

# **Broomfield Cottage Gardeners' Society**



## **Programme and Schedule for Flower and Produce Shows**

to be held on

**Sunday 21st July 2024**

(As part of the Village Summer Fayre)

**&**

**Sunday 29th September 2024**

2.00pm. to 4.00pm

**in Broomfield Village Hall**

rear of The Angel Pub, Main Road, Broomfield, CM1 7AH

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Free Car Park \* Refreshments \* Cash Prizes and Cups to be won

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## **SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP**

This is recommended and, at £4 for adults (over 18), £3 for senior citizens (over 60), free for under 18, represents good value for money.

In addition to a subsidized range of gardening products, you can also enjoy:

- Free Admission to our two annual Flower and Produce Shows
- No charge to enter exhibits at our Flower and Produce Shows
- All the benefits and advice from The Barn (see below)
- Quarterly Newsletters
- Members' Open Gardens during summer evenings
- Illustrated Talks (with free refreshments) at a modest charge (see Programme of Social Events on Page 5)
- Society website providing Monthly To Do Jobs, Recipes etc.

## **THE BARN**

Located on Broomfield Allotments site, with access between 149 & 151 Main Road

**Opening Hours: Sunday 10.00am - 12.00 Noon.**

**Friday 10.00am - 11.00am (subject to notice via email)**

**(Last trading day: Sunday 24th November 2024 and re-opens on Sunday 12th January 2025)**

The Barn stocks a wide selection of gardening products. We buy from professional wholesalers which allows us to sell at competitive prices and have been serving the needs of our members for almost 50 years.

## **PROGRAMME OF SOCIAL EVENTS 2024/25**

### **Open Gardens**

Many members kindly open their gardens on Thursday evenings/ Sunday afternoons during the Summer months. Please refer to your Newsletters for details.

### **Programme of Illustrated Talks/Social Events**

We have a series of talks from October through to March each year, details will follow by email.

**Please ensure we have your correct email address** by contacting our membership secretary at [bcgsshowsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:bcgsshowsecretary@gmail.com) so we can keep you updated about all our talks and other social events.



## THE BARN PRODUCTS

The Barn stocks a wide selection of gardening products including:

- Kings Seeds (at 25% off),
- Seed Potatoes,
- Onion Sets and Shallots,
- A large range of Organic and Inorganic Fertilisers, Insecticides and Fungicides,
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**Thanks** are due to: Kings Seeds for donating seeds for the sweet pea challenge. Nick Smith for the fuchsia (Summer Show) challenge. Malcolm Deacon for donating the cuttings for our dahlia challenge (Autumn Show). Christine Welch for plants for the chilli challenge (Autumn Show), chrysanthemum cuttings for challenge (Autumn Show). Angela Marriage for the flour for bread challenge (Summer Show).

**(Please see Notes under Guide to Exhibitors re supply of cuttings and plants)**

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## 2023 Honours List

### Summer Show

Burrell Webber Silver Challenge Cup (Flowers) _____	Christine Welch
The Society Silver Challenge Cup (Best exhibit - Flowers) ____	Christine Welch
Chairman's Challenge Plate (Fuchsia Challenge) _____	Roger Hardy
Iris Haslam Memorial Cup (Best exhibit - Fuchsias) _____	Roger Hardy
Inglis Silver Challenge Cup (Fruit & Vegetables) _____	Derek Quinton
G V Staines Trophy (Soft Fruit) _____	Nick Welch
RHS Banksian Medal (Highest Aggregate - Horticultural) ____	Derek Quinton
M H Drake Trophy (Floral and Vegetable Arrangements) ____	Not Awarded
Trading Centre Cup (Preserves) _____	Anne Quinton
Delmas Ashford Cup (Cookery) _____	Angela Flynn
W J Day Challenge Cup (Handicrafts) _____	Heather Steed
Margaret Reeve Cup (Best exhibit in Handicrafts) _____	Chris Whitby
Society Challenge Trophy (Photography) _____	David Ford

### Summer Flower & Produce Show 2023 Winners





## **Autumn Show**

Walter Harris Challenge Cup (Highest Aggregate - Flowers) \_\_\_\_\_

R W Petch Cup (Highest Points - Dahlias) \_\_\_\_\_

Nick Turner Cup (Dahlia Challenge) \_\_\_\_\_

Harry Jones Memorial Trophy (3 Sprays Chrysanthemums) \_\_\_\_\_

Bill Hayden Challenge Cup (Fruit & Veg) \_\_\_\_\_

Society Challenge Cup (Floral & Vegetable Arrangements) \_\_\_\_\_

Master Gardener's Trophy \_\_\_\_\_

Trading Centre Cup (Cookery & Preserves) \_\_\_\_\_

Chairman's Challenge Trophy (Photography) \_\_\_\_\_

Ken Searles Cup (Highest points in Show) \_\_\_\_\_

Trading Centre Cup for Autumn Craft \_\_\_\_\_

Christine Welch

Malcolm Deacon

Ron Marlow

Barrie Hay

Chris Whiting

Les Steed

Malcolm Deacon

Angela Flynn

Peter Marriage

Chris Whiting

Sheila Sheldrake

## **Autumn Flower & Produce Show 2023 Winners**

