

## Programme

- 2.30pm Show opens  
Tea and Home-made cakes available
- 3.30pm Presentations: including who has won the Special Garden Feature and Prettiest Garden, as well as the other trophies listed in this booklet.
- 4.00pm Sale of Exhibits & Raffle

Proceeds from the Show will go to the  
Waltham Gardeners' Society Funds

## Judges

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|-----------------|---|
| Ms Sue Scrivens | Special Garden Feature and<br>Prettiest Garden Competitions |
| Mr B Barnett    | Vegetable & Fruit Classes<br>Flower & Foliage Classes       |
| Mrs M Last      | Cookery Classes<br>Craft Classes<br>Children's Classes      |
| Ms M Marsh      | Floral Art Classes  |

(Picture on Front Cover by Daniel Bannister)



**Gardeners Society  
Annual Show  
4 August 2018  
2.30pm**



**Entry Form**  
**Waltham Gardeners' Society**  
**Annual Show Saturday 4 August 2018**

EITHER email the class(es) you wish to enter to  
mary.streater@walthamgardeners.org.uk

OR use this form and circle the classes you wish to enter– one form for  
each entrant please

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If entering for classes 62-70 inclusive please enter your age on the day of  
the show. Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return your entry form to: Mrs Sue Leslie, Carpenters Cottage,  
Church Lane, Waltham, CT4 5SG

The closing date for entries is 8pm on Friday 3 August 2018.

If you have any queries please contact the Show Secretary Mrs Mary  
Streater either at the above email address or on 01227 700322.

**Please bring the exhibits you have already informed us you intend to  
enter to Waltham Village Hall on Saturday 4 August between  
8.30am and 11.00am. Note that all exhibitors must leave the hall by  
11.15am to enable the judging to commence.**

**Hazelnut and Coffee Biscotti**

These are crunchy biscuits, but cut them in that special elongated way  
and we call them biscotti. The dough is easy to make, and they are even  
easier to eat.

120g blanched hazelnuts	2 teaspoons baking powder
280g plain flour	3 large eggs
6 tablespoons very strong coffee	175g caster sugar
70g cocoa powder	½ teaspoon vanilla extract
80g dark chocolate, chopped	

Oven temperature 190C / gas mark 5

Mix the flour, cocoa and baking soda in one bowl and beat the eggs,  
sugar and vanilla in another, until creamy. Gradually beat the dry  
ingredients into the egg and sugar mixture.

Now gradually beat in the coffee, dark chocolate and hazelnuts to form a  
stiff dough.

Split the dough in half and form two 30cm logs. Place them on a greased  
baking tray about 10cm apart. Flatten them slightly so they take on the  
biscotti shape.

Bake for about 25-30 minutes until the logs are firm but not hard.

Remove from the oven and allow to cool.

Once cool, cut the logs diagonally into 1cm slices. Place on a lined  
baking tray and bake at 160C /gas mark 3 for 10 minutes. This is the  
final crisping phase.

Cool on a wire rack before serving.

*Montezuma's Chocolate Cookbook*

**Entry Form**  
**Waltham Gardeners' Society**  
**Special Garden Feature Competition 2018**

This competition is only open to those who are paid up members of Waltham Gardeners' Society on 31 May 2018. The competition will be judged by Ms Sue Scrivens on Saturday 23 June 2018.

This competition will be judged on a special feature in your garden. For example it may be a garden ornament, specimen tree or plant, water feature or pond.

I wish to enter the Special Garden Feature competition

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return your entry form by **noon on Tuesday 19 June 2018** to:

Mrs Sue Leslie, Carpenters Cottage, Church Lane, Waltham, CT4 5SG  
or send the details to her at [sue.leslie@walthamgardeners.org.uk](mailto:sue.leslie@walthamgardeners.org.uk)

If you have any queries please contact Sue on 01227 701088, or by email to the above email address.

Photographs of all gardens entered will be taken for display at the Annual Show on Saturday 4 August 2018, when the winner will be announced and awarded the Society Challenge Cup.

Please take a look at this booklet and see what you could enter. There is plenty to choose from whether you grow flowers or vegetables or bake or make preserves.

We would like to encourage new people to enter so if you have got any questions about entering the Show then please contact the Show Secretary, Mary Streater, at the email address or telephone number given on the entry form.

**Cups and Trophies**

Points are awarded 3 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2 for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 1 for 3<sup>rd</sup>

The C. A. Baker Cup	Most Points in Vegetable and Fruit Classes
The Coveney Cup	Most Points in Flower and Foliage Classes
The Willett Cup	Best Rose Exhibit
The Bradshaw Cup	Best Exhibit in Floral Art
The Lockwood Cup	Most Points in Cookery Classes
The Alfred Wraight Trophy	Best Exhibit in Show
The Anthony Phipps Cup	Most Points in Children's Classes
The Society Challenge Cup	Special Garden Feature
The Helen Appleby Memorial Trophy	The Prettiest Garden

## Vegetable and Fruit Classes

- 1 5 White Potatoes
- 2 5 Coloured Potatoes
- 3 3 Beetroot
- 4 3 Carrots (foliage trimmed to 75mm)
- 5 6 Runner Beans
- 6 6 French Beans
- 7 2 Marrows
- 8 2 Courgettes
- 9 3 Onions (not red)
- 10 3 Red Onions
- 11 5 Shallots
- 12 5 Cherry Tomatoes (any colour)
- 13 3 Red Tomatoes (not Cherry Tomatoes)
- 14 1 Lettuce
- 15 2 Peppers
- 16 2 Sticks of Rhubarb (foliage trimmed to 75mm)
- 17 2 of any other named vegetable not listed above
- 18 An arrangement of 3 different named culinary herbs  
in own vase
- 19 A Small Dish of Soft Fruit on Leaves
- 20 3 Plums with stalks

## Entry Form Waltham Gardeners' Society Prettiest Garden Competition 2018

This competition is open to all those who live in the parishes of Waltham or Petham. Gardens will be judged by Ms Sue Scrivens on Saturday 23 June 2018.

You can enter your whole garden or just part of your garden for this competition. Size is not important, the garden will be judged purely on how pretty it appears to the judge.

I wish to enter the Prettiest Garden competition

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return your entry form by **noon on Tuesday 19 June 2018** to:

Mrs Sue Leslie, Carpenters Cottage, Church Lane, Waltham, CT4 5SG  
or send the details to her at [sue.leslie@walthamgardeners.org.uk](mailto:sue.leslie@walthamgardeners.org.uk)

If you have any queries please contact Sue on 01227 701088, or by email to the above email address.

Photographs of all gardens entered will be taken for display at the Annual Show on Saturday 4 August 2018, when the winner will be announced and awarded the Helen Appleby Memorial Trophy.

## Waltham Gardeners' Society

Chairman	Mr Les Leslie
Secretary	Mrs Janet Moor
Treasurer	Mrs Sue Leslie
Show Secretary	Mrs Mary Streater

### Rules of the Show

- 1 Anyone may enter one or two classes, but if you wish to enter three or more then you MUST be a paid up member of Waltham Gardeners' Society on 31 May 2018. Apart from the Children's classes 62-70 which may be entered by any child of a suitable age.
- 2 A member and partner may only submit one entry in each class.
- 3 All exhibits in classes 1-43 and 46 must be grown by the exhibitor.
- 4 All exhibits to be shown in a clean state.
- 5 An entry will be judged N.A.S. (Not as Schedule) if the specified quantity is not shown.
- 6 Entries for all classes must be submitted by 8pm on Friday 3 August to Mrs Sue Leslie, Carpenters Cottage, Waltham or to Mrs Mary Streater by email at [mary.streater@walthamgardeners.org.uk](mailto:mary.streater@walthamgardeners.org.uk) NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SHOW DAY
- 7 All exhibits must be staged between 8.30am and 11.00am, and exhibitors must leave the hall by 11.15am.
- 8 Judging will commence at 11.30am
- 9 The Judges' decision will be final.
- 10 No exhibits to be removed until after the presentations, except by the permission of the Show Secretary.
- 11 Exhibits for Sale should be moved to the front table before the Sale starts.

## Flower and Foliage Classes

- 21 3 Stems of Single Roses
- 22 3 Stems of Floribunda Roses
- 23 1 Specimen Stem, Single Rose
- 24 3 Gladioli
- 25 5 Dahlias
- 26 5 Stems of 1 Variety of Annual (not sweet peas)
- 27 3 stems of Annual Sweet Peas (same colour)
- 28 5 Stems of 1 Variety of Perennial
- 29 5 Different Perennials, 1 Stem of Each
- 30 3 Heads of Hydrangea
- 31 3 stems of Flowering Shrubs (not hydrangeas), Mixed or Single Variety
- 32 5 Different Varieties of Foliage, 1 stem of each in own vase
- 33 A Collection of seed heads and/or berries in own vase
- 34 A Collection of ornamental grasses in own vase
- 35 A selection of flowers from your garden in own vase
- 36 A patio container. Maximum pot size 30cm diameter
- 37 1 Pot Plant – Foliage. Maximum pot size 30cm diameter
- 38 1 Pot Fuchsia. Maximum pot size 30cm diameter
- 39 1 Pot of Cacti and/or Succulent(s). Maximum pot size 30cm diameter
- 40 A pot of lilies (Maximum pot size 30cm diameter)

### Novelty Classes

- 41 Heaviest Potato
- 42 Longest Runner Bean
- 43 Most amusingly shaped vegetable or fruit with caption

### Floral Art Classes

- 44 *A Song Title (Title to be stated)* an exhibit of natural plant material viewed and judged from the front. Maximum size 60cm wide x 60cm deep x 90cm high
- 45 *Pretty in Pink* a petite exhibit of natural plant material viewed and judged from the front. Maximum size 25cm wide x 25cm deep x 37cm high
- 46 *From my own garden* an exhibit of natural plant material all grown in your own garden viewed and judged from the front. Maximum size 35cm wide x 35cm deep x 50cm high
- 47 An arrangement of natural plant material in a wine glass viewed and judged all round. Maximum size 20cm wide x 20cm deep
- 48 A Buttonhole for a Special Occasion

### Cookery Classes

- 49 Jar of Redcurrant Jelly, labelled with month and year of making
- 50 Jar of Vegetable Pickles, labelled with month and year of making
- 51 A plaited loaf of bread any shape and size
- 52 A Victoria Sandwich Cake, Jam filling
- 53 6 pieces of Hazelnut and Coffee Biscotti (from recipe enclosed)
- 54 A Savoury Vegetarian Flan (Pastry bottom, any size)
- 55 6 Sausage Rolls, shortcrust pastry
- 56 6 Fruit Scones

### Craft Classes

- 57 A photo, painting or drawing to advertise next years Show on Saturday 3 August 2019 at 2.30pm at Waltham Village Hall. Unmounted. Maximum size 30cm x 21cm
- 58 A knitted or crocheted item
- 59 A photograph of a sunset Unmounted. Maximum size 30cm x 25cm
- 60 A painting of a garden, flower, plant or animal Unmounted. Maximum size 30cm x 25cm
- 61 A hand made greetings card

### Children's Classes

The winner of each of these classes will receive a cash prize of £2. Remember to state your age on the entry form.

#### Age Group 7 and under

- 62 Make a vegetable animal and give it a name
- 63 A decorated hard-boiled egg in your own egg cup
- 64 A hand print painting Maximum size 30cmx25cm

#### Age Group 11 and under

- 65 *My Life* – a collage
- 66 A selection of flowers from your garden in your own vase
- 67 6 Chocolate cornflake cakes you have made

#### Age Group 16 and under

- 68 A photo of a flower or tree in your garden. Unmounted Maximum size 30cm x 25cm
- 69 6 cupcakes you have made and decorated
- 70 A homemade bird box / home