



2026

Haywoods Flower And Vegetable Show

**Colwich and Little Haywood Village Hall
Sunday 6th September 2026**

Entry forms are accepted up to 12 midday on Saturday 5th September. Late entries will NOT be accepted on Sunday morning before the show.

Please post entry form with fees to:
4 Nursery Way, Great Haywood; or
7 Harland Close, Little Haywood

Entry Fee: 20p per exhibit.

Staging of exhibits starts at 9am and must be completed by 11am prompt. Exhibits should not be removed until after the presentation of the trophies.

Judging commences at 11:30am with the show opening to the public at 2:30pm. Entry to the Show from 2.30pm is £1 per adult, children and exhibitors are free.

The presentation of the trophies and raffle draw is at 3.30pm. Raffle tickets will be on sale at the Show for £1 per ticket.

The Earl of Lichfield Challenge Cup will be awarded to the person gaining the most points overall. The Peter Handy Perpetual Challenge Cup will be awarded to the first runner-up. The Alan Fuller Perpetual Challenge Cup will be awarded to the second runner up.

The show is meant to be fun for all, but please adhere to the rules at the back of this schedule. Thank you.

New Entrant Award



If you have not entered the Show before, Welcome! You can enter as many classes as you like. You may wish to cautiously try a few classes you feel comfortable with or go all out for full coverage! However you start, your total number of points gained from everything you enter will be put forward for the New Entrant Award. The new exhibitor gaining the most points out of all new entrants will be awarded The Francis Hill Cup.

Flowers

1. Viola, 1 specimen bloom
2. Violas, 6 blooms
3. Dahlia, pom pom, 1 specimen bloom
4. Dahlia, cactus, 1 specimen bloom
5. Mixed annuals, 3 or more varieties in 1 vase
6. Mixed perennials, 3 or more varieties in 1 vase
7. Pansy, 1 specimen bloom
8. Pansies, 6 blooms
9. Fuchsia heads, 3 of any same variety
10. A vase of 3 or more varieties of bee friendly flowers
11. Largest sunflower head, Adult

The Clendon Vase will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.



Roses

12. Roses, floribunda, 3 sprays, any variety
13. Roses, Hybrid Tea, 3 of any one variety
14. Rose, 1 specimen, with foliage
15. Roses, 5 Hybrid Tea, mixed varieties



The Sydney Rawlings Rose Bowl will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section. The Rosern Trophy will be awarded to the Best Rose in Show.

Pot Plants

16. Foliage pot plant
17. Bonsai
18. Geranium
19. Succulent
20. African Violet
21. Streptocarpus (Cape Primrose)
22. Flowering pot plant

The Cys Dyble Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Vegetables

23. Runner beans, 6 pods, with stalks & uniform tails
24. French beans, 6 pods, with stalks & even lengths
25. Beetroot, 2, trimmed to approx 3"/75mm, with taproot
26. Onions, 3, 250g or under, thin necked
27. Onions, 3, over 250g, thin necked with sound and intact root plate
28. Shallots, 5, thin necks
29. Potatoes, 5 coloured

30. Potatoes, 5 white
31. Parsnips, 2, trimmed to approx 3"/75mm with taproot
32. Cucumber, 1 with stalk
33. Marrow, 1
34. Carrots, 3 trimmed to approx 3"/75mm, one variety
35. Courgettes, 2
36. Leeks, 2 parallel-sided, blanched leeks 150mm or over, pot leeks blanched less than 150mm
37. Chilli peppers, 3
38. Capsicum peppers, 3
39. Sweetcorn, 2 cobs, display approx 25% of the grain along the length of the cob, husk on, trimmed stalk
40. The longest runner bean (one prize awarded)
41. The heaviest onion (one prize awarded)
42. The funniest shaped vegetable (one prize awarded)
43. Any mixed vegetables displayed in a seed tray, judged on presentation and quality
44. Herbs, 4 varieties, bunched and labelled
45. Tomatoes, 5, any one variety, with stalks
46. Cherry tomatoes, 5, any one variety, with stalks
47. Rhubarb, 3 stalks, with trimmed leaves
48. Squash/Gourd, 1, any variety
49. Aubergine, 1, any variety

The HW Hunt Company Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section. The Stan Hopper Memorial Plate will be presented to the Best Vegetable in Show. The Morral Plate will be presented to the exhibitor with the Longest Runner Bean.



Fruit

50. Apples, 5 dessert, stalks intact
51. Plums, 5 with stalks
52. Pears, 5 with stalks
53. Damsons, 12 with stalks
54. Apples, 5 cooking, stalk intact
55. Apple, cooking, 1 specimen, stalk intact
56. Raspberry, 12 with stalk
57. Blackberry, 12 with stalk



The Canalside Salver will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Preserves

All labelled, sealed with a new twist top lid OR for curd/cheese only a wax disc and cellophane may be used.

58. Jar of jam, any one fruit
59. Jar of jam, more than one fruit
60. Jar of fruit jelly
61. Jar of any curd/cheese
62. Jar of chutney
63. Jar of pickled cucumber or gherkins
64. Jar of marmalade, any citrus fruit
65. Bottle of cordial/syrup

The Great Haywood Memorial Hall Challenge Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Baking

- 66. Victoria sandwich, 3 eggs, just jam filling
- 67. Savoury crackers, 4
- 68. Shortbread, 4 biscuits
- 69. Brownies, 4
- 70. Swiss roll, no fresh cream please
- 71. Cinnamon swirls, 2

Any baking class may be vegan or gluten free - please label.

The Great Haywood WI Trophy will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Bread

- 72. Focaccia, 1
- 73. Wholemeal tin loaf, 1
- 74. White tin loaf, 1
- 75. Loaf made in a bread making machine, 1
- 76. Fruit loaf
- 77. Any bread other than the above

Any bread class may be vegan or gluten free - please label.

The Little Haywood Ladies Club Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Flower Arranging

- 78. A Harvest wreath, max diameter 16"
- 79. Foliage arrangement
- 80. Petite arrangement
- 81. A floral headband
- 82. Modern, unlimited height, no floral foam
- 83. Floral arrangement "By the seaside", accessories permitted

All exhibits must not exceed 20"/510mm unless otherwise stated.

The Davies Floral Art Challenge Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section. The Marjorie Chilton Trophy will be presented to the Best Floral Art exhibit.

Handicraft

Please give brief details of how you have made the item.

- 84. A knitted or crocheted garment
- 85. An item of pottery, polymer or air drying clay
- 86. A piece of glass art
- 87. A piece of needlecraft
- 88. A hat, any craft
- 89. A handmade toy
- 90. A piece of needle or wet felting
- 91. Any handicraft except those in classes 84 to 90

The Burbridge Tray will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Art and Photography

- 92. A portrait - human or animal, any media
- 93. A landscape, any media
- 94. Your interpretation of any subject using wet or dry media
- 95. A drawing in pencil, charcoal or pastels, any subject
- 96. Photo junior (16yrs & under) on the theme "Wildlife on water"
- 97. Photograph adult, on the theme "A little bit of red"
- 98. Macro photograph, any subject
- 99. Black and white photograph, any subject

All art and photographs mounted and/or framed unless on a canvas. Please keep the photographs local and printed on photographic paper. Exhibitors are welcome to bring a stand to display large artwork.

The Jan Pugh Art Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.

Children's Section

Pre-school

- 100. Largest sunflower head
- 101. A finger painted picture
- 102. A paper crown decorated with natural materials

5-7 years

- 103. Largest sunflower head
- 104. A flag for a sandcastle
- 105. A cardboard tube model

8-11 years

- 106. Largest sunflower head
- 107. Seaside in a seed tray
- 108. A wind chime

12-16 years

- 109. Largest sunflower head
- 110. A piece of artwork
- 111. A piece of handicraft



A certificate will be given to all entries in the Pre-school section. The Alison Mayo Junior Trophy will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the 5-7 years section. The Bishton Hall Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the 8-11 years section. The Flower and Vegetable Show Trophy will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the 12-16 years section.

Longest Runner Bean – 16 years and under

- 112. The longest runner bean (one prize awarded)
- The Colwich Parish in Bloom Cup will be awarded to the winner.



Junior Baking—16 years and under

- 113. Flavoured flapjack (please label), 4
- 114. Rocky road, 4
- 115. Pastry pinwheels, your choice of filling (please label), 2

The Broome Junior Baking Cup will be presented to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall in the above section.



www.haywoodsflowerandvegshow.com

Visit our website for full details of the Show, how to enter, additional entry forms and to see photos from previous Shows.

Find us on Facebook for all the latest news, at “Haywoods Flower and Vegetable Show”.

Surplus Table – Request for Donations

If you have any spare produce please consider donating it for our surplus table. We have a donation bucket on the table and this helps us raise vital funds to help cover the costs of staging the Show. Please bring along spare fruit, veg, plants or preserves etc on Show Day and spread the joy of home produce! Thank you ever so much.

If you are interested in joining our team and helping to keep the Show going, please speak to us at the Show or email:
haywoodsflowerandvegshow@outlook.com

Rules

1. The Committee shall be at liberty to inspect gardens and allotments of intending exhibitors in order to see the articles for competition.
2. All flowers and vegetables must be grown by the exhibitor on their own premises or allotment. Pot plants must have been in the exhibitor's possession for at least 2 months prior to the Show. Should any exhibitor infringe this rule, all awards will be forfeited and you will be disqualified from exhibiting again.
3. Only officials may be allowed to be present during judging.
4. In normal circumstances, points will be awarded as follows:
First = 3 Second = 2 Third = 1
5. Judges shall have the right to withhold awards if an exhibit is not of sufficient merit. If there are no more than 2 entries in a class, the First prize will be awarded only when the exhibit shows special merit.
6. All exhibits must be in the name of one person only, no collective entries.
7. All exhibitors must live within a radius of 4 miles of the Haywoods.
8. No exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in each class.
9. Entry cards must be placed exhibitor name face down.
10. An objection to any entry, or against any exhibitor, must be made to an official before 11am and the objector shall deposit £5, which shall be forfeited if the objection be proved frivolous.
11. Should any 2 exhibitors attain the same number of points, the trophy will be held by each person for a period of 6 months.
12. The judges' decisions are final.
13. The winners of the trophies will hold them for one year (or as outlined in rule 11).
14. All trophies must be signed for by the winner, who will be held responsible for its safe keeping and return.
15. The Committee will not be responsible for any loss or accident that may occur at the Show.
16. Any issues not determined in the above rules shall be decided by a majority of the Committee.
17. All exhibitors must be amateurs. Anyone who makes money from the skills being exhibited must not enter that Class.
18. Exhibits in the Children's/Junior Sections should be the child's own work.
19. Articles other than exhibits must not be left in the Hall and all exhibits must be removed after the presentation. Any exhibits left after the Show will be disposed of.

Suggestions to Exhibitors

Potatoes: select medium sized spuds with a clean skin. Wash them carefully using a sponge not a brush.

Onions: don't over-skin and look for a thin mature neck.

Leeks: when cleaning try not to let the water run between the leaves, try not to have a bulb at the base and don't over strip them. Lay them flat on the table with the clean roots to the front.

Beetroot: take care when washing as marks will show up later, small side shoots may be removed.

Carrots: if you soak the ground before lifting, it will reduce damage to the root. Try not to have discolouring around the top.

Beans: keep a bit of the stalk on and bring a couple of spares. Try to get them all the same size and length without seed showing through the skin.

Tomatoes: show with the stalk end upwards.

Shallots: display neatly tied and best shown on a plate of sand or something similar.

Fruit: don't polish, especially plums.

Macro photography: defined as photography of a small subject where the size of the subject on the image is life size or greater.

Preserves: Label with preserve name and full date ie. dd/mm/yy
Chutney must have a coated metal twist top lid or be in a glass Kilner style jar with a new rubber seal, and made at least 2 months before the Show to allow flavours to develop.

Fruit and veg: bring a few spares just in case something gets damaged on the way to the show. **Good Luck!**



Entry Form

Exhibitor Name:

Address:

Telephone Number:New Entrant: ☐

Email Address:

Circle the class number below for each one you are entering:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Entry Fee 20p per exhibit entry

Total number of entries:Total entry fee:

Personal details are kept solely for the purpose of administering the Show, retrieving trophies and posting schedules for the following year's Show. If you do not wish your details to be retained after this year's Show please tick here ☐

The first initial and surname of trophy winners will be published locally and on the internet. If you would prefer us not to publish your name please tick here ☐