham and District Allotments Council	Will be awarded for best exhibit in class 9.
B.D.A.C. Pot Leeks Shield Presented by the Birmingham and District Allotments Council	Will be awarded for best exhibit in class 10.
The J E Mason Memorial Cup Presented by James & Amanda Sullivan	Will be awarded for best exhibit in class 56
The Fred Pickering Memorial Trophy Presented by Mrs F. Pickering J.P.	Will be awarded for best exhibit in the children's classes.
The Alderman Brenda Clark Trophy Presented by the Birmingham and District Allotments Council	Will be awarded for obtaining the most points in flower classes 42 - 62
The Dennis Ryder Memorial Shield Presented by members of Thornbridge Avenue Allotments.	Will be awarded for obtaining most points in classes 58 - 62
The John Singleton Trophy Champion Allotment Gardener Presented by Singletons Nurseries	Will be awarded for obtaining most points Show

Individual Collection of Vegetables

Class 3 - Collection of Vegetable

Class	Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
3	Collection of Vegetable, six kinds, only one of Cabbage family allowed. To occupy Space 0.91m x 0.91m (3ft x 3ft). Garnishing to be allowed.	£40	£30	£20

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

The number to be exhibited in this collection. All Quantities in collections, apart from below, are as per classes 5 to 38.

Quantities for Collection Class 3

Quantity THREE (3)

Cauliflowers, Lettuce, Swedes, Cucumber, Cabbage Green, Cabbage Red.

Quantity FOUR (4)

Celery, Leeks other than Pot Leeks, Pot Leeks, Squash.

Quantity SIX (6)

Onions Over 250g, Onions 250g or under, Peppers Sweet, Potato White, Potato Coloured, Carrots Stump rooted, Rhubarb.

Quantity TWELVE (12)

Peas, Beans Runner, Beans French.

Points for Class 3, 1st = 12 points, 2nd = 9 points, 3rd = 6 points.

Individual Collection of Vegetables

Class 4 - Collection of Vegetable

Class	Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
4	Collection of Vegetable, four kinds, only one of Cabbage family allowed. To occupy Space 0.61m x 0.61m (2ft x 2ft). Garnishing to be allowed.	£25	£20	£15

Open to any exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

The number to be exhibited in this collection. All Quantities in collections, apart from below, are as per classes 5 to 38.

Quantities for Collection Class 4

Quantity THREE (3)

Cauliflowers, Lettuce, Swedes, Cucumber, Cabbage Green, Cabbage Red.

Quantity FOUR (4)

Celery, Leeks other than Pot Leeks, Pot Leeks, Squash.

Quantity SIX (6)

Onions Over 250g, Onions 250g or under, Peppers Sweet, Potato White, Potato Coloured, Carrots Stump rooted, Rhubarb.

Quantity TWELVE (12)

Peas, Beans Runner, Beans French.

Points for Class 4, 1st = 8 points, 2nd = 6 points, 3rd = 4 points.

Single Vegetable Classes 5 – 40

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

Collection quantities differ from single class quantities where Class is marked with* see notes to class 3 & 4.

Class	Description	Single Class Quantity	Prize		
			1st	2nd	3rd
*5	Onion, Three, over 250g, dressed (clean basal plate)	3	£14	£10	£6
6	Parsnips, Three, Tops to be cut to 75mm (3") in length	3	£14	£10	£6
*7	Cauliflower, Two, part stem left on.	2	£14	£10	£6
*8	Celery, Two Sticks with roots trimmed. (clean basal plate)	2	£14	£10	£6
*9	Leeks, Three, other than Pot leeks, (roots on & clean)	3	£14	£10	£6
*10	Pot Leeks, Two, (roots on & clean)	2	£14	£10	£6
*11	Peas, Nine pods	9	£14	£10	£6
12	Shallots, exhibition, twelve. Over 30mm (1 1/8in) (clean basal plates)	12	£14	£10	£6
13	Carrots, Three, a long-pointed cultivar, tops to be cut to 75mm (3") in length	3	£14	£10	£6
*14	Onions, Five, dressed, 250g or under (clean basal plates)	5	£8	£6	£4
*15	Potato, Five, White cultivar, kidney, round, oval, one cultivar.	5	£8	£6	£4
*16	Potato, Five, Coloured cultivar, kidney, round, oval, one cultivar.	5	£8	£6	£4
*17	Carrots, Three, Stump rooted, shown with tops to be cut to 75mm (3") in length	3	£8	£6	£4
18	Shallots, pickling, twelve, under 30mm (1 1/8in) (clean basal plates)	12	£8	£6	£4
*19	Rhubarb, three sticks, leaf trimmed to 75mm (3") in length	3	£6	£4	£2
20	Courgette, Three, 150mm – 200mm (6"-8") any colour matching.	3	£6	£4	£2
*21	Beet, globe, Four, with foliage trimmed to 75mm	4	£6	£4	£2
22	Beet, other than globe, three, with foliage trimmed to 75mm	3	£6	£4	£2
*23	Beans, runner, nine	9	£6	£4	£2

*24	Beans, French, nine (including climbing)	9	£6	£4	£2
25	Tomatoes, nine, approx.: 60mm (2 3/8"). dia	9	£6	£4	£2
26	Tomatoes, Fifteen, small fruited or cherry not exceeding 35mm (1 3/8 in). dia	15	£6	£4	£2
27	Tomatoes one truss	1 truss	£6	£4	£2
*28	Pepper, sweet, three	3	£6	£4	£2
*29	Squash, three	3	£6	£4	£2
30	Sweetcorn, three, silks retained. fold down sufficient husk to expose the cob	3	£6	£4	£2
*31	Cucumber, pair	1 pair	£6	£4	£2
*32	Cabbage, two, green, 75mm(3in) stem left on.	2	£6	£4	£2
*33	Cabbage, two, Red, 75mm(3in) stem left on.	2	£6	£4	£2
34	Herbs, four varieties, each in separate vase **	4	£6	£4	£2
35	Marrow, table, pair, matching colour, under 350mm (13 3/4")	1 pair	£6	£4	£2
36	Garlic, five bulbs, trimmed to 25mm (1 in) (clean basal plates) on 250mm (10 in) plate	5 bulbs	£6	£4	£2
37	Pepper, Hot Chilli, Six, stalks attached, colour according to cultivar	6	£6	£4	£2
38	Aubergine, Three, with calyces intact	3	£6	£4	£2

** Chives or any Herb should be sufficient to fill a vase approximately 150mm high and 65mm at mouth.

Points for each of Classes 5 to 38, 1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point.

B.D.A.C Youth Challenge

Open to any Young Gardener age 15 to 18 years related to a Plot Holder

All exhibits must be grown on an allotment plot by the exhibitor.

39	Junior Class – Best grown and displayed vegetable(s) from any of classes 5 to 38	Qty as classes 5 to 38	£6	£4	£2
40	Junior Class – Best grown and displayed Flower(s) from any of classes 42 to 62	Qty as classes 42 to 62	£6	£4	£2

Note: -

Youth Classes 39 & 40 Open to any exhibitor age 15 to 18 years who is related to a City of Birmingham allotment tenant.

Points for each of Classes 39 to 40, 1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point.

Individual Collection of Cut Flowers

Class 41 - Collection of Cut Flowers

Class	Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
41	Collection of Cut Flowers. To occupy Space 0.61m x 0.61m (2ft x 2ft). arranged for frontal effect.	£25	£20	£15

Note: -

Staging not to be higher than 0.76m (2ft 6in)

Overall display height not to exceed 0.91m (3ft)

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

Points for Class 41, 1st = 8 points, 2nd = 6 points, 3rd = 4 points.

Single Flower Classes 42 - 62

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

Class	Description	Prize		
		1 st	2 nd	3 rd
42	One Vase of mixed Annual garden flowers and foliage arranged for all round effect	£6	£4	£2
43	Three Vases Garden Flowers, three kinds, not more than nine stems in each vase, one kind per vase.	£6	£4	£2
44	One Vase of hardy Border Perennials and own foliage, any kind of cultivars, arranged	£6	£4	£2
45	One Vase of foliage, mixed, arranged for frontal effect. 0.61m (2ft) maximum width	£6	£4	£2
46	1 Flowering pot Plant (maximum pot size 3lt/7")	£6	£4	£2
47	1 Vase, African Marigold, 6 Blooms, any cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
48	1 vase, Dahlia, Pom Pom, 5 Blooms, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
49	1 vase, Dahlia, Miniature, 5 blooms, Size Max dia 100mm (4") Ball or Decorative/Cactus or semi Cactus, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
50	1 vase, Dahlia, Small, 5 Blooms, Size 100mm – 150mm (4" to 6") Decorative/Cactus or semi Cactus, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
51	1 vase, Dahlia, Medium, 3 Blooms, Size 150mm – 200mm (6" to 8") Decorative/Cactus or semi Cactus, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
52	3 vase, Dahlia, Large, 1 Bloom per vase, Size 200mm – 250mm (8" to 10") Decorative/Cactus or semi Cactus, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
53	3 vase, Dahlia, Giant, 1 Bloom per vase, Min dia 250mm (10") Decorative/Cactus or semi Cactus, any single cultivar.	£6	£4	£2

54	1 vase, Dahlia 5 Blooms any single cultivar, NOT IN CLASSES 48 TO 53	£6	£4	£2
55	One Vase Gladioli, Three spikes.	£6	£4	£2
56	One Vase Gladioli, Five spikes, (other than large flowering type, any cultivar or cultivars.	£6	£4	£2
57	Gladioli, One Specimen, any cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
58	One Vase, Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, Five Blooms, any cultivar or cultivars	£6	£4	£2
59	One Vase, Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, Three Blooms, Incurved, one cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
60	One Vase, Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, Three Blooms, Reflex, one cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
61	One Vase, Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, Three Blooms, Intermediate, one cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
62	Two Vases of Spray Chrysanthemum, Five stems per vase, two distinct cultivars	£6	£4	£2

Points for each of Classes 42 to 62. 1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point.

Single Fruit Classes F1 – F5

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

F1	Apple, Dessert, six, any cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
F2	Apple, Cooking, six, any cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
F3	Pear, Dessert, Six, any cultivar.	£6	£4	£2
F4	Plum, Dessert, Nine, any cultivar	£6	£4	£2
F5	Damson, nine, any cultivar	£6	£4	£2

Points for each of Classes F1 to F2. 1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point. **Single**

Heaviest Classes H1 – H5

Open to any Individual exhibitor who meets criteria of rule 1.

H1	Onion, Heaviest, Leaves cut 75mm (3in) with clean root	£10	£7	£5
H2	Marrow, Heaviest	£10	£7	£5
H3	Pumpkin, Heaviest	£10	£7	£5
H4	Potatoes, Three, Heaviest Combined Weight any cultivars	£10	£7	£5
H5	Longest Bean	£10	£7	£5

Points for each of Classes H1 to H5. 1st = 3 points, 2nd = 2 points, 3rd = 1 point.

Children's Classes C1

Open to any Child who is related to a City of Birmingham allotment tenant.

Age 4 – 8 years

C1	Animal, to be made from Vegetables, Fruit and other natural plant material.	£6	£4	£2
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Note: - A Cup will be presented to winner of this class.

Children's Classes C2

Open to any Child who is related to a City of Birmingham allotment tenant.

Age 9 - 14 years

C2	Miniature Garden, in a standard seed Tray to include Vegetable, Fruit and other natural plant material.	£6	£4	£2
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Note: - Cup will be presented to winner of this class.